

CRIMINAL RECORD CHECKS (CRC)

As you may (or may not) know a Criminal Record Check (CRC) is required by any adult who is volunteering in our schools.

Of course this year, this was not something that could take place with COVID, but the hope is (fingers crossed) we will be back to somewhat “normal” in September at some point.

If you plan to volunteer in the school next year--or at any time at McGirr--, or help with coaching, or as a driver for games and such, you are required to have a valid CRC on file at our school. There is more information below:

- With the hope we are back to normal at some point early next school year I would ask a huge favour of our adult community: **please complete this process before the school year ends for kids (note the process can take up to 3 weeks and it is free for most people).**
- **The CRC is good for 5 years, so I suggest parents complete this as their children start Kindergarten and again at the end of Grade 4.** Please also complete if you have **not** completed one yet at McGirr.
- For this year, given we did not have this process due to COVID, I would suggest parents/guardians/grandparents etc.... who have **children ending Kindergarten and Grade 4 this June also complete the CRC.**

Attached to the email copy of this note being sent out will be the CRC information sheet that has the website and access code (as listed below) and a bit more information:

- <https://justice.gov.bc.ca/criminalrecordcheck>
- **Access Code: UQ4T7XXBHE**

The process above can take up to 3 weeks to finalize and it is appreciated if this can be tended to before the school year ends, so we are good for whenever volunteers are allowed back inside the school. Actually doing it on line will take about 5-10 minutes for most adults

Thank you

[CRC application information to families June 2021.pdf](#)