



# FAMILY WAAG

**Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> – Mar 1<sup>st</sup>**

Monday Feb 23	Tuesday Feb 24	Wednesday Feb 25	Thursday Feb 26	Friday Feb 27	Sat/Sun Feb 28/Mar 1
A PLT BCD (Day 1)  Ed Fac Meeting (@ 3:15pm)	DCBA (Day 2)	ABCD (Day 1)  Pink Shirt Day	D PLT CBA (Day 2)	ABCD (Day 1)  Gr. 9 SR Day (SOGI)	

**Repeated Important SLSS Information:**

**Log-In: Online Booking System**

For students: Instructions to sign-up are [HERE](#).  
PLT is required. Make a plan and sign-up in advance.

**Health & Safety reminder**

All members of our school community are reminded to regularly wash your hands. Please stay home if you're not feeling well AND call the Early Warning Line (604-668-6670).

**School Fees – SchoolCashOnline**

Reminder to students to pay any of their fees. Items added throughout the year include Grad events, workbook fees, field trip fees, and athletics fees.

**SLSS Career Centre Information** – The link to Ms. Digeso's page on our website is [HERE](#). There is information on Scholarships, Volunteer/Work Opportunities, Careers, Post-Secondary, etc.

**2025-2026 Family Wall Calendar** on our website [HERE](#).

**Clubs Information:** on our website [HERE](#).

**SLSS Athletics**

Last year, we ran more teams than any other SD38 school, which allowed so many students to connect to our school in positive ways. Shark teams will communicate with Shark Athletic MS Teams as opposed to social media platforms. The Gym Schedule is [HERE](#).

**Connection Classes:**

All students should be familiar with MS Teams (download to a device or use the computers in the library) as much of the Connections Days (Careers 8/9/10 and CLC 11 & CLC 12) material and assignments are located on MS Teams. See Mr. Nashlund, Ms. Yuen, or Ms. Sidhu-Grewal for any questions.

**Personal Learning Time – Student Survey**

The Richmond School District is seeking input from students about Personal Learning Time (PLT). The feedback collected will help the district understand the value of PLT and guide future decisions regarding its structure and implementation.

PLT is considered part of instructional time which is why it must be held during regular school hours. Thank you for completing the survey!

Link: <https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/NWhvTrXKcC>



**DATES TO REMEMBER:**

- Mar 2-6 ELL Assessments
- Mar 3 Blue & Gold Gr. 7 Basketball Jamboree
- Mar 5 Interim Reports emailed home
- Mar 6 Grade 12 Capstone Videos Due
- Mar 11 Connections Class  
PAC Meeting (@ 7:00pm)
- Mar 13 Last Day before Spring Break
- Mar 30 School Re-Opens after Spring Break
- Mar 31 Earthquake & Evacuation Drill

**Gratitude**

Thank you, again, to our PE Athletic Leadership students who have showed excellent organization and accuracy in their scorekeeping while we hosted more basketball play-offs this week.

Thank you to our many teacher coaches and sponsors of our Winter Season teams. We are running 8 basketball teams and 2 table tennis teams. The many, many hours you volunteer is very appreciated!

Thank you to the majority of our students who entered their 8 course requests for next year in MyEdBC. This data is critical as we move forward and start building next year's timetable.

**Universal Hot Lunch Program**

Every SLSS student is eligible to receive a hot lunch once a month at no cost to families. Please review the email and letter that was shared with families on February 17<sup>th</sup> for more information. Reminder that our first week of lunches is March 9 to 13<sup>th</sup> (one day for each grade).

**The deadline to order a lunch on the MunchaLunch platform is one week prior to the lunch date.**

GRADE	LUNCH DATE	DEADLINE TO ORDER
8	March 9	March 2
9	March 10	March 3
10	March 11	March 4
11	March 12	March 5
12	March 13	March 6

Lunches will be distributed in the Gilbert Lounge.

**Student Learning Survey 2025/26**

The Provincial Student Learning Survey is unique in its scope, size and usefulness to schools. It gathers information from parents/guardians/caregivers, teachers, and students on topics related to school environment, safety, and achievement. The information is used for planning in individual schools and provides a district and provincial perspective. For parents/guardians/caregivers, the survey can be completed electronically and can be accessed on the Internet [here](#). The e-survey site will be open until May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026. Info also available on our website [HERE](#).

*Due to this week's network/internet disruption (including Wednesday's Connections Classes, we are reminding all grade 10, 11, and 12 students that they are to complete the Survey (if they have not already done so. Thank you.*

**PLEASE NOTE:** Parent Survey was shared with all families on Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup> directly from the Richmond School District.

**Yearbook**

It's time to order your yearbook!

Capture this year's memories before it's too late. The final day to purchase a yearbook is March 15, 2026.

To order, visit: <https://schoolcashonline.com/>

Be sure to place your order before the deadline so you don't miss out

**Connections Class**

Next Connections class is March 11, 2026 - see you in homeroom.

**CLC 12-** Reminder to all grade 12's that they should be working on completing their Capstone Presentation Videos with a voice-over and submit to TEAMS by March 6. See the Capstone Presentation Checklist for what to include on your slides. Attend PLT with Ms. Sidhu in room 501 for any questions or guidance. See previous year Capstones for inspiration on TEAMS under the General Channel Tab.