



GRANDVIEW HEIGHTS SECONDARY
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August 2025 Newsletter

Principal's Message:

Dear Grandview Heights students and parents,

I hope that this newsletter finds you and your family well and looking forward to the school year ahead. I am delighted to welcome all our new grade 8 students who will be joining us this year. I would also like to extend a special welcome to our Grade 12s, who will be the graduating class of 2026. I hope our students have had a safe and restful summer and that they are looking forward to the upcoming school year.

We have had some changes to our admin team this year and I would like to extend a warm welcome to our new Vice Principal, Zack Lund who has joined us from Semiahmoo Secondary. I would also like to thank Sue Boucher for her leadership and work over the past two years. Ms. Boucher has left our district to take on a Principalship in the Abbotsford School District.

Opening Day September 2

All students are required to attend on opening day **September 2, 2025** to confirm their registration. For opening day, students will require a pen and paper. The first day includes an extended homeroom so that teachers can go through specific instructions surrounding our extended day schedule this year. Please ensure you have gone into MyEdBC and accessed your class schedule as these will not be handed out in homeroom. If you have difficulty accessing your schedule, please read the included section **"Accessing your schedule on MyEd"** on the next page of this newsletter.

⇒ **Grade 8 students** will meet for a brief assembly in the large Gym at **10:00 am** where they will be introduced to their Block C homeroom teachers who will escort the students to their homeroom class. In homeroom students will be walked through their schedule and receive any additional material from their homeroom teacher, including **Media Release/Technology Access Forms** that must be filled out by parent/guardians and handed in to the school office.

Grades 9, 10, 11 and 12 students will proceed directly to their **Block C Homeroom** class at **12:00 pm**.

⇒ *Students that do NOT have a Block C class should report to the Learning Commons / Library.*

* Parent/Guardians of all students will be receiving via email, **Student Information Verification Forms** – *Please review, make any changes, and return to the office. If there are no changes, please disregard the email, as you will not need to return the form.*

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ACCESSING YOUR SCHEDULE ON MYED

COMMON QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

Our schedule for next year went live Thursday August 21, at 2pm. Students are encouraged over the next two weeks to log into MyEd and view their schedule.

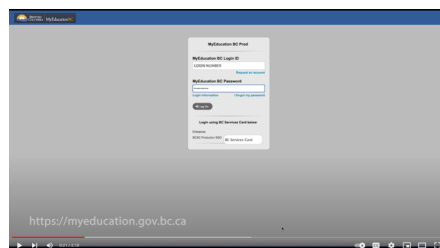
I am in Grade 8 and I don't know how to login to MYEd to view my schedule.

Answer:

We have a video just for you that will lead you through the steps to log in and see your schedule.

Please click on and watch:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QkH8lf-aBRk>



I do not have a username and password and can not access MyEd. How do I get a username and password?

Answer:

If you are new to the school our front office will be emailing you within the next week with your user name and temporary password. If you have not received this email by the end of next week, please call the main office and we will address the issue promptly.

If you are a student at Grandview Heights and *can not* remember your username or password, or it is not working, it may need to be reset. Please fill out the [Password Reset Form](#) found on the school website and App or email us at grandview@surreyschools.ca. Please note due to the volume it may take 2-3 days for a response. Do not panic, you will have up until September 5th to make changes to your schedule based on criteria for course changes.

Grade 11-12 Flex Blocks

Due to our extended day schedule, most grade 11 & 12's will have flex blocks in their schedule.

During this time, students may exit the building. If they choose to stay at school to work, they are asked to remain in the 2nd floor Learning Commons or in the Atrium on the 3rd floor.

Growing as Grizzlies

Over the past few months, we have hired more teachers who are eager to start their work supporting students in their learning this year.

Our student enrolment is over 1900 this year as new families move into our catchment. As many families are aware, our school will be operating on a five-block schedule again this year. We know that this brings opportunities and challenges for many families, and we are here to help in any way we can. The following extended day schedule is as follows:

Grade	8 & 9	Blocks A—D	8:00am - 2:10pm
Grade	10	Blocks B—E	9:25am - 3:35pm
Grade	11 & 12	Blocks A—E	8:00am - 3:35pm (with extended day flex block)

NEW Student Orientation Grades 9-12

For those students in Grades 9-12 who are new to Grandview Heights we have a new student orientation on August 28th from 1pm—2pm. We encourage students to attend if they have any concerns or questions. More information regarding New Student Orientation will be coming out next week.

Vice Principals

I am happy to have an opportunity to work with a great administration team and we look forward to supporting our students and families throughout the year. Please connect with them at any time.

The Vice Principal student last name Alpha breakdown is:

Heather McRobbie **A – H**

Marina Enns **I – R**

Zack Lund **S – Z**

School Cell Phone Usage

We would like to remind all students that use of cell phones during instructional time must be **limited to learning activities under the supervision of the teacher**. We would ask all students to respect teachers' classroom directives regarding cell phone access during class. Outside of class time, we expect positive and respectful cell phone use in accordance with our district and school code of conduct.

In Summary

Grandview Heights Secondary is a learning community where everybody is somebody. Every student at our school is known, valued, and cared for by all who work here. As a staff it is a privilege and an honour to work and support all our students, and this is a responsibility that we take seriously. On behalf of the Administration Team, Ms. McRobbie, Ms. Enns, Mr. Lund, and myself we look forward to welcoming all our students on September 2nd.

Warm Regards,



Principal, Grandview Heights Secondary

Darren Bedard



COUNSELLING DEPARTMENT SEPTEMBER 2025 OPENING INFORMATION

Welcome back Grizzlies!

2025-2026 Counselling Caseloads

(Based on student last name)

Ms. K. Shantz	A - Di
Ms. L. Perizzolo	Dj - Khana
Ms. S. Sarai	Khand - Mor
Ms. K. Reilly	Mos - Sun
Ms. N. Sidhu	Suo - Z

New Registrations and Tour

We invite all **new students/families** to a new student tour and orientation taking place on **Thursday, August 28th, 2025** at **1:00 PM**. Counsellors will be on hand to help answer any questions.

We look forward to welcoming all our new Grizzlies!

Course Changes

Student schedules will be live on **MyEdBC** as of **Thursday, August 21st at 2PM**.

All course change requests will be completed via the online form which will be open on Thursday, August 21st at 4PM and will be open until September 5th at 2PM.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=z-m0CBOBDUK6B1L31N-KzS1YQC6Z1G1Ami-4WluefnNUQINZUU44TEFNmKFFSlpSU1cyVjU3UjRKQ4u>

Any changes that can be made, will be completed by Friday, September 5th at 3 pm. Please review your schedule on MYEDBC regularly, if a change is possible, it will be reflected there. If a change was not made, it is because it was not possible. Please do not email or Teams message your counsellor to inquire. Most importantly, please only fill out the form 1 time, all other entries will not be considered. All grade 11 and 12 student schedules will have a Flex Block in each semester. The Counselling Department appreciates your patience. Please ensure that you check MYEDBC, if your change is possible, it will be reflected there.

Schedules to be considered for changes:

- An incomplete schedule
- An unbalanced schedule
- Courses needed to meet graduation requirements
- Changes required due to completion of summer school/online courses

The counselling office will be closed to in person appointments until Monday, September 8th, 2025, as requests are being processed. If you need to see your counsellor prior to September 8th for a reason other than course change requests, please send an email or Teams message and your counsellor will send you an appointment time.

Summary of Important Dates

Form for course change requests
August 21st - September 5th, 2025

Regular appointments open and
all course changes are complete
September 8th onwards

Thank you for your support in this process. We look forward to our work together this year. Grandview Heights Counselling Department



GRADE 8 DAY

This year we are thrilled to bring our Grade 8 Grizzlies together on a **Boat Cruise** from Vancouver Harbour for Grade 8 Day this year. Students will have a wonderful opportunity to meet and learn about each others experiences so far at Grandview Heights while enjoying the on-board concession that will be available for students to purchase snacks and drinks.

Date: **Thursday, September 25th**

Cost: **\$55 per student - Payment to be made on School Cash Online starting August 26**

Time: **Taking place during the regular school day**

Transportation: **Students will travel on buses provided by the school**



More Details to Follow in the first couple weeks of school...

STUDENT AND FAMILY AFFORDABILITY FUND

Dear Families,

The Student and Family Affordability Fund (SFAF), introduced as one-time funding by the provincial government in 2022, has played a vital role in helping us support students and families across our district.

Through strategic partnerships and flexible use of resources, we extended its reach well beyond its original scope. Thanks to this support, many students accessed meals, essential supplies, and fully participated in school life without financial barriers.

The SFAF wound down at the end of the 24/25 school year, we know this change may be challenging. We remain committed to doing all we can to ensure every student continues to feel included, supported and set up for success.

Sincerely,

Principal, Grandview Heights Secondary

Darren Bedard



IMPORTANT RESOURCES

Click the links below to access digital files from the [school website](#)

- ◆ [Bell Schedule](#) ◆ [Calendar](#) ◆ [School Fees List](#) ◆ [Student Lockers](#) ◆ [Locker Map](#) ◆ [Grandview App](#)
- ◆ [School Map](#) ◆ [Parking Map](#) ◆ [Paying Fees Help](#) ◆ [How to open your locker](#) ◆ [Office365 Help](#)
- ◆ [Student Event Form](#) - To request the ability run activities like fundraisers or performances during school hours.
- ◆ [School Clubs](#) - On this page you will find a list of current school clubs along with forms for registering a club and requesting approval for events and resources. **Club leaders from last year please remember to re-register your club for the new school year.** School club lists are reset each year.



GETTING A LOCKER

We will be allowing students to sign-up, starting on August 26th, to use one locker at Grandview Heights Secondary, for this school year.

If you are **NOT** planning to use a locker, **PLEASE DO NOT RESERVE ONE!**

Students will use the grandview.lockerassignment.com site to select their locker at GHS. Please read and follow all instructions on the Locker Sign-up site carefully. A map of locker numbers can be downloaded from the locker site or the school resources, [here!](#)

Locker selection will be available to students as below:

Grade 12's – Sign up begins at 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2025

Grade 11's – Sign up begins at 4:00 p.m. on August 27, 2025

Grade 10's – Sign up begins at 7:00 p.m. on August 27, 2025

Grade 9's – Sign up begins at 4:00 p.m. on August 28, 2025

Grade 8's – Sign up begins at 7:00 p.m. on August 26, 2025

User name is your pupil # and the password is your first & last initials with your pupil # again. Student numbers can be found under the parent or student portal on the demographics tab for each student in the MYEDBC Portal.

**** Please be aware - once a locker is selected, changes cannot be made to the locker location.**

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School photos are scheduled for the following dates:

Photo Day: **Thursday , September 11, 2025**

Retake Day: Tuesday, October 7, 2025

Please visit Artona Group's website for details on how to order school photos ->

<https://www.artona.com/schools/GRVD>

Grad Photos: Will be in the Artona Mobile Studio that will be parked in our school's parking lot.

Dates: **November 22nd to 30th, 2025**

A link will be sent out when you are able to book your Grad photo appointments!!!

Are You Moving?

Are you changing schools and not returning to Grandview Heights Secondary?

⇒ **Please notify the office so we can update our records and ensure that your student file is forwarded to your new school.**



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2025 / 2026 BELL SCHEDULE

PERIOD LENGTH	START TIME - END TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
80 MINUTES	8:00am - 9:20am	A	A	A	A	A
80 MINUTES	9:25am - 10:45am	B	C	B	D	B
40 MINUTES	10:45am - 11:25am	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
80 MINUTES	11:25am - 12:45pm	C	D	C	B	C
80 MINUTES	12:50pm - 2:10pm	D	B	D	C	D
80 MINUTES	2:15pm - 3:35pm	E	E	E	E	E

SHORTENED DAYS
(50 MINUTE BLOCKS)

PERIOD 1
8:00am - 8:50am

PERIOD 2
8:55am - 9:45am

PERIOD 3
9:50am - 10:40am

LUNCH
10:40am - 11:20am

PERIOD 4
11:20am - 12:10pm

PERIOD 5
12:15pm - 1:05pm

MONTHLY STAFF MEETINGS
1:15pm - 2:15pm

Grade 8 & 9 Blocks A—D 8:00am - 2:10pm
Grade 10 Blocks B—E 9:25am - 3:35pm
Grade 11 & 12 Blocks A—E 8:00am - 3:35pm (with extended day flex block)



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2025-2026 SCHOOL FEES

Basic Student Fee:

Student Activity Fee (Required for all students)..... \$25

(Student fee is directed to Student Council, Grizzlie's App, Athletics, Locks, and Student Events)

Grad Fee (Required for Grade 12 students only) \$50

(Grad Fee includes the Commencement, Cap and Gown, and Commemorative Graduation Certificate)

ATHLETIC FEES:

Volleyball	\$100
Basketball	\$80
Rugby	\$85
Soccer	\$70
Ball Hockey	\$80
Aquatics	\$40
Cross Country	\$40
Track & Field	\$40
Badminton	\$80
Ultimate	\$60
Golf	\$60
Hockey Team	\$150
Specialty Program: High Performance Hockey Skills Program	\$1750

Science Dept: Workbooks (optional but recommended)

BC Science 8: Connections	\$18
BC Science 9: Connections	\$18
BC Science 10: Connections	\$18

Math Dept: Workbooks (optional but recommended)

Pre Calculus 11	\$30
Pre Calculus 12	\$30
Calculus 12	\$39.95
Foundations of Math 11	\$28.50
Foundations of Math 12	\$28.50
Advance Placement Exam (optional)	\$125

English Dept

Advance Placement Exam (optional)	\$125
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Business Education Dept Workbook (optional but recommended)

Accounting	\$30.75
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ADST FOODS & TEXTILES: Optional Enhancement to Program

Foods/Textile 8 Rotation	\$20
Foods 9-12	\$50
Baking and Pastry 11/12	\$50
Foods and Fashion 9	\$50
Textiles 9-12	\$30

ADST TECH ED: Optional Enhancement to Program

Gr 8. Tech Ed (Woodwork & Metalwork)	\$25
Gr 9-12 Woodwork	\$30
Gr 9-12 Metalwork	\$40

ADST FINE ARTS – CERAMICS: Optional Enhancement to Program

Ceramics Enhancement Fee	\$30
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ADST DANCE COMPANY: Optional Enhancement to Program

Dance Enhancement Fee	\$50
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Families who are unable to pay part, or all fees, should contact the school. All requests to waive fees will be kept confidential.

STUDENT BIKES, SCOOTERS & BOARDS

Students and Guardians. Please make sure you have the necessary equipment to secure your personal transportation devices to one of the provided parking racks surrounding the outside of the school.

Scooters, Skateboards, Bikes and like devices will not be permitted to be stored in the school office or other general inside areas as this can create a safety hazard.

We thank everyone for understanding!



SCHOOL CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS



SEPTEMBER 2025

- 1 Labour Day - *School Closed*
- 2 School Opens—Orientation Day
 - ◆ Gr.8, 10:00am to 11:00am
 - ◆ Gr.9-12, 12pm to 12:30pm
- 3 Regular Classes Begin
- 5 Grizzly Welcome Day Activities
- 10 Grade 8-12 Assemblies
- 11 Photo Day
- 19 GHS Terry Fox Run
- 23 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 25 Grade 8 Day Boat Cruise
- 25 PAC Meeting: 7:00PM
- 26 Orange Shirt Day
- 29 Non-Instructional Day
- 30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - *School Closed*

OCTOBER 2025

- 6 Grade 8 Rotation 1 Ends
- 7 Photo Re-Takes in Afternoon
- 7 Grade 8 Rotation 2 Begins
- 13 Thanksgiving Day - *School Closed*
- 15 9:30am - Gr.8 Social Media & Cyber Security Presentation, Gym
- 15 Science Co-Op Work Exp.A Begins
- 17 Student Vote activities ongoing
- 22 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 22 Parent/Teacher Open House
-> 2:30pm - 5:30pm
- 24 Non-Instructional Day
- 27 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 28 PAC Meeting Online @ 7:00PM
- 29 Fall Music Concert
- 29 Halloween Fashion Show for students at lunch in Large Gym

NOVEMBER 2025

- 2 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- 3 Science Co-Op Work Exp. A Ends
- 3 CLC Work Experience A Begins
- 3-7 Literacy 10 Assessment Week
- 4 Fall Jazz Music Night
- 5 Take Our Kids to Work Day
- 7 Remembrance Day Assembly
- 7 Grade 8 Rotation 2 Ends
- 10 Non-Instructional Day
- 11 Remembrance Day-School Closed
- 12 Grade 8 Rotation 3 Begins
- 22-30 GRAD Photo Studio on Site
- 24 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 26 CLE 10 Mock Interviews
- 26 Polar Pop-Up Art Fundraiser
- 27 Report Cards Issued Online
- 27 PAC Meeting Online @ 7:00PM
- 27 Winter Formal @ Mirage
- 27 Banquet Hall, 5:30PM - 9:30PM
- 28 GRAH Newsletter #2

DECEMBER 2025

- 2 Grade 9 Immunizations @ school
- 4 Science Co-Op Work Exp.B Begins
- 8 GRAD Friendship Group Photos
- 11 Grade 8 Rotation 3 Ends
- 12 Grade 8 Rotation 4 Begins
- 19 CLC Work Experience A Ends
- 19 Science Co-Op Work Exp.B Ends
- 19 Last Day of Classes Before Break
- 22-J.2 Winter Break

JANUARY 2026

- 5 School Re-Opens
-Regular Classes Resume
- 12-16 Literacy 12 Assessment Week 1
- 19-23 Literacy 12 Assessment Week 2
- 15 Black Excellence / Shirt Day
- 21 CLC 12 Capstone Presentations
- 23 Grade 8 Rotation 4 Ends
- 26-27 Semester Completion Days
- 27 New Student Orientation - 10am
- 28 Semester 2 Begins
- 28 Grade 8 Rotation 5 Begins

FEBRUARY 2026

- 5 Report Cards Issued Online
- 12 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 16 Family Day - *School Closed*
- 20 Non-Instructional Day
- 23 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 25 Pink Shirt Day
- 27 Grade 8 Rotation 5 Ends

MARCH 2026

- 2 Grade 8 Rotation 6 Begins
- 2 Grade 10 Cyber Security Presentation in Gym, Block C
- 5 & 12 Grade 9 Immunizations @ school
- 6 Jazz & Java Night @ 7:00PM
- 6 GRAH Newsletter #3
- 8 Daylight Savings Time Begins
- 16-27 Spring Break
- 30 School Re-Opens

APRIL 2026

- 3 Good Friday - *School Closed*
- 6 Easter Monday - *School Closed*
- 8 Spring Music Concert @ 7PM
- 9 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 9 Parent/Teacher Open House
-> 2:30pm - 5:30pm
- 10 Vaisakhi Celebrations - In School
- 13 Grade 9 Immunizations @ school
- 15 GRAD Info Assembly Gym, Blk E
- 15 Gr.12 Parent Meeting about Dinner, Dance, Dry Grad @ 6PM
- 17 Grade 8 Rotation 6 Ends
- 20 Grade 8 Rotation 7 Begins
- 20-24 Numeracy 10 Assessment Week
- 23 PAC Meeting at 7PM
- 27 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 29 GRAD Boat Cruise

MAY 2026

- 1 Non-Instructional Day
- 4 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 5 AP Chemistry Exams @ 8AM
- 6 CLE 10 Mock Interviews
- 6 AP English Exams @ 8AM
- 7 Report Cards Issued Online
- 7 AP Statistics Exams @ 12PM
- 8 AP Macroeconomics Exam, 12PM
- 11 AP Calculus Exams @ 8AM
- 13 Hum. Co-Op Work Exp.B Begins
- 14 ICBC Assembly in Gym, Block D
- 18 Victoria Day - School Closed
- 20 Grade 8 Rotation 7 Ends
- 21 Gr.7 Family of Schools Tour, 6:30p
- 21 Grade 8 Rotation 8 Begins
- 25 Non-Instructional Day
- 26 Early Dismissal Schedule
- 27 Commencement Rehearsal, Blk E
- 28 Commencement at 6:30PM
- 29 Hum. Co-Op Work Exp.B Ends

JUNE 2026

- 2 Athletics Award Night, 4PM
- 4 PAC Meeting at 7PM
- 5 All Library Books Due for Return
- 8-12 Literacy 12 Assessment Week 3
- 11 Year End Music Concert, 6:30PM
- 12 GRAH Newsletter #4
- 15-19 Literacy 12 Assessment Week 4
- 16 Gr.11/12 Transitions Mtng. 6PM
- 18 Locker Clean Up Day
- 19 Grade 8 Rotation 8 Ends
- 19 Last Day of Classes
- 22 CLC 12 Capstone Presentations
- 22-24 Semester Completion Days
- 25 Report Cards Issued Online
- 25 GRAD Dinner & Dance
- 26 Administrative Day
- 26 Schools Close for Summer Break

SCHOOL BUSING INFORMATION

The following communication is relayed from [District Student Bus Services](#):

STUDENTS MUST RE-APPLY FOR BUSING PRIOR TO EACH NEW SCHOOL YEAR.

All students: Students who apply after the June 30 deadline are not guaranteed a seat on the bus. Eligible families can still apply for busing for any seats that may be remaining, however, applications submitted after the June 30 deadline will not be processed until **beginning September 15 and may take up to 10 school days**. There will not be any seats available for late Courtesy (fee paying) students.

As pre-registration has closed, district busing services is asking parents to please fill out the '[APPLY for STUDENT BUSING form.pdf](#)' found on the Student Bus Services Page linked above. Ensure you SAVE the document **with an identifiable name** before emailing to Transportation.

Families are responsible for transporting their student to and from school, and will need to make alternate transportation arrangements for their student until such time as a seat may be awarded.

Eligible students:

Bus service starts the second day of school and goes according to the pickup and drop off times indicated on the bus schedule. **LATE** Eligible student applications will be advised within ten (10) school days **after processing** if their student has been awarded a seat (processing begins September 15).

Courtesy students:

There may be a very limited number of seats available for purchase. Your student may have received a seat in previous years, but may not receive a seat for the current school year. **Courtesy students are not guaranteed a seat on the bus** since the number of eligible applications vary from year to year. Please ensure you have another source of transportation set up for your students in the event they are not awarded a seat. Only if buses are not at full capacity will there be extra seats available and offered to paying courtesy riders.

If there are seats remaining for Courtesy students that have applied by the June 30 deadline, Transportation will advise the school beginning October 1. (Actual date of registration submission has no bearing on Courtesy seat assignment as long as it meets the deadline. Courtesy students are seated using a complex set of criteria beginning with farthest distance from the school (in-catchment). If seats still remain the criteria broadens.)

The school will then contact the parent / guardian if a seat is available for your student - in which case the school will then collect payment before the student is awarded the seat. Courtesy families will be invoiced a prorated yearly fee of \$30 per full/partial month for the first student (\$15 for siblings) for the remainder of the 2025-26 school year. Once payment has been made a schedule and bus pass will then be provided. Alternatively, families will be contacted by Transportation **directly** beginning October 1st if there are no seats remaining for your student.

All students must have an authorized schedule for the 2025-26 school year in order to board the bus, until the printed pass card is received. Students without an authorized schedule will be refused to ride. Students will not be permitted to ride another bus route or board at times other than indicated on their schedule.

For more information on busing or to apply to get busing for your student, please visit the [Student Bus Services](#) webpage.

MEDICAL ALERTS

Parents/Guardians are responsible to update the school with any medical issues.

A Medical Alert condition is defined as a physician diagnosed, potentially life threatening condition such as:

- Diabetes.
- Epilepsy.
- Anaphylaxis
(history of a severe allergic response which requires planned support inside as well as outside the school environment).
- Severe Asthma
(history of episodes requiring immediate medical treatment or a history of requiring immediate medication).
- Blood clotting disorders such as hemophilia that require immediate medical care in the event of injury.
- Serious heart conditions.
- Other conditions which may require emergency care and/or the administration of medication as determined in consultation with parents/student/family physician, school and Medical Health Officer or designate.

To update, please email grandview@surreyschools.ca . Forms can be obtained from “[Parent Resources](#)” on our website or by visiting the school office.

In emergency situations, the parent/guardian or emergency contact shall be contacted.

As per District policy, we are unable to provide students with any over-the-counter medication (example: Advil, Tylenol).

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

- Newsletters will be emailed to all parents and be posted on our school website and app. You can reach us by phone at 604-542-3320 or by email at grandview@surreyschools.ca
- Parent may report a student’s absence by calling the school or by emailing grandviewheightsabsentee@surreyschools.ca . **Please be aware that text messages to student phones can not be accepted.**
- Please remember to pay school fees at [School Cash Online](https://surreyschools.schoolcashionline.com/). School fees can also be paid by cash or cheque at the office. <https://surreyschools.schoolcashionline.com/>
- We would also like to invite you to follow us on our website and social media for the latest news with regards to your great school.
- Visit our website www.surreyschools.ca/grandviewheights for school information and our school calendar.

PARKING / DROP-OFFS & PICK-UP INSTRUCTIONS

Grandview Heights Secondary Administration, staff and school PAC has worked together with the Surrey School District and City of Surrey to address some of the many traffic and safety concerns in and around our school property. I would like to thank our PACs transportation committee for their leadership and help with our work together. We have included a school traffic flow map and general updates to ensure student and staff safety remains a top priority during the morning drop off and afternoon pick up times. Please review the following information and be sure to adhere to all instructions included in this communication.

The major concerns are regarding the South-West Entrance way that runs along the West side of the Main office and in front of the Theatre. In particular, the congestion that is created when the Visitor Parking and the Accessible Parking spaces are used for the drop-off and pick-up of students is an issue that we would like to bring to everyone's attention. **We ask that vehicles do not pull into, and then out of, the Staff & Student Parking Lot or any Accessible Parking spaces for the purpose of drop-offs or pick-ups.**

Student Drop-Off and Pick-Up. For parents dropping off students at school, there are two laneways which run along the South side of the main classroom section of Grandview Heights. Vehicles will need to travel towards the far South-East part of the school property to enter these lanes and turn left to enter these lanes and head West through the laneways. The laneway furthest to the South has angled visitor parking spaces, while the laneway North of this is designed for vehicles to pull parallel to the curb to allow for exit and entrance to vehicles by students. **Please be aware that the doors on the East side of the building are available for students to enter the school through in the morning.**

Student Parking – Students parking vehicles on school property are required to park in the North-West section of the parking lot that sits to the West of the Tech-Ed Shops. **A student parking pass may be obtained from the main office.**

**Please always drive carefully and slowly while on school property
& do not enter or travel through the Bus Lane.**



2025-2026 District Calendar

Legend	
	Schools open/reopen
	Non-instructional day (no classes)
	Schools closed

	Sept. 1, 2025	Labour Day
	Sept. 2, 2025	Schools open
	Sept. 29, 2025	Non-instructional day
	Sept. 30, 2025	National Day for Truth & Reconciliation
	Oct. 13, 2025	Thanksgiving Day
	Oct. 24, 2025	Non-instructional day
	Nov. 10, 2025	Non-instructional day
	Nov. 11, 2025	Remembrance Day
	Dec. 22 - Jan. 2, 2026	Winter break
	Jan. 5, 2026	Schools re-open after winter break
	Feb. 16, 2026	Family Day
	Feb. 20, 2026	Non-instructional day
	Mar. 16 - Mar. 20, 2026	Spring break
	Mar. 23 - Mar. 27, 2026	School closure days
	Mar. 30, 2026	Schools re-open after spring break
	April 3, 2026	Good Friday
	April 6, 2026	Easter Monday
	May 1, 2026	Non-instructional day
	May 18, 2026	Victoria Day
	May 25, 2026	Non-instructional day
	June 26, 2026	Administrative day/schools close

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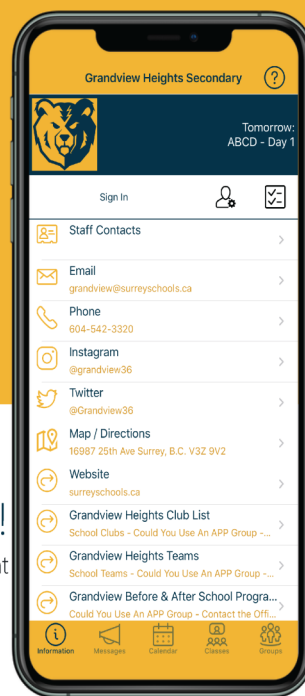
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