

# Eagles News

English Bluff Elementary School  
January, 2026



## What's New in 2026?

We would like to wish our EB families good health and happiness in 2026! Thank you to the EB PAC for distributing our fantastic new **EB Spirit Wear!** Our PAC teamed up with **local artist Rory Doyle** to design this year's Spirit Wear. Inspired by our IB values, the designs take a thoughtful, conceptual approach, celebrating what it means to be a global citizen and to make a positive impact in the world.

Please join me in welcoming Mr. Guevara our new Music Teacher. Mr. Guevara has a passion for playing guitar and many students were strumming already this week. Welcome back Mrs. Reifel, who will be assuming the role of Inclusion Team Teacher (a few days a week) as Mrs. Fleming is on maternity leave.

## What's Going on at EB? -

This week we were so fortunate to have **Tsawwassen Martial Arts** and **Delta Lacrosse** spend time with our students and introducing them to some basic skills. Our ADST rounds have started and Ms. Wells will be cooking with students this term – Our school smelled delicious today! We have many clubs that will be starting next week at English Bluff including:

- Mondays – Science Club
- Tuesdays – Basketball practice
- Wednesdays – Board Game Club
- Thursdays – Basketball practice & Reading Link Challenge
- Fridays – Art Club

## Things to Check Out

**Our School Website** - Find out more:

<https://eb.deltasd.bc.ca/>

**For current updates on what's going on at school**  
***The next installment of IB fees will be due Jan 30, 2026. Thank you.***

**To order Hot Lunch:**

<https://englishbluff.hotlunches.net/admin/>

Contact the **PAC:**[chair.ebpac@gmail.com](mailto:chair.ebpac@gmail.com)  
**PAC meeting minutes are posted on the EB website.**

## Hockey Day at EB

***Mark your calendar hockey fans!***

**Hockey Day at EB, is on January 16<sup>th</sup>.** It's a full day celebration geared to coincide with Canada's unofficial hockey holiday. CBC's Hockey Night in Canada is heading to Moncton, NB to celebrate Hockey Day in Canada on Saturday, January 17th. Our goal is to generate school-wide inclusion and excitement in the sport of street hockey. The emphasis will be on fair play, sportsmanship and camaraderie.



## Parent Info

Have you checked out the Parent Portal on the Delta School District website:

<https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/resources/parent-information-brochures/>

It is full of helpful information ranging resources & links relating to online safety for kids, mental health & wellbeing, bullying, racism, and communicating concerns to the school. If you are looking for something but can't find it here, please call the school and we can support you.

The Delta School District also has an Integrated Child & Youth (ICY) Team that includes a dedicated Family Peer Support Worker from Family Smart <https://familysmart.ca/> There are online workshops and resources for families. Please see the attached information.

## Hold the Date

**Please be sure to pay your IB fees. The next installment will be due Jan 31, 2026.**

**Jan 15:** Giants Visit

**Jan 16:** Hockey Day at EB

**Jan 21:** Bell Let's Talk Day

**Jan 22:** Hot Lunch

**Jan 23:** ProD (school not in session)

**Jan 27:** Family Literacy Day

**Feb 5:** Hot Lunch

**Feb 6:** Olympics Begin!

*Thank you,*

*Ms. T. Carleton Gaines*

## What's New in the Library?

Please check out Ms. Well's Library newsletter. In it she will provide more information about Delta Reads and how we will be celebrating the Joy of Reading. Our Library is open at 8:30 on Tuesdays & Thursdays for families to pop in and enjoy the space together. January 27<sup>th</sup> is Family Literacy Day where we finalize our I Can Read Anywhere contest. Throughout the month, send in a photo of you or your family reading in a fun, creative but safe space & you will be entered for a prize!

## Road Safety

We are urging all parents and drivers to please slow down and follow posted signs in school zones. To ensure the safety of all when traffic is busy, please use the designated areas when dropping off or picking up your child. Please also use extreme caution at the nearby crosswalks. Let's keep students safe on their way to and from school. Delta Police School Liaison Officers and Delta Bylaw Inspectors will be working together over the coming months to increase enforcement and education at all Delta School zones.



## IB Learner Profile - Reflective

Our Learner Profile this month **is Reflective**. Students will give thoughtful consideration to their learning and experiences. They will assess and understand their strengths and limitations in order to set personal goals.