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École Maillard Middle School e-Newsletter-Thursday, September 10, 2026

Important Reminders for Families

To help ensure a safe, orderly, and successful school day for all students, we ask families to keep the following in mind:

- **Food Delivery Services:** Students are not permitted to receive food deliveries from services such as DoorDash, Uber Eats, Skip the Dishes, or similar providers during the school day. Deliveries create disruptions and we are unable to guarantee students will receive items in a timely manner.
- **Student Messages During the School Day:** Please make every effort to relay important information, appointments, and after-school plans to your child before they arrive at school. Currently our PA system is not working, making it more difficult to deliver non-emergency messages during instructional time.
- **Parking Lot Safety:** Student safety is our highest priority. There is no student drop-off or pick-up permitted in the staff parking lots. The parking lots are reserved for staff and authorized vehicles. During busy arrival and dismissal times, congestion increases the risk of accidents involving students and vehicles.
- **Drop-Off and Pick-Up Procedures:** Families are asked to use designated student drop-off and pick-up areas on Rochester, or to access side streets like Laval, and the cross streets of Thomas and Casey below the school. Please follow all traffic signage be aware of students crossing the street. Please exercise patience and caution during these high-traffic times to help ensure the safety of all students, staff, and community members.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us maintain a safe and positive learning environment for everyone at Maillard Middle School.

Steve Roos
Principal

Selena Lee
Vice-Principal

Maillard Welcome Back Pancake Breakfast-Students tomorrow morning!

We look forward to hosting our students for a pancake breakfast on Friday, September 11th, from 8AM to 8:30AM.

It is a great opportunity for students to join Ms. Lisa our Youth Worker and learn about our Breakfast Program that will start again on Monday, September 14th.

Note: Our breakfast program is open every school day morning from 8AM to 8:30AM during the school year. There is no cost to students and no sign up required to participate.

If you are a parent that would like to volunteer and assist Ms. Lisa with the morning breakfast program, please contact her at 081-youthworker@sd43.bc.ca.

Our goal is to have students start the regular schedule in their assigned classes on Monday, September 14, 2026. Students should plan to bring all classroom supplies on Monday. Classroom teachers will let their students know if there are any additional supplies that they must bring.



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Attendance-If your child will be absent during the first day or first week of school, please inform the school as soon as possible. Use the Maillard Student Absence Report link → [Maillard Absence Report](#) to report your child's absence. This link can also be used throughout the school year to report absences, late arrivals, and early dismissals.

Please ensure that you select **Maillard Middle School** when submitting a report.

Calendar Items- School Events can be found at [Maillard 2026-2027 Calendar](#)
You can also sign up for a Calendar Subscription at the above link.

A pdf with all of our 2026-27 events can be found at [Maillard Bell Schedule](#).

- **Thursday, September 24, 2026 is Meet the Teacher Night** starting from 6PM to 7PM. We invite all Maillard parents & guardians to visit our school with a quick presentation in the gym at 6:30PM before going to meet your child's classroom teacher. We look forward to seeing you on Thursday night!
- **Friday, September 25, 2026 is a District-Wide School Professional Development Day.**
There are no classes in session for students.

E-Bikes and E-Scooters -To help maintain a safe school environment, e-bikes, electric scooters, and similar motorized devices are not permitted on Maillard Middle School property.

Our students are below the legal age to operate these devices. In British Columbia, riders must be at least 16 years old to operate a standard e-bike or an electric kick scooter under provincial regulations. [\[www2.gov.bc.ca\]](http://www2.gov.bc.ca), [\[vsb.bc.ca\]](http://vsb.bc.ca)

These devices can travel at high speeds and pose significant safety risks to riders and pedestrians. They are also common targets for theft, and the school cannot assume responsibility for lost, stolen, or damaged property. In addition, the lithium-ion batteries used in these devices can present a fire hazard if stored indoors.

We ask families to support this expectation by ensuring students use approved and age-appropriate transportation to and from school.

Thank you for helping us keep our school community safe.

Bring Your Own Device- Next week, your child's teacher will provide information about borrowing a school laptop for the 2026-2027 school year. If your child requires a laptop, please contact their classroom teacher for further details: [Maillard Staff Teacher Contact List](#)

PAC News Update- Stay tuned for news on our 2026/27 Munch A Lunch program!

Mark your calendars! PAC Meetings are scheduled on the following dates! Thursday, October 8, Thursday, November 5, Thursday, December 3, Thursday, February 3, Thursday, March 4 Thursday, May 6 and Thursday, June 3-AGM. Meetings are always on a Thursday, beginning at 6:30PM. When coming to the school for meetings, please enter using the red doors at the front of the school.

Parents and Guardians are welcome to join!

Please contact maillardpac@gmail.com if you have any questions.

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