



January 2026 Newsletter



As we welcome the New Year, Sikh Academy Management extends its sincere best wishes to all families. May Waheguru Ji's kirpa bless our students and families with good health, wisdom, seva bhav, and Chardi Kala. We look forward to a year of continued learning, compassion, and growth, guided by the teachings of our Guru Sahiban.

Waheguru Ji Ka Khalsa
Waheguru Ji Ki Fateh 🙏

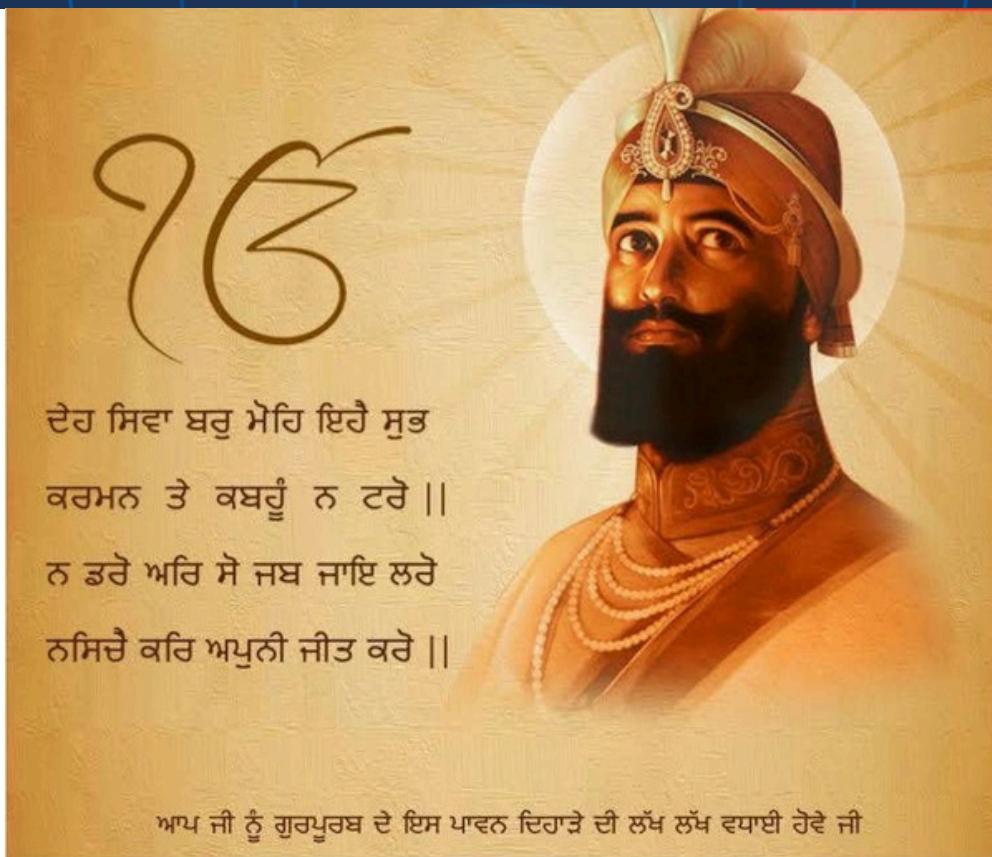
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SIKH ACADEMY

Elementary & Middle School

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Gurpurab – Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji

Sikh Academy will observe the Prakash Purab (Birthday) of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji on Friday, January 30, 2026.

An extended Kirtan will be held. Parents are welcome to join, and Langar will be served.

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Stay Up to Date

Visit our website www.sikhacademy.ca for important resources, the latest information, and updates. You can also explore our Instagram [@sikhacademybc](https://www.instagram.com/sikhacademybc) to view student performances and events.



Important Dates

Jan 5 Mon	School Reopens
Jan 6 Tue	Fire Drill
Jan 23 Fri	Report Cards – Term 1
Jan 30 Fri	Parkash Purab – Guru Gobind Singh Ji

Weather Alerts

In the event of extreme weather conditions, including possible school closures, updates will be shared promptly via email and school communication channels.

Please continue to monitor messages from the school for the latest information.

Traffic Safety

NO PARKING IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL – Please maintain school zone speed while driving in front of the school. Due to the high volume of vehicles during the start and end of the school day, and to ensure the safety of everyone, do not stop in front of the school. Please park your car on the east side of Nishaan Sahib and walk to drop off or pick up your child from the school.

❄️ Dressing for the Weather

As winter continues, please ensure students come to school dressed appropriately for cold and rainy weather, including:

- Warm jackets
- Raincoats
- Waterproof shoes
- Gloves (as needed)

Students go outside daily unless weather conditions are unsafe.

Please note that students must be in proper school uniform at all times, except on “Be Yourself Wednesday.” Outerwear should be weather-appropriate while still maintaining uniform expectations.



Hot Meal Schedule

Monday	Veggie Sandwich & Fries or Samosa
Tuesday	Free Hot Lunch for All Students
Wednesday	Pasta with Garlic Bread
Thursday	Veggie Burger & Fries
Friday	Pizza (Veggie or Cheese) (Friday Fundraiser)

Everyday Snacks & Drinks

Available daily in the cafeteria:

- Popcorn
- Milkshakes (Chocolate, Mango, Blueberry, Strawberry)
- Chips
- Crackers
- Veggie Straws

All meals are vegetarian and prepared fresh on site. Please encourage your child to bring exact change when purchasing meals or snacks.

School Uniform Reminder (Same Uniform for the New Year)

Please ensure students arrive at school in proper school uniform. The same uniform will continue for the new school year too.

Regular Uniform (Mon, Tue, Thu & Fri):

- Sky blue T-shirt
- Dark blue trousers
- Blue head cover (rumal)

P.E. Uniform:

- Dark blue round-neck T-shirt
- Dark blue sweatpants
- Dark blue Sweatshirt

Be Yourself Wednesdays:

Every Wednesday, students are encouraged to express themselves by wearing school-appropriate clothing of their choice.

Important Reminders:

- Students must wear their regular uniform on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.
- Please ensure children come to school with their rumals daily, as students visit the Gurdwara every day.



💳 Fees & Registration Reminder

We kindly remind parents to ensure that all outstanding school fees are cleared. If you have any questions regarding your account, please contact the school office.

📅 Registrations for the upcoming school year are now open. Families are encouraged to complete the registration process early, as spaces are limited.

Communication

Notify your child's homeroom teacher via email or through the office if your child will not be at school that day or if they will be picked up early.

Langar Update

Please note that Langar scheduled for Tuesday, January 26 will be postponed to Friday, January 30, 2026.

🍎 Healthy Lunch Guidelines

To promote healthy eating habits and support student well-being, please ensure that lunches are nutritious and balanced.

- No sugary juices or beverages.
- No sweets or candy, including chocolates and sugary snacks

Thank you for your cooperation in maintaining a healthy school environment for all students.

🙏 Thank You for a Successful 2025

With heartfelt gratitude, we thank our PAC, parents, teachers, and staff for your seva, support, and dedication throughout 2025. Together, with Waheguru Ji's kirpa, we have nurtured our students in learning, values, and Chardi Kala.

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Glimpses of 2025 December

