Acknowledging that we live, work, play and learn on the traditional, ancestral, and unceded territories of the xʷməθkʷəẏəm (Musqueam), sḵwx̱wú7mesh (Squamish) and selíl̓witulh (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

UHS Youth Connection Program 2023-2024
Date: Every Monday till June 17, 2024
Time: 3:30 – 4:30 pm (please feel free to come in early right after school for snacks and social)
Venue: Wesbrook Community Centre in the Social Room
Purpose of the Program:
- Connect newcomer youth to their peers in school and the community through leisure activities and fun conversations to help smooth transitions, and build confidence, a sense of belonging, and supportive circles.
- Provide potential youth leaders with a platform to support their peers and build on their skills by leading small group conversations or activities.
- Offer opportunities for personal growth and social development while exploring projects and voluntary engagement in school or community activities/events.

Registration is required: https://forms.office.com/r/VFFcgRW8kM (for UHS Youth Only)
Inquiry: VSB Settlement Workers in Schools (SWIS) Program (UHS Room: 1B8-5 in LLC):
Esaine Mo / 778-228-8536 / emo@vsb.bc.ca
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Shad Canada
Shad is a month-long program for Grade 10 & 11 Students. Pan-Canadian classrooms with university-level STEAM and entrepreneurship content and access to mentors. Selection process in place. Limited spots are available.
More information and/or to apply: please visit https://www.shad.ca/.
Application deadline: Friday December 1st

Upcoming Events/Special Dates in School Calendar

Nov 20 (Monday)	-**Parent-Teacher Meeting Scheduler Opens**; 9:00 AM -McMaster University Information Session; LLC; FIT Time (8:40-9:20) -UHS Youth Connection Program; Wesbrook Community Centre (Social Room); 3:30-4:30 PM
Nov 21 (Tuesday)	
Nov 22 (Wednesday)	
Nov 23 (Thursday)	-Saint Mary's University (located in Halifax, Nova Scotia) Info Session; Room 1A2; 11:25-12:20 -Grade 11 **Assembly** (RE: Career Programs); LLC; FIT Time(1:25-2:05 PM) -**PAC Meeting**, 7:30 PM
Nov 24 (Friday)	-ProD Day (District Wide) -Report Cards Published; 3:00 PM
Nov 27 (Monday)	-UHS Youth Connection Program; Wesbrook Community Centre (Social Room); 3:30-4:30 PM
Nov 28 (Tuesday)	-Rotation#2 Choir 8 Performance; Grand Staircase;6:30 PM
Nov 29 (Wednesday)	-Parent-Teacher Meeting Scheduler Closes; 10:00 PM
Nov 30 (Thursday)	-Period 3: 12:20-1:10 PM -Period 4: 1:15-2:05 PM -Early Dismissal: 2:05 PM -**Parent Teacher Conferences**; Teams(online); 4:00-6:30 PM
December 1 (Friday)	-**Collaborative Planning Time(Departments)**; 8:40-10:00 AM -Period 1: 10:00-10:40 AM -Period 2: 10:45-11:25 AM -DEADLINE: To Apply for Shad Canada Programs; Grade 10/11 Students
December 4 (Monday)	-UHS Youth Connection Program; Wesbrook Community Centre (Social Room); 3:30-4:30 PM
December 5 (Tuesday)	-St Francis Xavier University Information Session; Room 1A2; 11:25-12:20

Post-Secondary UHill Visits for Grade 10/11/12 Students

Several post-secondary institutions are providing in-person information sessions at UHill at lunch and FIT times this year. We also highly recommend and encourage students and families to go to university/college websites for the most up-to-date information.
In-Person Information Sessions at UHill

November 14 (Tuesday)	California College of the Arts (CCA); Room 1A2; 11:25-12:20
November 17 (Friday)	McGill University; LLC; FIT Time (8:40-9:20)
November 20 (Monday)	McMaster University; LLC; FIT Time (8:40-9:20)
November 23 (Thursday)	Saint Mary's University (located in Halifax, Nova Scotia); Room 1A2; 11:25-12:20
December 5 (Tuesday)	St Francis Xavier University; Room 1A2; 11:25-12:20

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