

This week marks the final week of the regular rotation of classes for semester 1.

On Monday, January 25th and Tuesday, January 26th there will be extended classes with two classes per day. Please see the attached schedule for times and the block order. Attendance on January 25th and 26th is mandatory.

On Wednesday, January 27th and Thursday, January 28th there will be opportunities for students to meet with their teachers to review and complete work from semester one. There will also be enrichment opportunities provided by teachers. Students should inquire with their teachers about availability and offerings. The regular class rotation is not in effect.

Provincial Exams start on Monday, January 25th and end on Thursday, January 28th. Students who are writing a provincial exam on Monday or Tuesday will be excused from the class they have while writing the exam. Students writing provincial exams should arrive a minimum of 20 minutes before the start of their exam. Provincial exams will be written in the small gym.

According to the Ministry website, Provincial exam results will be released on February 29th, 2016. Results will be posted on the Student Secure Web located on the Ministry of Education website at: <https://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/exams/> Students will need their Provincial Education Number (PEN) located at the top of their report card to create their account on the Student Secure Web. Sample exams can also be found on this website. We encourage all students writing provincial exams to try the sample exams. Note that the June 2016 provincial exam schedule and the 2016-2017 schedule can also be accessed on this website.

Friday, January 29th is an Administrative Day. No classes are in session.

Monday, February 1st is the start of semester two. Students will report to their homeroom at the start of the day where they will receive their semester two timetables. Following homeroom students will attend all of their classes for the

full day finishing at the usual time of 2:55pm. On Friday, February 5th there is a district-wide professional development day - classes are not in session on this day.

Students will receive their Semester 1 final report cards on Monday, February 15th.

For students taking North Vancouver Distributed Learning (DL) courses, NVDL marks will be issued on February 26, 2016. Please note that NVDL will not issue a mark in its February reporting for courses that are less than two-thirds complete. NVDL marks issued after February 26, 2016 will not be included in Sutherland's Honour Roll calculation or course minimum requirement. Students on the Honour Roll are formally acknowledged at the Sutherland Year End Awards Ceremony in June. For more information about Sutherland's Honour Roll and Awards see pages 11 to 13 of your son/daughter's agenda book.

Please review the following attachments:

1. January 2016 Sutherland Exam Calendar
2. January 2016 Sutherland Exam Schedule
3. January 2016 Provincial Exam Guidelines for Students

-Sutherland Admin Team