



## WHAT IS KINDER STARTS?

### Building Confidence, Understanding and Social Skills

Kinder Starts is a playful family time where parents learn about how to support their child in literacy and numeracy. Children and parents experience learning together and then parents reflect on this time while children take part in a small group activity. **Children have a snack and take home giveaways.** Please register through the school office. This program is a wonderful way to make connections with others before starting the Kindergarten year.

### WHO CAN ATTEND?

Kinder Starts is intended for children scheduled to enter into Kindergarten in September 2018; parents/caregivers and child(ren) participate together.

### WHERE WILL KINDER STARTS BE HELD?

| DATE       | SCHOOL              | SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER | TIME      | SESSION                |
|------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| 02-01-2018 | North Otter         | 604-856-3355        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-01-2018 | Shortreed           | 604-856-4167        | 1:00-2:30 | Rhymes                 |
| 02-02-2018 | Langley Meadows     | 604-530-4101        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 02-05-2018 | Nicomekl Elementary | 604-533-1468        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 02-06-2018 | Alex Hope           | 604-888-7109        | 1:00-2:30 | Rhymes                 |
| 02-07-2018 | James Hill          | 604-530-0251        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-08-2018 | North Otter         | 604-856-3355        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 02-13-2018 | Coghlan             | 604-856-8539        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 02-13-2018 | Parkside            | 604-856-7775        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-15-2018 | Wix Brown           | 604-534-5633        | 1:30-3:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-16-2018 | Peterson Road       | 604-534-7904        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 02-20-2018 | Alice Brown         | 604-534-0744        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-21-2018 | Noel Booth          | 604-530-9747        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 02-22-2018 | Willoughby          | 604-888-6033        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 03-05-2018 | Peterson Road       | 604-534-7904        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 03-07-2018 | Noel Booth          | 604-530-9747        | 5:30-7:00 | Numeracy               |
| 03-08-2018 | Parkside            | 604-856-7775        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 03-09-2018 | Blacklock           | 604-530-3188        | 1:00-2:30 | Raps, Riddles & Rhymes |
| 04-06-2018 | Simonds/U-Connect   | 604-530-2361        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 04-09-2018 | Uplands             | 604-533-1285        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 04-11-2018 | Coghlan             | 604-856-8539        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 04-12-2018 | Shortreed           | 604-856-4167        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 04-16-2018 | West Langley        | 604-888-6444        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy & Numeracy    |
| 04-19-2018 | Willoughby          | 604-888-6033        | 5:30-7:00 | Numeracy               |
| 04-23-2018 | Uplands             | 604-533-1285        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 05-01-2018 | Blacklock           | 604-530-3188        | 1:00-2:30 | Numeracy               |
| 05-02-2018 | Gordon Greenwood    | 604-882-0114        | 5:30-7:00 | Literacy               |
| 05-08-2018 | Langley Meadows     | 604-530-4101        | 1:00-2:30 | Literacy               |
| 05-09-2018 | Simonds/U-Connect   | 604-530-2361        | 5:30-7:00 | Numeracy               |
| 05-10-2018 | Gordon Greenwood    | 604-882-0114        | 5:30-7:00 | Numeracy               |
| 05-24-2018 | Wix Brown           | 604-534-5633        | 1:30-3:00 | Numeracy               |

There is no fee to attend any Kinder Starts session. **Please pre-register** through the host schools' office staff or online: <https://www.sd35.bc.ca/programs-initiatives/early-learning-birth-5-yrs/kinderstarts-registration/>

1. Go to [sd35.bc.ca](https://www.sd35.bc.ca)
2. Programs & Initiatives
3. Early Learning: Birth-5 years
4. Kinder Starts Registration – Register for all the sessions you are interested in attending with your child.