

# September 22 - 26, 2025

Monday Sept 22	Tuesday Sept 23	Wednesday Sept 24	Thursday Sept 25	Friday Sept 26
PRO D Day (classes not in session)	<i>Rosh Hashana</i>  <i>A(PLT)BCD</i>	<i>Rosh Hashana</i>  BADC	<i>PSI Day 1-2pm</i>  <i>B(PLT)ADC</i>	  ABCD

## MEET THE TEACHER NIGHT

Thanks to all the families who attended Meet the Teacher evening last night. Staff greatly appreciate the opportunity to connect and share information about their courses with parents and guardians. The first Learning Update will be published on Wednesday, October 8.

## ROSH HASHANAH (Jewish New Year)

Shanah Tovah! To our Jewish students, staff, and families, we wish you a sweet and meaningful Rosh Hashanah as you welcome the Jewish New Year 5786. May this time of renewal be filled with hope, joy, and connection.

## PERSONAL LEARNING TIME (PLT)

Students are responsible for signing up on the sheets teachers have posted in their classrooms for their Tuesday and Thursday PLT sessions with one of their Semester 1 teachers. Grade 11/12 students with study blocks are also encouraged to use their PLT in the same way, although they may also sign up for PLT in the lounge or in the library.

## DIGITAL PERSONAL DEVICES

This is a reminder that digital personal devices should only be used for Secondary School (Grades 8-12):

- Students should not use Personal Digital Devices during instructional time, unless permission is granted by the supervising staff for educational purposes.
- When not permitted, personal digital devices should be powered off, secured inside as student's backpack, locker or secured location.
- Personal digital devices are not to be used in areas where privacy is expected or required.
- Access to social media platforms from personal digital devices may be restricted on the school wireless network during instructional time.

## STUDENT INFORMATION VERIFICATION, MEDIA RELEASE AND WALKING FIELD TRIP FORMS

All forms are now due to the office. Please place in the boxes outside the office door. Please ensure parent or guardian signature is affixed on the forms.

## UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept 22: PRO D Day (classes not in session)  
 Sept 23 & 24: Rosh Hashana  
 Sept 24: Clubs Day (lunch period in the lounge)  
 Sept 29: Boyd's Day of Truth and Reconciliation  
 Sept 30: National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (school closed)  
 Oct 01: Collaboration Day (late start 9:55am)  
 Oct 01: Yom Kippur and Dussehra

## UPCOMING PRO-D DAY – MONDAY SEPT 22

Monday, September 22 is a ProD Day and there will be no class in session for students on this day.

## CLUBS DAY – WEDNESDAY, SEPT 24

We'll be hosting Clubs Day in the lounge at lunch on Wednesday, Sept 24. This is a great way for clubs to students to choose a club of interest.

## GRADE 8 ACTIVITY DAY – FRIDAY, OCT. 3

The annual Grade 8 Activity Day is on Friday, October 3. Students will participate in a full day of activities with team building and bowling. **All grade 8 students must complete the field trip form and pay the \$30 fee, payable online via School CashOnline.**

## EARLY WARNING

Boyd appreciates all communication from home about students and families. In order to keep us aware of students who will be absent from school, we ask that parents use the **EARLY WARNING LINE** at **(604) 668-7813**. This number is accessible 7 days a week, 24 hours a day. Please report your child's absence by calling Boyd on this number. Thank you in advance.

## RICHMOND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION (RIE) HOMESTAY PROGRAM

Be a host for an international student for a month, semester or year. Richmond International Education (RIE) Homestay Program is looking for local families to offer a welcoming home. Contact RIE to find out more about this enriching opportunity.

[study@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:study@sd38.bc.ca) or call 604-668-6217

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