## Ecole élémentaire Laronde Elementary School



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## Invitation to Earl Marriot, Semiahmoo & Elgin Family of Schools Gr. 6 & 7 Parents

May 14, 2012

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Surrey School District's Safe Schools department is offering a <u>Parent Education Night on Substance Use</u> for <u>parents</u> of students who are presently in grades 6 and 7, on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>June 6 at 6:30 p.m. at Elgin Park Secondary theatre</u>. This will include information on:

- Current teen drugs trends:
  - o Drugs of choice: What they are, What they do, Their level of popularity.
  - Understanding substance use prevention strategies for families.
  - Parental strategies for developing your child's awareness and resistance skills, specifically targeting students entering their first year of high school.
  - Information on Surrey School District's substance use prevention and intervention programs.

The doors will open at 6:00 and our Safe Schools staff members will be there to show you various drugs and discuss them with you. The presentation will be from 6:30 – 7:30, with a question period following.

We encourage all parents to attend this valuable presentation. One of the most powerful preventions for drug use is parental knowledge and communication. I hope you can attend this presentation.

Yours truly, Madame P. Lee, directrice