



WEEK AT A GLANCE

THOMPSON ELEMENTARY

Dec 8 - 12, 2025



Monday, Dec 8

Hold and Secure
Drill

Tuesday, Dec 9

Wednesday, Dec 10

Thursday, Dec 11

Friday, Dec 12

Hot Lunch
(White Spot)

Winter Solstice Event
1pm

1. Hold and Secure Drill - December 8th

- As part of district-wide health and safety protocols and procedures, Thompson will practice on Monday.
- A Hold and Secure would occur in response to a community incident
- The school's priority is to focus on the safety of our students and staff

2. District Guidelines Reminder - Personal Digital Device

- Students should not have personal digital devices in their possession during the school day, unless permission is granted by the supervising staff for educational purposes. This includes during recess and lunch or while outside on the playground or on school property.
- To maintain a focused learning environment, parents/caregivers are kindly asked not to contact their child on their personal digital devices during the school day.

3. SAVE THE DATE - Thompson Winter Solstice Event; December 12th at 1pm

- A community building event while honouring student work and acknowledging our learning from nature!
- Parents and Families - please join us for this Winter Solstice Celebration!
- See Flyer for more information, attached!

4. Volleyball Game vs. Teachers

- The 2025 volleyball team will have a fun scrimmage vs. the teachers on Monday Dec. 15th at lunch time
- Any students who would like to watch, are encouraged to bring a can of non-perishable food to be donated to the Richmond Food Bank

5. Keeping our community healthy

- Cold and flu season is in full swing and we are noticing an increase in illness at school. In an effort to keep our students and staff healthy, please continue to keep your student(s) at home if they are experiencing symptoms of illness. If they have a fever or have been vomiting, please keep them home at least 24 hours or more until they are symptom free.



Dress for the Weather



Remember to bring a **water bottle**, hat and extra clothes!

6. Important Dates on the horizon...

- Dec 8 - Hold and Secure Drill
- Dec 12 - School-wide Winter Event - starts at 1pm (families encouraged to join)
- Dec 18 - Written Learning Update - Published on MyED at 3pm
- Dec 20 - Jan 4 - Winter Break (No School)
- Jan 23 - Band Performance - 10:45am
- Jan 26 - Pro-D Day (No School)
- Jan 29 - Taiko Drumming - school-wide performance at 1:30pm

**If your child will be away,
please call the Early Warning
Line: 604-668-6426**

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