



Gladstone News

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Dear Gladstone Students and Families,

IMPORTANT DATES

March 13th: Last day of school before Spring Break

March 30th: School reopens

To keep up with important dates at Gladstone, please check our calendar at:

<https://www.vsb.bc.ca/gladstone/page/1889/calendar?tab=monthview>

LUNCH MENU

Please note that menu items are subject to change

Monday, March 2	Tuesday, March 3	Wednesday, March 4	Thursday, March 5	Friday, March 6
Mac and Cheese with Garlic Toast and Spring Mix	Tofu Chowmein	Beef Burrito and Greens	Chicken Curry with Rica and Naan	Chef's Choice
Monday, March 9	Tuesday, March 10	Wednesday, March 11	Thursday, March 12	Friday, March 13
Penne Bolognese with Salad	Fish Taco with Chipotle Mayo, Fresh Slaw and Fries	Rosemary, Garlic, and Lemon Pork Loin with Roast Veg and Gravy	Thai Chicken Curry with Rice	Chef's Choice

SCHOLARSHIP SUPPORT

Gladstone's Class of 2026 will be graduating soon, and many students will be applying for scholarships and bursaries to help with their post-secondary studies.

If you know of any business owners or family members that may want to provide a scholarship for students at Gladstone, please forward the following link to them as it goes directly to our donations page: [SCHOLARSHIP DONATIONS](#) or have them contact Angela at awakefield@vsb.bc.ca for more information. Scholarships can be for any amount, and all contributions will be appreciated.

POOLSIDE PARADISE DANCE

Student Council is hosting a **Poolside Paradise Dance on March 11th at 5:30 PM-7:30 PM** in the cafeteria! There will be mini games, karaoke, bowling, and dancing! Tickets will be sold for \$2 in the cafeteria from February 23rd to March 6th at LUNCH.

There will be a mandatory assembly at FIT in the cafeteria on March 10th to go over expectations, rules, and distribution of tickets.

VSB EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT DIPLOMA PROGRAM OFFERING

Are you looking for a rewarding job working in a school setting supporting children and youth with special needs? There is an ongoing need for qualified Educational Assistants in VSB schools.

The next session of the VSB EA (SSA) Program will begin, April 1, 2026. Applications are accepted beginning January 12, 2026. Apply at Burnaby Community & Continuing Education at <https://www.burnabyccce.ca>

MOBI BIKE YOUTH COMMUNITY PASSES

The VSB is pleased to share a positive opportunity for students. Vancouver’s Mobi Bike Share program is offering a limited number of Youth Community Passes at a significantly reduced cost. The pass is available to students aged 12–18 for \$20, equivalent to \$5 per month and capped at \$20 for the full season. This pass provides unlimited 60-minute rides from now until September 30th, 2026.

Passes are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Students are encouraged to apply as early as possible. A valid student ID is required to register. If the \$20 fee presents a barrier, students may request a fee waiver; a limited number of free passes are available.

This initiative aligns with the District’s recently adopted Sustainability Plan and supports active travel and equitable access to transportation for students.

Link to apply: <https://www.mobibikes.ca/en/community-pass>

FAMILY SMART ONLINE WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS: Online Events That Bring Us Together

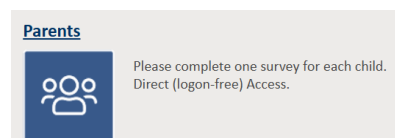
Come together with other parents and caregivers to learn and connect online. Discover strategies that help strengthen our understanding and connection with our kids. More information about the workshops may be found here: <https://familysmart.ca/online-events/>

ATTENTION: PARENTS WITH CHILDREN IN GRADES 10, 11, AND 12 2026 Student Learning Survey

The Vancouver School Board is once again participating in the Ministry of Education Electronic Anonymous Student Learning Survey Project in cooperation with all other school districts throughout the province. Parents/Guardians can complete the Internet Electronic Anonymous Surveys **by May 1, 2026**. The survey provides immediate results to the school and the district and your participation is an important contribution to improving the educational experiences of your child(ren). You may complete a survey for each child in the targeted grades. The parent survey is available in English, French, and 16 other languages.

To complete the survey:

1. Go to any computer that has an up-to-date internet browser access at home, work, or school.
2. Go to www.bced.gov.bc.ca/sat_survey/access.htm
3. Click on the **PARENTS** section and complete the fields:
 - District : **39 Vancouver**
 - School : **Gladstone Secondary**
 - Language : Select the language of your choice.





Student Learning Survey - Parent Logon

Take the online survey

The survey is available online from January 6th to May 2nd. Please contact your school if you have difficulty using the online survey.

Parent Logon

- Please complete one survey for each child.
- Direct (logon-free) Access (please select one of the options below).

District 39 Vancouver

School Gladstone Secondary

Language English

Logon

4. Click the **LOGON** button.
 5. Complete the survey by clicking on the “radio buttons” for each question. Move to the next set of questions by clicking on NEXT in the bottom right corner of the screen.
 6. When you are finished the survey, you will get a message “Thank you for sharing your views”.
 7. If you feel you made a mistake, repeat the procedure above.
 8. Once complete, your school will have the results immediately.
- Thank you for participating in this innovative project.

Best,

Gladstone Office