



October 20 - 24, 2025

Monday October 20	Tuesday October 21	Wednesday October 22	Thursday October 23	Friday October 24
BADC	BADC	BADC	BADC	BADC
	Block B8:30 – 9:38 PLT9:43 – 10:31 Block A10:36 – 11:44 Recess11:44 – 11:59 Block D11:59 – 1:07 Lunch1:07 – 1:52 Block C1:52 – 3:00	Collaboration Day – Classes start at 9:50am	Block B8:30 – 9:38 PLT9:43 – 10:31 Block A10:36 – 11:44 Recess11:44 – 11:59 Block D11:59 – 1:07 Lunch1:07 – 1:52 Block C1:52 – 3:00	PSA Pro-D Day School Closed

Helping students make productive choices for their Personalized Learning time (PLT)

Parents, please help us support your child with their learning. Students have access to sign up to specific teacher's classes for PLTs via their devices by using links found with the MySchoolDay App and the Cambie School website.

We expect that students will sign up to a learning space that best supports their work in their classes. Please ask them to show you what they have signed up over the weekend for the coming Tuesday and Thursday sessions. This would go a long way to help students organize their time. Students can sign up several sessions in advance.

This past Wednesday, the school sent home student interim reports. It would be a great conversation starter to link the report card assessment with the selection and sign up of upcoming PLT opportunities. On behalf of the teaching staff, I thank you in advance. 😊

COMMON PLT DAYS

When working to determine PLT days and times last year, the school district selected Thursdays to be a common PLT day for all high schools. The intention was to offer presentations to students virtually across the district during some PLT sessions. The district has now organized a series of 7 sessions which will be streamed and available for all high school students. The first session will be November 13th. Please see the list of dates and topics below.

These presentations will be delivered by professionals in the various areas.

Date	Theme	Topic
Nov 13, 2025	Digital Citizenship	Establish your own objectives for a healthy AI partnership
Dec 4, 2025	Digital Citizenship	Digital Footprint
Jan 8, 2026	Getting the Most Out of AI	Prompt Engineering
Feb 12, 2026	Getting the Most Out of AI	AI Enhanced Communication
Mar 5, 2026	Getting the Most Out of AI	AI Agents – Productivity
Apr 2, 2026	Fostering Creativity Through Artificial Intelligence	AI as a Creative Partner: Supporting the Creative Process
May 21, 2026	Fostering Creativity Through Artificial Intelligence	AI as a Creative Partner: Supporting Creative Production

Generations Homework Club - Free Tutoring for Grade 5-8 Students

Connections Community Services Society's Generations Homework Club is a mentorship program that builds up students' social skills, self-esteem, and confidence while helping with their homework.

- Free one-to-one tutor support for students in Grades 5-8
- Interactive activities
- Educational games
- Foster meaningful relationship

When: every Thursday (October 2025 - May 2026)
Time: 3:30-5 p.m.
Location: Richmond Brighthouse Library, 7700 Minoru Gate.

Spaces are limited. Please download the [GHC Registration Form 2025-2026](#) and email Jonathan Chan at jonathan@ccssociety.ca for enrollment.

Language Challenge Exams

Language Challenge Exams are available as a way for students to earn credit for languages they can speak read and write.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Oct. 22	Staff Collab – Class Starts at 9:50am
Oct. 24	Pro-D-Day – School Closed
Oct. 29	CLC Conference Day #1 – Alternate Bell Schedule
Oct. 31	Halloween

Provincial Literacy Graduation Assessments for Grades 10 and 12

Grade 10 and 12 students at Cambie will be writing their Provincial Literacy Assessments on November 5th. These assessments are graduation requirements that must be completed in order to graduate. The Grade 10 (GLA 10) and Grade 12 (GLA 12) Literacy Assessments evaluate students' ability to think critically and reflectively, analyze and make meaning from a variety of texts, and communicate their own ideas or those presented in the readings.

The Grade 12 Literacy Assessment is not tied to any specific subject or course; instead, it draws on learning and skills developed across multiple subjects from Kindergarten through Grade 10/12.If you have not already done so, you are encouraged to visit the Provincial Literacy Assessment website for more information, including the assessment format and sample questions:
Grade 10 [HERE](#); Grade 12 [HERE](#).

Specific schedule information will be posted soon over the next couple weeks. If you are a grade 11 or 12 student who missed writing the Grade 10 Literacy Assessment in a previous school year, please reach out to Ms. Hui as soon as possible to get registered for this November assessment - you must complete it to meet graduation requirements.

Timberline Ranch – Music Retreat

Cambie band teacher, Mr.Francis Naluz is taking our band students to Whistler for a weekend of musical instruction and performance. Ms. Berman will be along and together with several other musicians and parent volunteers our students will have sessions of targeted instruction and learning for specific sections of the band. There will be some adjudication for the students and a great opportunity to refine their talents. Thank you to the adults who will be with our students this weekend!



Grad 2026 Photo Sessions

Our Grad photo sessions are running from January 13-15, 2026. You are now able to sign up for your photo session. Please click the link [HERE](#) to book your grad photos.

Request for the Administration of Medication at the School

The School District #38 (Richmond), in collaboration with Vancouver Coastal Health – Richmond, has guidelines in place regarding the administration of prescribed medications.

In accordance with these guidelines, non-prescription medications such as Tylenol, Advil, Benadryl, etc. will not be administered by Richmond School District staff and will not be kept at school.

For students who require prescribed medications to be administered by school staff, a Request for Administration of Medication at School (RAMS)

The languages that are eligible are:

- ASL 11 (American Sign Language)
- Farsi 11 & 12
- French 11 & 12
- Japanese 11 & 12
- Korean 11 & 12
- Mandarin 11 & 12
- Punjabi 11 & 12
- Spanish 11 & 12

If your student is interested in writing an exam to earn elective credit towards their graduation please direct them to see their counsellor for application information or follow this link for all information related to the 2025/26 Language Challenge Exams
<https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/secondary/challenge-exams>

Applications will be due at the school by Thursday Oct.23/25
Teachers if you are aware of a student who might be eligible for this opportunity please encourage them to see their counsellor.

YWCA Volunteer opportunity

Are you looking for a Volunteer opportunity? Would you like to work with a team of volunteers and staff to deliver the YWCA's Guide to Highschool program with a fully prepared curriculum. You would facilitate games and discussions about friendship, healthy habits, extracurriculars, bullying and other related topics.
Sessions will be held here at Cambie:

Dates: October 22 - December 10, 2025.
The commitment: 3 hours per week on Wednesdays
Time: 3:00pm - 5:30pm.
Check out our Poster [HERE!](#)

Please reach out to Marcy Timmins, Principal Mtimmins@sd38.bc.ca if you require financial assistance for school-related costs. As always, all requests will be treated with dignity and your privacy will be respected. We want to work with families to ensure that students have everything they need to be successful at school. Do not hesitate to reach out if we can help.

form is necessary to be completed. This form is available at the school office, or on request, can be emailed to you at home. This RAMS form should be taken to your pharmacy so that the prescription label can be attached and then brought to your child's school along with the prescribed medication.

Each summer, all medications will be sent home. This will give you the opportunity to use the medication over the summer. At the start of each school year, you will need to bring an updated 'Request for Administration of Medication at School' form along with your child's medication.

Remember to check the expiry date before sending any medications back to school in September. You can check for expiry date reminders of emergency medication for EpiPen and Allerject on the company. Websites: www.epipen.ca or www.allerject.ca

If you have any questions, please the school office.

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