



## 2025-2026 STRONGSTART EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

In preparation for the 2025-2026 school year, the Board of Education is seeking the cooperation of parents/caregivers in registering their child for the StrongStart Early Learning Program with Coast Mountains School District. It is important that parents/guardians take note of the specific registration deadlines and registration procedures are followed as outlined below.

The StrongStart Program provides parent participation play and a learning program for children 0 to 5 years of age. To learn more, please access the following link [CMSD82 StrongStart Informational Brochure](#).

Registration options for the StrongStart Early Learning Program include:

### Option #1

Complete the online registration through [MyEducationBC](#) → click on link, when the log-in screen opens, request an account (as illustrated to the right) and follow the step-by-step instructions (this is the school district's preferred registration option). **Note** that online registration is not available for mobile devices (cell phones). It is recommended that a computer or iPad be used to complete the online registration, **or**

### Option #2

Download a copy of the StrongStart Registration Form ([regular format](#) or [fillable format](#), click on the desired link to open document), complete and submit **by “appointment only” or by email** to the StrongStart Learning Centre's Principal Contact (contact information provided below), **or**

### Option #3

Contact the StrongStart Learning Centre School Principal as provided below to make an appointment to receive the registration forms.

### Contact Information for School District 82's StrongStart Early Learning Centres:

- Cassie Hall Elementary School, 2620 Eby Street, Terrace  
Contact: Erika Barton, School Principal  
Tel: (250) 635-5646 / Email: [erika.barton@cmsd.bc.ca](mailto:erika.barton@cmsd.bc.ca)
- Kildala Elementary School, 803 Columbia Avenue, Kitimat  
Contact: Janelle Hittel, School Principal  
Tel: (250) 632-6194 / Email: [janelle.hittel@cmsd.bc.ca](mailto:janelle.hittel@cmsd.bc.ca)
- Suwilaawks Community School, 3430 Sparks Street, Terrace  
Contact: Pamela Kawinsky, School Principal  
Tel: (250) 638-0306 / Email: [pamela.kawinsky@cmsd.bc.ca](mailto:pamela.kawinsky@cmsd.bc.ca)
- Thornhill Primary School, 3860 Paquette Avenue, Terrace  
Contact: Sandra Kenmuir, Principal  
Tel: (250) 635-7066 / Email: [sandra.kenmuir@cmsd.bc.ca](mailto:sandra.kenmuir@cmsd.bc.ca)

Student Proof of Citizenship will be required at the time of registration as detailed in the [StrongStart Registration Form](#) (click on link to view).

Should you require further assistance, please contact Tina McDonald, District Principal Curriculum Support at Coast Mountains Board of Education Office at (250) 638-4409 or via email at [tina.mcdonald@cmsd.bc.ca](mailto:tina.mcdonald@cmsd.bc.ca).