



# FAMILY BULLETIN

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727 Templeton Drive, Vancouver, BC V5L 4N8

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Dear Templeton Secondary Students, Families, and Caregivers,

We are very much looking forward to welcoming students back into the building on **Tuesday, September 2, 2025**. To prepare for the return to school, please take some time to review the information in this bulletin as it has important information regarding the first week of school, as well as some useful links. A more fulsome newsletter will be sent out early next week which will outline some of the exciting things to look forward to this year.

## Next Week At A Glance – September 2 - 5

First Week of School (Sept 2-5)				
Monday September 1	Tuesday September 2	Wednesday September 3	Thursday September 4	Friday September 5
Labour Day (No Classes)	Welcome Back Assemblies (Auditorium)  9:00 AM - Grade 9 10:00 AM - Grade 10 11:00 AM - Grade 11 12:00 PM - Grade 12 1:00 PM - Grade 8	<b>8:40 AM: Homeroom</b>  Period 1 9:00 – 10:10 Period 2 10:20 – 11:30 Period 3 12:15 – 1:35 Period 4 1:45 – 3:05	<b>8:40 AM: Homeroom</b>  Period 1 9:00 – 10:10 Period 2 10:20 – 11:30 Period 3 12:15 – 1:35 Period 4 1:45 – 3:05	<b>8:40 AM: Homeroom</b>  Period 1 9:00 – 10:10 Period 2 10:20 – 11:30 Period 3 12:15 – 1:35 Period 4 1:45 – 3:05

On **Tuesday September 2**, we will be hosting Welcome Back Assemblies for all grades and we look forward to seeing all students present in the **auditorium** during their scheduled time:

Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
1:00 PM	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	11:00 AM	12:00 PM

We will be covering important information at these assemblies and students are expected to attend. Each assembly will be no longer than one hour and students will attend their scheduled assembly and then will be dismissed. Students, please make sure you are seated in the auditorium by the start of your assembly time. There is no need to bring anything to this assembly.

### September 8

On **Monday September 8** classes will follow the schedule below:

Period 1 – 8:40 AM – 10:00 AM  
 Period 2 – 10:10 AM – 11:30 AM  
 Period 3 – 12:15 PM – 1:35 PM  
 Period 4 – 1:45 PM – 3:05 PM



## Homerooms

On **Wednesday September 3**, students will be in school for the entire day and will start the day with a homeroom from 8:40 AM – 9:00 AM and then we will follow an adjusted bell schedule. **Homeroom numbers will be available on MyEdBC and will also be posted in the foyer.**

During homerooms, teachers will go through information to start the school year. Locker selection will also occur during this homeroom. We encourage Gr. 9 -12 students to bring their previously assigned school lock with them if they still have one, if students handed their lock in at the end of June a lock will be given to them in a following homeroom. Students who are new to the school or have lost their lock can purchase a new one from the office.

Students will also report to homeroom on Thursday September 4 and Friday September 5 to collect forms, review the Templeton Code of Conduct, review FIT expectations, and work through other school opening procedures.

## Reminders

### NOTICE OF LATE RETURN

To help us ensure a smooth start to the new school year, we would like to remind you that students must attend school by Friday September 6, to confirm enrolment. If your child/children will not be in attendance the first week back to school, but will be so after then, please fill out this form [Notice of Late Return Form - Fillable](#) and return this form to the office or email a copy to student records at [edemelo@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:edemelo@vsb.bc.ca). If the school cannot verify your child's attendance at school by noon on Friday September 5, 2024, your child's space may be given to another student on the school's waitlist.

### MYEDUCATION FAMILY PORTAL

[MyEducationBC](#) has been closed over the summer to allow us to set up the new year and build student schedules. Access for students and families was originally scheduled to be available on August 22, however we are dealing with some changes to our course schedule that are preventing us from opening MyEd until later this week. We will be communicating to students and families to let them know when MyEducation will be available to view student schedules.

### COURSE CHANGES

Our priority is to ensure students have complete timetables by having at least eight blocks scheduled. If students are missing classes or did not complete summer school as planned, we ask that you contact your grade-based counsellor. Students wanting course changes should email their counsellor their request, please **do not** come to the counselling suite during class time. The last day for timetable changes will be Friday September 19, 2025. After the 19<sup>th</sup> (in the exceptional circumstance where a student needs to make a course change) a course change form will need to be filled in and signed by parent/guardian, teacher(s), and administration.



### SCHOOL FEES

To pay school or course fee, create an account using [School Cash Online](#). The school fee schedule (an itemized list of fees to be paid by grade), can be found [HERE](#). Please pay by Sept 26, 2025. Any future fees, for events such as field trips, will be available on School Cash Online. When [setting up your account](#) be sure to check "YES" to receive email notifications so that you will be notified when fees are added.

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We hope that students enjoy their final week of summer and that they are feeling refreshed, rejuvenated, and ready to start a new year. We look forward to welcoming you back on September 2 and hearing all about your break!

Sincerely,

**Templeton Administration**



**Adam Tuerlings**  
Principal



**Liz Bell**  
Vice-Principal



**Darren Gock**  
Vice-Principal

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