



May, 2018

# Bayview Community School

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Ms. B. Biorn-Principal

## Student Learning Survey Results

Each year, students in Grades 4 and 7 complete the Student Learning Survey which is a survey produced by the B.C. Ministry of Education. The survey covers a range of topics, providing a comprehensive picture of the educational experience in B.C. public schools. Questions were developed with input from partner groups, teachers and experts in educational measurement and special education. Teachers conduct the survey and this year Mr. T. helped and took the students through the survey. We wanted to share some of the results with you and while it is good to keep in mind that the survey was just done with Grade 4's and 7's, it does give us a snapshot of how our students are feeling. As our school goals focus on Aboriginal Education and Social Emotional Learning, we are sharing results from those two areas. If you would like to see the full results, please see Ms. Biorn at the office.

Question	Grade 4	Grade 7
Do you feel welcome at your school?	80 % (most or all of the time)	65% (most or all of the time)
At your school, how many adults do you feel care about you? (for example, teachers, counsellors, support staff)	3 or more (65%)	3 or more (55%)
Are you learning about First Peoples at school?	64% (most or all of the time)	45% (most or all of the time)
Does school make you feel stressed or worried?	36% (never or few times)	25% (at no time or few times)
At school, I am learning how to solve problems in peaceful ways	57% (most of the time or all of the time)	55% (agree or strongly agree)

As a staff, we will be looking at these results and incorporating them into our plans for our school goal. We will continue to work with our inquiry groups and discuss areas of growth and ways to improve.

## Upcoming Events



### Volunteer/Parent Tea June 8, 2018

Please join us on Friday, June 8 when staff will have a chance to show their appreciation for everything our parents and volunteers do at Bayview. We recognize that all parents contribute in many ways, from driving for field trips, selling popcorn, or ensuring your child comes to school every day prepared to learn. We will be having a special assembly followed by coffee and treats in the library.

### Important Events

#### May

- 9 PAC Meeting 6:30 pm
- 17 Sports Day
- 18 School Closure Day-school not in session
- 21 Victoria Day Holiday
- 22 Tennis Starts
- 24 Welcome to Kindergarten

#### June

- 7 Landfill Harmonic Performar
- 8 Parent/Volunteer Tea
- 11-13 Grade 6/7 Camp
- 14 Athletic Banquet
- 19 Grade 7 Farewell
- 21 National Aboriginal Day
- 25-27 Beach Days
- 28 Last Day for Students  
Year End Assembly  
Report Cards Home





### **\*Host an International Student - Join Langara Homestay\***

Langara College invites you and your family to join our highly regarded Homestay Program by hosting a VSB international student this year. Our students come from Europe, Asia and South America - usually stay for five to 10 months and are keen to experience life with a Vancouver family. Generous reimbursement is provided. Please call [604.323.5696](tel:604.323.5696) or email [homestay@langara.ca](mailto:homestay@langara.ca) for more information.

### **Road Closures, Sunday, May 6, BMO Vancouver Marathon**

On May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018, the BMO Vancouver Marathon will be running near your school. There will be some temporary traffic changes that day; please follow this link for a map of the route. <http://bmovanmarathon.ca/runvan-marathon/course-maps-vancouver>. We also hope that they can bring their children out to show their spirit and come cheer on the runners. People like you make all the difference in lifting runners' spirits and engaging the community.



### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CATCHMENT AREAS REVIEW**

## **Public information sessions**

Please join us at one of our upcoming public information sessions. Learn more about the catchment area boundaries review process currently underway.

We have reviewed the catchment area boundaries for select elementary schools, including some in Kitsilano, downtown and the Cambie corridor. We are reviewing schools that have full enrolment and are projected to have enrolment pressure in the future.

#### **May 10 | 4:00pm to 6:30pm**

Sir Charles Tupper Secondary  
419 East 24th Ave, Vancouver

#### **May 15 | 4:00pm to 6:30pm**

Kitsilano Secondary School  
2706 Trafalgar Street, Vancouver

#### **May 22 | 4:00pm to 6:30pm**

King George Secondary School  
1755 Barclary Street, Vancouver

To learn more please visit [vsb.bc.ca/catchments](http://vsb.bc.ca/catchments)

### **Sports Day 2018-Fun in the Sun!**

Please join us on **Thursday, May 17** for our annual Sports Day. This year our theme will be Tropical and we encourage students to dress for the theme (sunglasses, beach hats, tropical wear, etc) and in their family team colours (Red, Blue, Green or Yellow). Family Team groups (Kindergarten to Grade 7) will be taking part in stations that our Grade 7 students have created. Our Family Teams have been very successful this year with our senior students taking on a leadership role and our school continuing to work on strengthening our community. All the stations will take place on our school field. We will send home a notice with more detailed information very soon.



### **Volunteers Needed!**

We need volunteers to help with sports day snacks; if you are able to help, please contact Carmen Lang at [carmen.lang@gmail.com](mailto:carmen.lang@gmail.com).



## **Fall 2018 Registration**

# **Open House**

**Friday May 11th, 2018**

**12:30 pm - 2:30 pm**

**Preschool Room**

**2251 Collingwood St Vancouver**

Registration is on a first come first serve basis

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Children required to turn 3 years old by December 31

Mondays & Wednesdays: 9:05am - 11:35am & 12:45pm - 3:15pm  
fridays 9:05am - 11:35am

[www.bayviewpreschool.com](http://www.bayviewpreschool.com)

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### **Kits Centennial May 12**

Kitsilano Secondary School is hosting its Centennial Celebration on May 12, 2018. Join other former students, administrators, teachers and staff, at the school and explore the rich history that makes Kitsilano such an amazing place to be. Travel back to your time at Kits while visiting the decade rooms full of school archives and memories. Share stories of your days as a Kitsie with the current generation of students who are excited to host this special event.

See [kits100.org](http://kits100.org) for updates and ticket information.



## **Does your family live in an apartment?**

Take our survey to help create better guidelines



The city is modernizing its "High-Density Housing for Families with Children Guidelines".

Share your needs and preferences and how your family lives when it comes to apartment buildings.

Take our survey at [Vancouver.ca/familyroom](http://Vancouver.ca/familyroom)  
Closes May 22nd, 2018.

Has your family modified your apartment to better suit your needs? If so, we would love to see. Post a photo to Instagram or Twitter using the hashtag **#VanFamilyRoom** by **May 22, 2018** for your chance to win a Mini City Hall.



### **Used Book Sale-A Huge Success!**

Thank you very much for supporting our bake sale and used book sale. We were able to raise **\$1450** to use to buy new books for our library! Congratulations to Divisions 7, 6 and 4 who brought in the most items for the sale. A special thank you to our parent volunteers and especially **Maria Dos Santos** for the many hours they spent sorting and organizing the thousands of books that were brought to school. Also thank you to **Ms. Wali, Ms. Wyss, and Ms. Whitelaw** for their help with our many student volunteers. Our student volunteers led by **Navya Gadhiraaju** for the amazing effort they put into this fundraiser. The event was certainly a team effort!

## BAYVIEW CALENDAR 2018-19

This is a schedule of Professional Development Days, Holidays and Early Dismissal Days. A more detailed calendar will be sent out next month.

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>				
TUES	04	First Day of School	9: 00 -10:00	Gr.1-7 Students return to former classrooms. New students -library. Kindergarten -lunchroom
WED	05	First full day for gr. 1 - 7 students	9:00 - 3:00	(see gradual entry schedule for Ks)
THURS	20	Open House / Meet the Staff	6:00-7:00 pm	Tour school, meet Bayview Staff & families
FRI	21	Professional Development Day	NO SCHOOL	School Based (No school for students)
FRI	28	Annual Terry Fox Run	1 pm	
<b>OCTOBER</b>				
MON	08	Thanksgiving Day	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
FRI	19	Professional Development Day	NO SCHOOL	NO SCHOOL for students (Province-wide)
<b>NOVEMBER</b>				
TUES	06	Parent-Teacher Conferences	2:00 pm	EARLY DISMISSAL
WED	07	Parent-Teacher Conferences	2:00 pm	EARLY DISMISSAL
THURS	08	Remembrance Day Assembly	10:50	
FRI	09	Professional Development- Curriculum	NO SCHOOL	District wide (No school for students)
MON	12	Remembrance Day Holiday	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
<b>DECEMBER</b>				
FRI	22	Last Day before Winter Break		
		Winter vacation period Dec. 23 – Jan.0 7		
<b>JANUARY</b>				
MON	07	FIRST DAY BACK FROM WINTER BREAK	FULL DAY	
THURS	31	Report Cards Home		
<b>FEBRUARY</b>				
MON	04	Professional Development	NO SCHOOL	School Based (No school for students)
FRI	15	Professional Development-Curriculum	NO SCHOOL	District Wide (NO SCHOOL for students)
FEB	18	Family Day	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
<b>MARCH</b>				
WED	06	Parent-Teacher Conferences	2:00 pm	EARLY DISMISSAL
THURS	07	Parent-Teacher Conferences	2:00 pm	EARLY DISMISSAL
FRI	15	LAST DAY BEFORE SPRING BREAK		
	18-29	Spring Break		Spring Vacation (Mar. 18-29)
<b>APRIL</b>				
MON	01	School Reopens after Spring Vacation	NO SCHOOL	
FRI	19	Good Friday	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
MON	22	Easter Monday	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
MON	29	Professional Development	NO SCHOOL	District Wide (NO SCHOOL for students)
<b>MAY</b>				
FRI	17	Professional Development Day	NO SCHOOL	District Wide (NO SCHOOL for students)
MON	20	Victoria Day Holiday	NO SCHOOL	STATUTORY HOLIDAY
<b>JUNE</b>				
THURS	27	Last day for students - Term 3 reports	9:00 -3:00	Enjoy your summer!!
FRI	28	Administrative Day		NO SCHOOL for students

