



**SCHOOL DISTRICT 78**  
**FRASER - CASCADE**  
*EVERYONE PULLING TOGETHER*

Nov. 21, 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians of SD78,

Please note that Fraser-Cascade Schools in Hope and Agassiz/Harrison will reopen on Monday, November 22. The decision comes after multiple conversations with Principals, surrounding districts, the Ministry of Transportation and the Ministry of Education. Boston Bar Elementary Secondary will continue with remote learning for this week until we have improvement in their highway accessibility.

Highway 1 East is now open from Chilliwack to Hope. There is now an access route for families in Agassiz along the Number 7 Highway. Highway 7 West of Agassiz and Highway 7 from Agassiz to Hope is open for essential travel. We encourage all parents/guardians to consider the following as they travel to their school site:

- Please carpool if possible.
- Fuel restrictions are in effect, and only maintenance vehicles and buses will be given unlimited access to fuel.
- Please give yourself extra time for travel as some of the traffic may be congested due to our current situation.
- Please get in touch with your school Principal if you have concerns about transportation, and we will see what we can do to support you.
- We will continue to monitor and assess our situation as the week progresses.
- All buses are running their regular routes

Thank you to all of our families for your care, consideration and generosity during this unprecedented time.

Yours truly,

Balan Moorthy  
Superintendent of Schools