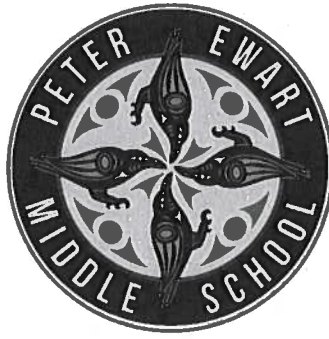
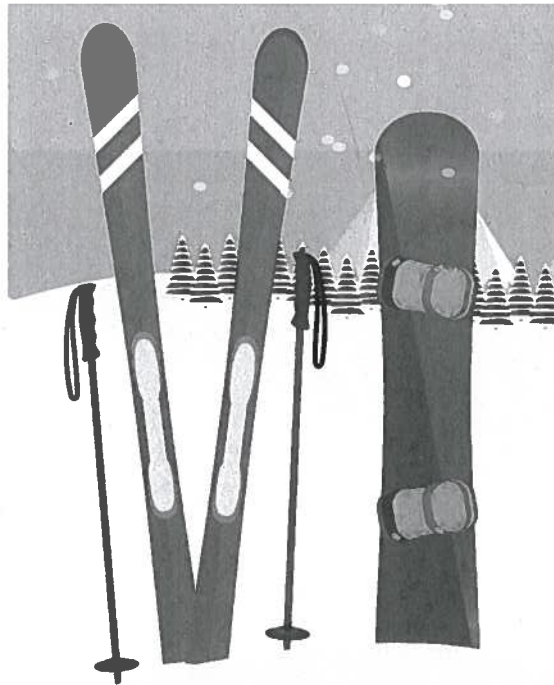




2026 - 2027

**PETER EWART MIDDLE SCHOOL
SKI AND SNOWBOARD PROGRAM**



★ PLEASE READ CAREFULLY ★

Dear families of Peter Ewart Middle School,

Peter Ewart is proud host the Ski & Snowboard Program again this year! During this program, students will be learning how to ski or snowboard and will be participating in skiing or snowboarding lessons with some free time on the slopes afterward! There will be 4 sessions on Thursdays in February. This program is related to the Physical Health Education curriculum where students get to explore a life-long physical activity that suits their interests.

Skiing and snowboarding are inherently risky activities with falls to be expected. It is very physically demanding, especially students that are new to these sports. Students of similar skill levels are grouped for the lessons; however, students may enjoy the slopes with friends of various skill levels during their free time after the lesson. It is noted that it will be dark during some of the free ski/snowboard time and students will be restricted to runs that are lit.

WHEN & WHERE

Cypress Mountain Resort

Thursdays February 4, 11, 18, 25 / 2027.

METHOD OF TRAVEL

We will be using the charter bus to travel from Peter Ewart Middle School to Cypress Mountain Resort. We will depart from the school strictly at 7:00AM and return to the school at approximately 5:00PM (dependant on traffic). If students arrive at Peter Ewart after the bus departure, parents will require the student's own transportation, or the student will miss out on the day. Please **arrange a ride and have students picked up promptly** at the time of return.

WHO & HOW – Application Process

Students from Grades 6 – 8.

This year we can have up to 125 participants.

Students have **two weeks** to submit their completed application **AND** proof of payment. Physical copy of the receipt must be attached to the application.

⚠ Applications are considered complete when physical application is submitted AND online application is complete. ⚠

LOTTERY SYSTEM – Grade 6s and 7s

PEMS Ski & Snowboard program is a very popular program with overwhelming number of applicants every time. All applications will be reviewed thoroughly and applications that are **correctly and fully completed** will be entered into a lottery system for a spot.

Applicants who do not receive a spot will have their payments fully refunded and there will be a waitlist.

List of accepted participants will be known by **Friday, November 13th**

Email will be sent out to the registered parent emails.

Refunds will be made to participants that did not get into the program.

PRICES

It is mandatory that anyone participating in the PEMS Ski & Snowboard program take all four lessons. Opting out of them is not an option. ONLY online payments are accepted through schoolcashonline. Please note that payment does not guarantee a spot in the program.

Package Detail	Price
Bus + Lessons + Rental + Pass	\$536
Bus + Lesson + Rental	\$482
Bus + Lesson + Pass	\$450
Bus + Lesson	\$396

**Cypress is a cash-free resort. They require gift cards, credit/debit, or Apple Pay.
Students will need to bring their own method of payment for snacks/lunch.**

CANCELLATION POLICIES

Once chosen as a participant, due to Cypress policy, there will be a cancellation fee of \$50 with a full refund up to end of November. Any cancellations after November 30th, there will be **NO REFUNDS**.

Students are given RFID lift passes for all four sessions. Any loss or forgotten cards are subject to a RFID reprint fee of **\$5.00**.

If student miss any sessions, they are given a voucher at the end of the program.

CHAPERONES?

If you are interested in chaperoning the program, please fill out the online form – QR code is attached to the package. Applying to be a chaperone does not guarantee your child a spot for the program. If your child is not selected for the program, you are not required to commit to your chaperone responsibilities.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either one of us by email at:

Jinny Shin – jshin@sd35.bc.ca

Landon Matties - LMatties@sd35.bc.ca

Kind regards,

Ms. Shin & Mr. Matties

Application Checklist

- ☐ **Correctly** and **fully** complete the application – Check all sections
 - ★ Any applications that are not filled out correctly will be rejected from the lottery system.
 - ☐ Submit payment through schoolcashonline, print out the receipt.
 - ☐ Attach the receipt to the application.
 - ☐ One of the SKI OR SNOWBOARD Online Form is completed.
 - ☐ Check the application again. And again. AND AGAIN.
 - ☐ Deliver the application to:
 - **Grade 6 – Mr. Matties (20107)**
 - **Grade 7 - Mr. Taylor (20110)**
 - **Grade 8 – Mr. Shin (20134)**
- ★ Applications delivered to the office WILL NOT be accepted.

Online Forms

Please complete the online form for **ONE** chosen snow equipment

SKI



<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/2cUTary2gB>

SNOWBOARD



<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/hzQfKZ34rV>

ALL APPLICATIONS DUE:

Wednesday November 4th 3:00PM

This page is for chaperone interest

Please ensure that you have completed the SD35 Volunteer application online.

Please visit the link

<https://www.sd35.bc.ca/volunteers>

Please fill out the online form below



<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/3qgUbuWbP6>

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2027 PETER EWART MIDDLE SCHOOL

SKI AND SNOWBOARD

Student Legal Name: _____ Grade: _____ Gender: _____

Homeroom Teacher: _____ Div: _____

Student Age (As of Feb 1, 2027): _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Email: _____

Parent Phone Number: _____

My child is: SKIING SNOWBOARDING

Please check the chosen package:

- ☐ Bus + Lessons + Rental + Pass - \$536
- ☐ Bus + Lessons + Rental - \$482
- ☐ Bus + Lessons + Pass - \$450
- ☐ Bus + Lessons - \$396

If renting:

Height (feet/inches): _____

Weight (lbs.): _____

Helmet Rental (\$3): Y / N

Skill Level: First Time / Novice / Experienced

***I have read and understand the cancellation policy.**

***Lost lift passes are subject to \$5 reprinting fee.**

*** I understand and have read through the application checklist. If I missed any steps, the registration will not be considered.**

Parent Signature: _____

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SD#35 Langley District Code of Conduct & Student Contract

Your participation in the ski/snowboard program is a privilege, and certain rules must be followed to maintain the privilege. Please review these rules with your child and have them sign below.

The district recognizes the serious impact of acts of hate, assault and harassment on individuals and the school community.

1. Acts of Hate
2. Assault
3. Harassment
4. Weapons and Explosives
5. Vandalism
6. Disruptive Behaviour
7. Intoxicating, Banned or Controlled Substances
8. Smoking, Vaping and Tobacco Use
9. Use of Personal Digital Devices

Student Rules

- ☐ I will be on time for the bus
 - o At school to depart and on the mountain to return
- ☐ I will clean up after myself and pick up garbage that I create
- ☐ I will check in with supervising teachers at the lodge after my lessons
- ☐ I will NOT ski/snowboard alone and will be with at least one other person
- ☐ I MUST wear a helmet and wear appropriate snow clothing
- ☐ I MUST follow all rules of the Cypress mountain – I will not engage in ski/snowboard activity in an unsafe manner, on runs outside of my abilities, or out of bounds
- ☐ I MUST be respectful, cooperative and courteous with teachers, parents, and Cypress staff

At the discretion of the trip supervisors and Cypress Mountain Staff, students may have their participation privilege revoked if any of the rules and code of conduct above are broken.

Your safety and the safety of everyone is our first concern.

- ☐ I acknowledge that I have read and understood the Langley District Student Code of Conduct and I agree to follow the rules in the Code.
- ☐ I acknowledge that I am aware that my son/daughter is required to obey all rules in the Code. I am also aware and agree to the consequences if any of the rules are not obeyed.

Date:		Date:	
Parent Name		Student Name	
Signature		Signature	

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PARENT CONSENT AND PERMISSION FORM AND WAIVER FOR CHILD PARTICIPATING IN SNOWBOARD/SKI TRIP

Please return by: November 4th / 2026

Name of student: _____ ("my child")

Name of school: Peter Ewart Middle School Grade: _____

Date of trip: Thursdays - February 4, 11, 18, 25 / 2027

My child has been offered the opportunity to participate in a ski/snowboard trip on Thursdays - February 4, 11, 18, 25 / 2027
to Cypress Mountain Resort

I understand that participation in this trip is optional and if my child does not attend they will be required to attend school and will be provided with other classroom activities.

There will be charges for the trip as follows:

Helmet / wrist guard rental: _____ Transportation and lift fees: _____

Other charges: _____

Additional trip information (To be completed by school/trip organizer)

PLEASE READ THE INFORMATION PACKAGE

By signing this agreement, I hereby give my consent to allow my child to participate in this school trip and confirm that I understand the following:

Students will be going to Cypress Mountain Resort (location), and will be away from the school
from 7:00AM to 5:00PM (times) on Thursdays - February 4, 11, 18, 25 / 2027 (date)

They will be traveling by SD35 Charter Bus (i.e. school bus)

On this field trip, approximately 125 (number) of students will be skiing and/or snowboarding.

The students will be supervised by 3 (number) teachers while on the bus and by ski hill employees while on the hill.
I understand that while on the hill, my child may not be directly supervised at all times.

Additional supervision information (To be completed by school/trip organizer)

Parent chaperones will also be available

On the hill, students will be divided into groups according to their skill level, as indicated by you on this form and/or as assessed by hill instructors.



PARENT CONSENT AND PERMISSION FORM AND WAIVER FOR CHILD PARTICIPATING IN SNOWBOARD/SKI TRIP

My child has no illnesses, allergies, disabilities or special needs that may require special attention, except as described here:

My child has no illnesses, allergies or disabilities that make snowboarding or skiing inappropriate for him/her. I know of no health related or other reason why my child should not participate in this trip.

I am aware that my child's participation in this trip entails certain risks and dangers to my child which cannot be eliminated, and that skiing and snowboarding has an inherent risk of personal injury, including but not limited to: sprains, strains, fractures, head/brain injuries, paralysis, internal injuries and death, and property and equipment damage or losses resulting from the activities.

In addition to the risks described above, other risks and hazards may include, but are not limited to: motor vehicle accidents occurring on the way to or from the hill; rock fall and avalanches, weather and snow conditions including unforeseen, inclement or intemperate weather; hypothermia; frostbite; equipment failure or defects (skis, boards, t-bars, lift chairs, gondolas, etc.); collisions with other skiers or snowboarder or with other objects such as trees, signs, snow grooming equipment, and lift towers; poor grooming or design of hill, runs or jumps; poor or inadequate instruction or supervision; falls; assault; injuries as a result of consumption of or exposure to food and drink; injuries occurring while using chair lifts, t-bars, etc.; delays in obtaining medical treatment or appropriate medical treatment; injuries when attempting to perform jumps or tricks; the possibility that my child may not heed warning or safety instructions or restrictions given to participants, thus putting himself/herself at risk.

I will supply suitable clothing for my child's participation in all activities associated with the field trip, including: sufficiently warm clothes, including a hat, mitts or gloves, warm jacket, ski/snowboarding pants, goggles. I accept full responsibility for any inadequate clothing or equipment which I provide. I am aware that I should contact the school for further information if I am unclear about what clothing or equipment is required for the activities or the possible weather conditions.

My child and I are aware that my child must wear a helmet while skiing or snowboarding.

My child and I are aware that if my child is snowboarding wrist guards must be worn to prevent wrist injuries.

My child agrees that he or she will wear a helmet, and if snowboarding wrist guards.

I give permission for _____ (my child) to ☐ Snowboard / ☐ Ski on this trip.

If renting equipment my child's height and weight are: Height: _____ Weight: _____

☐ **My child will be skiing**

I will supply suitable equipment including ski boots, poles, skis and helmet: Yes ☐ No ☐

If NO: I will be required to rent the following equipment for my child from the hill:

Skis – Yes ☐ Boots – Yes ☐ Poles – Yes ☐ Helmet – Yes ☐

OR

☐ **My child will be snowboarding**

I will supply suitable equipment including snowboard, boots, wrist guards and helmet: Yes ☐ No ☐

If NO: I will be required to rent the following equipment for my child from the hill:

Snowboard and boots – Yes ☐ Helmet – Yes ☐ Wrist guards – Yes ☐



PARENT CONSENT AND PERMISSION FORM AND WAIVER FOR CHILD PARTICIPATING IN SNOWBOARD/SKI TRIP

My child has (Check the appropriate level of skill your child has in the chosen activity):

- ☐ No previous experience / beginner
- ☐ Minimal skills – comfortable on easiest (green) runs
- ☐ Intermediate skills – comfortable on more difficult (blue marked) runs
- ☐ Advance / Expert skills – able to be on advanced / challenging (black diamond) runs

I understand that employees of the hill may or may not individually assess my child's experience level. I give permission for hill staff to do so and put my child in the class they deem appropriate.

I understand that a lesson and/or skiing/snowboarding with a coach will be mandatory for my child.

I am aware that expert advanced / expert level students are sometimes permitted by hill staff to attempt tricks and jumps in terrain parks or on expert runs, and that these activities may pose a greater risk to these students, including the risk of death, quadriplegia or paraplegia, brain injury, or serious fractures.

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE and INITIAL):

- ☐ I **DO NOT** GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO ENTER A TERRAIN PARK OR ATTEMPT EXPERT (Black Diamond) RUNS. I have discussed the risks inherent in these types of activities with my child and my child is aware that he/she is not permitted to participate in these activities. Furthermore, my child agrees that he/she will not participate in these activities.

____ Initial

OR

- ☐ I believe my child has the necessary skill to ski or board on expert level (Black Diamond) runs. I believe these are appropriate runs for my child, and as a result, **I DO GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO SKI OR BOARD ON EXPERT LEVEL (BLACK DIAMOND) RUNS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OR DIRECTION OF A SKI HILL INSTRUCTOR/COACH IF THE SKI HILL INSTRUCTOR/COACH DEEMS IT APPROPRIATE, INCLUDING ATTEMPTING JUMPS AND/OR TRICKS.**

However, **I DO NOT GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO ATTEMPT TO PERFORM JUMPS AND/OR TRICKS IN A TERRAIN PARK.** I have discussed the risks inherent in Terrain Park activities with my child, and my child is aware that he/she is not permitted to participate in Terrain Park activities, and furthermore, my child agrees that he/she will not participate in Terrain Park activities.

____ Initial

OR

- ☐ I believe my child has the necessary skill to ski or board in a terrain park and on expert level (Black Diamond) runs. I believe these are appropriate activities for my child, and as a result, **I DO GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO ENTER A TERRAIN PARK OR SKI OR BOARD ON EXPERT LEVEL (BLACK DIAMOND) RUNS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OR DIRECTION OF THE SKI HILL INSTRUCTOR/COACH IF THE SKI HILL INSTRUCTOR/COACH DEEMS IT APPROPRIATE, INCLUDING ATTEMPTING JUMPS AND/OR TRICKS.**

I have discussed the risks inherent in these types of activities with my child and my child is aware that he/she is only permitted to participate in these activities under the supervision or direction of a ski hill instructor/coach. My child has agreed that he/she will only ski or board in these areas under the supervision or direction of a ski hill instructor/coach.

____ Initial

My child and I understand that the school's Code of Conduct and the Alpine Responsibility Code applies during this trip.

I will be responsible for any costs associated with my child's attendance on the trip, including the cost of any equipment rented by my child and not returned, and any other costs which arise during the trip or are caused by or associated with my child's attendance on the trip, including any extra costs to send my child home.

The school has provided me with the following documents about the ski hill and the trip as listed here:

[School/trip organizer to list the items to be provided here: (i.e. Hill information package. Hill lift ticket waiver, etc.)]

****Witness signature requires another individual that are NOT the legal guardians of the student**



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I have read and understood all the materials listed above and have discussed them with my child, including the ski hill's code of conduct.

Accidents are common. They can be the result of the nature of the activity and can occur with or without any fault on either the part of the student, or the school board or its employees or agents, or the facility where the activity is taking place. By allowing my child to participate in this activity, I am accepting the risk of an accident and injury occurring, including death, and agree that the activity is suitable for my child. In permitting my child to attend this trip, I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by the School Board and its servants, agents, employees, or authorized volunteers, to induce me to permit my child to take the trip, other than those set out in this document.

PARENTAL/GUARDIAN WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I agree that in consideration of School District No. 35 offering my child, (name) _____, an opportunity to participate in the trip I waive any and all claims I may have, and release from all liability and agree not to sue the Board of Trustees of School District No. 35 and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers and representatives, for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss as a result of or arising from my child's participation in the trip, arising out of any cause whatsoever, including negligence. I understand that this waives my right to sue on my own behalf, not the right for myself or a guardian ad litem to sue on my child's behalf.

I am 19 years of age or more and have read and understand the terms of this document and understand that it is binding upon me, my heirs, executors and administrators.

Date: _____	
Signature of Witness _____	Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian _____
Printed Name of Witness _____	Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian _____
Address _____	Address _____

Date: _____	
Signature of Witness _____	Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian _____
Printed Name of Witness _____	Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian _____
Address _____	Address _____

NOTE: This form must be signed by **ALL** custodial parents or legal guardians of a child who is under the age of 19 years.

Student Acknowledgement: I understand that there are inherent risks involved with skiing and snowboarding. I have discussed my parent's expectations, the school's expectations, and the hill's expectations for my behaviour while on the trip with my parents.

I agree to follow the instructions of teachers and instructors, abide by the school's code of conduct and the hill's code of conduct during this trip. I agree to wear a helmet at all times while skiing or snowboarding. I agree to wear wrist guards while snowboarding.

Student Signature



FIELD TRIP MEDICAL FORM FOR OUTDOOR, OVERNIGHT AND OUT OF PROVINCE TRIPS

Name of Student: _____ Grade: _____ Division: _____

Care Card Personal Health No.: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Family Doctor: _____ Phone: _____

Name of Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Emergency Contact (In the event that the Parent/Legal Guardian cannot be reached):

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Please note any health problems, physical handicap, emotional difficulty, behaviour problem, or other factors which may limit full participation in this program. Use back of sheet if necessary.

Has the student had a previous injury which would require special first aid treatment should another injury occur? Explain.

The student has received the regular immunization program administered in B.C. for diphtheria, pertussis & tetanus (DPT; tetanus and diphtheria (Td); polio; measles, mumps & rubella (MMR).

☐ YES ☐ NO If **NO**, please explain: _____

Does the student wear contact lenses:

☐ YES ☐ NO

Child is subject to:

☐ asthma
☐ ear ache
☐ fainting
☐ tonsillitis
☐ eye infection
☐ sensitive skin
☐ sinus problems

☐ seizures
☐ nightmares
☐ bronchitis
☐ high blood pressure
☐ nosebleeds
☐ headache

☐ bed wetting
☐ kidney problems
☐ dizziness
☐ frequent colds
☐ dislocations
☐ motion sickness
☐ sprains

☐ pulled muscles
☐ sleep walking
☐ severe allergies
(describe below)
☐ other (describe below)

Severe allergies/Other: _____

Medications will only be administered in accordance with the District Policy No. 7012 Administration of Medication.

In case of emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the supervisor(s) to provide necessary treatment for my child.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date