

Langley Fundamental Elementary School

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LFES Newsletter November 2025

Important Dates to Remember

- Nov 5 Coffee and Hot Chocolate Sales after school \$2
- Nov 7 Remembrance Day Assembly 10.30 am
 - o Students are encouraged to wear black and white to honour this occasion
- Nov 8 National Indigenous Veteran's Day
- Nov 10 Design & Assessment Day (students not in attendance)
- Nov 11 Remembrance Day (School Closed)
- Nov 19 Coffee and Hot Chocolate Sales after school \$2
- Nov 21 Neufeld Farms pick up 2.30 pm
- Nov 26 Student Inclusive Conferences (Student not in attendance)
- Nov 27 Student Inclusive Conferences (2 hr. early dismissal) / Purdy's purchased will be delivered to students to take home

Lest We Forget

On November 11th, we pause to honour and remember the brave individuals who have served and sacrificed for our country in times of war, conflict, and peacekeeping. Remembrance Day is a time for reflection, gratitude, and learning, as we recognize the courage and dedication of those who have helped shape the freedoms we enjoy today. At school, we will be marking this important occasion with a special assembly and classroom activities that help students understand the significance of remembrance and the value of peace.



Donations for poppies will be collected through School Cash Online.

Looking Back at October

October was a vibrant and busy month at Langley Fundamental Elementary! From our heartfelt fundraising for Cops for Cancer to festive celebrations around Thanksgiving and Halloween, our school was buzzing with learning, laughter, and community spirit. As always, our staff, students, and families went all out to honour these occasions, making it a truly special month filled with connection and joy.

Cops for Cancer Assembly

In October, we celebrated our incredible fundraising efforts for Cops for Cancer with a fun and memorable assembly! Mr. Olson, Mr. Durnin, and some of our amazing volunteers — along with friends from the RCMP — bravely took pies to the face to mark the occasion. Thanks to the generosity and spirit of our school community, we raised an outstanding \$3,800 in support of this important cause. Special shout-out to Divisions 15, 3, and 18 for raising the most money — these classes have earned some well-deserved prizes! A huge thank you to Ms. Holbrook and Ms. Vaartstra for their incredible organization and support throughout the campaign.

Halloween

We had a fantastic day at Fundy celebrating Halloween! It was wonderful to see all the creative costumes and the excitement as students took part in fun activities throughout the school. Whether you're out trick-or-treating, spending time with friends, or enjoying a quiet evening at home, we wish you a safe and happy Halloween with your families!



Jack o'Lanterns from Div 19

Info from the School

Grade 5 Basketball

- We have found a few prospective coaches and are working out details with them to see if we will be able to play this coming January/February
 - o More info to come soon

Dress for the Weather

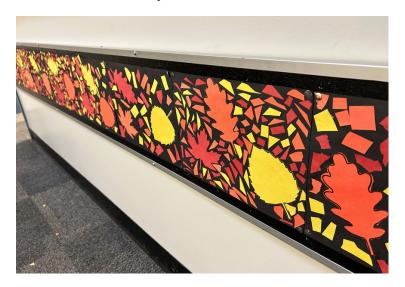
- Students should come prepared for outdoor activities with waterproof jackets, long pants and boots
 - o Indoor shoes are recommended for comfort inside
- o Recess, lunch, and KM Club continue outdoors in most weather conditions
 - o Indoor options are reserved for extreme weather
- o Thank you for helping ensure students stay warm, dry, and ready to learn

Lost & Found Clothing

- Our Lost & Found has many clothes and items that are unclaimed after being left on the playground.
- o Remind your children to bring their items inside if they remove them.
- Parents are strongly encouraged to come and look through the Lost & Found for any of their children's items as they will be donated at the end of every month.

Front office Cheer

o Thank you, Division 13 for the beautiful art cheering up our front office.



The Lunch Lady

- o Order your November lunches now.
- o <u>Log in</u>

Langley Fundamental NOV 2025

This lunch program is for EVERYONE! To order go to <u>thelunchlady.ca</u> – Order Now Each meal is \$5.75. (some days may be unavailable at your scho You can also access subsidized meals through the Feeding Futures Program. Reach out to the school office



Week 1	COLD Mon Nov 3	COLD Tues Nov 4	HOT Wed Nov 5	COLD Thurs Nov 6	COLD Fri Nov 7
Regular	Cold Pizza Plank Fresh Veggies and Dip Fruit of the Day	Mini Deli Roast Beef and Cheese on a Bun Tomato Slices Fruit of the Day	French Toast (1) Turkey Sausage (2) Apple Sauce Syrup	Turkey and Cheese Deli Sandwich with Lettuce Applesauce	Chicken Caesar Salad Garlic Bread
Vegetarian	Cold Pizza Plank Fresh Veggies and Dip Fruit of the Day	Egg Salad Sandwich Tomato Slices Fruit of the Day	Pancakes (3) Apple Sauce Syrup	Cheese and Tomato Sandwich with Lettuce Applesauce	Baget with Cream Cheese Cucumbers & Dip Fruit of the Day
Halal Friendly	Cold Pizza Plank Fresh Veggies and Dip Fruit of the Day	Egg Salad Sandwich Tomato Slices Fruit of the Day	Pancakes (3) Apple Sauce Syrup	Halal Chicken Deli Sandwich with Lettuce Applesauce	Halal Chicken Ranch Salad Garlic Bread
Week 2	Mon Nov 10	Tues Nov 11	HOT Wed Nov 12	COLD Thurs Nov 13	COLD Fri Nov 14
Regular	No School	Remembrance Day	Spaghetti and Meatballs Fruit of the Day	Chicken Salad Sandwich Baby Carrots and Dip Fruit of the Day	PAC LUNCH
Vegetarian	No School	Remembrance Day	Alfredo Pasta Green Peas Fruit of the Day	Egg Salad Sandwich Baby Carrots and Dip Fruit of the Day	PAC LUNCH
Halal Friendly	No School	Remembrance Day	Spaghetti and Halal Beef Meatballs Fruit of the Day	Halal Chicken Salad Sandwich Baby Carrots and Dip Fruit of the Day	PAC LUNCH



You can Order/Change/Cancel online anytime with 2 business days' notice Sorry – no last- minute cancellations. Uncollected meals are given to the school office Questions? Need help? <u>surrey@thelunchlady.ca</u>



Library Learning Commons Information

Colour Your Summer

o If you child took part in the BC Summer Reading Club, please have your child bring the reading log to the library. We are displaying the reading logs on the bulletin board outside the library for the month of September. Students will also get to choose a prize for participating. If your family did not participate this past summer, think about joining next summer.

The 20 Minute Reading Challenge

- October: Please return all October home reading sheets by November 7th. If students return their sheets, the calendars will be entered in prize draws that will take place November 12th 18th. If your child reads for at least 20 days in the month of October, your child will also receive a keychain and a "Star Reader" charm. Please have your children colour in a pumpkin each day that they read for 20 minutes. The instructions are also on the October sheet. The sheets will need to be returned in the first week of November.
- If you have kept track in your child's agenda (Grade 2 5), please remind your child to let the teacher know that you have signed on the October calendar.
 - Oct 2025.docx
- November: Students have brought home the November sheet; please look in agendas or backpacks for this home reading sheet.
 - Nov 2025.docx

Langley Book Of The Year

We will officially start this district wide reading program on October 1st. This program is geared for students in grades 4 - 7, but grade 3 students are welcome to read the books as well. 12 novels have been selected by Langley Teacher Librarians and students are eligible to vote for their favourite book in May if they have read at least 3 of the 12 books. At LFES we have a pizza celebration lunch if students qualify: Grade 5's read 8 books, Grade 4's read 7 books, and Grade 3's read 5 books. The book covers are posted on both the bulletin board on the outside wall of the library and inside the library. After reading a book students must see library staff for credit for reading the book. Students will be asked a few questions about the plot of the book, and then they will be given a sticker to put up on the book cover on the bulletin board in the hall. The books are available through our library, the Fraser Valley Regional Libraries, and through the Sora App. Students may also listen to the books through audio apps. To learn more about the 12 books, please visit the Langley School District website at:

https://www.sd35.bc.ca/page/530/langley-books-of-the-year

Info from the Aboriginal Department

o Mrs. Mercredi and her Aboriginal students are enjoying their beading group.



National Indigenous Veterans Day

National Indigenous Veterans Day is Nov. 8 and provides all Canadians an opportunity to honour Indigenous veterans and learn about the sacrifices they made, while also serving as a reminder of the inequality they faced upon returning home from war. It is a day of remembrance and commemoration of Indigenous veterans in the First and Second World Wars, as well as the Korean War. National Indigenous Veterans Day was first observed in 1994 in Winnipeg
because Indigenous veterans were not often recognized in Remembrance Day
ceremonies across the country. Over 12,000 Indigenous people, including 7,000 First
Nations people, are estimated to have volunteered the First and Second World
Wars, as well as the Korean War.

Grade 5 Camp Fundraising Information

Help send our Grade 5's on their camp day this year by ordering through these fundraisers! Please share with family and friends, they greatly appreciate the support!

Neufeld Farms - Ordering is now open! This fundraiser will run until November 12th, orders will need to be picked up at the school on November 21st at 2:30! Click here to place your order and stock up for all your Christmas and New year's festivities!

Purdys Chocolates - Ordering is now open! Ordering will be open until November 17th, and orders will be delivered to the students on November 27th. Click here-to-browse-which-delicious-chocolates you want to order!

Hot Chocolate, Tea, Coffee sale - The grade 5's will be selling \$2 Hot Chocolate, Tea & Coffee on November 5th and 19th! Sales will start 20 minutes before the finalAQ bell so you can beat the traffic rush and enjoy a hot drink while you wait!



Info from the PAC

LFES Merch/Swag Store – Extended Deadline

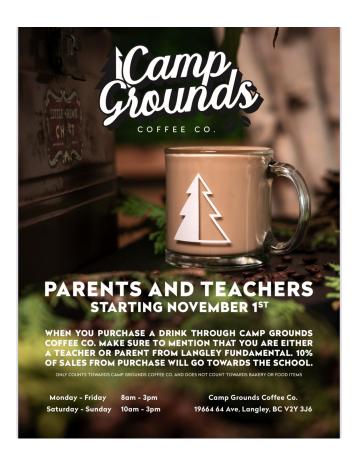
For those of you wanting a hoodie/sweatshirt/t-shirt we have a <u>Langley Fundamental Store</u> running from October 20th - November 7th. We have designed a logo to fit both the LFES and the LFMSS schools so that purchasing an item through this site, can be worn for both schools. <u>Payments must be made through e-transfer to: jacquie@gotopromotionsinc.com</u>

Community News

Community Christmas Craft & Bake Fair happening at Langley Immanuel Church (21713-50 Avenue, Langley)

Saturday, December 6, 2025 10:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

We have over 42 vendors coming and we would love to see you there!



Fraser Health Immunization Information

All routine school-aged immunizations are free in British Columbia. It is important that all students stay up to date with their immunizations. For Kindergarten - Grade 5:

Check your child's immunization record: Log in to Health Gateway at HealthGateway.gov.bc.ca to see what's on file.

Get immunized: If your child is missing any vaccine, book an appointment with public health or check with your local pharmacist, family doctor, or nurse practitioner.

Report your immunizations:

If vaccines your child has received aren't on their public health record, get a copy from your provider and upload it at <u>fraserhealth.ca/immunizationform</u>.

Records can be submitted in any language. Learn more at <u>fraserhealth.ca/immunize</u>.