



# Board Chair Report

March 28, 2023

Good evening and welcome, to those in-person and online, to this Board's March public meeting.

A special welcome to students in attendance from Armstrong Elementary and Burnaby Central Secondary, we look forward to learning about your experiences upcoming in the agenda.

Yesterday marked the return to classes following a two-week spring break and I would like to welcome back students, staff, and teachers after a well-deserved break. A break that has increasingly become important over the last few years.

The last few years have amplified the challenges to mental health to our students, the stress they feel in their studies and the stress they feel in their social emotional development, and to