



KITSILANO WEEK AT A GLANCE

OCTOBER 23 – 27, 2023

Monday October 23	Tuesday October 24	Wednesday October 25	Thursday October 26	Friday October 27
8:40-3:10	8:40-3:10	8:40-1:45	8:40-3:10	8:40-3:10
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FIT PM	FIT AM	Collaborative Day	FIT PM	FIT AM
Go to the Kitsilano Student 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.	PEER TUTORING 3:15 – 4:15 PM Skills Room PAC MEETING 7:00 – 8:00 PM Theatre			GRAD SPIRIT DAY Friday October 27th STUDENTS DRESS AS TEACHERS AND TEACHERS DRESS AS STUDENTS

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

DUE THIS WEEK

- October 22 [Gr. 12 Yearbook Write-up](#)
- October 22 Gr. 12 Baby Picture Submission - Email kitsgrad2024@gmail.com
- October 27 Gr. 9 Take Our Kids to Work Day form due to Ms. Pitman in the Counselling Suite
- October 27 [Language Challenge Exam](#) application and cheque due to your counsellor.

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 in all subject areas, and one-on-one help.

Grade 8 Link Activity – Haunted Hallway on October 23

Grade 8 students are invited to walk through a Haunted Hallway on Monday, October 23 after school, 3:30-5:00 PM in the Drama Hallway (next to Room 180). Look for Link Crew to find the start and show them your Student ID Card. There will be candy after making it through...so bring your friends for some spooky fun!

PAC Meeting – October 24

All parents/guardians are invited to the next PAC Meeting on Tuesday, October 24 at 7:00 PM in the Theatre. At this meeting there will be school updates from Student Council, teacher representative and the principal.

Visit the [PAC website](#) for news, updates and events. For the current PAC newsletter, [click here](#). [Subscribe](#) to receive the PAC newsletters and information about PAC events.

Collaborative Day – October 25

Collaborative day is this Wednesday, October 25 in the afternoon. **Classes will start at the regular time of 8:40 AM and will end early at 1:45 PM.** Staff will be working with colleagues to enhance the learning experiences for our students. Students are not in the school during this time.

Helping Kids Shine Fundraiser – October 26 & 27

The Helping Kids Shine Club is fundraising for BC Children's Hospital. Come out at lunch on October 26 & 27 in the atrium outside Room 104/105 to buy tickets for the Halloween Raffle and Guess How Much Candy is in the Jar competition.

- Candy guesses: \$2/guess or \$5 for 3 guesses
- Halloween Raffle: \$2/ticket or \$5 for 3 tickets

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- October 24 PAC Meeting @ 7 PM
- October 25 Collaborative Day 2 (PM)
- Oct. 30 – Nov. 3 GNA 10
- October 31 Hallowe'en
- November 1 Grade 9 Take Our Kids to Work Day
- November 5 VSB Support Staff Day
- November 5 Daylight Saving Time Ends
- November 11 Remembrance Day
- November 13 Statutory Holiday

Sr. Boys Volleyball Fundraiser – October 26

The Senior Boys Volleyball team will be selling Krispy Kreme Donuts on **Thursday, October 26** in the atrium at lunch. Donuts are sold in boxes at \$20/box. Cash only. Monies raised will be used to help the team travel to the BC Volleyball Provincials at the end of November.

GNA 10: October 30 - November 3

Grade 10 students will be writing the [Graduation Numeracy Assessment 10](#) (GNA 10) during the week of October 30 – November 3. Students can check their assessment date/time and location on the schedule posted outside the school office.

Career Centre News

See attached for upcoming post-secondary deadlines and events.

Preparing for a Safe and Fun Hallowe'en!

Below are a few reminders for a safe and fun Hallowe'en.

- Students planning to wear a costume to school on October 31 are reminded that their costumes cannot include clown faces, full face masks and weapons - even plastic or paper ones.
- Costumes should not be culturally appropriated. Dressing up is meant to be fun and exciting but also runs the risk of offending others if costumes are offensive to other cultures.
- Please remember to keep costumes appropriate for school and respectful to all members of our school community. If you're unsure, please speak to an administrator.
- Firecrackers and fireworks are not permitted on school grounds.

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CAREER CENTRE NEWS

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DEADLINES

October 26	Ken Michel Memorial Scholarship for Carpentry Application Deadline
November 15	TD Scholarships for Community Leadership Application Deadline
December 1	Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Application Deadline
March 13	RE/MAX Canada Quest for Excellence Scholarship Application Deadline
March 15	Horatio Alger Association of Canada Scholarships 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. - January	Langara Program Information Sessions
October 24	VSBC Career/Trades at Kitsilano Theatre, FIT – sign up required
October 30	University of Guelph at Kitsilano Theatre, FIT – sign up required
November 2	SFU Beedie School of Business at Kitsilano Theatre, FIT – sign up required
November 4	UBC Engineering Online Open House – On Campus , 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
November 4	UBC Sauder Fall Preview, 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM - Registration required
November 7	Kitsilano Post Secondary BC Fair, 9:00 – 11:00 AM
November 7	VSBC Career Programs Youth Apprenticeship at Tupper Secondary, 6:30 PM
November 25	Capilano University Open House, 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM

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