



R.C. PALMER SECONDARY SCHOOL 2021-2022 SCHOOL CALENDAR



SEPTEMBER

Thu	2	Grade 9-12 New Student Orientation at 10:00am
Mon	6	Labour Day
Tue	7	First Day of School
Tue	7	Fall Athletics Begin
Tue	14	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	14	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Fri	17	Grade 8 and Clubs Day
Fri	17	PRIDE Rally
Thu	23	Chinese Speaking Parent Night – 6:00 pm
Thu	23	Grade 12 Post-Secondary Meeting – 6:30pm
Thu	23	Meet the Teacher Night – 7:00 pm
Fri	24	Pro D Day
Mon-Thu	27-30	Canadian University Events (online) – 4pm to 7pm
Mon	27	Langara Presentation at lunch
Tue	28	Evacuation Drill #1 @ 1:40
Wed	29	School Photos (pm)
Wed	29	KPU presentation at lunch
Thu	30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (Statutory Holiday)

OCTOBER

Sat	2	Canadian University Events (online) – 4pm to 7pm
Mon-Tue	4-5	Canadian University Events (online) – 4pm to 7pm
Tue	5 th	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Mon	11	Thanksgiving (School Closed)
Tue	12	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Fri	15	Semester 1 Interim Reports Available
Tue	19	Evacuation Drill #2 @ 11am
Fri	22	Pro D Day
Mon	25	Parent Teacher Conference (early dismissal at 1pm)
Tue	26	School Photo Retakes (pm)
Thu	28	Parent Teacher Conference (early dismissal at 1pm)

NOVEMBER

Mon	1	Winter Athletics Begin
Tue	2	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue-Th	2-4	Grade 10 and 12 Graduation Literacy Assessment
Wed	3	Grade 9 Take Your Kids to Work Day
Thu	4	Canadian Open Math Challenge (Period 1 & 2)
Sun	7	Daylight Saving Time ends (turn clocks back one hour)
Tue	9	PAC Meeting – 7:00pm
Wed	10	Remembrance Day Assembly
Thu	11	Remembrance Day Statutory Holiday (School Closed)
Mon	15	Gr.9 & 10 Immunizations
Tue	16	UBC Virtual Presentation – 3:30-4:30pm
Thu	18	School Wide Conference Day #1
Thu	18	UVic presentation at lunch
Mon	22	Pro D Day
Wed	24	Evacuation Drill #3 @ 1:40pm
Wed	24	Semester 1 Mid-Term Report Cards Published

DECEMBER

Tue	2	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	7	Winter Music Concert – 6:30pm
Wed	8	Evacuation Drill #4 @ 11:00 (Hold and Secure)
Fri	17	Last Day Before Winter Break
Mon-Fri	20-31	Winter Break

JANUARY

Mon	3	Statutory New Year's Day Holiday
Tue	4	School Re-Opens After Winter Break
Tue	11	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	11	Evacuation Drill #5 @ 2:00pm
Tue	11	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Thu	20	Grade 7 Program Planning – 6:30 pm
Thu	20	Spotlight on Palmer - 7:00 pm
Thu	20	Pre-AP/Incentive Program Info Meeting - 7:30 pm
Fri	28	End of Semester 1
Fri	28	School Wide Conference Day #2
Sun-Mon	30-31	Grad Photos
Mon	31	Pro D Day
Mon	31	Semester 2 Begins

FEBRUARY

Tue-Thu	1-3	Grad Photos
Tue	1	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	1	Course Selection for Gr.11 during PLT
Wed	2	Course Selection for Gr.10 during PLT
Tue	8	Course Selection for Gr.9 during PLT
Tue	8	Semester 1 Final Report Card published
Tue	8	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Wed	9	Course Selection for Gr.8 during PLT
Wed	9	Science Fair
Tue	15	Evacuation Drill #6 @ 1:40pm (Hold and Secure)
Wed	16	Canadian Computing Competition
Wed	16	Course Selection Forms due
Fri	18	Pro D Day
Mon	21	BC Family Day (School Closed)
Wed	23	Math Contests (Pascal/Cayley/Fermat)
Wed	23	Pink Shirt Day

MARCH

Tue	1	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Fri	4	Spring Athletics Begins
Tue	8	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Thu	10	Semester 2 Interims available
Fri	11	Last Day Before Spring Break
Sun	13	Daylight Saving Time Begins (turn clocks forward one hour)
Mon-Fri	14-25	Spring Break
Mon	28	School Re-Opens After Break
Mon	28	Parent-Teacher Conferences (Early Dismissal at 1:00 pm)
Tue	29	Evacuation Drill #7 @ 11:00
Wed	31	Parent-Teacher Conferences (Early Dismissal at 1:00 pm)

APRIL

Tue	5	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	5	Euclid Math Contest
Wed	6	Evacuation Drill #8 @ 1:40
Thu	7	Online Scholarship Applications Open
Fri	8	PRIDE Rally (Student Council)
Tue	12	PAC Meeting – 7:00 pm
Fri	15	Good Friday (School Closed)
Mon	18	Easter Monday (School Closed)
Thu	21	Online Scholarship Applications close
Thu	21	School Wide Conference Day #3
Tue	26	Semester 2 Mid-Term Report card available
Tue-Wed	26-27	Grade 10 Graduation Numeracy Assessment

MAY

Tue	3	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Tue	3	AP Calculus Exam (am)
Thu	5	AP Chemistry Exam (am)
Thu-Fri	5-6	Elementary Basketball Tournament
Tue	10	AP Psychology Exam (pm)
Tue	10	PAC Meeting – 7:00pm
Wed	11	Evacuation Drill #9 @ 11:10am
Thu	19	Gr 9&10 Immunizations
Fri	20	Pro D Day
Mon	23	Victoria Day (School Closed)
Tue	24	Grade 7 Tours
Tue	24	Grade 7 Parent Dinner (tentative)
Thu	26	Incentive Potluck Dinner
Tue	31	End of Year Music Concert – 6:30pm

JUNE

Wed	1	Evacuation Drill #10 @ 2:15pm
Thu	2	School Awards Ceremony
Tue	7	Collaboration Day – Alt Bell Schedule
Thu	9	Athletic Awards Banquet
Tue	14	Valedictory Rehearsal
Thu	16	Valedictory Ceremony
Fri	24	End of Year Carnival (tentative)
Fri	24	End of Semester 2
Mon	27	Grad Dinner Dance @ Marriott Pinnacle Hotel
Wed	29	Semester 2 Report Cards available
Wed	29	Last Day of School
Thu	30	Administrative Day