

Burnaby Mountain Secondary



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

Student Bulletin

Date: Fri. Jan. 31st, 2025

	Aid: Reina Fung and Amal Hamed
Timeline	Messages
	Date Requested: No. of Copies:
	Reason for Request: 1 ¹⁴ Copy Additional Copies \$7.50 \$1.50 each copy
	Name of Agency Requesting Letter: Copy of original document from agency MUST be attached (if applicable).
	Current Students Former Students Grade International Last Grade Attended Year Left/Graduated Yes No International International
	Request for Official Letter form:
	 ✓ Due to the increase of letter requests being turned into the office the follow guidelines are now being set into place.
	 ✓ All forms can be filled out and handed in to the office at anytime however letters will only be processed on <u>Wednesday</u> each week and can be picked up after school at 3pm.
	 Please plan so that your letter will be received and can be processed on Wednesday.
	 ✓ Letters coming in on the Thursday or Friday will be processed the following week for Wednesday.
please check	Lost and found items will be on display for this week under the window of the
Lost	Career Ctr.
Found	At the end of the week all items will be recycled.
	Please take the time to look and take what is yours .
Feb 7 Ms. Brikich- lopez	Image: Attention All Students! Image: Attention All Students! Please collect your Semester 1 artwork from Room 117 (Ms. Lopez) between January 31 and February 7. Any unclaimed work will be discarded after this date. Thank you!
Jan 31 Mr. Richardson	There will be a meeting for all students interested in playing rugby this year on Friday January 31st at lunch in the weight room.
	Senior Boys Rugby: grade 11 and 12 Girls Rugby: all grades Junior Boys Rugby: grade 9 and 10

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Ms. Der	BCIT Jill of All Trades Event Are you interested in trades? Do you identify as female? This is the perfect event for you! Come try a sample of trades at BCIT for an all-day event at BCIT. This event is on April 10th.
PUT THIS on your calendar!	Talk to Ms. Der or the Career Centre for sign-up forms and more information. Thank-you!
	mank-you:
	https://www.bcit.ca/trades-access/programs-courses/jill-of-all- trades/?gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQiAwOe8BhCCARIsAGKeD55Je93wnQO4WfMarxqro2 cZVgDYriLKNkz2oEh5Zxwv54vIlvd7H1UaAs54EALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds
Jan 31 Mr. Ko	<u>Canadian Computing Competition</u> Students interested in participating in the Canadian Computing Competition this year please see Mr. Ko in room 319. The Canadian Computing Competition is an annual Coding Competition hosted by the University of Waterloo and will be held in room 319, February 19 th from 3:15 - 6:15 pm. Space is limited.
Mr. Adrian Jan 31	Attention Students! Burnaby District Student Advisory Council is hosting a District-Wide Spirit Week, happening January 27th to 31st!
	Friday – PJ Day : Come comfy and cozy in your favourite PJs!
	Tag @ <i>burnabydsac</i> on your Instagram stories for a chance to win a \$25 gift card and tickets to Burnaby's Got Talent! 🔊 🞉
Jan 31 Ms. Singh	Good Guys Club Do you have any non-perishable food items at home? If so, the Good Guys Club is hosting a Food Drive from Jan 27 - 31! Please drop off donations in the upper commons at lunch, and all contributions will be donated to the Progressive Housing Society.
Mr. Rolph Feb 6	Clubs, Councils, and Associations Day for semester 2. Clubs, Councils, and Student Associations Day the Sequel is happening on Thursday February 6th. Looking to get involved and connect with student groups, make new friends, explore and share your passions but not sure what's offered in semester 2? Well, this day is for you. Student groups will be setting up information stations in the small gym at lunch. Reminder to interested group leaders and sponsors that you should be signing up for a table through the Clubs Leaders Team online or see Mr. Rolph in room 213 if you have any questions.
Mr. Rolph Feb 7	Talent Show!!!Hey Lions! Our annual Talent Show is coming up on Thursday, March 13th. We want to see YOUR talent showcased at our event! Do you dance, sing, play instrument, do magic, juggle, or have some other talent to show off and are interested in auditioning for the show? Information and sign-up form is available outside of room 213. (Mr. Rolph's room)Auditions for musical performances will be taking place in the band room on Wednesday, February 5th from 3-5pm.Auditions for dance-related performances will be on Friday, February 7th from 3-5pm in the dance studio.We hope to see you (and your talent) soon!
Work Ex	perience Opportunities (gr. 11 & 12 only)

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Grade 10s, who are not in a CLE10 class

Grade 10 students, who are not in CLE10 class at Mountain this school year, are invited to attend a lunch time info session about Work Experience. All students must complete a minimum of 30hrs of Work Experience to graduate. Hours must be completed between May 1st of Grade 10 to May 1st of Grade 12. Join us at lunch on Tuesday February 4th or Thursday February 6th in room 200. We will talk about the different work experiences that are available, and how to sign up.

CLC11 MANDATORY Assembly

The next CLC11 Assembly will be Friday February 7th at 8:40am in the small gym. We only meet as a group 3 times during the school year so please make sure you attend!!!

Burnaby Art Gallery - Arts Alive Program *Spring Break

The Burnaby Art Gallery is offering two different work experience opportunities during March Break: <u>Photo</u> <u>Documentation</u> (March 17-21 10am – 4pm) This position exposes students to the process of building a selection based exhibition. A primary task for the students will be to photograph every artwork with accurate colour representation, neat framing, and clear focus for photo documentation. Students must have strong photography skills and be comfortable using a DSLR camera. <u>Records and Labels Management</u> (March 24-28, 10am – 4pm) This position works with documentation and records management related to the Arts Alive exhibit - including the artists, schools, projects, art materials, measurements and more. Mentored by staff, the student works with Excel and Word programs and maintains consistency in information across various platforms. The student will then work with the information collected to create labels for each work of art. Spots will fill quickly for these programs. Come by the Career Centre ASAP for more info and to pick up an application.

Burnaby Art Gallery – Spring Art Camps *Spring Break

Join the BAG as an Artist Assistant with our annual program, *Spring Art Camp*. The candidate will assist the instructor with set-up and cleanup of program supplies, help to monitor the behavior and conduct of program participants, ensure the children are engaged and comfortable in the class and ensure that any problems or issues are reported to the instructor and staff. The student will also be able to recognize when a participant might benefit from extra assistance with an art project or assignment and assist as required. March 17 to 21, 8:30am-3:30pm daily. Spots will fill quickly for these programs. Come by the Career Centre ASAP for more info and to pick up an application.

BMSS Conference Seeking Volunteers - February 27/28

Our school is hosting an Education Assistants Conference in February and is seeking student volunteers. Students are needed on **Thursday, February 27th after school from 3 pm - 5 pm** assisting with bagging snacks for conference attendees and on **Friday, February 28th from 7:45 am - 2:00 pm** as tour guides, greeters, classroom assistants, etc. Come by the Career Centre to sign up.

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 Mondays and Wednesdays from 3:15 - 5:00 pm. They are also looking for a volunteer for their Dungeons and Dragons Club on Thursdays from 3:15 – 5:00. 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.

Code Ninja's

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.

Vancouver International Children's Festival - Seeking Key Volunteers

The Vancouver International Children's Festival (May 26-June 1, 2025 at Granville Island) is seeking student Key Volunteers to take on a greater leadership role. The festival has been educating, entertaining, and inspiring young audiences since 1978. Key Volunteers help recruit other volunteers from our school and take on a more advanced role during the festival. Sharpen your leadership skills, get Work Experience hours, meet great people, and have tons of FUN. Visit <u>https://www.childrensfestival.ca/</u> for more info about the festival. Come by the Career Centre to sign up to be a BMSS Key Volunteer.

Lucky's Doggy Daycare

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Shadbolt Centre for the Arts

The Shadbolt Centre offers volunteer opportunities throughout the year in Fine Arts programs such as Spring Break and Summer Camps, Art Workshops, Special Events, and Community Events. To apply for volunteer opportunities at Shadbolt Centre you must first register as volunteer at MyImpact : https://tinyurl.com/3fmvtkjk. As soon as your application is accepted you will be able to view and sign up for opportunities, and you will be contacted whenever new positions arise. Once you have confirmed a specific volunteer position please stop by the Career Centre to pick up paperwork, so you can record this for work experience hours.

One to One Literacy – Online Tutoring

ONE TO ONE's virtual tutors share their joy of reading and work to build relationships with the students they are reading with. Volunteer tutors for our after-school virtual program read with students in Grades 1-4 over Zoom, from March – May. Reading sessions focus on building literacy skills and self-confidence. We are looking for volunteers who are comfortable with technology to join our training session in Jan or Feb then read to 2 students for 13 weeks; once a week. To apply go to: https://one-to-one.ca/ (disregard the age of 18 requirement and the September start date). You should complete the online Criminal Record Check immediately after you fill in the application. When you are invited to the volunteer orientation please stop by the Career Centre to pick up paperwork so we can count this towards your graduation hours.

Low Entropy Foundation Thrift & Thrive Future Leaders Internship Program

Join the Low Entropy Foundation for their Thrift & Thrive Future Leaders Internship Program starting January 2025. Complete volunteer hours, gain retail, customer service, and cashier experience, receive mentorship and coaching, boost your resume and job prospects, opportunity to be involved in community engagement activities and events, and earn a program certificate and reference letter upon completion of the program. Participants must be 16+. Internship location is at their thrift store: 552 Clarke Rd, Coquitlam. Sign up online at: https://lowentropy.org/programs/employment-services/thrift-thrive-youth-internship/

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 : <u>https://app.betterimpact.com/PublicOrganization/4d580166-d7db-4d55-a867-aabdd6b15b6e/Gvi/72493870-bf25-4090-a5cc-7a927752e6bf/1</u>

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:<u>https://www.burnabyhospice.org/form/thrift-store-volunteer-form</u>

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/

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 : <u>https://tinyurl.com/4yjy93ct</u>

Burnaby Hospital

Burnaby Hospital offers a number of different volunteer opportunities . Job descriptions and an application link can be found at : <u>https://www.fraserhealth.ca/about-us/volunteer-opportunities/volunteer-opportunities-burnaby-hospital</u> Volunteers must be 16 yrs or older, and must commitment to one 3-hour shift per week for 8 months.

Shoppers Drug Mart – Pharmacy, Retail or Cosmetics Department

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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, February 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.

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: <u>https://bcinvasives.ca/take-action/community-science/youth-team/</u>

Port Moody Library – Teen Volunteer Programs

The Port Moody Public Library provides volunteer opportunities for teens to get experience, leadership skills, and volunteer hours working with kids. They are currently accepting applications for the following programs <u>: Book</u> <u>Buddies</u>: Share stories and books with kids to help them improve their reading skills / <u>Code Buddies</u>: Help kids learn how to code in <u>Scratch</u>, a block-based programming language. Build games and animations together. You do not have to know how to code to be a volunteer / <u>Homework Help</u>: Help kids with homework and gain valuable tutoring experience. For more info and to apply go to : <u>https://www.portmoodylibrary.ca/en/programs-and-events/teen-volunteer-programs.aspx</u>

Career Exploration and Leadership Development

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

SFU STEM Speakers Series – Human-centered design of a self-monitoring tool for learning

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 February session speaker is Rimika Chaudhury, a final year PhD student in Computer Science, specializing in Human Computer Interaction. Rimika gained professional experience as a technology educator in an Information Technology company and then as a User Experience designer in a financial technology company. Besides research, three other things that she loves are - food, cats, and story-telling. In this presentation, she will talk a bit about her background as a software developer and educator, and what inspired her to pursue the field of human-computer interaction design. You can join the virtual session on **February 22** from 1:00 – 2:00pm on Zoom. To register go to: https://sciencealive.ca/stem-speaker-seriesz

Green Collar Futures – "Green Economy" Conference

The "green economy" is changing the face of the workplace in B.C. and around the world. Students are invited to experience new career opportunities at this FREE career conference held remotely on Saturday, **March 1**, 2025 from 9:00am – 2:30pm. This day allows you to interact with career mentors who have excelled in and are passionate about their green careers. Many careers are represented like hydrologist, environmental lawyer, affordable housing developer, interior designer, landscape architect, sustainable fashion entrepreneur, robotics engineer, lighting physicist and sustainable financial advisor. For more info and to apply: <u>www.greenbricks.ca</u> **Registration deadline is February 25** (or earlier – space is limited).

JEDI Champions Program (short for Justice, Equity, Decolonization, and Inclusion)

The Federation of Canadian Secondary Students (FCSS) is an entirely non-partisan youth-led charity that aims to inform, educate, and ultimately empower high school students to foster social justice initiatives in their schools and local communities. The JEDI Champions program allows for students to obtain up to a total of 40 community involvement work experience hours. This volunteering program is completely remote and self-paced. The overall goal of the program is to provide students with the opportunity to gain skills required in their academic careers, with an end objective for students to develop a project proposal relating to a world issue. JEDI Champions undergo a comprehensive online learning module to orient themselves to critical social justice theory and approaches before making concrete changes in their local community. To apply go to : https://jedichampions.paperform.co/

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UBC Sauder High School Case Competition

Join the Ultimate Business Challenge for High Schoolers! Are you a Grade 10-12 student passionate about business or curious to learn more? On **March 2**, step into the world of strategy and innovation at the High School Case Competition hosted at the prestigious UBC Sauder School of Business! Participate in interactive workshops led by UBC Sauder students and master the art of analyzing and solving business cases. Compete in teams of 4 to solve real-world business challenges and present your innovative ideas. Gain an insider's look at one of Canada's top business schools. Tickets: \$7. Sign up as a group of 4. Whether you're a budding entrepreneur or looking to develop new skills, this event is your chance to shine! Register at : <u>https://www.showpass.com/cap-case-comp/</u>

March Break Youth4Action Leadership Boot Camp

Join high school youth from across Metro Vancouver who are interested in making a positive impact and taking action for sustainability for a fun, experience-based, leadership program this March break (March 17 – 19). Participants will: Learn about the impacts of climate change on local waterways and drinking water supply; Hear about and suggest strategies (such as adaptation and mitigation) to support healthy waterways in the region; Discover unique sustainability career paths and meet people working at Metro Vancouver; and Visit and tour the Lower Seymour Conservation Reserve and the Seymour Capilano Filtration Plant, **Apply by Wednesday, February 26, 2025** for a spot at this program to develop your leadership skills and learn about sustainability issues! To apply go to : https://metrovancouver.org/school-programs/youth-leadership-events

Career Exploration Work Experience (Pay to attend Programs)

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

Structured Work Experience and Training (S.W.E.A.T.) at LaSalle College *Spring Break

Explore creative career opportunities in our high school workshops as you learn to create project-based portfolio work with industry related technology and equipment. Be inspired! March 24 to 27–8:45 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fee : \$150. Participate in one of our hands-on workshops in the following areas and receive 30 hours of work experience: 3D Modeling & Animation| Digital Media Content Creation | Game Design | Professional Recording Arts | Culinary Arts and Baking & Pastry | Fashion Design | Jewellry Design | Graphic Design | Interior Design. To register visit: https://www.lasallecollegevancouver.com/events/sweat-workshop-mar-2024

Vancouver Film School - Creative Break High School Camps *Spring Break

VFS is offering virtual programs over March Break. Each program explores related careers in the entertainment industry. Workshops are led by experienced professionals. Workshop titles include: Film Production – Cinematic Story Telling, Visual Art & Design, Acting, Animation: Visual Effects for Film, Film Production: Finishing the Story, and Makeup for Stage and Screen. Sign up for the area you are interested in exploring. March 17-18 or March 19-20 or March 24-26 – 9am – 4pm daily. There is a cost to this program - \$200 - \$225. per workshop. To register go to: https://vfs.edu/programs/creative-break

Paid Work Opportunities

Young Women in Public Safety - Student Employment Opportunity

Public Safety Canada is excited to offer the Young Women in Public Safety (YWPS) Program again this July! This unique program has been created to introduce high school female students to diverse and exciting employment opportunities available in the realm of public safety and security. Through this program, we hope to inspire young women to take a leadership role in their communities and pursue a meaningful and exciting career in areas of public safety such as border security, corrections, correctional investigation, community safety, information and intelligence, policy development and more! Students are paid to attend. Note that the priority will be given to grade 11 students. The program takes place from July 7-11, in Surrey. Applications close February 12. To apply go to : https://emploisfp-psjobs.cfp-psc.gc.ca/srs-sre/page01.html?poster=1644&lang=en

Pedalheads - Spring Break

PedalHeads is currently hiring for Bike/Trail Camp Instructor positions starting in March! Come gain leadership skills and work in a fun team environment outdoors helping young children. No experience necessary. Paid training is provided and you must be 16 years of age to apply. For more information and to apply go to: https://workforcenow.adp.com/mascsr/default/mdf/recruitment/recruitment.html?cid=f9bd9e7e-6e77-4e73-b320-a15025f315ac&ccld=19000101_000001&lang=en_CA&jobId=526629

_Post-Secondary Info Sessions

EducationPlannerBC Online Learning Sessions

Education Planner is the website that ALL students will use to apply to all public (and some private) post secondary schools in BC. Join us virtually on <u>Tuesday</u>, **March 4**, 2025</u>, from 6:30-7:30 p.m. This free presentations is open to anyone interested in learning about post-secondary education and career planning. To register go to

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: <u>https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/f8130504-3f04-4850-93f1-91294efe3f96@31f68b85-2fd5-401e-88a4-bda85d3294b0</u>

SFU (Simon Fraser University) – Applicant Workshop

January 29 - Join this virtual workshop specifically designed to help BC high school students complete their applications for Fall 2025 admission. We'll cover admission requirements, how to self-report your grades, important dates, and address topics and frequently asked questions from BC applicants. To register go to : <u>https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/tours-events/events.html</u>

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: Surrey Campus: **February 8** 10am & 12pm. / Burnaby Campus: **February 15** 10am & 12pm. See website for more dates and to register : https://tinyurl.com/3e34jbef

SFU (Simon Fraser University) Pre-recorded Webinars

SFU has a number of recruitment at applicant videos available for students. Topics include "How to: Admissions and Application for BC High School Students", "A day in the Life of a Domestic Student at SFU" and "BC High School Applicants" You can find these videos here: <u>https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/tours-</u>events/past-webinars.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 **February 4th** 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 : <u>https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/events/index.php</u>

UBC (University of British Columbia) – Engineering

Students who have applied to start UBC Engineering at the Vancouver and/or Okanagan campus in September 2025 are invited to attend a number of upcoming online info sessions.

January 29 - You've applied! Now what? All applicants to the Bachelor of Applied Science (Engineering) degree are invited to join us to learn more about your next steps, our programs and what makes UBC Engineering one of the top programs in the world. We'll be ready to answer any questions you have about studying with us.

February 12 - <u>UBC Engineering: Paid Experience With Impact</u> Did you know that you can get paid work experience while studying with us? Did you know that UBC is home to one of the largest co-op programs in Western Canada? Join us to learn how you can apply your learning, get paid, and grow your professional network.

February 26 - <u>UBC Engineering: Find Your Community Here You belong here at UBC Engineering! There are many</u> ways for you to balance your academic life with friends and activities. Join one of our 30+ student design teams, participate in campus-wide clubs, or find recreation activities. There's something for everyone. Come hear from our students about how you can find your community at UBC Engineering.

March 12 - <u>UBC Engineering: Campus to Career, Alumni Insights</u> By graduating from UBC Engineering, you'll join tens of thousands of alumni spread across the world who are making an impact. Join us to hear from our alumni panel and learn how UBC Engineering set them up for success.

April 9 - <u>UBC Engineering: Meet Your First Year Professors</u> Come meet your future professors! Join us to hear directly from our professors on what UBC students can expect from their first year courses and how you can prepare for your first day in September. Students who have applied to start UBC Engineering at the Vancouver and/or Okanagan campus in September 2025 are invited to attend.

For more info and to register go to : <u>https://tinyurl.com/ysuncr97</u>

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

January 30 – Front End Web Developer

February 24- Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)

To register go to : https://www.bcit.ca/events/category/infosession/list/

BCIT Big Info Night - In-person Info Session

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, February 19 from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. at our Burnaby Campus. For more info go to : <u>https://www.bcit.ca/about/visit/big-info/</u>

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Justice Institute of BC (JIBC) - Law Enforcement Info Session

Are you a team player? Are you active in your community, physically and mentally fit, and want to be a sought-after graduate pursuing a rewarding career in law enforcement and public safety? Then this program is for you. Attend our info session on **February 26th** from 6 – 7pm to learn more about the Law Enforcement Studies Diploma (LESD) and discover what it takes to pursue a career in law enforcement or public safety. Learn about the education, applied skills, and specialized knowledge required to become a superior candidate in the recruiting process. Register at : <u>https://www.jibc.ca/event/law-enforcement-studies-diploma-lesd-info-session-0</u>

KPU Discovery Days

Join us for KPU Discovery Days and explore everything we have to offer! These fun-filled events are packed with interactive activities, engaging workshops, and hands-on campus experiences. Come discover our **Langley Campus** on Monday, **February 10**, 2025, from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm and learn more about our Faculty of Health, Horticulture, Melville School of Business, and Faculty of Arts programs. Come discover our **Surrey Campus** on Friday, **February 21**, 2025, from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm and learn more about our Faculty of Arts, Melville School of Business, Fine Arts, and Faculty of Science programs. For more info and to sign up go to : https://www.kpu.ca/discovery-days

Langara College - Online Info Sessions

January 28 – Bachelor of Science in Nursing / Recreation Programs
February 4 – Studio 50 Acting and Production
February 5 – Social Services Worker / We and Mobile App Design
February 6 – Computer Science
February 12 – Educational Assistant Programs / Food & Nutrition Programs
March 5- Applied Science for Engineering
To sign up go to: https://langara.ca/news-and-events/information-sessions/index.html

Douglas College - Online Info Sessions

Douglas College virtual info sessions provide important details such as admissions requirements, co-op opportunities, career pathways, university transfer options, curriculum guidelines and more. Plus, each program-specific information session is led by a faculty member from that program so you get to interact and converse with your future instructor(s). Upcoming session **February 25** at 5pm. See our information session page to find out which programs will be present. For more info and to register go to : <u>https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students/explore-douglas/information-sessions</u>

Vancouver Film School – In Person Open House

Vancouver Film School invites you to take the first step in your creative career at our Open House on Saturday **February 8** from 10am – 1pm. Explore our world-class production centre in-person! From our awardwinning industry production programs to our part-time online offerings, post-graduate degree options, and scholarship opportunities, you will get the full scope of the VFS student experience. Find out what interests you! All 15 of our programs will have dedicated booths for you to explore. For more info go to : <u>https://vfs.edu/events/vfs-open-house-2025</u>