



Good afternoon,

The Manitoba Government is launching several surveys as part of the draft plan of Phase Three: Restoring Safe Services. Two surveys relate to the planning for school re-entry in the fall - one for parents and one for students. Please take a moment and complete if you can.

[Student Survey](#)

[Parent Survey](#)

The plan is currently to return to regular classes in the fall. We are hopeful that this will be able to occur and that the health of Manitoba will still be in a great position. The public health officials and Manitoba Education & Training will announce changes if necessary. Unfortunately until we get closer to September we will not know if changes will be necessary. Be assured, that BSLS is planning for many possibilities and we are preparing for a variety of situations within the school. BSLS is a smaller school so the size is a great benefit in our current situation. The class sizes and our regular daily schedule benefits our students in limiting contact if it becomes necessary and having two playgrounds will be beneficial too. Teachers are preparing for both in class and remote learning opportunities. We have unified our platforms for remote learning and are excited that we have learned how to improve the interaction between parents, students and teachers through our experiences.

BSLS will be sending out a survey to our parents for feedback on remote learning soon. Please complete to provide information to help lead decisions. We are a part of a new and constantly changing situation and feedback is important. We are in this together to support one another and help each other through this challenging time. Please continue to keep our families and community in your prayers.

We are still waiting for the official announcement for the start of the new school year. There are discussions occurring to confirm it if will be August 31st or September 8th. I will confirm the school calendar as soon as I am able.

Our remote learning will officially end on Friday, June 19th. If you would like ideas and support through the summer, please speak directly to your teacher. We are happy to support you in any way we can.

Next week, we will have many great 'mini' outdoor events! Our kindergarten meet and greet orientation is on Tuesday between 10-12. We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday if you are

entering kindergarten!

**Wednesday, June 24th** will be our graduation ceremony for our grade 8 graduates. We have divided our ceremony into two sections; one online with a video, followed by a drive thru outdoor service. We are excited about our video that compiles the tradition of our graduation services with a new twist. We will be sharing the link for our school community to view next week. It will only be available after Wednesday at 9:30 am. We hope you will enjoy!

Our kindergarten grad will be an online video with the drive thru service Wednesday afternoon. We are excited to see and celebrate our new grade 1 students!

**Thursday, June 25th between 10-1 will be Report Card Pick Up and Family Appreciation.** We will have report cards organized by family and we will bring them to you in the car. All school staff will be at the drive thru loop to say hello. We hope to see you then!! Report cards not picked up during this time will be mailed to your house unless alternative arrangements are made with the office to pick up after this date.

Have a wonderful week and see you tomorrow at the Zoom PIP Meeting.

God Bless,  
Jenn McCrea