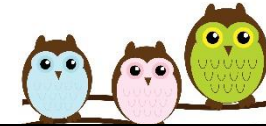




# BRITANNIA OSC – DECEMBER 2023



WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>PLEASE ARRIVE BY 5:45 PM FOR PICK-UP. Call us at 604-718-5822 if you will be late.</p> <p>Late pick-up procedure will be followed. Not all fieldtrips and activities are on this calendar. Events may change without notice.</p> <p><b>PLEASE CALL THE CENTRE IF YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE ATTENDING THE PROGRAM.</b></p> <p>We follow our missing child procedure, which leads up to and includes calling 911. We are unable to take the Vancouver School Board's word that your child has been picked up or not in school. Please ensure you <b>call 604.718.5822</b> every time your child will not be attending OSC.</p>					
5	 <p><b>WINTER BREAK: December 27, 2023 - January 5, 2024</b></p> <p><b>PLEASE SEE WINTER BREAK CALENDAR FOR SOME AWESOME ACTIVITIES</b></p> <p><b>REMINDER WE ARE CLOSED ON: Dec 25, 2023, Dec 26, 2023 and Jan 1, 2024</b></p>				<p><b>Art:</b> Free Art  <b>Active:</b> Grandview Park  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Origami</p>
6	<p><b>Art:</b> Quilting  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Group Games  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Musical Bumps</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Quilting  <b>Active:</b> Grandview Park  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Dance Party</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Quilting  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Tag  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Flashlight Tag</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Jewellery Making  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: "Kuth Kuth" game  <b>5 O'clock:</b> What are you doing?</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Jewellery Making  <b>Active:</b> Red Fox  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Super Spellers</p> 
1	<p><b>Art:</b> Paper Making  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Sports  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Super Spellers</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Paper Making  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Pillow Game  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Simon Says</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Puppetry  <b>Active:</b> Grandview Park  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Bingo 4 Prizes</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Puppetry  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Line Tag  <b>5 O'clock:</b> One Line Story</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Puppetry  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Octopus  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Flashlight Tag</p>
2	<p><b>Art:</b> Felting  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Mats &amp; Ropes  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Charades</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Felting  <b>Active:</b> Grandview Park  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Backyard</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Tie Dye  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: "Dog &amp; Meat"  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Hello Your Majesty</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Tie Dye  <b>Active:</b> Grandview Park  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Creative Construction</p>	<p><b>Art:</b> Fabric Art  <b>Active:</b> Gym D: Play It Fair  <b>5 O'clock:</b> Creative Construction</p>
<p>We divide the children into two group: <b>(C)</b> – Coyotes; <b>(SB)</b> – Spirit Bears</p>					



W. I. T. S. is a program use in the program to help children with conflicts in the program. WITS teaches children to **W**alk away, **I**gnore, **T**alk it out and **S**eeK help when needed.  
<https://witsprogram.ca/>



## BRITANNIA OUT OF SCHOOL CARE (OSC) CALENDAR DETAILS OF PROGRAMED ACTIVITIES

OSC offers many exciting activities for children ages 5-12 years old. Children are given a choice each day on what activity they want to sign up for. On the calendar you will see three categories: ART, ACTIVE and 5 O'CLOCK.

**ART:** Everyday OSC offers an art activity for the children. OSC embraces ART by offering a variety of art mediums for children to explore. Whether it is tempura paints, crayons, markers, pencil crayons, pastels, glue, water colour, clay, recyclable objects and textiles the children create using their imaginations. We also do craft projects where the kids follow an outlined project with a set end result.

**ACTIVE:** OSC believes it is important to keep children active. Everyday we offer a variety of active play experiences. OSC has the privilege to access Britannia Gym D, Britannia Elementary Lower Park and own private back yard.

- Gym D: Gym D, always accessible to OSC as part of our licensed space, can be set up with all sorts of gymnastic equipment such as ropes, climbers, mats, beams, rings etc. The children help set up and take down all of the equipment as part of the learning process with staff. We also use the gym space to play games and do group activities.
- Lower Park: The lower park is located at the gravel field. The park has a climber and a tire swing. The children also engage in group games at the gravel field such as soccer, kickball and races etc. We also play at the basketball courts near the high school.
- Grandview Park: OSC is located approximately 20 meters from the park. We utilize the park often especially on sunny days. The children love to play different versions of tag, playing on the equipment and digging in the sand.

**5 O'CLOCK:** Routine plays a very important place in the OSC program. After a long day at school and a busy active OSC program, we provide 5 o'clock activity to help bring focus at the end of the day and to prepare the children for home time. 5 o'clock activity follows clean up and we do a variety of games and table top activities during this time.

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