



CAMBIE WAAAG

# February 22 – February 26, 2021

Monday February 22	Tuesday February 23	Wednesday February 24	Thursday February 25	Friday February 26
Day 2 (1B-2A)  SCC Meeting 3:10pm	Day 1 (1A-2B)	Day 2 (1B-2A)  <b>Pink Shirt Day (ACT)</b> Be Safe, Be Kind, Be You  <b>SBT Meeting</b> @lunch on Teams  <b>District Tech Time Session for All Staff</b> <i>Staying Safe Online</i> On <a href="#">Zoom</a> (Passcode: 7777) 3:15 – 3:45pm	Day 1 (1A-2B)	Day 2 (1B-2A)  February/March Newsletter items due to the main office
<b>Grade 8 MDI Survey Administration – Afternoon Classes</b>				
After School Support <b>Cambie Commons</b> Teacher Tutoring All Students – All Subjects 3:05 pm- 4:05 pm Be Ready to Succeed	After School Support <b>Cambie Commons</b> Teacher Tutoring All Students – All Subjects 3:05 pm- 4:05 pm Be Ready to Succeed	After School Support <b>Cambie Commons</b> Teacher Tutoring All Students – All Subjects 3:05 pm- 4:05 pm Be Ready to Succeed	After School Support <b>Cambie Commons</b> Teacher Tutoring All Students – All Subjects 3:05 pm- 4:05 pm Be Ready to Succeed	<b>February is Black History Month</b>
<b>Education Week in Richmond: “Equitable and Inclusive Learning Communities”</b>				

**Every student, every day, whatever it takes!**  
*“If you are neutral in situations of injustice, you have chosen the side of the oppressor. If an elephant has its foot on the tail of a mouse, and you say that you are neutral, the mouse will not appreciate your neutrality.”* Unknown

Why Pink Shirts? Simply, in 2007, when two classmates in Nova Scotia saw a fellow student being bullied for wearing a “pink shirt,” they decided to take a stand against the bully. They wore pink shirts to school the next day and started a movement that has spread worldwide.

There is good reason why **Pink Shirt Day** has had such a visceral reaction and has garnered support around the world. Regardless of the amount of bullying people have been exposed to, they remember it. The science of the brain tells us that an individual is more likely to remember bad events with greater detail than good ones. The areas of the brain responsible for the formation of memories are triggered and have increased activity when individuals experience fear or sadness. Tragically, we are much more likely to remember the details of funeral over the details of a wedding.

Sadly, memories of bullying are preserved in greater detail than happy or neutral memories. We have all done thousands of things the “right way,” but we remember the few things we did wrong so much easier because of the way the human brain has evolved. As such, the consequences of bullying are significant and can have lasting impacts. And so, it does not matter if an individual thinks bullying is wrong. What matters is when you see someone in need, you stand up and try to put an end to it...each and every time you see it, read it, hear it, or feel it, because even one episode of bullying can last a lifetime.

Helping a child stop their bullying, helping a bullied child find closure, helping a child acknowledge what happened, and helping a child focus on taking care of themselves and growing as a person: these are the goals of Pink Shirt Day. If you turn and face the other way when someone needs help, you might as well be the bully too. The strong stand up for others. Educators, students, and parents stand up for others. Educators, students, and parents all wear pink.

**At Cambie we are “Champions for students!”**

**Digital Security – SPAM Email – Phishing Emails**  
 Recently, we have had a significant increase in phishing scam emails in the school district. All staff are reminded to be cautious with emailed links that ask for a username/password. Any staff who may have entered their password into a fraudulent website should call Tech Services as soon as possible for assistance.

- DATES TO REMEMBER:**
- Mar 1 Staff Meeting (Teams) @ 3:10pm
  - Mar 3 Staff Collaboration Time (8:30am to 9:15am)
  - Mar 5 Interim Report Cards due
  - Mar 8 Interim Report Cards emailed home
  - Mar 8 Ed. Facilitators Meeting (Teams) @ 3:10pm
  - Mar 9 Health and Safety Meeting @ Lunch (Teams)
  - Mar 11 Parent-Teacher Tele-Conferences (3:30-4:30 & 7-8pm)
  - Mar 12 Last Day Before Spring Break
  - Mar 29 School Reopens after Spring Break
  - Mar 29 SCC Meeting on Teams @ 3:10pm
  - Apr 1 PAC Meeting @7pm (Zoom)
  - Apr 2 Good Friday (School Closed)
  - Apr 5 Easter Monday (School Closed)
  - Apr 6 Staff Meeting (Teams) @ 3:10pm
  - Apr 7 Quarter 3 Incomplete Reports due
  - Apr 9 Quarter 3 Incomplete Reports emailed home
  - Apr 9 Fire Drill (11:20am)
  - Apr 13 Provincial Graduation Numeracy Assessments (GNA)
  - Apr 14 Staff Collaboration Time (8:30am to 9:15am)
  - Apr 19 Ed. Facilitators Meeting (Teams) @ 3:10pm
  - Apr 20 Earthquake Drill (11:00am)
  - Apr 23 Last Day of Quarter 3

**Quarter 3 Interims Reports Timeline**

Fri, Mar 5	Interim Excel files due to office by 12:00pm
Mar 5 – 8	Admin and Counsellors review interim data
Mon, Mar 8	Interims emailed home
Mon, Mar 8	Parent-Teacher Phone Conference sign up opens
Thu, Mar 11	Parent-Teacher Phone Conferences • 3:30 – 4:30pm and 7:00 – 8:00pm

**Parent Teacher Phone Conferences**  
 Conferences will be held on March 11, 2021. As in previous Quarters, conferences will be held by phone only, due to the COVID pandemic. We appreciate everyone’s understanding with this. Parents will be able to sign up beginning on March 8, 2021, when Interim Reports are emailed home. We will once again be using our online sign-up site, and parent instructions will be posted on the Cambie website when the sign-up page is available.

**Education Week 2021 (Richmond) February 22 to 26, 2021**  
 Education Week is an opportunity for students and teachers to share the many remarkable things happening in Richmond schools. Please visit [SD38 website](#) during the week to see great examples of what is happening in our schools.