

## **Grade Two Division 14 Newsletter**

September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Hello! Welcome to a new school year. My name is Brenda Fraser and I am thrilled to be your child's teacher this year. Our classroom is located upstairs in room 207.

### **About Me:**

I have been a teacher for 31 years (20 of which have been at Promontory) and have taught grades 2 through 7. I am married, and have two grown children who also attended Promontory Elementary. I have watched our school population double in size, while still maintaining a sense of community. Promontory is truly a wonderful place to work and learn. I strive to provide an environment where children feel cared for and happy, and are not afraid to take risks with their learning. Helping them develop a growth mindset is important to me, as it helps them understand that making mistakes is a part of learning. My preferred method of communication is through e-mail. My email address is [brenda\\_fraser@sd33.bc.ca](mailto:brenda_fraser@sd33.bc.ca). Once the green student information sheets come home, please ensure you have a working email address listed on there. Please check to make sure my email address is on your safe list so that class emails aren't filtered into your email's "junk" folder. If you are unable to communicate through email, please let me know the best way to get class information to you. Please check our class website at <http://promontory.sd33.bc.ca/mrs-frasers-class> as this is where I will post information regarding our class. I will update this site each afternoon or early evening. Please do not hesitate to call or email me if you need to discuss your child. A child's learning is a partnership between home and school, so ongoing communication is important.

### **School Supplies**

Thank you for sending a cheque for \$35.00 for your child's school supplies and planner as soon as possible. Please remind your child that all of their supplies are provided for them at school, and they should not bring items from home.

### **Planners**

Your child has been provided with a planner. We will be writing in our planners every day, and newsletters and other important information will be sent home in the pocket at the front of the planner. Please read and sign your child's planner every day. Your child will receive recognition for having their planner signed.

### **Indoor shoes**

As the wet weather arrives, your child will need a pair of indoor running shoes that can be left here at school. We will be changing into our inside shoes every morning, after recess, and after lunch, so please ensure they are easy for your child to put on and take off.

I am looking forward to working with your child this year and look forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

Brenda Fraser