

NEWSLETTER

Golden Alternate School

WELCOME BACK!

We hope everyone had a wonderful summer. We are looking forward to a great year ahead!

IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER 3

First Day of School (9:45-11:45am)

SEPTEMBER 27

Start-Up Forms Due Click <u>HERE</u> to complete

SEPTEMBER 23

Non-Instructional Day
(No School)

SEPTEMBER 30

National Day for Truth & Reconciliation (No School)

CELL PHONE POLICY

Golden Alternate School's cell phone and smart watch practice aligns with Ministry direction and School District 6- Policy 5800: Student Code of Conduct. The policy has been discussed and reviewed with the feedback of all stakeholders. The policy considers student well-being and responsible use while relying on a team effort and shared responsibility between students, parents and guardians, and the school.

<u>Cell phone restrictions in schools - Province of British Columbia (gov.bc.ca)</u>

Staff will be discussing the GAS cell phone practice along with student expectations during scheduled Student Learning Plan meetings with students and families.

MEET THE STAFF

Lisa Tenta, Principal
Krystal Haggard, Admin Assistant
Natasha Ostopovich, Teacher
Pamela Broderick, Teacher
Kimberley Allenbach, Youth Care Worker
Margot McMullen, Indigenous Education Support Worker

ATTENDANCE

We believe that regular attendance is an important factor contributing to student success

Please contact your child's teacher to keep them informed regarding any absences

PLEASE COMPLETE: Start-Up Forms (on Clevr)
Bus Registration, if applicable (forms are now to be completed online)

SCHEDULE 2024-2025

Golden Alternate School Mon-Friday- 8:45am-3:15pm