



UPPER HALFWAY ELEM/JR SCHOOL
School District #60 (Peace River North)

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September 6, 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians;

Staff at Upper Halfway School hope everyone had a fantastic summer!

K-2 teacher. Mrs. Frempong - Looking forward to another great year at Upper Halfway! Over the summer, I began a Masters in Special Education and will be continuing to work on it online this year. In the classroom, this month the focus will be on working together and establishing routines. We will also be reviewing and assessing Math and Language Arts.

3 - 5 teacher. Mr. Frempong - I'm very excited to be back at Upper Halfway this year. This month the students in my class will be working on patterning in math, grammar and language in Language Arts and a review of living and non-living things in Science. I look forward to seeing everyone in the community come out and support our students.

6-10 teachers. Mrs. Gieni and Mr Godin - Travelling from Toronto Ontario is very excited to teach at Upper Halfway. This month students will be working on community building, review in math, reading strategies, writing form, Canadian Pacific Railroad(SS) and electricity in Science.

Agendas: Please refer to the school agendas for student fees, school/student expectations, home reading and communication with the school and teachers throughout the year.

*Consent Forms: Please complete, and sign the *Upper Halfway Consent Form* for your child to attend and participate in various field trips/activities throughout the 2018/2019 school year. Our first field trip is on September 27, when we will be enjoying a picnic lunch and games at Mrs. Simpson's place. Prior to future field trips, you will receive a phone call/ letter to notify you of the details.*

Kindergarten: The first day for our new kindergarten students is Wednesday September 12, from 11:00 -12:00. New kindergarten students, along with parents, will meet with Mrs. Frempong in her classroom, meet other staff members in the school and participate in a variety of student lead centers.

Meet and Greet: All parents are invited to join Upper Halfway School students and staff for lunch on September 12th from 11:30-1:00pm. Please contact the school if you are in need of a ride.

Parent/Guardian Involvement: PAC meeting at 4:00pm on Sept. 11 at the Halfway band office.

Important Dates: See September Calendar – uh@prn.bc.ca

Sincerely,
Upper Halfway Staff