



January 6th to 10th 2025

Monday Jan 6 th	Tuesday Jan 7 th	Wednesday Jan 8 th	Thursday Jan 9 th	Friday Jan 10 th
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Welcome Back to all our Students

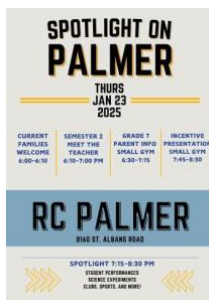
We look forward to welcoming all our students back to school for the start of 2025 and hope that all our Palmer Family had a wonderful winter break! Let's make 2025 a fantastic year!

Meet the Teacher Semester 2 / Grade 7 Parent Program Planning Meeting – January 23rd

On the evening of January 23rd at 6pm, you will have the opportunity to meet our Semester 2 Teachers. Following that will be our Grade 7 Parent Program Planning Meeting at 6:30pm for our future Palmer Grade 8s! Looking forward to seeing you all there!

Spotlight on Palmer – January 23rd at 7:15pm

The Staff and Students of Palmer invite you to sample a bit of why we love to work and learn here. We are holding "spotlight on Palmer" to do just that! Please join us on Thursday January 23rd at 7:15pm to share this special evening with us. It has been designed to give you a small taste of some of the wonderful things that are happening at our school. So take some time and see the displays, presentations and entertainment. Feel free to ask questions and participate. Above all, enjoy sharing our Palmer Pride! For more details, please check our [website](#).



Grade 10 Graduation Literacy Assessment – January 14 - 16

The GLA 10 (Graduation Literacy Assessment) is scheduled for January 14th – 16th. The times and locations will be posted on the window next to the main office. A summary of that schedule is attached below. Current Grade 10 students are required to check the schedule in the school to find out the date, time, and location for their grad assessment.

GLA 10	8:30am – 11:30am
PLT 1	8:30am – 9:50am
PLT 2	9:55am – 11:15am
Break	11:15am – 11:30am
Block A	11:30am – 12:05pm
Block B	12:10pm – 12:45pm
Lunch	12:45pm – 1:30pm
Block C	1:35pm – 2:15pm
Block D	2:20pm – 3:00pm

*This bell schedule will be in effect for all students.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Jan 14-16	Grade 10 Graduation Literacy Assessment
Jan 15	PAC Meeting at 7pm
Jan 23	End of Semester 1 Meet the Teacher Semester 2 at 6:00pm Grade 7 Parent Information Night at 6:30pm Spotlight on Palmer at 7:15pm
Jan 24	Learning Completion Day (Classes not in session for students)
Jan 27	Pro-D Day (School Closed)
Jan 28	Start of Semester 2 Class (Jan 28 – Jun 20)

Course Planning for 2025-26 is Coming Soon!

Please spend some time over the break and in January looking over your Course Planning options for 2025-26: <https://palmer.sd38.bc.ca/student-information/course-planning-2025-2026>

Students' personalized Program Planning forms will be distributed on February 6 during grade-wide assemblies; the forms must be signed by parents and handed in to the Counselling Centre by **3 PM on Thursday, February 13, 2025**. Course selections must also be entered online between February 6th and February 13th.

Upcoming Grads of 2025 Photo Session - February 14th to 20th

Attention Graduating Griffins! The time has come to sign up for Graduation photos with Artona. Please visit Artona at [this link](#) and book your time slot. Graduation photos will take place from February 14th to 20th 2025.



Collaboration Time (Tuesday January 7th 2025)

Staff will be engaging in professional development activities from 8:30am to 9:25am on Tuesday, January 7th. Students will have an opportunity to study/work in the lounge and library. Block A begins at 9:30am.

In addition to this date, our future Collaboration days are: February 4, April 1, May 6, June 3

PLT / Collaboration Bell Schedule



8:30-9:25	PLT
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

We acknowledge and thank the First Peoples of the *hən̓q̓im̓əm̓* (hun-ki-meen-um) language group on whose traditional and unceded territories we teach, learn and live

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