



AFNORTH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

British Canadian Section

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August 18 2017

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to a new school year.

A special welcome is extended to all our new children and their families. We hope that you have all enjoyed the summer break and we look forward to working with you to make this year a purposeful, successful and positive one for your child.

Attached to this email is the finalised class lists. The teachers have been working diligently to prepare for your child's arrival into their classrooms next week and are eager to meet all their new students.

MONDAY -First day for IY2-IY7

TUESDAY-First day for Sunbeams and IY1 (A Group)

THURSDAY-First day for IY1 (B Group)

On **Wednesday 30 August** you will have an opportunity to learn about your child's classroom routines and expectations at **Open House**. Look out for the Open House flyer which will be sent home next week.

LUNCH We will be checking with all the children first thing if they have a packed lunch or have brought their card to purchase a lunch. Should you have experienced any glitches with the new lunch cards please be reassured that all children who are expecting to have a school lunch will receive one.

BUS PASS Checking for bus passes and helping the children with bus routines will also be a priority with staff.

FINDING THEIR CLASSROOM There will be numerous staff members outside meeting the buses next week to support the children in finding their way to their new classroom. To remind you:

Sunbeams, IY1,2 and 3 Bottom Floor Red

IY4 Bottom Floor Yellow

IY5 Upstairs Yellow

IY6 and 7 Upstairs Red

Change prompts many questions and I wish to reassure you that all of the BC team will do everything we can to help your children learn, thrive and enjoy their time at AFNORTH. Please know that we are always willing to meet with you if you have any concerns. We are all looking forward to an exciting school year.

Have a lovely weekend

**Staff List
2017-2018**

Sunbeams	Lynn Rowles France Meunier
IY1	Amanda Worton (Lindsey Ehrling)
IY1	Annette Backlar (Mrs Steingieser)
IY1	Rachel Stratmeyer (TBC)
IY2	Sophia Dixon (Lorraine Guthrie)
IY3	Christa Van Eck (Andrea Pearn)
IY4	Carol McKeegan Sally Forrest (Davina Cole, Helena Horton)
IY5	Joanne Siedhoff (TBC)
IY6	Peter Brown/Julie Esser (Helen Powell)
IY7	Wendy Remisch Odette Jones (Ian Rowles)
FFL	Natacha Medugno
FSL	Renelle Bourgoin
ESL	Julie Esser Amy Lewis Marley Ritzen/Elizabeth Dols- Mike Schmidt
GSL	Monika Kropp Marie-Therese Gisbertz Tom Vandebergh
Music	Lynn Rowles (IY1) Mdme Natacha (IY2) Shelly Brobst (IY3-IY7)
Art	Cindy Gehrman
PE	Chris Guest
Host Nation	Dyon Damen
Admin	Jenny Brown Maryse Laliberte Louise Eames

AIS SCHOOL CALENDAR

BC Section

2017

August 21	School Opens
September 18	1400 Dismissal
October 3	School Closed (Staff Training)
October 20	1225 Dismissal
October 23-27	Autumn/Fall Break
November 14-16	1225 Dismissal (Parent Conferences)
November 17	School Closed (Staff Training)
December 13	1400 Dismissal
December 22	1225 Dismissal
December 25-January 5	Winter Break

2018

January 8	School Re-opens
February 9	1400 Dismissal
February 12-16	Carnival Break
March 23	1400 Dismissal
March 26-April 6	Spring Break
April 27	School Closed (King's Day)
May 9	1400 Dismissal
May 10	School Closed (Staff Training)
May 21	School Closed
June 21	1225 Dismissal (Last Day of SY 2017-18)

**CAR PARK
CLOSED**

NORMAL SCHOOL DAY	1225 DISMISSAL	1400 DISMISSAL
0835-0900	1210-1245	1340-1415
1510-1545		