



FRANCES KELSEY WEEK at a GLANCE

October 23rd – 27th, 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Advisor 9-9:15	Advisor 9-9:15	C Block 9-9:50	Advisor 9-9:15	Advisor 9-9:15
A Block 9:18-10:34	B Block 9:18-10:34	D Block 9:52-10:42	D Block 9:18-10:34	A Block 9:18-10:34
B Block 10:37-11:53	A Block 10:37-11:53	A Block 10:44-11:34	C Block 10:37-11:53	B Block 10:37-11:53
Lunch 11:53-12:38	Lunch 11:53-12:38	B Block 11:36-12:26	Lunch 11:53-12:38	Lunch 11:53-12:38
C Block 12:40-1:56	D Block 12:40-1:56	LUNCH 12:26-1:11	B Block 12:40-1:56	C Block 12:40-1:56
D Block 1:59-3:15	C Block 1:59-3:15	Busses pick up 1:15	A Block 1:59-3:15	D Block 1:59-3:15

THIS WEEK

Monday

- Regular classes.

Tuesday

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Wednesday

- School Nurse in.
- Junior Boys Soccer Game.
- 2Hr early dismissal- PLC

Thursday

- Movie night at FKSS, tickets required.

Friday

- Regular classes.

PARENTS

October 25th, 2023 is a two hour early dismissal for PLC. School busses will run two hours earlier at the end day.

Parent Portal- Did you know you are able to check attendance, class schedules, teachers and send emails to teachers of your student in the parent portal? Lately we have had a few issues with the program sending out parent notifications of missed classes. We want to make sure you knew there was another way to view attendance records.

Login into parent portal at <https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do> (if you require assistance please email fkssparentportal@sd79.bc.ca) .

1. Once in, **For Attendance-** go to Academics top tab, select your student (if you have more than one student here)

Attendance left side tab- classes will then show at top in blue.

The arrow on top right of page will scroll the different classes.

A= away (no permission)

AE= Absent excused (from a parent/guardian)

2. **For Classes-** Academics top tab, classes will pop up and show class, terms, and teacher.

3. **To send email-** If you go to options box (while classes are open on screen), select send email, and select what teachers you want to send to.

We hope this information is helpful.

STUDENTS

Student retake photos are ready to view at www.conceptphoto.ca. Students/Parents may view them using the same code as last time or you will be using your student number.

Interact club will be having a **Halloween movie** night on Thursday, October 26th. Tickets will be sold until Tuesday, Oct 24th. Tickets are \$5 and each ticket will come with a candy bag. Families are welcome and there will be a concession with popcorn, water and pop.

GRADS

Grad Photos are Dec. 11th to 20th and are done through Prestige Portraits. The location for the photos will be at Frances Kelsey Secondary School in rm 213. Appointments start at 8:30am with the last appointment of the day at 8pm. On Thursday Oct. 12 Students can make an appointment for their Graduation Photo on: Schedule.prestigeportraits.ca

On behalf of the Dry Grad

Bottle Drive. The first bottle drive of the year will be happening Saturday, October 21st, 2023 from 10-2pm. Located at the Evergreen School Pavilion. Proceeds go towards dry grad.

Cheese fundraiser- Paradise Island Cheese Pack. \$25 each box. Not ordered until paid for. Please send e-transfers to franceskelsedrygrad@gmail.com, please note in subject; your name, what the e-transfer is for and Qty.

SPORTS

Junior Boys Soccer game at Salt Spring on Wednesday, Oct 25th.

CAREERS

DUAL CREDIT – CURRENT GRADE 11’S - APPLY NOW!

Interested in the following Trade and Certificate Programs, stop in Career Centre to find out more, or visit <https://www.careersandtransitions.ca/dual-credit/>

- Automotive
- Baker
- Carpentry
- Cook
- Culinary
- Electrical
- Fine Furniture & Joinery
- Hairstyling
- Heavy Mechanical
- Horticulture
- Plumbing & Pipe Fitting
- Refrigeration & Airconditioning (RACM)
- Roadbuilder & Heavy Construction Equipment
- Sheet Metal
- Welding
- Legal Office Assistant Certificate
- Medical Office Assistant Certificate
- Office Administration Certificate
- Business Administration Certificate
- Health Care Assistant
- Dental Assistant
- Education Assistant Community Support
- Early Childhood Education and Care

CURRENT GRADE 12’S – APPLY NOW!

ECE 130 Early Childhood Educator VIU Course

Feb 14-May 22 on Wednesday nights 4-7 pm

ECE 130 is a 1st year VIU transferable course

Pick up an application in the Career Centre

GRADE 9, 10, 11’S – APPLY NOW!

TASK 2024-2025 School Year

Trades Awareness, Skills & Knowledge (TASK)

If you're interested in a career in trades, TASK will help you make an informed decision about which trade would be the best fit for you.

Explore four trade areas: carpentry, electrical, metal trades and plumbing—while gaining practical skills and certifications that all employers are looking for. **You'll finish up with valuable work experience at a local job site.**

POST SECONDARY NEWS

UBC (on-line and in person options)

UBC team would like to invite students from your school district to virtually attend the second Women In Orthopaedics (WORTH) workshop on Saturday, October 28th, from 9 am to 12 pm Pacific.

Check out our website for details of the program and upcoming workshop(s): <https://orthopaedics.med.ubc.ca/women-in-orthopaedics/>.

Please submit an application for virtual attendance

here: https://ubc.ca1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_abhn7MnakEB2svA

The deadline to submit an application is Monday, October 23rd.

UVIC- The Beautiful Mind is a TED-style event that shows how entwining STEM and EDI can help make science accessible to everyone. Any students who are curious about pursuing a career in science and research.

When: Thursday, November 2, 2023

Time: 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. (speakers); optional in-person reception to follow

Where: UVic MSB 150 & Zoom

Cost/RSVP: Free; get in-person or online tickets at beautifulmindnov2023.eventbrite.com

Who: Everyone is welcome (including guardians, teachers, and counsellors)

REMINDER update post-secondary news can be found on FKSS website Career Centre <https://fkss.sd79.bc.ca/graduation/career-center/>

Shawnigan Lake Community Association are seeking volunteers, to assist with children's games or other fun tasks at their FALL FESTIVAL AND MARKET on Sunday, October 22nd at the SL Community Centre from 11:30 to 3pm.

To sign up email: shawniganmom@gmail.com
