

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 40 (NEW WESTMINSTER)  
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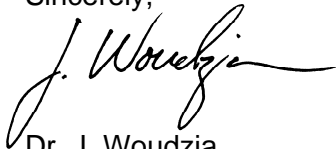
Dear Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to advise you that the Board of Education will be considering a motion with respect to the potential closure of Hume Park School for September, 2010, at its upcoming public meeting of February 9<sup>th</sup> to be held at City of New Westminster City Hall Council Chambers.

Please be advised that this does not mean that Hume Park School will automatically close if such a motion is passed next Tuesday evening. However, in the event of the passage of the motion, a 45-day period of public consultation regarding the potential closure of Hume Park School will commence, and a range of activities as described in the Board of Education's Consolidation and/or Closure of Schools policy (Policy No. 910.0) will be undertaken. Among other things, such activities would include one or more scheduled community consultation meetings as well as the distribution of a formal written report dealing with the topic of potential closure to members of the public.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter. For your information, the complete agenda for the February 9<sup>th</sup> public meeting of the Board of Education will be posted on the school district website at [www.sd40.bc.ca](http://www.sd40.bc.ca) on Monday, February 8<sup>th</sup>. If you have any further questions with respect to this matter, please contact (604) 517- 6240 for additional information.

Sincerely,



Dr. J. Woudzia  
Superintendent of Schools

