



KITSILANO WEEK AT A GLANCE

JANUARY 22 – 26, 2024

Monday January 22	Tuesday January 23	Wednesday January 24	Thursday January 25	Friday January 26
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FIT PM	FIT AM		FIT PM	FIT AM
Go to the Kitsilano FIT Annual Planner to sign up for your FIT periods this week. Make a plan for what you will work on and which learning space you'll be in.	FINE ARTS NIGHT 4:00 – 7:00 PM			
	PROGRAM PLANNING INFORMATION NIGHT IN THE GYM GR. 8 & 9 @ 6 PM GR. 10 & 11 @ 7 PM	GR. 8 LINK ACTIVITY SCAVENGER HUNT 3:30 – 4:30 PM ATRIUM		

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

GLA 12: Jan. 22 – 26

Grade 12 students will be writing the [Graduation Literacy Assessment 12](#) (GLA 12) during the week of January 22 - 26. Students can check their assessment date/time and location on the schedule posted outside the school office.

Join us for Fine Arts Night on January 23: 4-7



The Film, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts Departments of Kitsilano cordially invite Parents, Students and the Community to our Annual Arts Night. As part of a greater Arts Week, we will have a special evening of Displays, Live Art, Music, Movies and Theatre.

We will also have Grade 7-11 Course Planning Sessions

EVERYONE WELCOME
We'd love to see some of our future students!

Program Planning 2024-25

The program planning process for the next school year begins in January. Note the timeline below for important dates.

January 25 FIT	Gr. 11 Program Planning Presentation
January 26 FIT	Gr. 10 Program Planning Presentation
February 5 FIT	Gr. 9 Program Planning Presentation
February 6 FIT	Gr. 8 Program Planning Presentation
January 23	Program Planning Information Night
Jan. 25 – Feb.16	Course Selection Entry on MyEd. BC

Please take some time to review with your child the current course offerings by using the [Course Planning Guide 2024-25](#) posted on the school website, and to assist them in making their course selections for the next school year. If you have any questions, please contact your child's counsellor.

Program Planning Information Night – January 23

Parents of current grades 8-11 students are invited to attend our program planning information sessions in the Gym on **Tuesday, January 23**.

5:00 – 5:45 PM	Grade 7 Parent Information Night
6:00 – 6:45 PM	Gr. 8-9 Program Planning Info. Session
7:00 – 7:45 PM	Gr. 10-11 Program Planning Info. Session

Counsellors will present information about the program planning process and student course selections.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

January 22-26	Graduation Literacy Assessment 12
January 23	Grade 7 Parent Information Night Grades 8-11 Program Planning Night
January 23	Fine Arts Night
January 30	PAC Meeting @ 7 PM
January 30	Band Concert @ 7 PM
January 31	Collaborative Day 4 (PM)
January 31	Semester 1 Ends
February 1-2	Semester Turnaround Days
February 5	Semester 2 Begins

Semester Turnaround Days – February 1 & 2

Semester Turnaround Days are **February 1 and 2**. There are no classes scheduled and students may be at school to see teachers and/or complete work, quiz/test at a teacher's request. Extra-curricular activities are not taking place during regular school hours.

Establishing Safe, Caring & Respectful Digital Communities – January 23, February 7, 28

erase is offering online sessions on safe and caring use of technology at home and in the community for Grades 8-12 students and their families on **January 23, and February 7, 28, 6:30-7:30 PM**. Led by expert trainers from Safer Schools Together, the session covers all things digital, from how to be a good digital citizen, the criminal consequences of cyberbullying, and how to report and receive support in cases of sexting/sexortion. Families can [register online](#).

Homework Help Club

Peer tutoring is available to all students every Tuesday after school, 3:15-4:15 PM in the Skills Room (104/105). Peer tutors provide help to students with their course work in a variety of subject areas, and one-on-one help.

Career Centre News

See attached for upcoming post-secondary deadlines and events.

CAREER CENTRE NEWS

Week of January 22 – 26, 2024

DEADLINES

January 25	University of Guelph National Scholarship Program Application Deadline
January 30	Schulich Leader Scholarship Application Deadline (school nomination required)
January 31	Mensa Canada General Scholarship Application Deadline
January 31	Loud Scholarships Application Deadline
February 1	Kin Canada Bursaries Application Deadline
February 14	Western U. National Scholarship Program Application Due (school nomination required)
February 15	Dalhousie University Entrance Awards Application Deadline
February 15	Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarship Application Deadline
February 16	University of Waterloo Faculty of Mathematics Scholarships Application Deadline
February 21	McMaster Engineering Entrance Scholarship Application Deadline
March 1	Capilano University Entrance Awards Application Deadline
March 13	RE/MAX Canada Quest for Excellence Scholarship Application Deadline
March 15	Horatio Alger Association of Canada Scholarships Application Deadline
March 18	BCPVPA Student Scholarship Application Deadline
March 31	BCRPVPA Student Scholarship Application Deadline
March 31	Ada – Indigenous STEAM Bursary Application Deadline
April 26	H&R Block x myBlueprint Scholarship Application Deadline
May 3	Kindness Foundation Nadine Marshall Scholarship Application Deadline
May 3	Scotiabank x myBlueprint Scholarship Application Deadline

EVENTS

Ongoing	Comprehensive Canadian University Guide (CCUG) Podcast https://anchor.fm/ccug
Ongoing	Post Secondary BC Events , various
Ongoing	Creative Pathways , various opportunities - paid work, programs, skills + training, information + knowledge, networking + events within the motion picture industry, Animation, Visual Effects and Post, and Film Adjacent sectors
Sept. - March	Langara Program Information Sessions
January 24	Kitsilano PAC WHAT'S Next? – Vancouver Community College @ 7:00 – 8:00 PM Zoom Link
February 21	Kitsilano PAC WHAT'S Next? – Options Solutions: "Canadian Post-Secondary Trends: What Can YOU Do?" @ 6:00 – 7:00 PM Registration Link
April 25	UK University Fair at Harbour Centre (Simon Fraser Campus), 4:00 – 8:00 PM

For the latest information, regularly check the “All Students @ Kitsilano Secondary” Team, “Career Centre” channel.