



**CARSON GRAHAM  
SECONDARY**

September 28, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians of Grade 12 Students,

The dust has finally settled and students are busily engaging with their first term of their grade 12 year. We want to thank you for your patience and understanding as we worked through finalizing timetables. We are hopeful that your children are in classes that they are enjoying.

Grade 12 is an exciting time as the students are coming to the end of their secondary school journey and are preparing to launch into the next phase of their lives. While some students may know exactly what they want to do after graduation, there are others that are still searching for direction, and that can be overwhelming. Please know there are resources available to help them (and you) along this journey.

We encourage you to engage with your child as they navigate the post-secondary virtual information sessions and websites and help them to reach out to the recruiters with their questions.

While we are happy to help them along this journey, we are asking that they attempt some research on their own before coming to see us, as it is helpful if they have narrowed down their options. It is also important that they learn to advocate for themselves and learn to problem solve as these are important skills they will need moving forward.

Here are a few important resources and links to some local University in-person and virtual information sessions:

## **Important Web Sites**

### **Education Planner BC**

[www.educationplannerbc.ca](http://www.educationplannerbc.ca)

This is an excellent resource to find information on which post-secondary institutions offer programs in specific areas of interest. It also houses the application forms for many post-secondary institutions.

Students will need to create an account if they are applying to post-secondary institutions through this platform.

### **Student Transcript Services**





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[www.studentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca](http://www.studentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca)

Students will need to create an account in order to give post-secondary institutions access to and their transcripts and to order their graduation certificate.

## **Upcoming Events**

➤ **Carson Graham Grade 12 Parent Night – October 4<sup>th</sup> 2022  
In Person at 6:30 pm in the Agora**

➤ **Post-Secondary BC (PSBC)**

Takes place at Carson Graham Thursday October 27<sup>th</sup> 9-11am

Students will be able to connect with 15-25 post –secondary schools from BC to explore Programs and talk directly to their recruiters.

➤ **Canadian University Event (CUE)**

Registration is now open!

Check out 50 universities from across Canada and connect with their recruiters to ask questions.

Thursday October 6<sup>th</sup> @ Westfield Country Club in Surrey (6:00-8:30pm)

Tuesday October 11<sup>th</sup> @ Delta Burnaby Hotel in Burnaby (6:30-9:00pm)

**Student Registration:** <https://cuebc.org/register/>

We have attached the newsletter that we posted to our grade 12 Team (Class of 2023). Please take some time to review it with your child and reach out to us if you have any questions or concerns. Parents play such a vital role in ensuring their children's success through to graduation and so we look forward to working together to ensure it is a successful year for everyone.

Sincerely,

Your Carson Grade 12 Counselling Team

Mary Fletcher Grade 12 Counsellor (A-W)

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