

WELCOME BACK ASSEMBLY

School Opening Assembly
September 5, 2023
Prince of Wales Students
(Grade 8)



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With deep gratitude and respect,
we are honoured to be learning and
unlearning on the ancestral and
unceded lands of the

x^wməθk^wəyəm
(Musqueam Nation),

Sk̓wxwú7mesh Úxwumixw
(Squamish Nation)

& səlilwətaɬ
(Tsleil-Waututh Nation)



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welcome



David Cacchioni (he/him)
Vice-Principal
(Gr. 9,12 & TREK)



Sangeeta Kauldher (she/her)
Principal
(Gr. 8,10 & 11)



Grade Counsellors & Student Support



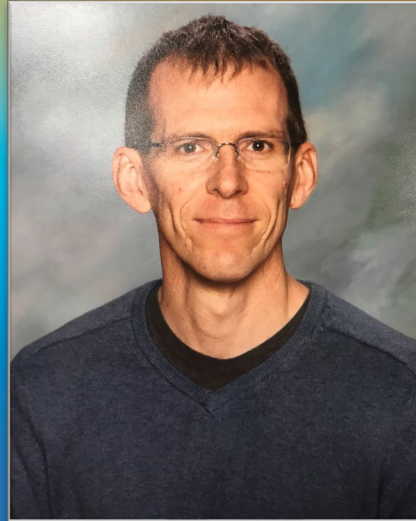
Ms. Baerg

Grade 10,
Grade 8/9: A - H



Mr. Tse

Grade 12,
Grade 8/9: I - S



Mr. Morgan

Grade 11, TREK,
Grade 8/9: T - Z



Mr. Lipsky

Grade 8/9



Murphy

Arf, Woof!



Perveen
Engineer

Safe and Caring
School Worker

Athletics



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< All teams



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General

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Community Events

Course Planning

Inclusion, Diversity, Anti-Racism

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Athletics

Posts Files +

Team

Meet



Senior Boys' Soccer



1st tryout will be Monday Sept. 20th @ 3:20pm

Please come down to the gym this week and put your name on the sign up sheet located in Mr. Lubinizki's office. We have a new young coach who is excited to be working with our student athletes and I look forward to seeing all of you on the pitch on **Monday, September 20th @ 3:20pm**

Reply

Last read



Lysanne Mak 11:03 AM



Senior Girls' V-Ball



Open Gym V-Ball Sessions - Wednesday, Sept. 15th & Friday, Sept 17th

Attention all girls in grades 10-12 who are interested in playing volleyball this fall, open gym sessions will be this week on **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH & FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH** from **3:30pm-4:30/5pm**. Girls in grades 8 & 9 - your open gym sessions will be announced sometime this week. Please see Ms. Mak for more details.



Emma Han 1:13 PM

Sorry, I cannot come to play on Wednesday because I have other volunteer work recently.

Reply

FALL SPORTS



RUGBY

Grade 8/9



CROSS
COUNTRY

Cross-Country –
Gr. 8 -12



SR. BOYS
SOCCER

Sr Boys Soccer –
one team for
Gr 8-12



GIRLS
VOLLEYBALL

Girls Volleyball –
Gr. 8, 9, 10, 11/12



SWIMMING

Swimming - 7:00am
@ Lord Byng pool
(no tryouts)



FIELD
HOCKEY

Field Hockey – will
be a team, will
combine with
another school

See Mr. Lubinizki in the
gym for signup.

Basketball, Wrestling,
Girls Ice Hockey, Table
Tennis coming later in
the fall/winter

Athletics is also always
looking for students to
help as managers,
referees, time-keepers,
score-keepers etc.

Come get involved!!

GRADE 8 CAMP



October 4 – 6, 2023

Get forms in homeroom tomorrow.

Hand in forms to office by Friday Sept 15



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What does REACH look like?

Reach



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What Does REACH Look like at PW?



We demonstrate respect for ourselves, others, and the environment. We treat all people with compassion and respect individual differences.

We strive to do our personal best.

We are positive, thoughtful, and cooperative. We conduct ourselves in a courteous and considerate manner.

We contribute to the community as a whole.

We take responsibility for our actions and act with integrity

REACH does not include...

Behaviours that interfere with the learning and safety of our community, will not be tolerated :

- Bullying, harassment or intimidation in person or online.
- Physical violence
- Retribution against a person who has reported incidents
- Emotional abuse
- Sexual abuse



REACH does not include...

Racism will not be tolerated in our school.

Racism is a belief, attitude and practice that is based on a false assumption that a group of people can be categorized based on race, in particular by using skin colour as a criteria and that different races are superior or inferior to others. This belief has led to legitimizing some groups over others creating a power imbalance. This power imbalance has resulted in actions limiting 'racialized' individuals and groups from full participation and can happen on an individual level or on a systemic or institutional level. There is no space for racism in REACH.



VSB Student Code of Conduct *specifically prohibits*

Illegal acts, such as:

- Possession, use or distribution of drugs or alcohol
- Possession or use of weapons
- Theft of or damage to property
- Taking, sharing or posting photos of an intimate nature
- Smoking or vaping in or on school property

These are examples only and not an all-inclusive list.



What Should I Do If...?

If you have been affected by or know of others who have been affected by harassment, racism, violence, weapons, drugs, or alcohol, it is important that you talk to a counsellor, teacher, vice principal or principal, or anyone else in the school that you trust, so that others can help to solve the problem.

Need help or know someone who does?

You're not alone—everyone needs to ask for help sometimes.

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A SAFE EDUCATION



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OVERVIEW OF THE FIRST WEEK

Tuesday September 5	Wednesday September 6	Thursday September 7	Friday September 8
<p>Welcome Back Assemblies (Auditorium)</p> <p>9:30 AM: Grade 9/10 10:30 AM: TREK 11:30 AM: Grade 11/12 12:30 PM: Grade 8</p>	<p>8:40 AM-Homeroom</p> <p>BLOCK 1 9:25 AM –10:25 AM BLOCK 2 10:35 AM –11:35 AM BLOCK 3 12:20 PM–1:40 PM BLOCK 4 1:35 PM–3:05 PM</p>	<p>1:22 PM- FIT LESSON (Students remain with Period 3 Teachers)</p>	<p>COLLABORATIVE DAY (AM)</p> <p>COLLAB. TIME 8:40 AM-10:00 AM</p> <p>BLOCK 1 10:05 AM –10:45 AM BLOCK 2 10:55 AM–11:35 AM BLOCK 3 12:20 PM–1:40 PM BLOCK 4 1:35 PM–3:05 PM</p>

HOMEROOMS

Grade	Student Last Names	Homeroom Number	Homeroom Teacher	Room
8	A to D	08A	De Iaco, Rosa	C211
8	E to K	08B	Dow, Tim	A203
8	L to O	08C	Moon, Jacqueline	B107
8	P to T	08D	Reid, David	C114
8	U to Z	08E	Leong, Andrew	C103
8	Mini Cohort	08M	Duy, Nicole	MINI 2
8	International Students	08V	Watson, Stephanie	A205

Homeroom
Wed. Sept 6
8:40 AM –
9:20 AM

BELL SCHEDULE



Prince of Wales Teaching Schedule

	M / W	T / TH	F
FIT	8:40 to 9:20	n/a	n/a
Break	9:20 to 9:25	n/a	n/a
Block 1	9:25 to 10:25	8:40 to 10:00	8:40 to 10:00
Break	10:25 to 10:35	10:00 to 10:15	10:00 to 10:15
Block 2	10:35 to 11:35	10:15 to 11:35	10:15 to 11:35
Lunch	11:35 to 12:20	11:35 to 12:20	11:35 to 12:20
Block 3	12:20 to 1:40	12:20 to 1:20	12:20 to 1:40
Break	1:40 to 1:45	1:20 to 1:22	1:40 to 1:45
FIT	n/a	1:22 to 2:02	n/a
Break	n/a	2:02 to 2:05	n/a
Block 4	1:45 to 3:05	2:05 to 3:05	1:45 to 3:05

What does Flexible Instructional Time (FIT) look like?

FIT time is a period of Instructional Time built into the schedule on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday that allows YOU to have some measure of choice and control over your own learning.

You are expected to be in a classroom or learning space, completing school work (either individually or in groups), meeting with teachers for support on classwork, working on projects under teacher supervision or getting caught up on missed learning.



STUDENT EXPECTATIONS FOR FIT

 Learning focused

 Be in a learning space

 Have a plan for the time

 Have all materials required

 Stay in the learning space you've selected

 Be on task and be productive

GUIDING QUESTIONS FOR STUDENTS



Is this
educationally
productive?



Is this
meaningful?



Is this
manageable?



Is this mindful?



Am I
demonstrating
REACH?



Where do I go for FIT?

Grade 8 -10 need to
be in a classroom

Grade 11-12 can be
in a classroom,
library, or cafeteria
[sign up the day before]



Grade 8 Fit – Navigating your social world in the Mini Gym

Last Name A – L	Last Name M - Z
Monday Sept 25 8:40 – 9:20am	Tuesday Sept 26 1:22 – 2:02pm
Tuesday Oct 10 1:22 – 2:02pm	Wednesday Oct 11 8:40 – 9:20am
Monday Oct 16 8:40 – 9:20am	Tuesday Oct 17 1:22 – 2:02pm

Grade 8 Fit – Navigating your social world in the Mini Gym

Last Name A – L	Last Name M - Z
Monday Oct 23 8:40 – 9:20am	Tuesday Oct 24 1:22 – 2:02pm
Tuesday Oct 31 1:22 – 2:02pm	Wednesday Nov 1 8:40 – 9:20am
Monday Nov 6 8:40 – 9:20am	Tuesday Nov 7 1:22 – 2:02pm

Health & Safety Reminders

- There are lots of people working to keep you safe.
- Your school is doing lots
- You can do lots at school, too.

Do Your
Daily Health
Check
*Stay Home
if Sick

Wash your
hands
regularly and
often

Wearing a
face mask
indoors is
personal
choice.

Cover
Coughs &
Sneezes
with your
elbow



School Procedures

	M / W	T / TH	F
FIT	8:40 to 9:20	n/a	n/a
Break	9:20 to 9:25	n/a	n/a
Block 1	9:25 to 10:25	8:40 to 10:00	8:40 to 10:00
Break	10:25 to 10:35	10:00 to 10:15	10:00 to 10:15
Block 2	10:35 to 11:35	10:15 to 11:35	10:15 to 11:35
Lunch	11:35 to 12:20	11:35 to 12:20	11:35 to 12:20
Block 3	12:20 to 1:40	12:20 to 1:20	12:20 to 1:40
Break	1:40 to 1:45	1:20 to 1:22	1:40 to 1:45
FIT	n/a	1:22 to 2:02	n/a
Break	n/a	2:02 to 2:05	n/a
Block 4	1:45 to 3:05	2:05 to 3:05	1:45 to 3:05

- Lates
- Absence Notes



School Procedures

The screenshot shows the website header for Prince of Wales Secondary School. The navigation bar includes 'ABOUT US', 'FAMILIES', 'GUIDANCE AND SUPPORT', 'EXTRACURRICULAR', 'TEACHING AND LEARNING', and 'COVID-19'. The 'FAMILIES' dropdown menu is open, listing options: My Education BC Family Portal, Fees, Volunteer, Fundraisers and Donation, Workshops, Communicating Student Learning, Parent Advisory Council, Frequently Asked Questions, Registration, **Forms** (circled in blue), and School Photos. The main content area features a banner for 'PRIDE season celebrations across the District' and an 'Announcements' section with items like '2022-23 School Calendar' and 'VSB Email, Microsoft 365 & Teams, Password Reset'.

Forms

- Appropriate Use of Technology
- Online Safety and Behaviour



STUDENT EXPECTATIONS ONLINE

I will keep my username and password to myself.

I will be respectful of myself and others when using technology.

I will not view, download, or upload anything that is illegal, inappropriate, or that may cause harm or distress to others.

I will not take photographs or video of other students without their permission, nor will I post pictures of others without their permission.

I understand that school systems and devices are primarily intended for educational purposes.

I will respect others' work and property and will not access, copy, remove or otherwise alter any other person's files or information without their knowledge and permission.

I understand that if I use my personal devices at school, I will follow the rules set out by this Acceptable (Responsible) Use of Technology policy and my teacher's instructions.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS ONLINE

I will immediately report any damage of devices or software, cyberbullying, inappropriate content, and other concerns to my teacher.

I understand that I am responsible for my actions when using technology both inside and outside of school.

I understand that the school will take appropriate action if I don't follow the rules.

We get that you LOVE your cell phones

BUT you have to admit they can be distracting in class.

As we work with you, we will be asking you to "*check-in*" your cell phones at the start of each class. This is to support engagement in your learning activities, minimize distractions, and support positive interactions with your teachers and your peers.



Thank you for working with us on this.

- Visitors
- Protecting Valuables
- School Photos Sept 20 & Retakes Oct 30
- **Review your student agenda for more school information**

- All Students Team
- Grade Teams
- PA Announcements
- PW News



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Science Week

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Student Daily Bulletin

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MyEd BC – schedule, marks,
learning updates, attendance

<http://pw.vsb.bc.ca> -> Families
-> MyEd Family portal

VSB account – Wifi, school
computers, Microsoft 365

**Must choose a new password today, you should be
prompted when you login.**

Username
= Student number

Username
= [Student number]@learn.vsb.bc.ca

Eg:
8675309@learn.vsb.bc.ca

Choose kindness

It's that simple

Student Council Presidents...

Emily Li
&
Erin Walshaw

Clubs info and applications coming soon...



QUESTIONS



REMINDER....

Tomorrow,
Wed Sept 6:
8:40 AM – 9:20
AM Homeroom





THANK YOU!