



Vancouver School District

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To the Gladstone Secondary school community:

Today the Ministry of Education announced that they have approved the funding to seismically upgrade three schools in the District, including Lord Selkirk Elementary. I have attached their news release in this email.

While the construction takes place at Selkirk Elementary, Selkirk students will need to move to another school temporarily beginning in early 2020 until the summer of 2021. Gladstone Secondary is located within the Selkirk catchment area and has the capacity to accommodate grade six and seven students from Selkirk. Selkirk students will be located on the ground level of B and E wing of Gladstone Secondary. The Selkirk students and staff will have their own entrance.

Staff from the District, Selkirk Elementary and Gladstone Secondary schools will be working together in the coming months to develop a transition plan and to ensure that both Selkirk and Gladstone students continue to have a quality educational experience. I want to thank you in advance for offering your warm welcome to the Selkirk school community.

If you have any questions please contact me at cparker@vsb.ca.

Regards,

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