

# Centennial School Relocation

## Frequently Asked Questions & Answers

### 1. Where will my child be attending School?

**Answer:**

On January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Centennial School Students will be relocated to the following sites:  
Kindergarten to Grade 3 - Clear Vista School  
Grades 4 – 8 - C.B. McMurdo Center

### 2. What time does the school day start and will my children have recess together?

**Clear Vista (Grades K-3)**

**Phone: 780-352-6616**

Doors open 8:35 a.m.

Classes begin 8:50 a.m.

*\*Lunch 12:43 – 1:03 p.m.*

Dismissal 3:20 p.m.

*\*Indicates different times*

**CB McMurdo (Grades 4-8)**

**Phone: 780-352-5088**

Doors open 8:35 a.m.

Classes begin 8:50 a.m.

*\*Lunch 12:25 – 12:50 p.m.*

Dismissal 3:20 p.m.

Students will be welcomed into both Clear Vista and CB McMurdo sites at 8:35 a.m.

Recess for Kindergarten – Grade 3 students will be with Clear Vista Students.

Recess for Grades 4-6 will be on the CB McMurdo Center playground.

Recess for Junior High will remain as it was at Centennial with Jr. High students staying in, using the gym or going outside as scheduled.

### 3. What happens if my child is late for class?

School practices have not changed and students are always welcome.

### 4. Where do I drop off my child?

**Clear Vista** – (Grade K-3) There is a designated drop off area on the East side of Clear Vista School (47th Street) There is no parking in the yellow zone in front of the Clear Vista School.

**C.B. McMurdo** – (Grade 4-8) The student drop off area by parents is on the North side of the school at the front entrance (47th Avenue).

No parking in the bus loop between the two schools.

### **5. Will transportation service be provided and if so, will there be a fee?**

Yes, transportation will be provided.

Parents are being contacted to determine whether students require transportation services.

When a list of students requiring transportation services is finalized we will determine the number and location of busses and stops that will be required.

Bus stop locations, pick up and drop off times will be posted on the Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools website @ [www.wrps11.ca](http://www.wrps11.ca)

Transportation services will be provided free of charge.

### **6. Do parents need to replace school supplies?**

No, parents will not need to replace their child's school supplies.

Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools will be purchasing supplies as needed for the students.

### **7. What happens to my child's personal belongings?**

Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools is working with insurance adjusters and remediation services to determine what supplies, materials and belongings can be salvaged. Students personal belongings from the following classes were impacted by the fire and Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools is offering a \$100.00 gift card per student to Sport Chek to assist families in replacing items. Gift cards can be picked up from WRPS Division Office at 5515-47 A Avenue between 8:30 am and 4 pm (closed for lunch from NOON-12:30 pm) on one of the following dates:

- Thursday, December 19
- Friday, December 20
- Thursday, January 2
- Friday, January 3

**To receive your gift card, you must be recorded in our records as the parent/guardian of a student listed in one of the classes listed below, and provide proof of identification.**

- ECS - Sellin
- Grade 1/2 - Moisan
- Grade 1/2 - Olson
- Grade 3 - Schilling
- Grade 4/5 - Norman
- Grade 7 - Stengel

Students from classrooms located in the portables were not impacted by the fire.

Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools will transfer belongings from the following classrooms to the CB McMurdo Center.

- Grade 4-5 - Durston
- Grade 5/6 - Murphy/Gallant
- Grade 5/6 - Emmerling
- Grade 7-8 – Steele
- Grade 8 - Wilson

An actual inventory of damaged items will be completed and compensation will be determined at a later date.

### **8. Where will administrative staff from Centennial School be located?**

Mr. David Luck, Principal and Roxanne Dageforde, Administrative Assistant will be working from the CB McMurdo Center.

Mary Lynn Kary, Vice-Principal will be working at Clear Vista School.

### **9. Have students been exposed to asbestos?**

No, students have not been exposed to asbestos.

Some of the materials used to originally build Centennial school contain asbestos. Unless disturbed asbestos does not pose a risk to students and staff. Prior to the fire asbestos exposure was not an issue.

However, the fire has disturbed the asbestos material in the drywall joint compound and in the suspended ceiling tiles. This means that the remediation work will involve the disturbance of building finishes and must be undertaken following High Risk Asbestos Abatement Procedures.

### **10. Will there be a Christmas Concert?**

No, Centennial School will not have a Christmas Concert.

### **11. Will there still be a breakfast and lunch program?**

The Breakfast and Lunch Program will continue to offered at CB McMurdo Center and Clear Vista School.