



## SIR CHARLES TUPPER SECONDARY SCHOOL

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중요한 정보 - 번역 부탁드립니다

Información importante - Por favor traducir

معلومات مهمة - الرجاء الترجمة

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January 20, 2025

Dear Tupper School Community,

As we approach the end of the first semester, we would like to bring your attention to some important information. Please take some time to review this update.

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### End of Semester and Final Report

January 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> are semester turnaround days for secondary schools, identified by the VSB District. These days are to allow teachers to wrap up semester one and prepare for semester two. Teachers will use these days to collect outstanding textbooks/materials, prepare for the start of semester two, and invite students in who may need more time for completion activities/credit capture. Classes will not be in session as usual; however, the school is open, and students can attend if they wish. Attendance will not be taken on MyEd. Teachers will be available in their classrooms during their regularly scheduled classes, but no formal instruction will be planned. All District special education programs will be in session. If you have a question regarding a District special education program class, please contact the program teacher directly for more information.

Semester two will begin on Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup> and classes will resume as normal. Student schedules are found on MyEd. Please visit our website for support on accessing MyEd.

Please note that Semester 1 final reports will also be posted to the [student/family MyEducationBC portal](#) on January 30<sup>th</sup> by 4:00pm.



## Parent Webinar: Supporting Youth to Quit Vaping

FREE! Quitnow.ca is offering an online webinar on **January 20th, 2025, at 7:00 PM**, for parents who want to support their youth quit or reduce their vaping. If you are interested, see the poster to the left and register using the QRCode. For further information, please visit [quitnow.ca](https://quitnow.ca).



## Parent Seminar: Keeping Kids Safe Online (Children of the Street)

Upcoming Parent Seminar:

**Topic:** Keeping Kids Safe Online (Children of the Street)

**Date:** Thursday - February 20th

**Time:** 5:30pm-6:45pm

**Location:** Tupper Library or Auditorium

### Workshop Content - Some of the topics covered throughout the workshop include:

- Online sexual exploitation
- Red flags of luring and grooming
- Sextortion
- Child sexual abuse materials (CSAM)
- Peer to peer exploitation
- App literacy, including a review of today's most popular kids' platforms
- How to talk to children about online sexual exploitation Safety tips
- Local resources
- How to seek help

We will send out the registration link to this event 7-10 days before the event – please look out for it.

## 2024/25 Student Learning Survey for Students in Grades 10, 11 and 12

The Vancouver School Board is once again participating in the Ministry of Education’s Student Learning Survey (SLS). The intention of this survey is to provide a more comprehensive view of the student experience in secondary schools.

Parents/Guardians of students in **grades 10, 11 or 12** are invited to complete a parent-specific anonymous survey **up until Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025**. Your participation is an important contribution to improving the educational experiences of your child(ren). You may complete a survey for each child in the targeted grades.

### To complete the survey:

1. Go to any device that has an up-to-date internet browser access at home, work, or school.
2. Go to [Student Learning Survey - Province of British Columbia](#)
3. Click on the **PARENTS** section and complete the fields:
  - District : 39 Vancouver
  - School : Sir Charles Tupper Secondary
  - Language : Select the language of your choice.

#### Parent Logon

- Please complete one survey for each child.
- Direct (logon-free) Access (please select one of the options below).

District	[Blank]	▼
School	Please Select District First	▼
Language	English	▼

Logon

4. Click the **LOG ON** button.
5. Complete the survey by clicking on the “radio buttons” for each question. Move to the next set of questions by clicking on NEXT in the bottom right corner of the screen.
6. When you are finished the survey, you will get a message “Submit my answers and close”.
7. If you feel you made a mistake, repeat the procedure above.

## Important Dates

DATE	DETAILS
January 22	Tupper Instructional Planning Day (TIP) Classes end at 1:45 PM <b>NOTE:</b> <i>There was an error in the December 2024 memo.</i>
January 24	End of scheduled classes for Semester 1  Career Fair (AM) – Grade 10 students  District Wide School Spirit Day – wear your school merch or school colours.
January 27 (4:30 – 5:30 PM) <b>Auditorium</b> ( <i>new location</i> )	Senior Course Planning Event – Current Grade 10-11 For Parents/Guardians/Caretakers/Students
January 28 (3:00 – 4:00 PM) <b>Online</b>	Junior Course Planning Event – Current Grade 8-9 For Parents/Guardians/Caretakers/Students  Click <a href="#">HERE</a> for the link to the event.
January 27 – 28	Semester Turn Around Days
January 29	Semester 2 Begins Grade 8 Rotation 1 Begins
January 30 (FIT)	Student Learning Survey – students to take the survey with their block 3 class (1:15 PM – 1:55 PM)
February 4 (FIT)	Course planning (current grade 10s)
February 6 (FIT)	Course planning (current grade 11s)
February 11 (FIT)	Course planning (current grade 9s)
February 13 (FIT)	Course planning (current grade 8s)
February 14	Professional Development Day – No school
February 17	Family Day – No school
February 19	Tupper Instructional Planning Day (TIP) Classes start at 10:00 AM

Click [HERE](#) to see our Tupper school calendar.

## Parent Advisory Council Information and Contact (PAC)

For more information about Tupper 's PAC, including events and contacts, click [HERE](#).

## Getting Help with Accessing MyEducation BC

### How to access your student's report card on the MyEducation BC Family Portal

Mid-point reports will be found on the MyEducation BC Family Portal. Please follow the instructions below to locate your child's report:

1. Go to the MyEd Website (<https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspn/logon.do>)
2. Type in the student number as the login ID
3. The password is the one that you and your student have already been using.
4. You will find the report card under "Published Reports" on the right-hand side.
5. **Please note** reports are deleted when new reports are generated. You may wish to save a copy for your records.

*What if I forgot my password?*

1. Click on the "I forgot my password" link.
2. A response should come to the email that is associated with the account.
3. If you do not recall the email associated with the account, please send an email [tupper@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:tupper@vsb.bc.ca) to request assistance.

*What if my MyEducation BC account is disabled?*

Please send an email to [tupper@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:tupper@vsb.bc.ca) to request assistance.

Thank you for your attention to the above update as well as your continued support of our students.

## Questions?

For general inquiries please contact us through our general email address: [tupper@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:tupper@vsb.bc.ca)

Staff contact information is also available on our school website [tupper.vsb.bc.ca](http://tupper.vsb.bc.ca)

Thank you for your attention to the above update as well as your continued support of our students.

Sincerely,

The Administration Team of Sir Charles Tupper Secondary  
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