



Living, learning, and playing on the traditional unceded territory of the Ktunaxa and Secwépemc Peoples.

SUMMARY OF LEARNING

(a.k.a. report cards)

Report cards are going home on Thursday, February 6.

Included in the reports will be the **Course Selection Forms**, which should be returned in one week, on Thursday, Feb. 13.

The **Course Selection Guide** for next year's classes will be emailed to grade 10-12 students.

Families, please discuss with your children!

Did you know...?

Ms. Amy Angheluta, our counsellor, and Mr. Mike Archibald, our principal, provide students with career & post-secondary planning advice. Come talk to us about future possibilities!

Grade 12 local scholarship information sessions will begin the last week of February, with **all applications due April 11, 2025**. Attending at least one of these sessions will be mandatory for all grade 12s. Dates will be posted soon in the forum.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, Feb. 6
Report Cards sent home

Friday, Feb. 7 - Sat. Feb. 8
GSS hosts Bantam Boys B-Ball tournament

Tuesday, Feb. 11
Grade 9 immunizations

Thursday, Feb. 13
Course selection forms due

Saturday, Feb. 15
Sr. girls B-Ball - GSS hosts Zones

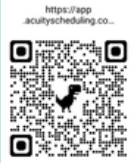
Monday, Feb. 17
Family Day - No school!

Tuesday, Feb. 18
Pro-D Day - No school for students!

Monday, Feb. 24
PAC meeting 7pm GSS Conference Room - All are welcome!

Wednesday, Feb. 26
Pink Shirt Day

IMPORTANT INFO

- Day 1/2 schedule [HERE](#).
- Need to contact a teacher? Find their address [HERE](#).
- GSS Health Hub: [Click](#) or scan the QR code.

- To update student or emergency contacts click [HERE](#).
- To pay for student fees, events & concession credits, click [HERE](#).
- New to Clevr? See our [User guide](#).
- Check out our [Grad Zone](#) section of our website for updates and information.
- Reducing screen time in schools - see our Cell Phone Policy [HERE](#).
- Got a great idea or a solution to a problem? You can use our virtual [suggestion box](#) to let us know about it.

SUBSTANCE USE PREVENTION:

MENTAL HEALTH & DECISION-MAKING

A COMPLIMENTARY WEBINAR FOR PARENTS, GUARDIANS & CAREGIVERS

Join leading adolescent Clinical Psychologist Dr. Hayley Watson for an online event that aims to help parents, guardians and caregivers gain a deeper understanding of substance use prevention and learn practical tools for supporting youth mental health.



Key Takeaways:

- Learn the factors that contribute to youth mental health/substance use
- Understand the skills that youth need to overcome these needs
- Acquire practical tools for empowering your child and youth to make positive choices
- Increase your ability to support your own mental health

Time: 6-7:30pm PST
Date: 20th, 25th, 26th Feb 2025

Scan the QR Code to Register



REGISTER NOW

We acknowledge the financial support of the Province of British Columbia through the Ministry of Education and Child Care

GSS Acts of Kindness Challenge

Has someone shown you an act of kindness?

Have you seen someone make our school or community a better place?

Doing the right thing and going above and beyond isn't easy, so when it happens, let's celebrate the effort! Share your story!

Click on the link to share what you saw, and we will share (anonymously) some of the kindness seen in our community during homeroom announcements.

Prizes for those who share and who show kindness!

7 WAYS TO HELP MAKE KINDNESS THE NORM®

- 1 Make a gratitude call to someone who has helped you
- 2 Support a local business
- 3 Pick up litter in your neighborhood
- 4 Offer to help someone without being asked
- 5 Donate your time or money to an organization you care about
- 6 Send a kind text to someone
- 7 Practice self-care

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randomactsofkindness.org
RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS FOUNDATION

Learn to Cope with Stress

Y Mind

Ages 13-18 years
*No cost to participate!

Everyone experiences worries and stress. Y Mind is here to help young people learn how to cope with stress so they can live their best lives.

February 25th to April 22nd *

Tuesdays 2pm @GSS

(no sessions during spring break)

This free program is run by caring, trained staff, in a safe supportive environment.



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