



We are in Phase 3 of B.C.'s Restart Plan

Phase 1



- Essential travel only, physical distancing and business closures to help stop the spread of COVID-19

Phase 2



- Essential travel only, physical distancing, restart of many businesses including those that were ordered closed

Phase 3



- Smart and safe travel within the province, restart of in-person K-12 and post-secondary classes

Phase 4



- International tourism, restart of large gatherings including concerts and conferences

B.C. is moving between phases based on the effectiveness of intervention measures in British Columbia and elsewhere, and on new scientific knowledge about COVID-19. This phased in approach to reopening allows sectors and activities within the phases to open in consultation with, and on the recommendation of the Provincial Health Officer, as protocols and guidance are in place for them to do so safely. CUPE is a stakeholder on the steering committee that is working to iron out details of the K-12 education restart plan.

B.C. Education Minister Rob Fleming said on Wednesday that a detailed plan of the September restart will be released in the coming weeks, but that parents of kindergarten to Grade 7 students “should prepare for a full restart.”

As a stakeholder to the Restart Steering Committee initiated by government, we are meeting regularly throughout the summer months.

Could you let us know your experiences or concerns during COVID. Please encourage members to check their email and complete the COVID survey.

In solidarity and safety,

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K-12 Presidents Council President

K-12 Education Restart Plan (Ministry of Education)

Beginning June 1, parents had the choice to send their children back to school on a gradual and part-time basis (Stage 3).



STAGE 1	STAGE 2	STAGE 3	STAGE 4	STAGE 5
SCHOOL DENSITY TARGETS 100%	SCHOOL DENSITY TARGETS K-7: 100% Grade 8-12: 40%	SCHOOL DENSITY TARGETS K-5: 50% Gr. 6-12: 20%	SCHOOL DENSITY TARGETS K-12: 20%	SCHOOL DENSITY TARGETS K-12: 0%
In-class instruction: K-12: 5 day per week	In-class instruction: K-7: 5 days per week Grade 8-12: 2 days per week 5 days per week available for: ✓ Children of essential service workers ✓ Students with disabilities/diverse abilities ✓ Students who require additional supports Remote/online instruction: Balance of learning	In-class instruction: K-5: 2 to 3 days per week Gr. 6-7: 1 day per week Gr 8-12: 1 day per week 5 days per week available for: ✓ Children of essential service workers ✓ Students with disabilities/diverse abilities ✓ Students who require additional supports Remote/online instruction: Parent/Guardian choice to return to in-class instruction optional Balance of learning	In-class instruction: K-12: Limited 5 days per week available for: ✓ Children of essential service workers ✓ Students with disabilities/diverse abilities ✓ Students who require additional supports Remote/online instruction: K-12: Majority of all students	In-class instruction: K-12: None Suspend all in-class instruction for all grades and students Remote/online instruction: K-12: All Students