



Burnaby Mountain Secondary





We acknowledge and thank the Coast Salish Nations of Musqueam, Tseil-Waututh and Squamish on whose traditional territories we teach, learn and live.

Student Bulletin

Monday Date: Oct 7th, 2024

Student First Aid:

	<p>Work experience opportunities: Please see bottom of bulletin</p>
 Oct 18 Ms. Manning	<p align="center"><u>Grade 12 Post Secondary Applications Info Session</u></p> <p>Grade 12 students who are applying to college or university should come to an important presentation on Thursday, October 10 from 8:35 – 9:05 in the large gym. Ms Arron and Ms Hart will be presenting on the topic of graduation, applying to post-secondary, Student Transcript Services, and Education Planner B.C.</p> <p align="center"><u>CLC (Career Life Connections) 11 &12</u></p> <p>All grade 11 and 12 students should be registered in a CLC class. The course should appear on your timetable as a block 14 class. This means the class meets outside of the regular timetable. Both CLC11 and CLC12 will meet periodically throughout the school year, with most classes held during the longer Friday Flex time.</p> <p align="center">The first CLC11 class will be on October 11 at 8:40am in the Small Gym</p> <p align="center">The first CLC12 class will be on October 18 at 8:40am in the Small Gym</p> <p>If you do not have a CLC course on your timetable please stop by the Career Centre ASAP. If you have a questions about these courses, please see Ms. Manning or Ms. Gingras.</p>
Oct 15 Mr. Albrino	<p>BMSS Apparel is now available! Follow the link and place your orders by Oct. 15. Orders will be shipped to the school and students will be notified when it's time for pickup.</p> <p>https://store.vbsapparel.ca/bmss_sept2024/shop/home</p>
Oct 26 Ms. Michaels	<p><u>Language Challenge Exams</u></p> <p>The purpose of the Language Challenge Exam is to allow students who have already acquired the appropriate learning elsewhere to get credit for a Grade 11 or 12 Language course. Challenge Exams are written on February 1st & 2nd 2025 in Delta, British Columbia, between 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. The deadline for applications to the 2024/2025 Language Challenge Exams is October 26, 2024.</p> <p align="center">Challenge exams are available for the following languages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farsi 11 and 12 • French 11 and 12 • Japanese 11 and 12 • Korean 11 and 12 • Mandarin 11 and 12 (in traditional or simplified characters) • Punjabi 11 and 12 • Spanish 11 and 12 <p align="center"><u>To register for an exam, visit the website</u></p> <p><u>Delta Continuing Education website</u> (https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/secondary/challenge-exams/) and fill out an <u>Application Package</u> (https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2024/09/Challenge-Exam-Package-2025.pdf).</p> <p><u>Instructions to fill out an application package</u> can be found on the <u>Delta Continuing Education website</u> and are outlined below. Please complete the following and <u>submit to your counsellor no later than October 26th:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete pages 9 and 10 of the application package and print 2. Attach a passport style photo of yourself (your school photo is ideal) 3. Attach proof of online payment (receipt of purchase) or a cheque payable to "Delta School District" <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Fees:

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. <u>Domestic students</u>: \$50 refundable fee which is returned to you if you show-up for the exams ii. <u>International students</u>: \$205 per challenge exam. This fee is non-refundable unless the student cancels before the Dec 13th 2024 deadline (a \$25 administration fee is deducted). <p>4. Hand the completed application package, attached photo of yourself, and proof of online payment or cheque payable to "Delta School District" to your school counsellor by the deadline on October 26, 2024.</p>
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Work Experience Opportunities (gr. 11 & 12 only)

(Yes – these all count for work experience hours – make sure you get paperwork from the Career Centre BEFORE you go)

Cameray Child and Family Services – Afterschool Program

Cameray Afterschool Program runs at University Highlands Elementary on Mondays and Stoney Creek Elementary on Wednesdays. Volunteers help grade 5-7 students with the successful transition from elementary school to high school through group activities, homework help and mentorship. Volunteers also help to prepare dinner. For more info and to apply stop by the Career Centre.

Big Brothers Big Sisters - Big Buddies Program

Be a Teen Mentor to an elementary-aged child from Stoney Creek Community School. Be a safe, positive role model and a friend to a child in Grades 1-7. Meetings every Mondays from 3:30 pm- 4:30pm, October to May. Come out and play games, do arts & crafts and build a connection and have fun! Apply NOW at: <https://www.bigbrothersvancouver.com/our-programs/teen-mentor/> After you have completed your online application, please come to the Career Centre so we can arrange work experience paperwork.

Bettie Allard YMCA

The new Bettie Allard YMCA is a modern recreation centre located near the Burquitlam Skytrain Station. They run a variety of programs for children, youth and adults and they are look for dedicated volunteers to help with their community programs. Interested students can sign up in the Career Centre to attend an orientation session. Once you have completed their orientation you can sign up to volunteer for the classes and events that interest you and work for your schedule. There are afterschool and weekend programs and events. Student must commit to completing a minimum of 50 hrs, but there is no timeline to complete the hours. The next orientation will be happening at the end of October. Sign up in the Career Centre now.

Code Ninjas

Code Ninjas Coquitlam (1130 Austin Ave) is looking for volunteers for their "Learn to Code" program for kids. This is a great opportunity to get experience in a computer science industry. Afterschool and Saturday shift are available. For more info and to sign up come by the Career Centre.

Creekside Youth Centre

Creekside Youth Centre (next to Stoney Creek Community School), is seeking high school students to assist with their Pre-Teen programs afterschool on Wednesdays from 3:15 - 5:00 pm. If you have an interest in education, psychology, social work, counselling or just love working with younger students, sign up at the Career Centre. Volunteers should commit to one day per week, for 8 -10 weeks.

Edmonds Festival of Lights 2024

Edmonds Festival of Lights event is seeking volunteers on Saturday, November 23rd, 2024! The event will be from 2:30 to 5:30 with volunteering shifts being slightly longer to help with setup and takedown. Roles will include set-up, ticket management, line management, activity assistant, face painter, and more. Visit this link to sign up: <https://burnaby.bcvolunteer.ca/positions/edmonds-festival-of-lights>

Science World

Science World is seeking Science Facilitator Assistants for Winter Break & March Break. Students are expected to commit to 80 hours of work experience over 3 weeks. If you have a passion for science and want to gain more skills working with the public, this placement is for you. Come by the Career Centre for more info.

Vancouver Writers Festival

The Vancouver Writers Fest is looking for volunteers to help in a variety of roles through their festival week, **October 21-27**, 2024. We have shifts available selling raffle tickets, helping as an event assistant, assisting with book sales, helping prep food in the kitchen, setting up and cleaning up after events and many more. For more info and to apply go to: <https://writersfest.bc.ca/volunteer-information>. Volunteers must volunteer at least 12 hours and must be 16+. If you are accepted as a volunteer please stop by the Career Centre to pick up paperwork, BEFORE you volunteer, so you can count this towards you Work Experience hours.

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Forest Grove Elementary Halloween Monster Mash Event

Forest Grove Elementary is looking for volunteers for their annual family Halloween event on October 24 from 4:00 pm-9:30 pm and October 23 (the night before – for set-up) from 5 pm-9 pm. Volunteers will help with putting up decorations, children’s activity assistant (crafts/games) and clean-up. Volunteer for one, or both days. To sign up come to the Career Centre.

Bonsor Big Boo Halloween Event

Bonsor's Big Boo event is once again looking for passionate High School volunteers to help support our Halloween event on Friday, **October 25th**, 2024! Volunteers for the Big Boo are required to attend either our in person OR virtual (Zoom) training. If you are interested in volunteering for our decorating shift, attending training is not required. For more info and to apply go to : <https://tinyurl.com/mrr7kr2z> (You must create an account on Better Impact to apply)

New Vista – Seniors Care Home

New Vista is a Seniors Care Home located in Burnaby (near Edmonds Community Centre). They are looking for volunteers on weekends and weekday evenings to help with their social and recreational programs. This is a fantastic work experience for anyone interested in health care. To sign up come to the Career Centre. *Specifically seeing volunteers who can sing, play the guitar or play the piano*

The Madison & Lakeshore – Seniors Care Homes

The Madison & Lakeshore are Seniors Care Homes located in Coquitlam (just off Como Lake Ave). They are both looking for volunteers Monday to Thursday from 5:30 – 7pm to help with their evening social programs. The Lakeshore Care Centre is seeking volunteers on the weekends as well. Volunteers attend one day a week for a minimum of 12 weeks. This is a fantastic work experience for anyone interested in health care. To sign up come to the Career Centre.

Low Entropy Thrift Store – Burquitlam Plaza

We are looking for enthusiastic and friendly volunteers to support us in person to operate our thrift store. You will perform a wide range of duties from customer service to sorting donations and organizing the store. Most volunteers work one shift per week. To apply go to : <https://app.betterimpact.com/PublicOrganization/4d580166-d7db-4d55-a867-aabdd6b15b6e/Gvi/72493870-bf25-4090-a5cc-7a927752e6bf/1>

BASES Family Thrift Store

Located at 7825 Edmonds Street, Burnaby. We provide opportunities for developing cashier and customer service skills, organization, and sorting skills. We work together as a family for our common cause to support our local community. No experience is necessary. We are looking for volunteers who enjoy Thrift Stores and love giving back. For more info and to apply go to: <https://basesburnaby.ca/>

Burnaby Hospice Society Thrift Store

6843 Kingsway, Burnaby - Volunteers perform a wide range of duties from sorting and pricing donations and checking electronics and small appliances to helping customers or being a cashier or wrapper. To apply go to: <https://www.burnabyhospice.org/form/thrift-store-volunteer-form>

Vancouver Art Gallery

Are you interested in art? Are you curious about what goes on behind the scenes at the Vancouver Art Gallery? You can now join their friendly and dedicated team of Gallery Volunteers! Volunteers are an integral part of the visitor experience at the Vancouver Art Gallery. To register for an info session, visit <https://www.vanartgallery.bc.ca/volunteer> Volunteers must be 16 yrs+.

Vancouver Asian Film Festival

The Vancouver Asian Film Festival (VAFF) is being held **between Nov 7 and Nov 17** this year. We're thrilled to invite you to become a vital part of the Vancouver Asian Film Festival team. We are actively recruiting volunteers now. Responsibilities include: Set up and tear down rooms, stage, signage, equipment, etc., greetings, box office, crowd control, check-in registration, and answering guest questions, ushering and assisting with the microphone during audience Q&A, as well as clean up. Shifts are usually 4 to 6 hours long, with plenty of break time, water, and snacks provided. For more info go to : <https://vaff.org/> To apply to be a volunteer go to: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScELNkBHalxSR11TrTHcVJDhY-9v34P-3t3TGLtZrbPplmg0w/viewform>

The 32nd Annual Wellness Show – Vancouver Convention Centre

Are you interested in fitness, nutrition and wellness? Are you interested in events and hospitality? The 32nd Annual Wellness Show is seeking volunteers at the Vancouver Convention Centre the weekend of February 1st and

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2nd, 2025. Positions include information table, coat check, seminar and workshops assistants, greeters, etc. Come by the Career Centre to learn more.

Invasive Species Youth Environmental Program

Do you want to make an impact in your community, but don't know where to start? Join the Invasive Species Council of BC Youth Program and help prevent the spread of invasive species and help keep ecosystems healthy. Learn how to engage the public and build an effective team, gain experience in project management and budget building, get access to training opportunities in habitat restoration, invasive species management, leadership, and more! Design and lead your own community project or join another one and have your project funded – up to \$5,000 available per project. Connect with youth across Canada and grow your network while gaining practical, hands-on work experience in a safe and inclusive space. To apply you must be 15-30 years old and have Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status, or refugee status. To apply go to: <https://bcinvasives.ca/take-action/community-science/youth-team/>

Canadian Blood Services – Blood Donor Clinic

Volunteers are responsible for greeting donors with a smile, making conversation, and accompanying them throughout their donation process. The care and attention volunteers give is very often a key reason why donors return. As one of the last faces donors see on their way out, volunteers play a critical role in the success of future blood donor clinics. Pick up an info sheet in the Career Centre. To apply go to : <https://tinyurl.com/4yjy93ct>

Career Exploration and Leadership Development

(these also count for Work Experience Hours – but you MUST get paperwork from the Career Center BEFORE you go)

Health Care Career Open House for Youth

Are you driven by a desire to help? Consider a career in health care. High School and Post-Secondary students are invited to join us at our Health Care Open House at Vancouver General Hospital on Friday **October 25** from 11am – 2pm (Pro-D Day) Meet and learn from passionate health care professionals. Connect with representatives from post-secondary programs. Pick up an Info Sheet in the Career Centre.

Youth To Sea Oceanwise - Environmental Marine Biology Program

Are you interested in the environment, conservation, marine biology or nature and science-based career paths? - Then this is for YOU! YouthToSea aims to empower youth to make a difference towards ocean conservation. It is a hands-on service-learning program that runs for 8-month (Dec 2024 – July 2025). The program runs mainly on weekends. It is a hands-on service-learning program that has **three main components:** (1) immersive learning journeys that help the youth explore their connections to nature and science-based career paths (2) skill building workshops that work with the youth to improve on their soft skills, and (3) ocean service projects which give the youth an opportunity to create their own service project in their community. This program is **FREE** and it includes over 100 hours of Work Experience! Pick up an info sheet in the Career Centre and CHECK OUT THIS VIDEO, explaining this awesome program: <https://youtu.be/MiPKyvett7g>. **Deadline to apply is Tuesday, October 15th.** For more info go to : <https://ocean.org/learn-explore/youth-programs/youthtosea/> To apply go to : <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=sA6VaTqoqkqZ8mrKVavgluRO4nwflrhBg1Hy1FpAh9xUOEs5Vzk0Vk9NTEFQ5T0ZPMTRSRkdFTVFWViQIQCN0PWcu>

Burnaby Art Gallery – Artist Apprenticeship Program

Are you interested in working with professional artists and gallery staff at the Burnaby Art Gallery? You will be taking on the role of an artist creating artwork to be featured in an exhibit at the gallery. The program runs from January - April 2025. Deadline to apply is Friday, November 29th. Come by the Career Centre for an application.

SFU STEM Speakers Series –Curiosity, Rotting Sheep Heads & Forensic Firearms Examination

The Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Speaker Series provides secondary school students with the opportunity to meet and interact with university students, faculty members, and/or working professionals in STEM fields. The November session is Daisy Wong from the BC Provincial Forensics Firearms Lab. She will discuss her journey from being an SFU Undergraduate to her role as an Excavation Technician with serial murder investigations. You can join the virtual session on **November 23** from 1:00 – 2:00pm on Zoom. To register go to: <https://sciencealive.ca/stem-speaker-series>

Project Arrowroot - Climate Centric Career Workshops and Internship

Project Arrowroot encompasses a 4-month capacity-building program for senior high school students (grades 11 and 12) introducing and encouraging green careers, and the pathways to achieve them. Project Arrowroot seeks to engage high school students through workshops (outside of school) on climate action and get paired with an industry professional who they will chat and shadow in a week-long period (what this looks like is extremely flexible, and does not have to be in-person or for full-days)! For more info about the program and application process pick up a handout in the Career Centre.

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BCIT Biotechnology Career Awareness Workshop

Grade 11 & 12 Students - are you interested in a hands-on lab experience at BCIT? This biotechnology workshop includes a gel electrophoresis lab, a DNA fingerprinting lab as well as a visit to a local biotechnology company. Come learn about the biotechnology industry in a fun and engaging way. The workshop runs from **December 9 - 13, 2024**. A fee does apply to this workshop. Visit the Career Centre for more information and an application. Applications close November 1.

JA Business Entrepreneurship Company Program *NEW Burnaby Location

JA Company Program is a FREE 16-week course that allows students in grades 10-12 to learn about business and entrepreneurship. Students from across B.C. – Join us this fall and walk away with the tools and resources required to build your own start-up! You will be placed in a team and will work collaboratively with other students to learn about human centered design thinking, creative product development, product life cycles, e-commerce, app development and more. You'll also develop your teamwork, decision making and critical thinking skills. **NEW Burnaby Location** : Hosted by Elite Education (4250 Kingsway, Burnaby, October 16, 2024 – February 12, 2025) on Wednesdays from 5:30-7:30. Limited spots, apply ASAP. For more info and to apply go to: <https://jabc.ca/companyprogram/>

STEMCon

Millennium STEM BC is a youth-led non-profit organization that aims to equip youth with the technological skills and opportunities to pursue careers in STEM. Our organization will be hosting the 4th iteration of our annual event STEMCon at the BCIT Downtown Vancouver Campus on **Saturday, October 26th**. We welcome all high school students to immerse themselves in engaging scientific workshops and exciting STEM activities. This event features an opening speaker, 5 workshop options, a networking fair and 2 hands-on activities that aim to expose students to diverse STEM fields, opening up possibilities for STEM exploration outside of the classroom. Our workshops will be run by experienced educational institutions such as BCIT Computing Faculty, Genome BC and more! We are providing a free complimentary lunch for all attendees. Participation is FREE for all students. To learn more about the event and to register go to: https://millennium-stem-bc.github.io/stemcon_2024.html

TRIUMF– Saturday Morning Lecture Series Frontiers of Modern Physics

TRIUMF, Canada's Particle Accelerator Centre, in partnership with UBC and SFU, presents FREE lectures every Saturday at SFU Surrey Central and TRIUMF – Canada's Particle Accelerator at UBC. This is a great way to visit these campuses and to hear from experts in their field. Pick up an info sheet in the Career Centre. To register go to: <https://www.triumf.ca/home/for-public/public-talks-events/saturday-morning-lectures>

Volunteer Service Opportunity (gr 10 – 12)

PEAK Support Program – Peer Tutors Wanted!

The PEAK program is looking for peer tutors in all subject areas. PEAK runs here at Burnaby Mountain, Monday to Thursday from 3:15 to 4:00. It is a place for students to get support with homework or simply have a quiet space to work. Volunteers typically commit to one day a week for the semester or school year. Hours can count towards the Service Award, and it looks great on a resume or scholarship application! To apply please email Ms Smith at: Jillian.Smith@burnabyschools.ca

Sending Sunshine

Sending Sunshine is a volunteer-driven initiative aimed at spreading positivity and love to our senior community through **making them handwritten cards and messages**. Our main goal is to be able to involve more youth in this organization and make a significant impact on the lives of seniors in our community as it is a very easy and casual volunteering opportunity for those who might not have the time to attend weekly meetings or make a commitment. Students who want to be a part of the "club" can sign up, and then make cards at home with their own supplies whenever they might have free time. Once they make a card(s), they give them to us and we (the Chapter leaders) will mail them over to the headquarters back in Ontario. After that, the volunteers will be able to receive their volunteer hours. **Below is a link and some additional information that might be helpful in explaining more about this charity organization:** Sending Sunshine: <https://www.sendingsunshine.ca/chapters>
Sending Sunshine BBY website: <https://linktr.ee/sendingsunshinebby> .

Sign-up form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdO-Hpf302wgVDxrKx4w88-LmqK_42t4z6xdA5gPQmT3MFlsQ/viewform

Post-Secondary Info Sessions

Burnaby Mountain Secondary Hosts The Following Info Sessions:

Wednesday, **October 9**: [University of Alberta](#) - 8:35 to 9:05 (Flex) in the Library
Tuesday, **November 13**: PSI Mini-Fair from 2:00-3:30 pm in the Upper Commons
Wednesday, **November 6**: SFU Beedie School of Business at lunch in Room 201

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Vancouver Law School Fair 2024

Interested in pursuing law school? Curious about what law school can do for you and your career? Come visit the Peter A. Allard School of Law at the Vancouver Law School Fair at UBC Campus on Tuesday, **October 8, 2024** to learn about your options. Chat one on one with representatives Allard Law and from 25+ law schools from across North America, LSAT prep organizations, and current and aspiring law students on topics such as: law school admission requirements; scholarships, awards, and financing your legal education; the student experience at law school; career opportunities and the process of applying to law school. To register go to : <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/vancouver-law-school-fair-2024-tickets-991407244757>

BCIT Big Info – In Person

[Big Info](#) is the largest program expo and information session at BCIT. It's your chance to find out about all our programs – from business and media, computing and IT, engineering, health sciences, trades and apprenticeships, and applied and natural sciences. Join us in person on Wednesday, **October 9** from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. at our Burnaby Campus for this FREE event. For details go to : <https://www.bcit.ca/about/visit/big-info/>

BCIT (British Columbia Institute of Technology) – Online Info Sessions

October 7 – Interior Design

October 16 – Biomedical Engineering Technology / Medical Laboratory Science

October 16 - Computer Information Technology / Computer Systems Technology / Full-Stack Web Development

To register go to : <https://www.bcit.ca/events/category/infoession/list/>

SFU (Simon Fraser University)

Join a campus tour! Campus tours give you an opportunity to spend some time with a knowledgeable student guide, who can: Lead you on a tour of key locations and notable spots for student use around campus; share insight into the student experience at SFU beyond the classroom; and answer your questions about student life, our supports and services, faculties, and more. Even if you have been to the SFU campus before, these guided tours are useful. Our campus tours include assistance for prospective students in learning to navigate Education Planner BC (EPBC) and understanding the application process for SFU. Your guide will provide a demonstration at the end of your tour. Next campus tour dates: Burnaby Campus: November 16 10am & 12pm / Surrey Campus: October 25 (Pro-D) 10am, November 23 10am & 12pm. See website for more dates and to register : <https://tinyurl.com/3e34jbef>

SFU Faculty of Environment Discovery Day 2024

SFU Faculty of Environment is hosting a Discovery Day Event on Friday, **October 25th**, the Pro-D Day, for students in Grades 9-12. Lunch is provided and students will attend some mini-lectures and participate in hands-on lab activities. Topics include: Crime Scene Investigation: Exploring Archaeology and Forensic Anthropology, Paper or Plastic?, Planning Sustainable Communities for Tomorrow, and many more. For more information and to sign up visit: <https://www.sfu.ca/fenv/students/prospective-students/undergraduate.html>

Douglas College Info Fair – In Person

Join us at the Douglas College Info Fair at our New Westminster location on **October 29** from 5 – 7:30 pm. Drop-in at any time during the event to explore the programs you're interested in, talk with instructors one-on-one and see our campuses. Each campus will showcase different programs, so you can join us for one or both nights, depending on your interests. For more info go to : <https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students/explore-douglas/future-students-office/info-fair-october-17-and-19>

UBC (University of British Columbia) - ENGINEERING

October 17 - UBC Engineering: Virtual Open House

November 2 - UBC Engineering: On Campus Open House

November 20 –Ask Me Anything: Admission to UBC Engineering

To register go to : <https://tinyurl.com/2e5mvy42>

UBC (University of British Columbia) – Campus Tours

October 19 – In Person Campus Tour

October 25 (Pro-D Day) - In Person Campus Tour

October 26 – In Person Campus

To register go to: <https://tinyurl.com/yv2yv6xm>

UBC (University of British Columbia) – Online Info Sessions

October 8 - All About UBC Info Session

October 9 - All About UBC Info Session

October 15 - Virtual: Discover UBC's Okanagan Campus Event

October 16 – Application Workshop

October 17 - All About UBC Info Session

October 22 – Application Workshop

October 23 - All About UBC Info Session

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October 28 – Application Workshop

Space is Limited – sign up ASAP. To register go to: <https://tinyurl.com/yv2yv6xm>

Langara College - Online Info Sessions

October 8 – Accounting / Financial Management

October 15 – Food & Nutrition Programs

October 24 – Bachelor of Science in Nursing

To sign up go to: <https://langara.ca/news-and-events/information-sessions/index.html>

UVic (University of Victoria) – Online Info Session

If you're thinking about applying for undergraduate studies at UVic, join us for an online Discover UVic event on Tuesday **October 8** at 5pm and learn what it really means to be a UVic student. More than just getting into university, we'll explore the possibilities and what your education can be. You'll hear about our co-op program and why hands-on learning is so important, how you can engage with your surroundings, and how our community can inspire you to succeed. Register at : <https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/events/index.php>

UVic (University of Victoria) – In Person

Join us on campus for EXPLORE UVic! Saturday, **November 30**, 2024 | 10 a.m. - 5:15 p.m. Don't miss this in-person, on-campus event! See what the UVic experience is like through lectures, student panels, tours, information fairs and more. High school students and families are welcome! Take a campus tour with a current UVic student, attend recruitment, participate in a student-experience panel and meet current UVic students, learn about their experiences and ask questions about student life at UVic, attend sample lectures given by UVic professors to get a real university classroom experience, learn about academic programs and student support services at our information fair and take a tour of faculty-specific buildings and facilities. To register go to : <https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/explore-uvic/index.php>

University of the Fraser Valley

Join us at UFV's Open House on Saturday, **October 26**, from 10 am to 2 pm at the Abbotsford campus! We're hosting an open house to help students prepare for life after high school and get introduced to the university experience. This event is open to all potential future students and their supporters (including family members and friends). For more info and to register go to : <https://tinyurl.com/37er9c4f>

Vancouver Film School – Makeup Design for Film and Television

Experience VFS's industry Makeup Design program & your future as a makeup artist. VFS All Access Pass is your exclusive backstage access to Vancouver Film School's industry-leading Makeup Design for Film & Television program and a chance to experience your future in the production makeup industry. Don't miss your opportunity to experience how VFS's Makeup Design program can launch your career! Join us on **October 19** from 1 – 3:30. You'll meet & chat with faculty, experience a LIVE Halloween prosthetics transformation and a production makeup show & tell, take part in portfolio reviews, and more! PLUS, speak with our Admissions Advisors about possible tuition reductions. To register go to : <https://tinyurl.com/327tkj3m>

National Portfolio Day at Emily Carr University of Art + Design

Emily Carr University of Art + Design is thrilled to host this year's National Portfolio Day on **November 16th** from 9:30am – 3:00pm, with special guests from other art and design schools across North America and Europe. NPD provides a platform for participants to connect with representatives from colleges and universities accredited by the National Association of Schools of Art and Design. Showcase your artistic evolution! Visit with counsellors, admissions team members, and faculty from art and design schools for a portfolio review before applying to colleges or universities. We recommend you pre-register for sessions to ensure enough time to chat with the schools you're most interested in! Representatives from Emily Carr University and partner schools will conduct portfolio reviews between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. We encourage high school students, parents, teachers, guidance counsellors, and college/university transfer students to attend this fantastic event! To register go to : <https://www.ecuad.ca/events/national-portfolio-day-at-ecu>

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