

Truth and Reconciliation Week

We encourage members to check out resources available on our District's Indigenous Resource webpage
<https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/indigenous-education/resources/truth/>

Resources available on the BCTF Website - [National Day for Reconciliation](#)

Resources available from the [National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation](#) (booklet) and [Reports](#)



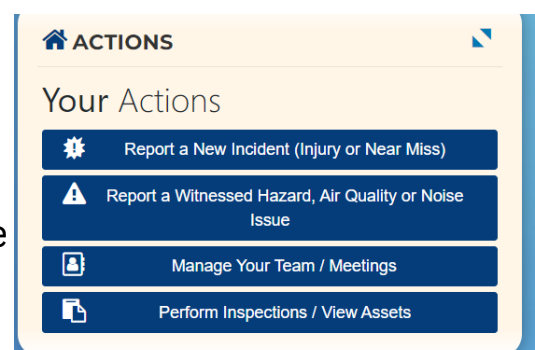
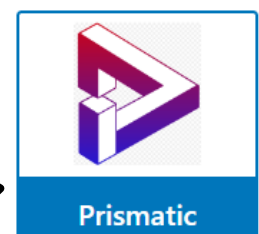
Resources available from the Downie&Wenjack [website](#) that include webinars, resources and discussion guides



Health and Safety Incident Reporting

The District has a new Health and Safety Incident Reporting Platform. Here is where you find it and how to report an incident

- Start at the SD71 Website, click **PORTAL** in the top right
- you may be asked to Login
- Look for this icon
- Choose the option that applies to your situation and start filling out the form. If you need assistance please see a JOHS committee member or feel free to contact the Union Office.



UNION DAYS

A reminder that Wednesdays have been traditionally reserved for union days. Important union meetings are scheduled for every Wednesday: Executive, Staff Rep, Joint Pro-D, Pro-D, General and Annual General Meetings.

Please avoid scheduling any district events on Wednesdays.

Foundation Skills Assessment Letters are coming

The BCTF FSA withdrawal letters to parents of students in Grades 4 and 7 will be arriving at your schools soon.

Reminder

Envelopes going home with students must be sealed and handed out without discussion

ShareEdBC -- The BCTF is advising that BCTF members do NOT participate in any voluntary opportunities involving the further development of ShareEdBC. The Federation also requests that PSAs and BCTF Locals do not promote ShareEdBC in any way.



TTOC's

Please check your availability in the AMS system to make sure it is correct. If it is not and online corrections do not fix it, please call the AMS help desk to rectify the issue.

Important Dates

Sep 27 - Pro-D Rep Mtg
Oct 4 - Exec Meeting
Oct 11 - Staff Rep Training
Oct 18 - Staff Rep Meeting @ Curling Club
**Oct 25 - General Meeting
4-6pm**



Teaching is the one profession that creates all other professions. - Unknown