



KITSILANO WEEK AT A GLANCE

SEPTEMBER 9 – 13, 2024

Monday September 9	Tuesday September 10	Wednesday September 11	Thursday September 12	Friday September 13
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Welcome back! The administration and staff at Kitsilano Secondary School wish each student a successful school year. We look forward to supporting students in working towards their goals. As the new school year begins, there will be many important and exciting school events, along with many opportunities for parents and students to get involved. Please join us in making this year great.

The Kitsilano Week At A Glance (WAAG) is published weekly. Please review the 'EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION' section for details about upcoming events and check the 'DATES TO REMEMBER' section for reminders of important dates.

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

REMINDERS:

Emergency Student(s) Reunification Authorization form
Return completed and signed school form to the school office. If your form has been misplaced, please go to the school office to request 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.

Student Schedules
Counsellors will be processing signed *Course Change Request* forms after school this week.

- September 9, 3:15-6:00 PM – Grade 12 students
- September 10, 3:15-5:15 PM – Grade 11 students
- September 11, 3:15-5:15 PM – Grades 9 and 10 students

The deadline to make a course change is September 13. Students are to follow their current schedule until there has been a change made by the counsellor.

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.

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 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) is very active and welcomes parents to join and attend their monthly meetings. The next PAC Meeting is **Tuesday, September 24 at 7:00 PM**.

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION
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](#)
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.

CAREER CENTRE NEWS

Week of September 9 – 13, 2024

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 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.