

To participate in our Youth programs, all participants must take part in the following:

- Register your spot at least 24 hours before program start, please message or email Youth Services staff
 - Instagram: Parkgate.Youth.Centre
 - Email: nrivard-morton@parkgatesociety.ca or dcheyne@parkgatesociety.ca
 - Telephone: Natasha Rivard-Morton (604-783-5754) or Dale Cheyne 604-783-8053
- Obtain and complete **Parkgate Youth Services Program Consent Form to be signed by a guardian** - MUST be given upon entry- NO EXCEPTIONS.
- Upon entry youth participants must take part in COVID-19 related checklist and be approved by a youth worker staff to enter.

COVID-19 Checklist

No services provided if yes to any of these conditions (must be completed 24hrs prior to any in-person interaction with youth).

Youth Worker staff will exercise judgement on youth participating in the program. Youth who exhibit symptoms such as runny nose or flush cheeks/temperature will be asked to not participate in the program.

Any youth and/or staff who tests positive for COVID-19 and has attended a Youth Services program is asked to immediately contact Parkgate Youth Services staff, Natasha Rivard-Morton or Dale Cheyne, by email or telephone. Parkgate Youth Services staff will work in conjunction with Vancouver Coastal Health contact tracing team to ensure other participants and staff who may have been in contact with a positive COVID-19 test subject are notified.

Immediate Exclusion Criteria for youth and staff:

1. People returning from any international travel (including the USA) in the last 14 days
2. Sick people waiting for a test or test result for COVID-19
3. People with COVID-19
4. People who are in close contact with someone who is isolating due to COVID-19 or COVID-19 restrictions
5. People who have not travelled, but who have flu-like symptoms (fever, cough, tiredness, aches or severe tiredness)

Masks are mandatory for all participants and staff. **If a youth falls ill/displays flu-like symptoms they will be removed from the program. A staff member will wait with them until they are picked up. Participant that has fallen ill will be advised to contact the 8-1-1 line for further information on next steps.**

Safety Measures/Procedures:

- Upon entry all participants will be asked to wash hands with soap and water for a minimum of 20 seconds.
- Youth will be asked to sign in and out of the program for a record of contact.
- Participants will be asked to practice best hygiene standards (i.e. clean clothes, sneeze or cough in elbow and regular hand washing/sanitizing). Hand Sanitizer will be available at each table for youth to use.
- Participants will be asked to follow proper physical distancing during the sign in and duration of the program, with two meters distance markers set up as reminders.
- Once seated, that will be their seat for the remainder of the program - no trading seats.
- Mask will be Mandatory for youth. Masks will also be made available for youth who forgot or need a new one. **Masks will be mandatory for all Youth Services staff.**
- Pre packed single serve snacks and drinks will be provided during the program. Youth are asked to not share any food with others during the program.
- There will be no INS or OUTS during the program. If a youth decides to leave before the program ends, they may not be allowed back in. Washrooms will be sanitized between each use.
- Youth Worker staff will be responsible for regular cleaning of all high-touch surfaces pre/post drop-in, as well as throughout the program. (1:9 cleaning solution). A 30minute cleaning time will be put in place before and after every drop-in program
- All activity equipment will be cleaned regularly with 1:9 bleach cleaning solution.

Youth will be asked to clean down their own space and items used before leaving the program.

THANK YOU!