

Schools on Snow 2023/24 – Survival 101

Morning meeting: 8am, Blackcomb Base II

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Base 2 programs (Wednesday through Friday)

Elementary (aged 8-12) & Secondary (ages 13+) Schools & Race League

Philosophy

A fun school trip + chill with friends in the snow. Teach if they want, guide if they prefer. Ask what they want and give them a day on the mountain to match

Elementary (supers) vs Secondary schools (Teens)

1. Meet along cabin side of car park for Elementary and Gondola side of car park for Secondary Schools.
2. Lift loading: Check ages, Whistler Kids policy applies (*check your Safety manual*)
3. Progress cards: In specific circumstances (you will be notified in morning meeting)

Safety

Mandatory; No Double Black terrain, helmets. Ensure your own and students safety from check in to sign out
Check the Schools whiteboard for schools with **NP** (no park) or **WG** (wrist guard). This can vary per school and is mandatory.

You must be cleared by a supervisor to go into the Terrain Park, over to Whistler Mountain, usage of Alpine lifts and have the appropriate training. If you are unsure on terrain consult the kids map or consult a supervisor

Lost/injured students

Reference your Snow School Safety manual

Steps	Lost	Injured
1 st	WK emergency line 604.905.2234	Patrol 604.935.5555
2 nd	Patrol if required	WK emergency line
3 th	Notify Supervisor	Notify Supervisor

Flow of the day

- **Morning; Bus arrival**→ **Confirm all children have a lift pass** **Fill out Schools class card** – (*phone # and allergies!*) → **rentals**→ **flaiks**→ **helmets (mandatory)** and **wrist guards**→ **bag storage**→ **Hand In class card filled out with return times**→ **check Schools whiteboard** and write your name, how many kids, departure time and where you're going for your warm up before you head out - L3 Magic Chair, L4,5&6 Blackcomb Gondola mid-station to Base II **After warm up, check in with a supervisor at Base II**, Organize splits through WhatsApp group; chat.whatsapp.com/InHbQCL0xKK2rzwIGKB1HF
- **Lunch**: students have an included lunch at base 2, (they may choose to bring their own). Ensure you are at the lunch location (Base II) at your allocated time.
Elementary: same as dailies (instructors are responsible for getting lunches)
Secondary: instructor takes the whole group together up to server and uses the class card to let the support team what each student has ordered
Check in with school's supervisor on duty that day!
- **Early Sign out**; Tired or injured but doesn't require the clinic. Call Whistler Kids Emergency line and ask their teacher to be contacted. No students can be left unattended at any point.
- **End of the day; be back on time** for the school's departure time (buses need to leave)! Collect **flaiks** → help students **return their rentals and collect their bags** → sign out – **collect signatures from students**→ **fill out the back of the class card** → **check in with supervisor** before you leave. Finish up any incident report forms or lost child forms