



WINDERMERE WEEK AT A GLANCE

SEPTEMBER 10 – 14, 2018

Monday September 10	Tuesday September 11	Wednesday September 12	Thursday September 13	Friday September 14
Day 2 8:40-3:03	Day 1 8:40-3:03	Day 2 9:20-3:03 Collaborative Day 1	Day 1 8:40-3:03	Day 2 8:40-3:03

Welcome back! The staff and administration at Windermere Secondary School wish each student a very successful school year.

The Windermere Week At A Glance (WAAG) is published weekly. Please review the 'EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION' section for details about upcoming events and check the 'DATES TO REMEMBER' section for reminders of important dates.

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES AND INFORMATION

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

We believe that the communication of school information and events contributes to strong partnerships with families in the support of their children in school success. We have a variety of ways in which school information can be communicated to you and for you to keep informed about what is happening in the school. Please consider the following to receive school information in a timely manner:

1. Bookmark the school website and check regularly.
<http://windermere.vsb.bc.ca>
2. Follow us on Twitter (@Windermere_VSB)
3. Ensure that we have your correct email address.
Email us at windermere@vsb.bc.ca for any updates.

Student Verification + Media Release + CASL + AUP Forms

This is a reminder to return your completed and signed school forms to the school office if you haven't done so already. Please ensure that forms have the correct contact information, email and phone information, home address, personal information and medical details. Keep forms stapled together. If your forms have been misplaced, please go to the Office to request replacement forms.

School Fees

School fees can be paid by debit or credit or cheque online using [School Cash Online](#). You will need to register first and then be able to pay online. Alternatively, school fees will also be accepted by Ms. Johnston in the school office. If paying by cheque, please make payable to "Windermere Secondary School".

Kids Plus Student Accident Insurance

Information about the *Kids Plus Student Accident Insurance Program* is now available online at kidsplus.ca/resources. To purchase coverage for your child, go to kidsplus.ca. This coverage is not mandatory but will provide some compensation in case of accident or injury. Please note that the insurance is strictly an arrangement between you and the insurance carrier and all inquiries should be made directly to them either by phone at 1.800.556.7411 or by email kidsplus@ia.ca.

Homework HELP Starts September 10

Homework HELP **HOMWORK.EAT.LEARN.PLAY** happens every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 3:10 – 4:15 PM in the Cafeteria. Get help with school work. Snacks are provided.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

September 10	Homework H.E.L.P begins
September 11	Grade Assemblies
September 12	Collaborative Time
September 12	Tutorial Time begins
September 14	Back to School Festival
September 21	Professional Day
September 25	Photo Day
September 26	Collaborative Time
September 26	Grade 12 Parent Info. Night 6:30 – 7:30 PM
September 30	Orange Shirt Day

Work Experience Assignments Due September 14

Summer assignments for grade 12 Work Experience students are due on **Friday, September 14**. Please bring assignments in person to the Career Centre (228) at lunch or after school (until 3:15 PM). Note, when you submit assignments, you must sign off on Ms. Bulietta's class roster.

School Photo Day – September 25

All students will have a school photo taken by Artona Studios. Students are expected to dress appropriately as their photo will be used to create a student 'Go-card' used for school ID and to ride transit. A brochure with a variety of photo packages and instructions on how to order and pay for photos was sent home with your son/daughter. Please note, Grad Photos are December 2-5. Book now for an appointment at: <https://artona.com/schools/WDER/programs/graduation>

Grade 12 Parent Information Night – September 26

All grade 12 parents and students are invited to join us on **Wednesday, September 26, 6:30 – 7:30 PM** in the auditorium for an information session about post secondary options, program requirements, scholarships and grad activities. Information about grad events and the upcoming school year will be shared by the counselling department and administration.

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