



BICS THIS WEEK: January 2-6, 2023

Happy New Year!

The Week Ahead	
Monday	▪ School Closed; Day in Lieu for New Year's Day
Tuesday	▪ First Day of School for 2023
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	▪ 12:20 PM, Senior Choir

Information, Requests, Reminders	
Calendar	As you plan for 2023, a reminder of our School Base Calendar here . It details days school is not in session, early dismissals, etc. For example, Friday, January 27 th , is a professional development day when school is not in session.
Emergency Student Release Drill	BICS will hold an Emergency Student Release drill on the afternoon of Friday, February 24, 2023. These drills are required every second year. During this drill, parents/guardians/emergency contacts are asked to pick up their children from school sometime between 1-2:30 PM on February 24. Further details will be shared early in the New Year, but please mark this date in your calendars.
Enrollment for 2023-2024	If you have a child entering kindergarten next school year, please enroll them as soon as possible. It is helpful for our planning to have a sense of numbers and families of Kindergarten students will start receiving communications about welcoming events early in the New Year. Thank you

Help prevent the Spread of Communicable Diseases

[Click here](#) for information from Vancouver Coastal Health about when to keep your child home from school.

[Click here](#) for information about Health Checks including symptoms of illness. *Please share these links with any extended family members who might attend the winter concerts. Thank you!*

[Click here](#) to access the COVID-19 Self-Assessment Tool.