

January 15 – January 19, 2024				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
January 15	January 16	January 17	January 18	January 19
(ABCD)	(BLT – ABCD)	(ABCD)	(BLT – ABCD)	(ABCD)
	BLT Bell Schedule		BLT Bell Schedule	
Staff Meeting	Warning 8:25		Warning 8:25	
Library @3:10pm	BLT 8:30 9:25		BLT 8:30 9:25	
	Block A 9:30 10:35		Block A 9:30 10:35	Fine Arts Festival
	Block B 10:40 11:45		Block B 10:40 11:45	at Burnett
	Recess 11:45 11:55		Recess 11:45 11:55	Burnett 4pm to 6pm
	Block C 12:00 1:05		Block C 12:00 1:05	(Everyone Welcome)
	Lunch 1:05 1:50		Lunch 1:05 1:50	
	Block D 1:55 3:00		Block D 1:55 3:00	
	SBT Meeting D128 @Lunch			

Guru Gobindh Singh Birthday (Sikh)

Listening, Learning, and Leading Every student, every day, whatever it takes!

"Your attitude, not your aptitude, will determine your altitude." Z. Ziglar

As we approach the end of semester one, we are reminded that it is not our aptitude, rather it is our attitude, the way we individually think, act, and interact with others, that will determine the success we experience. You may be the best teacher or student, but if you can't get along with anyone, you won't get very far. The better your attitude about life and people, the greater your chances for success, and the more effectively you will connect with others.

People want to be around a person with a positive attitude, especially during difficult times. Your ability to rise to leadership will be determined by your attitude. The contribution you make to our school will largely be determined by your attitude. This doesn't mean that all you need in life is a positive attitude. A positive attitude does not give you the ability to do everything, but it will enable you do everything better.

A positive attitude is not a guarantee for success, but a negative one will hold you back and limit your potential. The good news is you don't need to have any special skills or training to have a positive attitude; you simply must choose to have a positive attitude. *Champion Students and their Learning*.

Program Planning Timeline 2024 – 2025

January 22-25	Feeder School Program Planning Visits
February 13	Program Planning for Grade 11 during BLT
February 15	Program Planning for Grade 10 during BLT
February 15	Gr. 7 Parent Info Night & Open House
	6:30pm – Program Planning Parent Meeting
	7:00pm – Open House/Meet the teacher
February 20	Program Planning for Grade 9 during BLT
February 22	Program Planning for Grade 8 during BLT
March 1	Deadline: enter course requests/ submit option
	sheets

Preparing for Semester End

In preparation for the end of Semester 1, we encourage parents to sit down with their teens to review their learning and reflect on goals from Semester 1 and establish new goals for Semester 2. Students are encouraged to gain an understanding of their progress, reflect, and set goals for future learning.

JNB Fine Arts Festival Friday Jan. 19, 2024 (4pm to 6pm)

Please join us for Fine Arts Festival on January 19th from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. It is an afternoon of creativity, talent, and fun, featuring drama presentations, enchanting band performances, art displays, and hands-on crafts like making dragons and lanterns. The festival aims to bring the community together to celebrate the arts and appreciate the talents of the students. All families are encouraged to attend.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

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Staff Meeting (Library) @ 3:10pm				
Fine Arts Festival 4pm to 6pm (Burnett)				
Ed Fac Meeting @ Lunch (Library Lab)				
Suggested Assessment /Evaluation cut-off for Semester 1				
GNA 10 Assessment 8:30am				
SBT Meeting				
Winter Concert Band Showcase @6:30pm				
SCC Meeting @ Lunch				
GNA 10 Assessment 8:30am				
H & S Committee Meeting @ Lunch				
Last day of Semester 1				
Semester Turnaround Day				
First day of Semester 2				
All Marks due in MyEd BC				
PAC Meeting at 7pm (Teams or Library)				
Grad Photo Sessions (Sign-up required)				
Semester 1 Final Report Cards Published				
SBT Meeting				
Department Lunch hosted by Home Ec./Art/Bus. Ed.				
Ed. Facilitators @Lunch				
Staff Collaboration Day (Students start at 9:30pm)				
Burnett Info Night & Meet the Teacher (starts at 6:30pm)				
Pro-D Day (School Closed to Students)				
BC Family Day (School Closed)				
SBT Meeting @ Lunch				
SCC Meeting @ Lunch				
Pink Shirt Day (ACT)				
Staff Collaboration Day (Students start at 9:30pm)				
Conference Day				

Report Card Timeline - Semester 1 Final

Jan 8-22	Student-Teacher Conference: Opportunity for students to get a better understanding of where they are, where they were, and what next steps they should take in their learning.
Jan 26	Last day of Semester 1
Jan 26 - Jan 29	Prepare all final marks & comments in MyEdBC
Jan 30	All marks and comments posted in MyEdBC Modified reports emailed to office
Jan 30 - Feb 2	Admin/counselling review of all report cards
February 2	Additional attachments due to office
February 5	Semester 1 Final Report cards published to MyEdBC

Re-invest in BLT: Prepare for the end of Semester 1

- BLT is Self-Directed, Self-Managed, and Self-Regulated
- BLT Enhances Curricular and Core Competency Development
- BLT Builds on Individual Passions
- BLT supports Self-Care, Self-Awareness, Physical/Mental Health

Possible options for students during Burnett Learning Time:

- complete homework, missing assignment, etc.
- get extra support
- work on final projects/assignments prepare for final assessments