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## North Glenmore Elementary

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1	2	3 Home/School Conferences 12:30 Dismissal	4 Home/School Conferences 12:30 Dismissal
Scholastic Book Fair				
7 Bus Evacuation Training (Gr. 1 & 3) 	8 PAC Meeting 7pm 	9	10	11 <b>Implementation Day</b> No school for students 
14 <b>Thanksgiving Day</b> No School 	15 Picture Day 	16	17 Collaboration Assemblies 8:45 & 9:45 am 	18 WE DAY (Vancouver) Family Activity Night 6:30-8:30pm
21 Fire Drill 2pm	22 Grade 6 Camp Meeting 7pm 	23 Grade 6 Immunizations 8:30am	24	25 <b>Pro D Day</b> No school for students 
28 Earthquake Drill 12:15	29	30 	31 Celebration Assembly 8:45am Pumpkin Carving Display 	

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## Safety Drills

NGE conducts a number of Safety Drills each year to ensure that all staff and students are familiar with safety procedures in the case of an emergency (e.g. fire, earthquake, lock-down).

Our staff does an excellent job of debriefing with students and letting them know these drills are "practice only" - we hope never to have to use them in a real-life situation. However, some children can still become anxious around safety drills. Therefore, we post our **first** practice for each drill on our monthly calendars to allow parents an opportunity to discuss these drills and help alleviate any anxiety they may cause.

If your child is particularly anxious around Safety Drills, please be sure to inform your classroom teacher and set up a plan for accommodating your child's needs.