



Kitchener Elementary School

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April 2024

Dear families,

Division 13, 14, and 15 will be going on a field trip to the Vancouver Aquarium to explore various exhibits and watch the 4-D movie on Friday, May 10, 2024.

We will be able to take approximately four parents per class as volunteers to help supervise small groups for the day. If you are interested, please indicate below. We may need 1-2 volunteer parents to help drive other parents to the Aquarium as the bus may not be able to accommodate all the supervising parents. Your parking fee will be covered. If you would be willing to help transport adults, please indicate below.

Help prepare your child on the day of the field trip by packing lunch and a healthy snack in a clearly labelled lunch bag. They may require extra snacks as children tend to be hungry at the end of the day. There is no need for your child to bring money because purchasing any food or items is discouraged. If your child is a part of the hot lunch program, they will have a bagged lunch prepared for them.

Please have your child dress appropriately for the weather as some exhibits are outside.

Please sign the permission slip below and return promptly by April 26. We are looking forward to an exciting field trip where we will learn and discover new things about animals and sea creatures!

Date	Friday, May 10, 2024
Time	Leave school by bus shortly after 9:00 am. Please be on time. Sorry, we cannot wait for late arrivals. Return to school by 3:00 pm
Cost	\$11.00 for admission and bus transportation
Reminders	*Water bottle and packed lunch in a small backpack to carry all day; at least 2 snacks.

Sincerely,

Ms. Tai, Ms. Santorelli, and Ms. Chan

Please keep this top portion for your records.

My child, _____, has permission to participate in the field trip to the Vancouver Aquarium on Friday, May 10, 2024.

- Yes, I am willing to help supervise some students on this field trip for the day.
- Yes, I am willing to help drive other supervising adults (if necessary). I have room for _____ (# of adults) in my car.
- I paid \$11.00 on School Cash Online. Payment confirmation _____

Signature



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	Total # of students	Total # of adults (incl you)	# of adults w/ membership (incl you)	# of extra adults (need to pay \$6.50)
Div. 13	21			
Div. 14	21			
Div. 15	21			
Total	63			

The bus can fit 63 students (3 sts per bench or 2 adults per bench). There are 23 rows of seats on the bus. 63 students sit on 21 rows. There are 2 rows left for 2 adults per bench. This means that the teachers can sit on the bus with one other adult for a total of 4 adults on the bus. The remaining adults must go with the volunteer drivers. We need 22 parents to be driven there. They can fit in 5 cars if at least one of your drivers can take 5 adults.