



## SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 23

(CENTRAL OKANAGAN)

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"Together We Learn"

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Dear Parents:

The Ministry of Education announced in late December 2009, that the Central Okanagan School District will be receiving an allotment of 830 Full Day Kindergarten spaces for the 2010/2011 school year (60% of our projected enrolment). Beginning in 2011/2012, Full Day Kindergarten will be offered in all schools in British Columbia.

At the January 13, 2010 Board of Education meeting, the Board approved the distribution of the Full Day Kindergarten spaces to the following schools commencing September 2010:

### **Kelowna**

A.S. Matheson  
Bankhead  
Raymer  
North Glenmore  
South Kelowna  
Watson Road (1 class only)  
Glenmore (English program)

### **Rutland/Lake Country**

Black Mountain  
Belgo (French and English)  
Ellison  
Pearson Road  
Quigley  
South Rutland  
Springvalley  
Oyama Traditional

### **West Kelowna/Peachland**

Peachland  
Chief Tomat  
George Pringle (French and English)  
Glenrosa  
Helen Gorman  
Hudson Road

The Board of Education also agreed to have the registration period open on Monday, February 1, 2010 and close on Friday, March 5, 2010.

With the urgency to provide information to parents regarding the Full Day Kindergarten program prior to the start of the registration period, the following meetings have been scheduled:

- **Tuesday, January 19, 2010 – Kelowna/Rutland area hosted at Hollywood Road Education Services (Room 2)** (1040 Hollywood Road)
- **Wednesday, January 20, 2010 – Lake Country area hosted at Peter Greer Elementary School (gymnasium)** (10300 Sherman Road)
- **Monday, January 25, 2010 – West Kelowna and Peachland area hosted at George Pringle Elementary School (gymnasium)** (3770 Elliot Road)

Meeting Agenda: 6:00 – 7:00 pm - Full Day Kindergarten; 7:00 – 8:00 pm - French Immersion Kindergarten

The information shared will be repeated at each session therefore parents may attend the session of their choice.

Should you have any questions regarding these parent information sessions, please contact the Superintendent's office or Director of Instruction, Clara Sulz, at 250-860-8888.

Sincerely,

Hugh Gloster  
Superintendent of Schools