




Welcome Centre (Room 1011)

April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	2 Assessment & Orientation – NWSS Students & Parents @ 8:30 – 11:00 am Seed Generation Program @ 12:00 – 1:30 pm Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	3 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Tax Basics @ 12:00 – 2:00 pm Youth Friendship Circles @ 11:30 – 12:30 Leadership & Life Skills for Youth @ 3:00 – 4:45 pm	4 Community Integration Service @ 12:30 – 2:30 pm	5
6	7 Workshop for Parents (MOSAIC) @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Youth Friendship Circle (drop-in) @ 11:30 am – 12:30 pm Pre-Employment Training for Youth (SWIS) @ 2:45 – 4:45 pm	8 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	9 Assessment & Orientation – NWSS Students & Parents @ 8:30 – 11:00 am Seed Generation @ 12:00 – 1:30 pm Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	10 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Youth Friendship Circles @ 11:30 – 12:30 Leadership & Life Skills for Youth @ 3:00 – 4:45 pm	11 Community Integration Service @ 12:30 – 2:30 pm	12 Circles of Strength @ 9:00 am – 1:00 pm
13	14 Energy Savings Workshop @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Youth Friendship Circle (drop-in) @ 11:30 am – 12:30 pm Pre-Employment Training for Youth (SWIS) @ 2:45 – 4:45 pm	15 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	16 Assessment & Orientation – NWSS Students & Parents @ 8:30 – 11:00 am Seed Generation @ 12:00 – 1:30 pm Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	17 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Pro – D Day	18 Good Friday Closed	19
20	21 Easter Monday Closed 	22 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm	23 Assessment & Orientation – NWSS Students & Parents @ 8:30 – 11:00 am Seed Generation @ 12:00 – 1:30 pm Homework Club @ 3:00 – 5:00 pm Synergy Choir @ 5:30 – 8:00 pm	24 Conversation Circle @ 9:30 – 11:30 am Youth Friendship Circles @ 11:30 – 12:30 Leadership & Life Skills for Youth @ 3:00 – 4:45 pm	25 Community Integration Service @ 12:30 – 2:30 pm	26
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Program Name	Description
Assessment & Orientation – NWSS Students & Parents	Language assessment and orientation for newcomer students and their caregivers entering New Westminster Secondary School
Circles of Strength	This program provides ongoing opportunities for those who are bereaved to connect, to share their experiences in a supportive environment and to learn strategies that can assist them in coping with their grief. Find more information at https://lumasociety.org/circles-of-strength/
Community Integration Service	A Community Integration Specialist will provide information on income assistance, benefits, and disability benefits. Drop-ins. No registration is required.
Conversation Circle	NWPL and the Welcome Centre are offering English Conversation Circles, open to all levels of English. Come join the conversation, practice your English, build your speaking confidence, and connect with other learners! To register, please visit https://www.nwpl.ca/events-calendar/ .
Energy Savings Workshop	Learn about how your home uses energy and explore renter friendly energy saving measures to reduce your energy bills and improve your home's energy efficiency. You will also learn how to read your utility bills and discover funding supports for energy efficient upgrades. To register, contact SWIS at your school or Welcome Centre at welcome@sd40.bc.ca .
Homework Club	Tutoring, English and homework support for students in Grades 1 -8 with SFU Student Tutors. To register, please email swis@mosaicbc.org .
Leadership & Life Skills for Youth (SWIS)	This free drop-in program for NWSS Students will focus on fostering Leadership and overall wellbeing of youth. Participants will learn how to network and build connections, improve communication skills and to work as a team and collaborate. Participants will also learn how to be mindful of their physical, social and emotional health. No registration is required.
Pre-Employment Training for Youth (SWIS)	This is the perfect opportunity for youth to gain experience and skills for their job hunts. No registration is required.
Seed Generation Program	The Seed Generation program delivers civic engagement, life skills, cultural and recreation activities to youth in New Westminster. Core training provided to youth includes but is not limited to pre-employment skills, employment skills, social capital development skills, work experiences, mentorship and short-term training.
Synergy Choir	This is a compassionate community choir where you are invited to sing in person. No singing experience is required to join. For more information, contact choir@lumasociety.org
Tax Basics Workshop	Learn the basics of filing your taxes and accessing government benefits. This workshop is offered in Spanish. To register, please email tlarrea@mosaicbc.org or call 604-562-0279.
Workshop for Parents (SWIS)	SWIS team at New Westminster Schools are offering workshops on various topics. For more information, please email swis@mosaicbc.org
Youth Friendship Circles (SWIS)	This is a free drop-in program for NWSS students. The goal is to educate and inspire newcomer youths on healthy relationships and boundaries through discussions on compassion, consent, friendship, bullying and more. No registration is required.