





September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Phone: 604-668-6288 Email: palmer@sd38.bc.ca Website: palmer.sd38.bc.ca		Grade 8 Summer Connections Camp - Aug 22 to Aug 31 (9am – 2:30pm)		(Aug) 31 Grade 9-12 New Student / and International Orientation at Palmer	1	2
3	4 LABOUR DAY	5 First Day of School Grade Assemblies: Grade 8 – 9am Grade 9 – 10am Grade 10 – 11am Grade 11 – noon Grade 12 – 1 pm	6 Regular Classes Begin Semester 1 (Sept 6, 2023 – Jan 25, 2024)	7 Fall Athletics Begins ABCD	8 ABCD	9
10	11 ABCD	12 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE PAC Meeting – 7 pm ABCD	13 PLT / ABCD	14 Grade 8 Day Clubs Day PRIDE RALLY PLT / ABCD	15 <i>Rosh Hashana – September 15-17</i> ABCD	16
17	18 ABCD	19 ABCD	20 PLT / ABCD	21 Grade 12 Post-Secondary Meeting – 6:30pm Meet The Teacher Night – 7pm Incentive Parent Meeting – 7:30pm PLT / ABCD	22 Non-Instructional Day (Pro-D Day) SCHOOL CLOSED	23 <i>Kol Nidrei</i>
24 <i>Yom Kippur – September 24-25</i>	25 Langara Presentation at Lunch ABCD	26 Evacuation Drill # 1 @ 1:45pm <i>Mawlid-al-Nabi – Sept 26-27</i> ABCD	27 School Photos (am) PLT / ABCD	28 Kwantlen Polytechnic University Presentation at Lunch PLT / ABCD	29 ABCD	30 National Day of Truth and Reconciliation <i>Orange Shirt Day</i>
	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40–3:00 Block D	2023 AUGUST 	2023 OCTOBER 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D		




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October

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1	2 STATUTORY HOLIDAY (in lieu of National Day of Truth and Reconciliation)	3 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE ABCD	4 PLT / ABCD	5 World Teachers' Day PLT / ABCD	6 ABCD	7
			Incentive Camp @ Squamish October 4-6			
8	9 THANKSGIVING DAY	10 PAC Meeting – 7 pm ABCD	11 Semester 1 Interim Learning Updates Available PLT / ABCD	12 Evacuation Drill #2 @ 12:05pm PLT / ABCD	13 ABCD	14
15	16 PSI Mini Fair (after lunch) ABCD	17 School Wide Conference Day #1 (Blocks A & B) ABCD	18 Early Dismissal at 1pm Parent Teacher Conference – 2:00pm – 4:00pm ABCD	19 Early Dismissal at 1pm Parent Teacher Conference – 2:00pm – 4:00pm and 6:00pm – 8:00pm ABCD	20 PRO-D DAY SCHOOL CLOSED	21
22	23 ABCD	24 Dussehra ABCD	25 PLT / ABCD	26 School Dance Canadian Open Math Challenge PLT / ABCD	27 Photo Retakes (pm) ABCD	28
29	30 Grade 10 and Grade 12 Graduation Literacy Assessment Oct 30 th – Nov 3 rd ABCD	31 ABCD	2023 SEPTEMBER 	2023 NOVEMBER 	Parent Teacher Conference Alternate Bell Schedule 8:30-9:30 Block A 9:35-10:35 Block B 10:35-10:50 Nutrition Break 10:55-11:55 Block C 12:00–13:00 Block D	

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	Grade 10 and Grade 12 Graduation Literacy Assessment - Oct 30th – Nov 3 rd					
			8	9	10	11
5 <i>DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS</i> <i>(turn clocks back one hour)</i>	6 ABCD	7 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE ABCD	8 PLT / ABCD	9 University of Alberta Presentation at Lunch PLT / ABCD	10 Remembrance Day Assembly ABCD	11 <i>Remembrance Day</i>
12 <i>Diwali</i>	13 <i>STATUTORY HOLIDAY</i> <i>(in lieu of Remembrance Day)</i>	14 PAC Meeting – 7pm ABCD	15 PLT / ABCD	16 PLT / ABCD	17 ABCD	18
19	20 SFU Presentation at Lunch Ed Facilitators Meeting ABCD	21 ABCD	22 Evacuation Drill #3 @ 10:45am PLT / ABCD	23 Semester 1 Mid-Term Learning Updates Published PLT / ABCD	24 Gr. 9 Immunizations ABCD	25
26	27 Winter Athletics Begins <i>Birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Sahib</i> ABCD	28 ABCD	29 SFU Beedie Presentation at Lunch PLT / ABCD	30 PLT / ABCD		
	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40-3:00 Block D	2023 OCTOBER 	2023 DECEMBER 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Notes:	

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December

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3	4 ABCD	5 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE Winter Music Concert – 6:30pm School Wide Conference Day #2 (Blocks C & D) ABCD	6 Evacuation Drill #4 @ 11:00am (Hold and Secure) PLT / ABCD	7 <i>Hannukah (Dec 7 – Dec 15)</i> PLT / ABCD	8 ABCD	9	
10	11 ABCD	12 ABCD	13 PLT / ABCD	14 PLT / ABCD	15 ABCD	16	
17	18 ABCD	19 ABCD	20 PLT / ABCD	21 PLT / ABCD	22 Last Day Before Winter Break ABCD	23	
24 CHRISTMAS EVE	25 CHRISTMAS DAY	26 BOXING DAY	WINTER BREAK			29	30
31 NEW YEAR'S EVE	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40–3:00 Block D	2023 NOVEMBER 	2024 JANUARY 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D			



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January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	← WINTER BREAK →						
	<i>NEW YEAR'S DAY</i>						
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
	School reopens after Winter Break Incentive Grade 8 Applications open	COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE					
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD		
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
		PAC Meeting – 7 pm					
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD		
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
		Evacuation Drill #5 @ 2:00pm		End of Semester 1 Grade 7 Program Planning 6:30pm Meet the Teacher and Spotlight on Palmer 7:00pm Pre-AP/Incentive Mtg. 7:30pm	TURNAROUND DAY <i>No Classes in Session</i>		
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD			
28	29	30	31				
	PRO-D DAY <i>School Closed</i>	Start of Semester 2 (Jan 30 – June 21)					
		ABCD	ABCD				
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February

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 Phone: 604-668-6288 Email: palmer@sd38.bc.ca Website: palmer.sd38.bc.ca				1	2	3
				Grade 8-11 2024-25 Course Selection Presentations ABCD	Incentive Grade 8 Applications Close ABCD	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	ABCD	COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE ABCD	PLT / ABCD	Semester 1 Final Learning Updates Published PLT / ABCD	School Wide Conference Day #3 (Blocks A & B) Grade 8-11 2024-2025 Course Selection Forms Due ABCD	Lunar New Year
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	ABCD	Evacuation Drill #6 @ 1:40pm (Hold and Secure) PAC Meeting – 7 pm ABCD	PLT / ABCD Valentine's Day	Palmer Science Fair PLT / ABCD National Flag Day of Canada	PRO-D DAY SCHOOL CLOSED	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	BC FAMILY DAY	ABCD	Math Contest (Pascal/Cayley/Fermat) PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	FOOTLOOSE Dance Competition ABCD	Grad Photos – Feb 24-29
25	26	27	28	29		
Grad Photos – February 24 - 29						
	ABCD	ABCD	PINK SHIRT DAY PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD		
	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40–3:00 Block D	2024 JANUARY 	2024 MARCH 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Notes:	


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March

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3	4 ABCD	5 Semester 2 Interims available ABCD	6 PLT / ABCD	7 Evacuation Drill #7 @ 11:00am PLT / ABCD	8 Maha Shivaratri ABCD	9
10 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS (turn clocks forward one hour) Ramadan begins (March 10 -April 9)	11 ABCD Commonwealth Day	12 Early Dismissal at 1pm Parent Teacher Conferences 2:00pm – 4:00pm ABCD	13 Early Dismissal at 1pm Parent Teacher Conferences 2:00pm – 4:00pm and 6:00pm – 8:00pm ABCD	14 Last Day Before Spring Break PLT / ABCD	15 School Closes for Spring Break March 15-March 28	16
17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22	23
← SPRING BREAK →						
24	25 Holi	26	27	28	29 GOOD FRIDAY	30
← SPRING BREAK →						
31 EASTER SUNDAY	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40–3:00 Block D	2024 FEBRUARY 	2024 APRIL 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Parent Teacher Conference Alternate Bell Schedule 8:30-9:30 Block A 9:35-10:35 Block B 10:35-10:50 Nutrition Break 10:55-11:55 Block C 12:00–13:00 Block D	




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April

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 Phone: 604-668-6288 Email: palmer@sd38.bc.ca Website: palmer.sd38.bc.ca	1 EASTER MONDAY	2 School reopens after Spring Break Euclid Math Contest (tentative) ABCD	3 PLT / ABCD	4 PLT / ABCD	5 Online Scholarship Applications Open ABCD	6
7	8 ABCD	9 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE PAC Meeting – 7 pm <i>April 9/10 Eid- al-Fitr (last day of Ramadan)</i> ABCD	10 Evacuation Drill #8 @ 2:00 pm PLT / ABCD	11 PLT / ABCD	12 ABCD	13 <i>Vaisakhi</i>
14	15 ABCD	16 ABCD	17 PLT / ABCD	18 Online Scholarship Applications Close PLT / ABCD	19 ABCD	20
Grade 10 Graduation Numeracy Assessment April 15-19						
21	22 <i>Pesach (April 22-30)</i> ABCD	23 ABCD	24 PLT / ABCD	25 PLT / ABCD	26 ABCD	27
28	29 ABCD	30 ABCD				
	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40-3:00 Block D	2024 MARCH 	2024 MAY 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Notes:	


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 Phone: 604-668-6288 Email: palmer@sd38.bc.ca Website: palmer.sd38.bc.ca	Incentive Camp Strathcona April 29 th – May 3 rd			Student Voice Forum	Semester 2 Mid-Term Learning Updates Published	
				PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD
5	6 Staff meeting	7 COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE	8 Evacuation Drill #9 @11:05AM	9	10	11
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD	
12 Mother's Day	13	14 School Wide Conference Day #4 (Blocks C & D) PAC Meeting – 7 pm	15 Buddha's Birthday	16 PRIDE RALLY	17 PRO-D DAY SCHOOL CLOSED	18
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD		
19	20 VICTORIA DAY	21 Grade 7 Tours	22	23	24 Gr. 9 Immunizations Vesak/Wesak/Buddha Day/Visakha Puja	25
		ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD	
26	27	28 End of Year Music Concert – 6:30pm	29	30	31	
	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD	
	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40-3:00 Block D	2024 APRIL 	2024 JUNE 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Notes:	

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June

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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	ABCD	COLLABORATION DAY PLT BELL SCHEDULE ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	Valedictory Rehearsal (Block C and D) ABCD	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Valedictory Ceremony @ UBC Chan Centre ABCD	Grad Walk @12:30pm ABCD	PLT / ABCD	PLT / ABCD	ABCD	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
<i>Father's Day</i>	ABCD	ABCD	PLT / ABCD	School Awards Ceremony Block B Grades 8/9; Block C Grades 10-12 PLT / ABCD	End of Year Carnival (alternate bell schedule – early dismissal at 1pm) End of Semester 2 Classes <i>National Indigenous Day</i> ABCD	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
				Last Day of School Semester 2 Final Learning Updates Available	Administrative Day School Closes	
30	Bell Schedule 8:30-9:50 Block A 9:55-11:15 Block B 11:15-11:30 Nutrition Break 11:30-12:50 Block C 12:50-1:35 Lunch 1:40-3:00 Block D	2024 MAY 	2024 JULY 	PLT Bell Schedule 8:30-9:25 Personal Learning Time 9:30-10:35 Block A 10:40-11:45 Block B 11:45-12:00 Nutrition Break 12:00-1:05 Block C 1:05-1:50 Lunch 1:55-3:00 Block D	Carnival Alternate Bell Schedule 8:30-9:30 Block A 9:35-10:35 Block B 10:35-10:50 Nutrition Break 10:55-11:55 Block C 12:00-13:00 Block D 13:00-15:00 Carnival	

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July

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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
School is closed over the Summer Break – please contact the office via email (palmer@sd38.bc.ca)						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			
					<i>Notes:</i>	

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August

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 <p>Phone: 604-668-6288 Email: palmer@sd38.bc.ca Website: palmer.sd38.bc.ca</p>				1	2	3	
	4	<i>BC Day</i>	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
		Regular Office Hours Monday- Friday 7:30 – 4:00 pm					
							<p><i>Notes:</i> First day of school: September 3, 2024</p>

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