



DELVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

T4G 2021

More pictures of Delview's 2021 T4G Event.



(Delview's Drive Thru T4G)



(Collecting cans and bottles at T4G)



(T4G volunteers unloading cars)

Dear Delview Families,

We hope that all our families continue to be well. Today's newsletter contains important information for our families as well as highlights a number of experiences and educational opportunities that have been going on at Delview over the past couple of weeks

Semester One Interims Now Online

In place of in-person parent teacher interviews staff have completed interims for all students. Interims report progress through the start of the school year through October 14th. Any student with a mark below 60%, a work habit of an 'N' or those that have not engaged have been provided with a detailed 'I' plan.

Interim reports are now viewable on students MYED accounts as well as Parent Connect.

Between now and October 29th staff will be reaching out to families receiving an 'I' plan through email or phone. If you receive an email please respond back to our staff so they know you have received the information. Staff reaching out by phone will have limited time with each family, but we encourage families to make plans for further communication if required. Please take the time to review your child's interim with them and discuss any steps that need to occur before our first formal reporting period.

If you have any questions regarding your child's progress please contact the classroom teacher by email. Semester 1 mid-term marks will be viewable on MYED on November 20th

T4G Drive Thru Event

On October 14th, Delview hosted its 29th annual Thanks 4 Giving food drive. With a continued focus on health and safety, Delview held a drive-thru event for the second straight year. Through class donations and what was received on the evening of the 14th, the

Raider Athletes in Action!

Last week Delview's Gr. 8, Jr. and Sr. volleyball teams along with our junior boys soccer team continued their league play. Over the weekend our Jr. and Sr. girls volleyball team took part in a tournament at the SFU campus.



(Delview's Gr. 8 Girls vs. Seaquam)



(Delview's Jr. Girls vs. Seaquam)



(Delview's Jr. Boys Soccer vs. Sands)

Check out [Delview Athletics webpage](#) for team schedules and information.

Delview school community brought in **12, 250** non-perishable food items for our local food banks. The donations will be provided to Deltassist and the Surrey Food bank to provide for families in need in our community.



This year's event would not have been possible without the help of our staff and student volunteers. This year's T4G event was put on and supported by



over 60 student committee members and over 30 staff members. Please join me in thanking Ms. Bochen, Ms. Hansen, Ms. Saran, Ms. Cooper and the entire T4G committee for all your efforts in making this event a success.

Next year, Delview will be hosting the 30th anniversary of T4G. Please start watching for more information on next year's event come the spring. Thanks again, I am incredibly proud of our entire school community.



School Fees

Notification of school fees owed by your child according to the courses in which they are enrolled was emailed to all families and is now viewable on Parent Connect. Fees are payable online using Parent Connect or by cheque, cash, or card at the Delview office. If paying by cash or cheque at the office, please include the student's name and grade. Thank you to all our families that have already paid their 2021-2022 student fees.

If you have any questions regarding student fees please contact the Delview office at 604 594-5491.

Counsellor Contact Info.

Delview is happy to welcome to the school Ms. Susan Lim. Ms. Lim will be working with Delview's counselling team every Tuesday and Thursday until winter break.

Below is the current alpha split for our counselling team.

Ms. R. Pooni (A-K)

rpooni@deltaschools.ca

Ms. M Schlatter (O-Z)

mschlatter@deltaschools.ca

Let's Connect!

Find us on the web:

<https://dl.deltasd.bc.ca/>

Follow us on Twitter:

@delview

Have You Downloaded the School App?

The Delview School App is available to download on the apple and google play store.

Download the app and follow your child(ren) grad channel

Grade 8- 2026 Grade 11- 2023

Grade 9- 2025 Grade 12-2022

Grade 10-2024



Grade 9 Students-Take Your Kid to Work

On Wednesday, November 3, 2021 all Delview Grade 9 students will be participating in a Virtual Take Our Kids to Work Day Event at Delview Secondary. Due to COVID, the Delta School District is supporting participation in this virtual event in order to be able to continue students' Careers Education journey in a safe manner.

Students will attend their regular classes where they will watch and interact with virtual presentations on various career areas. Students will then be asked to complete a reflective assignment found on the Careers 9 Google Classroom. Mr. Birt will be visiting all Grade 9 Block A classes on Wednesday October 27th to discuss/explain the day as well as to make sure they are logged into the Careers 9 Google Classroom.

Grade 12 Students - CLC & Capstone

Students should have met with their Capstone Teacher Mentors by now; if they have not they need to do so ASAP. Capstone Proposals also need to be submitted to Mr. Birt via the CLC Google Classroom in order to gain approval to begin working on their Capstone Project.

Please check the Google Classroom for which CLC assignments are due. Parents can view all information for CLC and Capstone at the following www.mrbirtcareers.weebly.com

COVID-19 Protocols in Schools

Delview staff and students continue to adhere to the Health and Safety Protocols released prior to the start of the school year. A few weeks ago, the Province announced amendments to its protocols requiring all students K-12 to wear masks in indoor spaces.

Current guidelines state:

- All K-12 students will be required to wear masks indoors, including at their desks (unless they have provided one of the listed exemptions). **All students are required to bring masks everyday and ensure they are being worn properly at all times.**

- Students will continue to sanitize their hands upon entering the school and classroom, with continued emphasis on hand hygiene.
- Parents will be asked to complete a [Daily Health Check](#) and keep their students home if they are not well.
- Students will be asked to respect individuals' personal space and schools will do their best to space students out within spaces.

Parents are encouraged to continue to view information on the Delta School [District website](#). The focus of the school continues to be on providing a safe environment for staff and students to work and learn under our current conditions.

COVID-19 Exposures

In the event that a family experiences testing protocols, or a self-isolation notice related to the COVID-19 virus, we are encouraging families to contact the school to inform us. We would like to centralize the collection of this information so that we can effectively follow up as necessary in an effort to keep our community safe. Please call [604-594-5491](tel:604-594-5491) or email delview.sec@deltasd.bc.ca.

Please note: If an individual tests positive and contact tracers determine they may have been infectious while at school:

- Parents, caregivers and staff will be notified by Fraser Health if their child is determined to be a close contact of a COVID-19 positive person.
- Students and staff determined by Fraser Health as **close contacts** may be asked to self-isolate or self-monitor.
- Individuals who are not close contacts are not at increased risk, so don't need to take any additional actions beyond continuing to follow general public health recommendations.
- If there are multiple cases that are confirmed clusters or outbreaks, the whole school community will be notified, and the case will be posted to the Fraser Health School Exposure website.

PAC Meeting

Delview's PAC meets on the last Monday of every month. Our next scheduled meeting will be Monday, October 25th at 7pm. A decision on in-person or virtual meetings will depend on the number of individuals attending. If you plan to attend the next PAC meeting, please complete the [PAC Google Form](#).

There are a number of available positions on the Delview PAC and I encourage parents to get involved. If you have any questions regarding the PAC, please contact our PAC chair at delviewsecondarypac@gmail.com

Permission Forms

There are several forms on Parent Connect for you to review and authorize. Please login to Parent Connect, (<https://cimsweb.deltasd.bc.ca/schoolconnect/parentsignon.aspx>) review the notices, and select the appropriate response to each form. Forms are:

Personal Information Consent Form, COVID-19 Daily Health Check, Permission for Google Classroom, Outside Media in Schools, Electronic Communications, Walking Field Trips Permission, BC Fruits and Vegetables Program Permission, Demographic Information, and Student Emergency Release.

If you require assistance logging into Parent Connect, please contact the office.

Communication with Families

Most of our communication with families is done electronically through our website, email, school app and Parent Connect. Please ensure you have provided us a current email address, updated contact information and you are able to log into Parent Connect. A MyEd parent portal will be open soon.

Upcoming Parent and Caregiver Workshop

Youth Gang Prevention for Parents/Caregivers

When: October 27th 6:30-8:30pm

Where: Via Zoom

This session will help create awareness and education on the ways in which gangs are using social media to target and recruit youth. Parents/caregivers will leave this COMPLIMENTARY presentation with a greater understanding of how to prevent youth from getting involved in gangs and other worrisome activities.

Register in advance for this workshop:

<https://forms.office.com/r/FArccFTv6c>

Click on the [Flyer](#) for more information.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the workshop.



CREATING CONVERSATIONS
**YOUTH GANG PREVENTION FOR
PARENTS/CAREGIVERS**

Vision 2030: The Big Reveal

The Delta School District is getting ready to unveil its Vision for the next ten years. Through the visioning process, the voices of almost 3,000 individuals were heard - it's almost time to see what they said. Stay tuned for more information this time next week.

Reporting Student Absence

To report a student absence please:

1. Contact the school office by phone (604-594-5491) or
2. Notify the school by email delview.sec.cims@deltasd.bc.ca
3. Send a message through Parent Connect.



Absences should be reported as early as possible on the day of the absence to allow a Parent Advised code to be entered into the system. Any unreported absences will result in an automated email from the student system, which will email a message by default.

Important Dates to Note

Semester 1 Interims - Monday, October 18th

Pro-D Day (No School)- Friday, October 22nd

PAC Meeting- Monday, October 25th

Remembrance Day, Thursday, November 11th

Semester 1 Mid-Term Marks- Saturday, November 20th

For a complete calendar of events, check out the Delview website: <https://dl.deltasd.bc.ca/>



Thank you to all our families for your continued support. Please do not hesitate to contact the Delview office (604 594 5491) if you have any questions.