



KITSILANO WEEK AT A GLANCE

SEPTEMBER 16 – 20, 2024

Monday September 16	Tuesday September 17	Wednesday September 18	Thursday September 19	Friday September 20
8:40-3:10	8:40-3:10	8:40-3:10	8:40-3:10	Professional Day
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FIT PM	FIT AM		FIT PM	Classes not in session

Communication of school information and events contributes to strong partnerships with families in the support of their children in school success. We have a variety of ways in which school information can be communicated to you and for you to keep informed about what is happening in the school. Please consider the following to receive school information in a timely manner:

1. Bookmark the school website and check regularly. <http://kitsilano.vsb.bc.ca>
2. Follow us on X [@KitsilanoSS](https://twitter.com/KitsilanoSS)
3. Read the *Kitsilano WAAG* posted on the [school website](#).
4. Ensure that we have your correct email address. Email us at kittswitchboard@vsb.bc.ca for any updates; be sure to include your child's name and student ID number.

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

Notice of BC Hydro Work – September 17

Allteck will be performing powerline work on behalf of BC Hydro on **Tuesday, September 17, 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM** in the 2700 block of Trafalgar St. Traffic delays can be expected. Please plan accordingly for travelling to and from school.

Reporting Student Absences

Absence reports will only be accepted by parents/guardians. To report your child's absence, please email the school at kittswitchboard@vsb.bc.ca or call the school at 604-713-8961 (press 1) with your child's first and last name, student number and absence date(s).

Password Resets

For instructions to re-set your passwords for your MyEducation BC account, VSB Student account, and/or Kitsilano Secondary FIT Weekly Planner account, [click here](#).

REMINDERS:

[Emergency Student\(s\) Reunification Authorization form](#)
Return completed and signed school form to the school office. Go to the school office if you need a replacement form.

Forms to complete online

Log on to <https://myforms.vsb.bc.ca/> to provide consent electronically for: VSB Internal Use Media, External Use Media, CASL, Student AUP, Adobe CC (if applicable).

Student Verification Form

Review your *Student Verification Form* published on [MyEducation BC](#). Please [click here](#) to either indicate whether there are no changes and or if you wish to submit corrections.

To make any updates/corrections, please do the following:

1. Download the following fillable pdf:
[Kitsilano Student Information Verification Form - fillable.pdf](#)
2. Complete the form with your child's name, student id number and only the changes required.
3. Save the form.
4. Email form to snakashima@vsb.bc.ca

School Fees

School fees are now available to view and pay online through [School Cash Online](#). Families will have to set up an account to pay for school fees using debit or a credit card, or a cheque online. For any inquiries or assistance, please contact the school accountant, Ms. Bruno in the school office.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- September 13-19 Grad Photos
- September 20 Professional Development Day
- September 24 Terry Fox Run
- September 24 PAC AGM Meeting @ 7 PM
- September 25 Collaborative Day 1 (AM)
- September 25 Clubs Day
- September 26 Gr. 8 Parent and Student Welcome Night
- September 27 Photo Re-take Day
- September 30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Grade 12s: Book your Grad Photo Appointment Now!

Grad photos will take place **September 13-19** at Artona Studios in Vancouver. Book an appointment [online](#) for a photo sitting. Grads must be photographed to be included in the grad composite and yearbook even if they will not be purchasing grad photos. There is no cost to have your photo taken.

Terry Fox Run Fundraiser: September 13 - October 4

All staff and students will be participating in the Terry Fox Run/Walk on **Tuesday, September 24** during FIT. Leading up to the run/walk, we will learn more about Terry Fox and his iconic Marathon of Hope, and have the opportunity to raise funds for cancer research. Last year, we raised \$4255 and our goal this year is to raise \$5000. There is no obligation, but if you'd like to donate, you can do so through [SchoolCash Online](#).

Grade 8 Parent and Student Welcome – September 26

Grade 8 students and their parents/guardians are invited to come to the school for an orientation on **Thursday, September 26, 4:30-6:20 PM**. There will be a tour given by your grade 8 child, a parent information session and Link Crew activity for grade 8 students. Register by **September 20**. [Click here to RSVP](#).

Kitsilano Secondary Parent Advisory Council

The Kitsilano Secondary Parent Advisory Council (PAC) welcomes parents to join and attend their monthly meetings. The next PAC Meeting is **Tuesday, September 24 at 7:00 PM**.

Career Centre News

See attached for upcoming post-secondary deadlines and events.

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CAREER CENTRE NEWS

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DEADLINES

- October 15 [Loran Scholar Award](#) Application Deadline
- October 26 [Ken Michel Memorial Scholarship for Carpentry](#) Application Deadline
- November 13 [TD Scholarships for Community Leadership](#) Application Deadline
- December 1 [Horatio Alger Association of Canada Scholarships](#) Application Opens

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](#)
- September 23 [Canadian Universities Event](#) at Hilton Metro Vancouver, 6:30 – 9 PM
- September 26 [Canadian Universities Event](#) at Surrey Westfield Country Club, 6:30 – 9 PM
- October 10 [VAIS U.S. College & University Fair](#) at West Point Grey Academy, 5:00 – 7:00 PM
- October 17-18 [UBC Engineering Online Open House](#), various times
- November 2 [UBC Engineering Online Open House – On Campus](#), 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

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