



Tyee Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

We hope our students had a fantastic first week back at school! On Thursday, we had an inspiring assembly hosted by our student leaders Jude, Noah, Kiana, and Sadie. We had the pleasure of listening to our Kindergarten class, who sang the Cherokee Welcome Song to the entire school.

We also bid a fond farewell to Ms. Allison (SSA), who will be starting at another school in the VSB on Monday. We extend our gratitude to her for her hard work and dedication. Both staff and students will miss her!

There are several paper and online forms that are crucial for our students' attendance. Your assistance in completing these forms promptly is greatly appreciated. Please help us avoid the need to contact families who have not returned the forms.

It's important to fill out the forms completely and accurately. For example, on the Yellow Emergency Student Reunification Form, please make sure to write your last name in the box at the top left and complete the bottom portion of the form. Forms that are not filled out correctly will either be returned to you or must be completed by hand by our staff.

Additionally, please be aware that our tennis lessons will be commencing on Monday. To participate, students must have a Neighbourhood Walk Consent form returned to school.

Remember that some of our forms have gone online. Here is the link (<https://myforms.vsb.bc.ca>) and the instructions (below) for the online forms that all families are required to complete. As of now, only 14 families have completed the necessary online forms. Your prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Monrad

"Honoured to be working together on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territories of the *xwməθkwəy̓ə m/Musqueam*, *Skwxwú7mesh/Squamish* & *səlilwətał |Tseil-Waututh Nations*"

Information Items:

1. Earthquake Comfort kits

Today, your child brought home a comfort kit bag. As part of the school's emergency preparedness program our PAC puts together Comfort Kit bins for each Division. We ask your cooperation in creating/renewing your child's "Comfort Kit" to be added to their class Earthquake bin. The instructions for the comfort kit are in the bag along with two other notices.

2. The Tyee Terry Fox Run – A Message from Ms I:

The Tyee Terry Fox run will be held on Thursday, October 5th at 1:10 p.m. in the afternoon.

Terry Fox is a national hero who set out to raise money for cancer research despite having lost his right leg to the disease. He ran a marathon a day for 143 days until he was forced to stop when his cancer returned.

Families are welcome to join us at Clark Park to participate in the run and we are asking each student to consider bringing in a toonie for the Terry Fox foundation.

Families are welcome to donate online as well. Just use the link below.

Tyee Elementary is proud to be participating in the Terry Fox School Run. Please join us and continue the legacy of one of our greatest Canadian heroes. Donate at:

<https://schools.terryfox.ca/TyeeElementary>

Thank you for joining us in the fight against cancer! #terryfoxschoolrun @theterryfoxfoundation

3. VSB's Mini School programs: Attention Grade 7's going to Grade 8 in September 2024

VSB's Mini School programs provide enrichment opportunities for highly motivated students who are Vancouver residents, consistently work at an Applying level and have excellent work habits. Students must apply to each program separately as per each program's process.

Program information nights are starting soon and will be held in person or through digital platforms. Please use the link for more detailed information:

<https://www.vsb.bc.ca/page/5292/mini-school>

3. Open House, Meet the Staff, and PAC Picnic – Wednesday, September 20th, 2023

Please come to our Open House and Meet the staff event on Wednesday September 20th.

3:10 - 3:55 = Families visit classrooms and tour the school.

3:55 p.m. = Welcome message and staff introductions outside on the basketball court

4:00 - 5:00 = PAC Picnic at Clark Park

4. Tennis XL Lessons

Starting next week, our students will be having tennis lessons at Clark Park Tennis courts as part of their P.E. program. This program teaches the fundamentals of tennis and emphasizes social responsibility and ensures active fun for students of all ages. Tennis XL's adaptable teaching approach accommodates students at various levels of developmental progression, enabling them to learn and excel. Students will explore the basics of tennis through team games and skill-building drills. Your child's teacher will provide specific information regarding their

class's tennis schedule. We extend our gratitude to our school's PAC for generously covering the cost of these lessons for the entire school.

5. Upcoming Dates:

- PAC Meeting Tuesday September 19th
 - Meet the Staff Wednesday September 20th
 - Individual Photo Day September 22nd
 - Pro-D Day September 29th
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MyForms – Parent/Guardian User Guide

Introduction

MyForms is a new application from the Vancouver School Board intended to replace paper-based consent and acknowledgement of risk forms typically sent home with students.

The application allows parents/guardians to confirm and revoke their approval of topics and activities related to a student’s studies.

Signing In

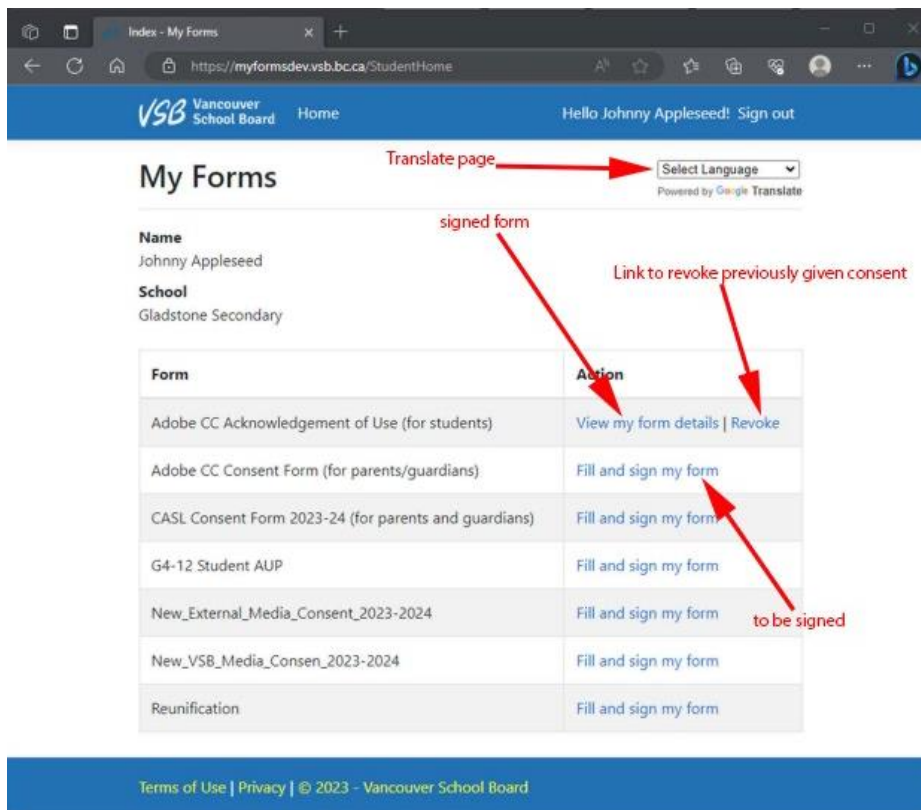
The application is accessed using a web browser at the following URL: <https://myforms.vsb.bc.ca>.

For each student in your care, you will log in using their credentials, either a PEN number and date of birth, or, if available, the students VSB email credentials.

Note: If required, details on how to recover the required credentials are available on the login page.

Home

Once signed in, you will be presented forms relevant to the current student. Depending on the state of the form, you will be able to sign, view or revoke consent for each form by clicking the relevant link.



My Forms

Name: Johnny Appleseed
School: Gladstone Secondary

Form	Action
Adobe CC Acknowledgement of Use (for students)	View my form details Revoke
Adobe CC Consent Form (for parents/guardians)	Fill and sign my form
CASL Consent Form 2023-24 (for parents and guardians)	Fill and sign my form
G4-12 Student AUP	Fill and sign my form
New_External_Media_Consent_2023-2024	Fill and sign my form
New_VSB_Media_Consen_2023-2024	Fill and sign my form
Reunification	Fill and sign my form

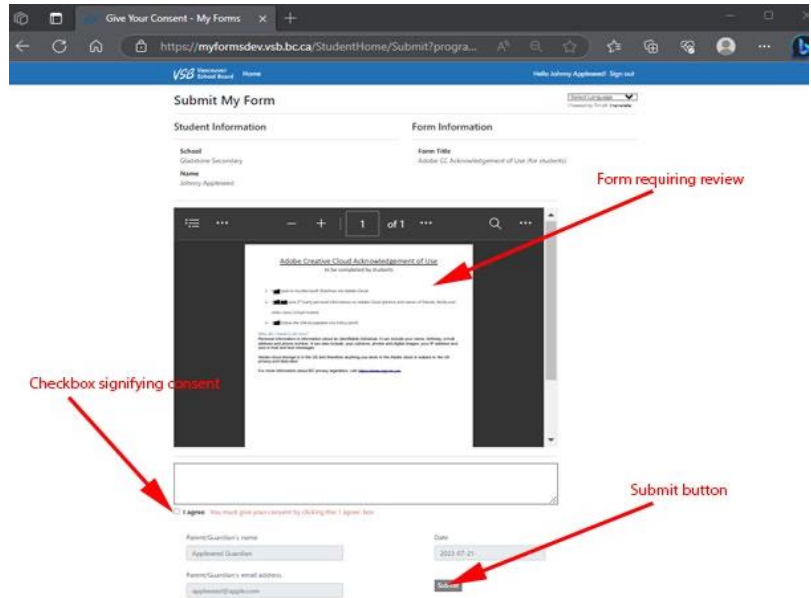
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Signing a form (providing consent)

Upon entering an unsigned form, you will be presented with the details of the matter requiring acknowledgment. Once read, and if you agree, you can provide consent by clicking the 'I agree' checkbox near the bottom of the form.

Upon submission, you will be brought back to the main page.

Further, MyForms will send a confirmation email to you (the parent/guardian) for review and filing.



Revoking Consent

If you've previously consented to a form but now prefer to remove consent, you will do this

