



LANGLEY FINE ARTS BULLETIN – JANUARY 23rd, 2026 EDITION

Dear LFAS Families,

Below is some information in regards to how we address communication when there are safety incidents or students in distress. This information has previously been shared, but we thought it would be a good reminder as we move into this next semester.

Student in Distress and School Safety

Health and safety are a priority in the Langley School District. Our schools follow procedures to help keep students, staff, and the community safe. Depending on the situation, communication to parents/caregivers is needed to keep families informed about incidents in our school, such as during lockdowns, hold & secures, and room clears, or in the event of a student in distress. Sometimes these incidents may not be emergencies but events that require a school response. It is important to note that the decision to send communications to families is dependent on a variety of factors including the nature of what happened, who has witnessed or was directly impacted by what happened, as well as student and staff privacy. Communication is unique and dependent on the specific situation; there are times when a student is in distress, yet the situation may or may not require a message or letter to families. In addition to communication to parents/caregivers, teachers and staff may debrief with students after an incident that may have upset them. In some cases, the school counsellor may offer support to students in need. As always, we want families to let us know if your child requires support. If you have any questions or concerns about communication related to situations or emergencies, please reach out to the school.



Mr. Sarganis' Carving 9/10 class carved these amazing, personalized pens.

COURSE REGISTRATION SCHEDULE FOR 2026/2027

Current Grade 9 to 11 students:

The MyEdBC student portal will open on Thursday, February 5th and will close on Thursday, February 12th.

Current Grade 8 students:

Registration will occur during ADST E block in school between February 4th to 12th.

Current Grade 7 students:

Registration will occur during class – date TBA.

Students who have not completed course selection by February 12th will be called down to the library Friday, February 13th.

Parent/guardians can view the course booklet on our website.

COURSE PLANNING PARENT INFO NIGHT

For parents with students currently in Grade 9 to 11

When: Monday, February 2nd, 2026

Time: 6:00pm

Where: Chief Sepass Theatre

Topics will include: Grad and Post Secondary requirements as well as an overview of the course selection process. This evening is not mandatory but beneficial as you assist your child in making their course selections.

MAJOR CHANGE REQUEST FORMS

Interested in Photo 9? Interested in Writing 11/12?

Major change request forms are now available at the office.

The deadline to hand these forms in is Friday, February 20th.

This is not a “first come, first served” basis.

All students who wish to change will have the opportunity to audition.

Please note: we cannot guarantee all will be accommodated as spaces are limited.

PINK forms are available in the office

LFAS STUDENTS DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE LOOKING FOR YOUR SEMESTER 2 SCHEDULE?

FAMILY/STUDENT PORTAL INFORMATION

Are you looking for information about resetting MyEd portal passwords?

Looking for your child's attendance records?

Students, are you looking for your timetable for next semester?

Helpful information can be found here: <https://www.sd35.bc.ca/myedbc-family-student-portal-help>

You can choose the mobile version or computer version for instructions and FAQs.

OFFICE PROCEDURES

Office hours are 8:15 a.m. to 3:30 pm. We ask parents to help reduce the volume of phone calls to the office by following these guidelines:

PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL BEFORE 9:30AM IF YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABSENT OR LATE

If your child is going to be absent, arriving late, away or leaving early due to an appointment, please notify the school of your child's absence by email or call the school. To report an absence by email, send information including student first name and last name, grade, division, length of absence, and reason to LFAAttendance@sd35.bc.ca.

To report an absence by phone, call 604-888-3113 and follow the prompts for the attendance line to leave a message with information including student first name and last name, grade, division, length of absence, and reason.

FROM THE CAREERS DEPARTMENT

Applications for Youth Train in Trades and Academic Dual Credit Programs are NOW OPEN as of January 21st, 2026. Book an appointment with Mrs. Warmerdam to go over program prerequisites. Most of the programs you will apply in your grade 11 year to start in grade 12. All programs accept for what is indicated start in February 2027.

Applications will close in early April!

SIGN UP for Information Sessions! The first is starting virtually on February 4th and running through March. Parents are welcome to attend info sessions! This is a great opportunity for you as parents to get more info. [REGISTER here.](#)

Youth Train in Trades Programs (Feb 2027 start)

Hairstylist @ACSS (grade 11 only)
Professional Cook @WGSS (grade 11 only)
Electrician @DWP (grade 11 only)
Carpentry @ACSS (grade 10 and 11 only)
Automotive @ACSS (grade 11 only)
Piping and Plumbing @LSS (grade 10 and 11 only)
Landscape and Horticulture @KPU (grade 11 only)
Welding @KPU (grade 11 only)

Academic Dual Credit Programs (Feb 2027 start)

Intro to Health Science (Summer 2026 - 6 week program) (grade 11 only)
Biomedical and Health Sciences (grade 11 only)
New Business Program (grade 11 only)
Early Childhood Education (September 2026 start - 2 semesters) (grade 11 only)

COMING SOON: Pathways to the Future Event - Tuesday, February 3rd @LEC

Join us **Tuesday, February 3rd, 2025**, at the **Langley Events Centre** from **6:30 PM – 8:00 PM** for an exciting evening hosted by the Langley School District Career Education Department. This event is designed for **students and parents** to learn more about Youth Train in Trades and Academic Dual Credit programs.

Youth Train in Trades Programs: Electrical, Carpentry, Automotive, Hairstylist, Landscape and Horticulture, Piping and Plumbing, Welding, and Professional Cook.

Academic Dual Credit Programs: Biomedical and Health Science, Intro to Health Science, Early Childhood Education, **NEW** Business program.

Explore a variety of booths and connect with industry experts, post-secondary representatives, and program instructors.

APPLY NOW: Indigenous Cultural Safety Training - Monday, February 9th @ SBO

Students in grades 9, 10, 11 & 12 are invited to apply to join us for an Indigenous Cultural Training workshop at the Langley School District Board Office on Monday, February 9th from 9:00 - 3:00pm (Pro D day). This training will help students better understand how to serve and work alongside Indigenous Peoples and communities. See Mrs. Warmerdam in Portable 7 (Mon, Thurs, or Fri) for an application. Applications are due Monday, January 26th.



GRAD NEWS & UPDATES



Grad Rehearsal

Wednesday, June 17, 2026

@ LFAS

MANDATORY FOR ALL GRADS TO ATTEND

Grad Commencement Ceremony

Thursday, June 18, 2026

Church in the Valley

Grad Dinner/Dance

Monday, June 22, 2026

Newlands Golf & Country Club

STUDENT TRANSCRIPT SERVICE

Detailed STS tutorial videos and resources are available at [StudentTranscripts Service Tutorial Videos & Resources.](#)

Questions?

Students should email: StudentTranscripts@gov.bc.ca



FAIRY GODMOTHER FOUNDATION

ARE YOU IN NEED OF
GRAD WEAR FOR PROM?

The Fairy Godmother Foundation is here to help! We provide FREE grad wear (dresses, suits, shoes, accessories) to students who may not be able to afford them, ensuring everyone has the chance to celebrate this special milestone.

Who Can Apply?

Any high school student in need of assistance with prom attire.

How to Apply?

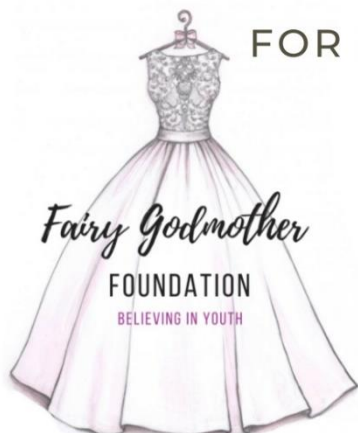
Contact Mrs. Faber and let her know you'd like to be considered for assistance. Once applications are reviewed you will be contacted with further details.

Let us help you feel like the star you truly are on your big night!

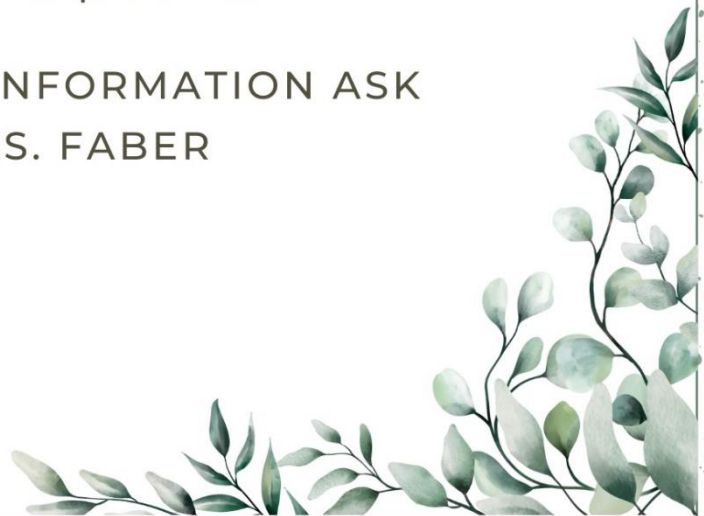
Our team is excited to work with you to find the perfect outfit for your prom night!

The Fairy Godmother Foundation - Where every student deserves to shine!

****Apply ASAP as space is limited****



FOR MORE INFORMATION ASK
MRS. FABER



DRY GRAD PARENT MEETING

Dry Grad meetings are open to all graduating parents who wish to attend or volunteer to help out.

If you wish to contact the Dry Grad Committee, please email:

LFASdrygradparents@gmail.com

When: Monday, January 19th

When: 7:00pm

Where: LFAS Library



Attention Parents of 2026 Grads!

Dry Grad planning season is here, and we'd love your help making this an unforgettable celebration for our soon-to-be graduates! Whether you want to join the planning team or just stay in the loop, send us a quick email at lfasdrygradparents@gmail.com.

DONATE TO DRY GRAD

Please consider supporting the 2026 Dry Grad by making a tax-receiptable donation. All donations go to support the hard costs associated with Dry Grad such as transportation, venue rental, entertainment, insurance and food.

Please [click here](#) to make your donation, the Langley School District Foundation will provide your tax receipt.

***** REMINDER ***** to keep checking Langley School District's Community Bulletin Board for lots of events <https://www.sd35.bc.ca/page/10233/community>

ON THE HORIZON

Jan 23 – Grad Mystery Bus Event

Jan 26 – Transition Day (Grade 8 to 12 students not in attendance)

Jan 27 – Transition Day (Grade 8 to 12 students not in attendance)

Jan 28 – Semester Turnaround Day (Grade 8 to 12 students not in attendance)

Jan 28 – Grade 6/7 Art Show @ 9:30am & 6:30pm

Jan 29 – Semester 2 Begins

Jan 29 – Grade 12 Literacy Assessments
(dance, drama, writing majors @ 8:30am)
(music, art, photo majors @ 12:30pm)

Feb 2 – Course Planning Parent Info Night @ 6:00pm in Chief Sepass Theatre

Feb 2 – Info Session Night for Waitlisted Families – Gr 8 to 12

Feb 6 – Semester 1 Learning Updates Issued (Gr 8 to 12)

Feb 9 – Pro D Day (students not in attendance)

Feb 11 – Dance Show

Feb 12 – Dance Show

Feb 13 – Design and Assessment/Learning Update Prep Day (Kindergarten to Gr 7 students not in attendance)

Feb 16 – Family Day (school closed)

Feb 20 – Major Change Forms (Photo 9/10 and Writing 11/12 only) NOW DUE

Feb 23 – Grade 6 & 9 Immunizations

Feb 24 – PAC Meeting @ 6:30pm in Library

Feb 26 – Pink Shirt Day

JANUARY HEALTH MESSAGING – FRASER HEALTH

As part of its health promotion for students and families, our community partner Fraser Health is sharing important information on various topics. The theme for January is Child and Youth Mental Health

Child and Youth Mental Health (from Fraser Health)

Health, safety, and wellness continue to be a priority in our schools. To help support our students and families, we are sharing important information from our community partner Fraser Health about Child and Youth Mental Health. Please see below for helpful reminders to support your child.

Support Your Child's Mental Health

Positive mental health allows us to enjoy our lives and can help children and youth weather the normal ups and downs of life. It plays a critical role in the healthy development of children and youth, supporting their ability to build healthy relationships and succeed in school.

How Can Parents Support Positive Mental Health?

Parents can foster positive mental health through strong and caring relationships with their children.

- Self-care – focus on doing something for yourself, even if just for a few minutes.
- Build routines – consistent schedules, such as meal, sleep and play times help children feel safe.
- Connect – talk and listen to their feelings and experiences.
- Be active together – take a walk and build physical activity into family time.
- Take notice – encourage and praise the positive behaviours and choices your children make.
- Keep learning – encourage your child to learn from both positive and negative experiences.
- Be present, not perfect – give your time, your encouragement and your presence.

Get more information about positive mental health for children and youth [here](#).

Sometimes parents aren't sure how to talk about mental health. Learn more about [**tips for how to talk to your child or teen about mental health**](#).

Family transitions like separation and divorce can be tough and can impact mental health. To learn more and access practical resources visit [**FamiliesChange.ca**](#).

Need help? Find out services, programs and resources for your child and/or youth on Fraser Health's [**Child and youth mental health**](#) page.

Remember, you can get fast and reliable health advice from registered nurses with emergency experience who have access to your child's personal health record. Contact them via phone at 1-800-314-0999 or web chat. Learn more at [**Fraserhealth.ca/VirtualCare**](#).

Family Portal



Login ID: sd35-xxxxxxx
OR email address given to the school
both logins and passwords are case sensitive.
Logins should be all lower case.



One login ID
should give parents access to all their children's information.



Passwords are good for 90 days to protect your child's data and you will be prompted to change your password.



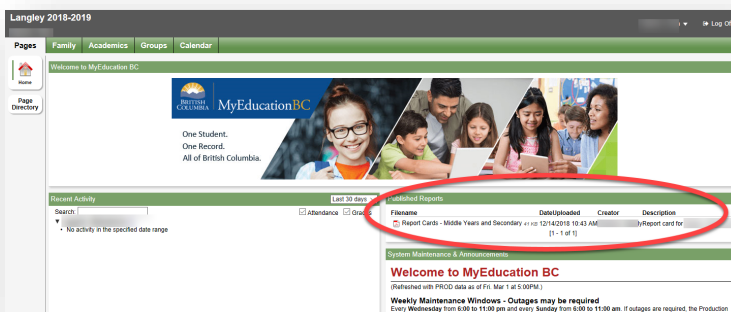
Published Learning Updates
It is recommended that you save the PDF documents as the report card is only posted on the Family Portal for a limited time.



Forgot password?
Please click "I forgot my password" on the log on screen or please submit a request [here](#)



How to use the Family Portal
Please visit our website [here](#).



Need Help?

Please submit a request through our website

<https://www.sd35.bc.ca/page/382/myedbc-request-for-assistance-form>



For more information

<https://www.sd35.bc.ca/page/329/myedbc-family-student-portal-help>



OPEN HOUSE

Are you looking for a program that encourages secondary students to **EXPLORE, CREATE,** and **INSPIRE**? Langley Fine Arts (LFAS) is inviting families to an open house to learn more about secondary programming streams including Dance, Drama, Music, Visual Arts, Photography, and Writing. This unique, publicly funded, K-12 fine arts school located in historic Fort Langley, combines provincial curriculum with high-level courses that develop aesthetic intelligence in student artists. This choice program is open to students in and outside of the Langley School District. Students with a passion for the arts will feel at home at Langley Fine Arts.

At our open house, administrators and staff will be available to share information about the program, registration, intake timelines, and enrolment requirements - which may include an audition or portfolio. The team will also lead school tours and answer any questions you may have.

To learn more about the school, visit the website [here](#).

Date: Tuesday, February 10th, 2026

Time: Drop in anytime between 9:30am and 2:30pm

Place: Langley Fine Arts School (9096 Trattle Street – Fort Langley)

***Please check in at the main entrance on Trattle Street.**

Learn more about each of the school's secondary program streams or majors below:

Dance:

The dance program at Langley Fine Arts is designed to “refine, challenge and expand” students’ technical and creative potential by fostering a creative, inclusive learning environment. The program focuses on technique, composition, choreography and performance, and students also learn the science behind dance and movement – including anatomy, nutrition, and injury prevention.

<https://youtu.be/hnhKBjxry0>

Drama:

In the school's drama program, students learn to work collaboratively in groups while stretching the limits of their imagination. Students will learn traditional styles of acting and theatre work, while also developing their own projects. Whether it's creating and starring in a one-act play, learning to direct with an eye toward the film or television industry, or working behind the scenes in theatre tech, Langley Fine Arts' drama major leaves students with useful skills that will benefit them, whether or not they choose a future in the theatrical arts.

<https://youtu.be/zHskCpZWfdY>

Music:

Students in the music major program learn technical and musical skills on their chosen instrument (or voice) through solo work and collaborative ensemble performances. Students study music theory, ear training and keyboard, as well as exploring music from different historic and contemporary periods.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PrLbM2JDX4Q>

Visual Arts:

Students enrolled as Visual Arts majors will experience and learn from a wide variety of techniques, styles, and processes, from the traditional to the experimental. Students will have the opportunity to develop skills in drawing, painting, printmaking, mixed-media, sculpture and textiles, while art history is also integrated into the curriculum. At the Grades 11 and 12 level, students interested in post-secondary opportunities in everything from architecture, animation and various design fields are encouraged to enroll.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bfReXSloZAU>

Photography:

Langley Fine Arts' Photography program takes a "fine arts" approach to the medium, as students are encouraged to develop their skills behind the camera by exploring and capturing the world around them. Students are expected to be curious, experiment, and challenge themselves, while also working together to improve their craft.

https://youtu.be/tQF-Eoh_IqM

Writing:

Creative Writing is a major that offers an inclusive, support environment to help students grow creatively as writers, thinkers, and producers of published work. Students will learn and develop skills in a variety of mediums – from poetry and fiction to web writing, songwriting, journalism and podcasting. Guest speakers are also invited to work with the class, and through a class website, students can post writing and get feedback from both current students and program alumni.

<https://youtu.be/pRN7JZGjeEY>

The background image is a composite of a lush green forest, a calm river reflecting the surrounding trees, and a dramatic sky with a bright orange and red sunset or sunrise. A single, sharp lightning bolt is visible in the upper center of the sky, adding a sense of power and intensity to the scene.

Indigenous Cultural Safety Training

Cultural Safety Training will help you to better understand how to serve, work alongside and build relationships with Indigenous peoples and communities.

APPROPRIATE FOR STUDENTS INTERESTED IN HEALTH CARE, EDUCATION, TRADES AND MANY OTHER IN-DEMAND SECTORS

Monday, February 9

9:00-3:00

Langley School Board Office

See your Career Advisor for an application!

Applications due: January 26, 2026

DUAL-CREDIT PROGRAMS (TRADES & ACADEMIC)

**APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2026-2027
SCHOOL YEAR WILL OPEN ON
JANUARY 21!**

CHAT WITH YOUR CAREER ADVISOR, TO LEARN MORE.



Automotive



Carpentry



Electrical



Hairstylist



Landscape
Horticulture



Piping/
Plumbing



Professional
Cook 1



Welding



Intro to Health
Science



Early Childhood
Education



Biomedical &
Health Science

SD#35: Youth Train in Trades Workshops 2025-26

Workshop	Location	Date & Time	Application Due
Hairstylist	ACSS	Dec. 2, 1:00 - 2:15 pm	Nov. 18
Electrical	DWP	Dec. 16, 8:00 - 11 am	Dec. 2
Piping & Plumbing	LSS	Jan. 15, 9:00 – 11:30 am	Dec. 18
Automotive	ACSS	Cancelled this year	-
Carpentry	ACSS	Jan. 27, 11:00 am – 12:30 pm	Jan. 12
Pro Cook 1	WGSS	Jan. 26, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm	Jan. 12
Landscape/ Horticulture	KPU Langley	Mar. 2, 9:00 am – 11:00 am	-
Welding	*See KPU Information Session Below (Mar. 4)		

SD #35: Information Sessions 2025-26

Info. Session	Location	Date & Time	Application
Pathways to the Future	Langley Events Centre	Feb. 3, 6:30 – 8:00 pm	Not required
Biomedical & Health Science	Virtual on Teams	Feb. 4, 6:30 - 7:30 pm	Online form
Landscape/ Horticulture	Virtual on Teams	Feb. 10 7:30 – 8:30 pm	Online form
Electrical	DWP	Feb. 17, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Piping/Plumbing	LSS	Feb. 19, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Early Childhood Ed.	-	Feb. 25, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Pro-Cook 1	WGSS	Feb. 26, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Hairstylist	ACSS	Mar. 3, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Carpentry	ACSS	Mar. 3, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Automotive	ACSS	Mar. 3, 6:30 – 7:30 pm	Online form
Welding	*KPU Cloverdale	Mar. 4, 3:30 – 4:15 pm	Online form
Intro. to Health Sc.	Virtual on Teams	Feb. ?, 4:30 pm	Online form

Jan. 14, 2026

Links:

<https://www.sd35.bc.ca/careered/tours-workshops-and-info-sessions>

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=rvqr_Ar4dE-2p7oVwqS7JOi5bMY5HJVDrovJjs6f4MdUNk9IM0lGVTgzN004NEI3Rjg4Q1lET0ZPSC4u

SD35 Career Education

PATHWAYS TO THE FUTURE

Exploring Langley School District's Trades & Career Opportunities

SAVE THE DATE!

03

DAY

FEB

MONTH

2026

YEAR

Join us for this family information evening as we highlight the district's career programs and pathways to post-secondary success!

6:30 pm– 8:00 pm

Langley Events Centre



VALENTINE'S DAY BAKE SALE

◆ Hosted by Grad Council ◆



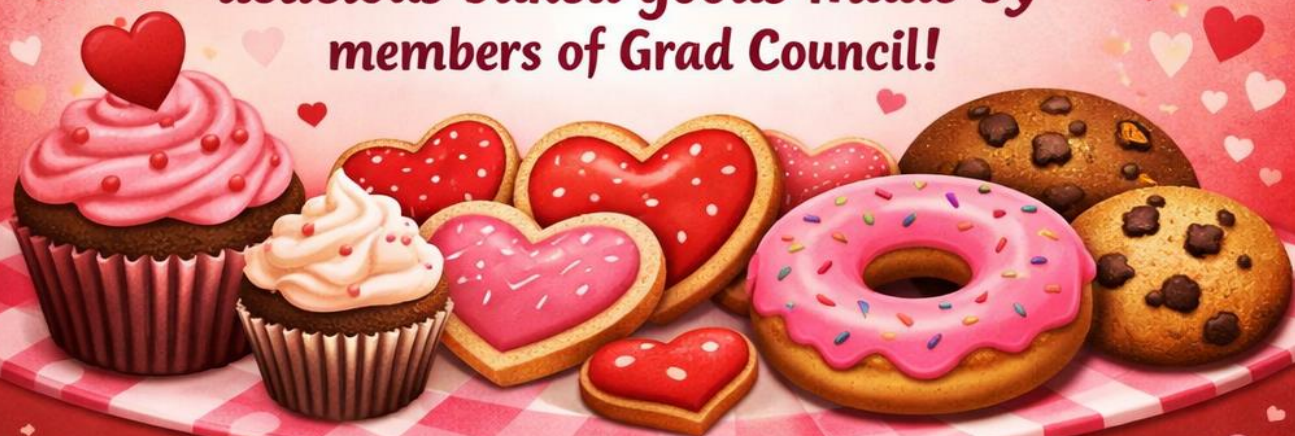
Friday, February 13th



We Gallery

Looking for a sweet Valentine's treat?

Stop by the **We Gallery** and enjoy
delicious baked goods made by
members of Grad Council!



◆ **All proceeds go toward Grad Fundraising** ◆

♥ **Hope to see you there!** ♥

Order Purdy's and support Dry Grad

<https://fundraising.purdys.com/campaign/000021299>



Order by March 18th. Pick up
on TUESDAY March 31 in the
Langley Fine Arts cafeteria
between 3-4pm



BOUQUETS for SHOW NIGHTS

\$20

Pre-order a bouquet for your child's upcoming Show Night.

Order dates vary (see chart below).

Payment via e-transfer to **LFASdrygradparents@gmail.com**
Please specify the show date and # of bouquets you want in
the e-transfer.

Pick up flowers at the theatre on your requested show night



**Grade 6/7
SHOW**

Show Night: Jan 28
Order by SUNDAY Jan 25

DANCE

Show Nights: Feb 11 and 12
Order by February 8

ANTIGONE
drama ensemble

Show Nights: March 3 - 7
Order by March 1

MUSIC

Show Nights: March 10, 11 & Apr 2
Order by March 8

Quantities are limited, so order early. This is a Dry Grad fundraiser.



Treat Day

FRIDAY January 30

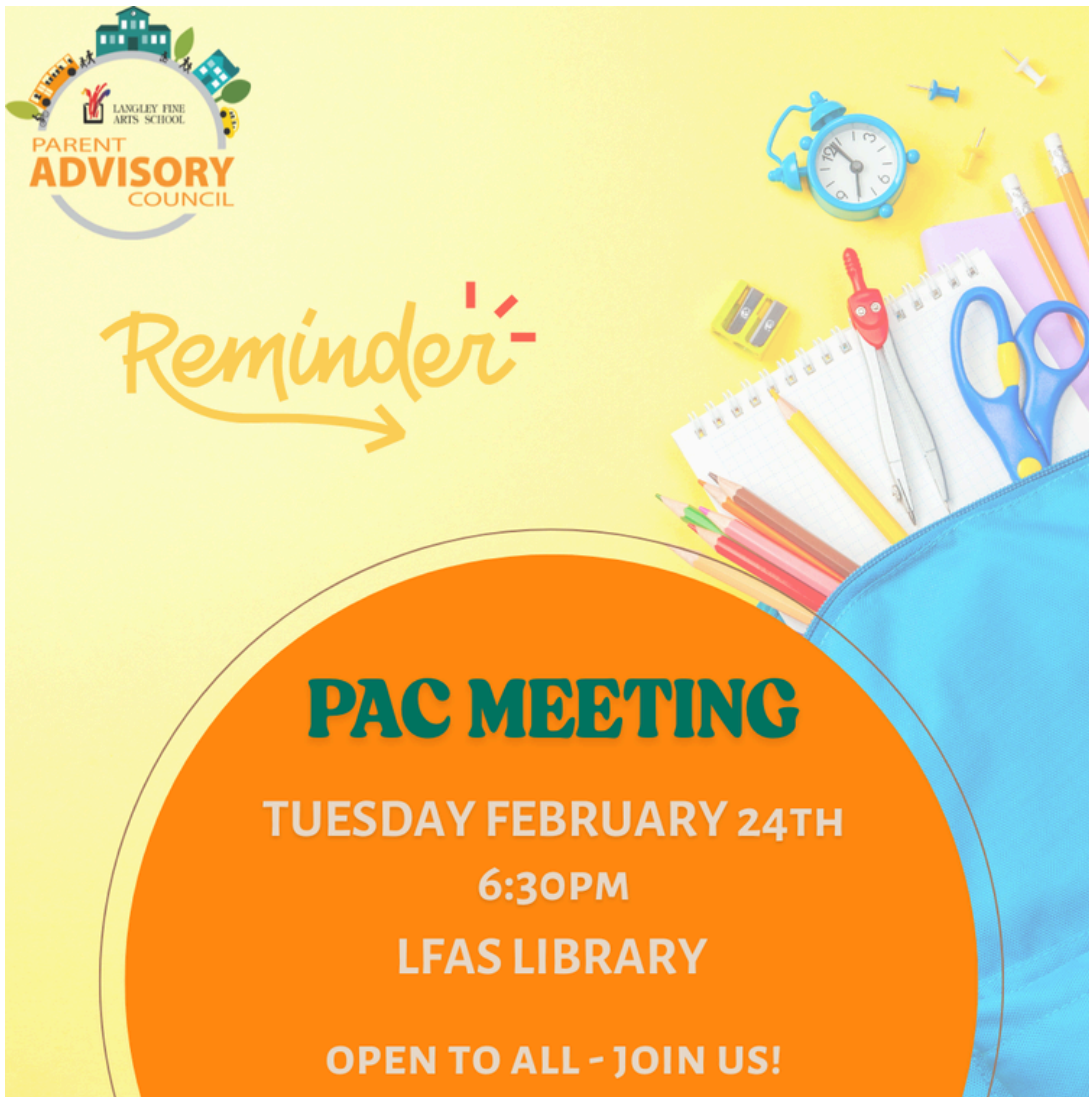
2:40pm - 3:20pm

LFAS Basketball Courts

All treats, drinks &
snacks are \$2 each

This is a fundraiser for Dry Grad 2026





SEASON OF THEATRE



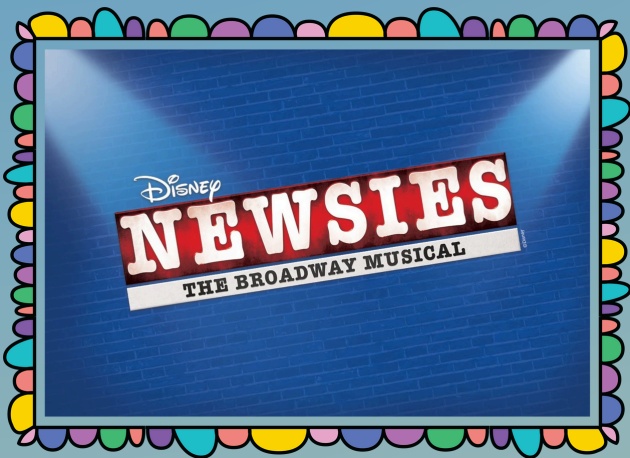
Brookwood Secondary
February 18-21, 25-28
Tickets:



R.E. Mountain Secondary
March
See school website for
ticket information



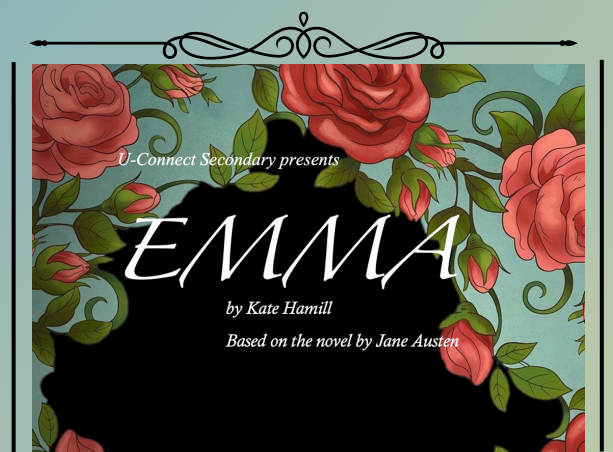
Aldergrove Secondary
May 26-29
See school website for
ticket information



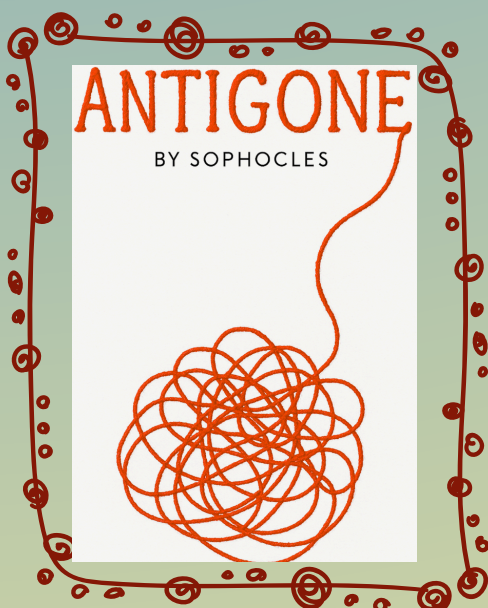
Langley Secondary
February 26-28, March 5-7
Tickets:



Walnut Grove Secondary
April 30, May 1-2, 7-9
Tickets:



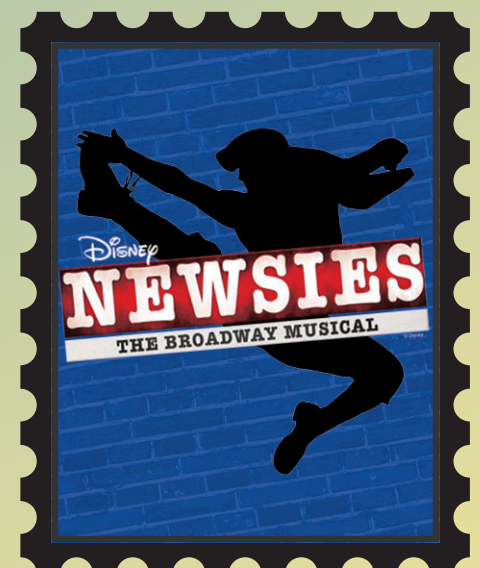
U-Connect Secondary
Chief Sepass Theatre
May 2 and 3
Tickets:



Langley Fine Arts
March 1 - 7
Tickets:

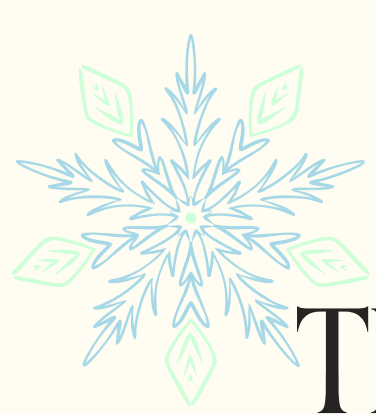


Langley Fundamental
Middle Secondary
April 22-25, 27-29, May 1,2
See school website for
ticket information



D.W. Poppy Secondary
February 26-28, March 5-7
Tickets:





THIS MONTH IN THE ARTS

January



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MOUNTAIN ARTS WEEK

R.E. Mountain Secondary
Throughout the week at lunch

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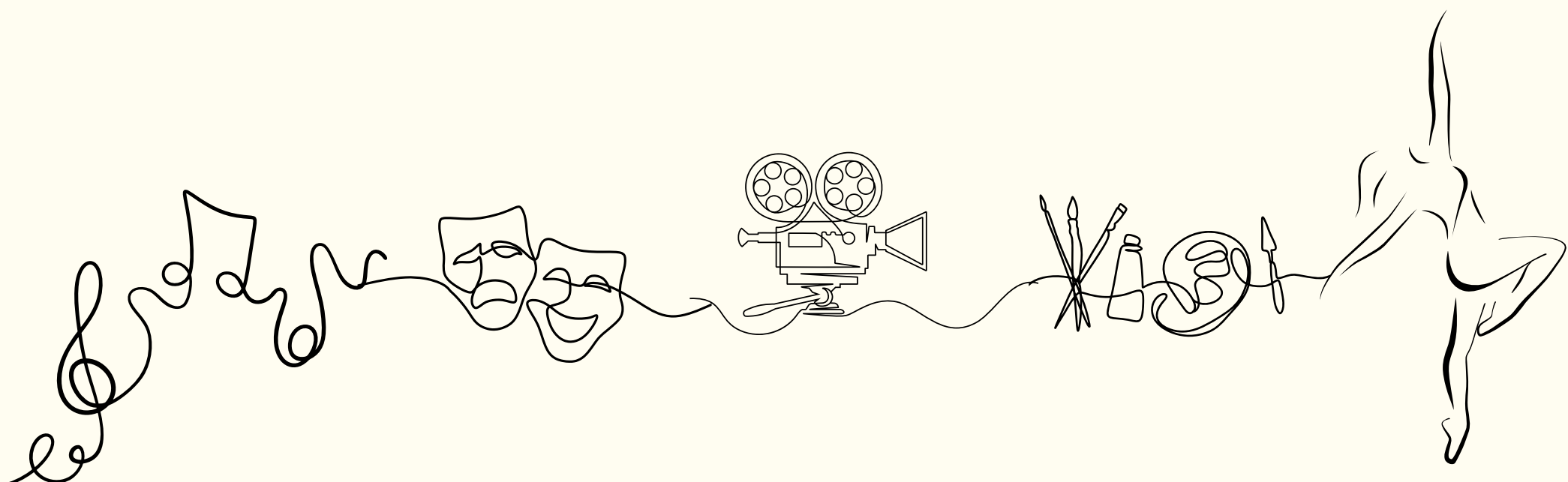
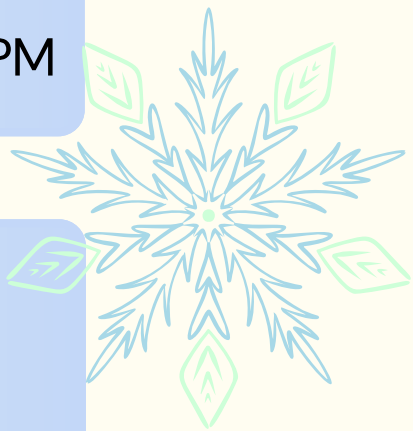
DISTRICT JAZZ FESTIVAL

Langley Fine Arts School
Chief Sepass Theatre 7:00 PM

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DISTRICT DRAMA FESTIVAL

Langley Fine Arts School
Chief Sepass Theatre 6:00 PM





2026 PLAY DAYS AND FEES FOR OUR HOUSE PLAYERS

LTP (2020&2021) - \$100 -
Wednesdays

U7 (2019 & 2020) - \$175 -
Tuesdays AND Thursdays

U9 (2017 & 2018) - \$175 - Mondays
& Wednesdays

U11 (2015 & 2016) - \$250 -
Tuesdays & Thursdays

U13 (2013 & 2014) - \$325 -
Mondays & Wednesdays



U15 (2011 & 2012)- \$325 - Tuesdays
& Thursdays

U17 (2009 & 2010) - \$325 - Mondays
& Wednesdays

U20 (2006, 2007 & 2008) - \$300-
Tuesdays & Thursdays

LANGLEY FASTBALL ASSOCIATION



#comeplaywithlfa
www.langleyfastball.com



Vancouver Giants

Friday, February 6th, at 7pm against the Spokane Chiefs!

Join the Langley School District Foundation at this great family night out! Partial proceeds of ticket sales plus the 50/50 from this game goes towards supporting the Langley School District Foundation's work supporting the students and schools of Langley.



CHEER ON OUR HOME
TEAM WHILE RAISING
MONEY FOR LANGLEY STUDENTS!

 **Langley**
SCHOOL DISTRICT FOUNDATION

**VANCOUVER GIANTS
HOCKEY**

 **TICKETS
\$25**

FRIDAY, FEB. 6th, 7PM

Langley Events Centre