

# Deputy Minister's Bulletin

Ministry of Education and Child Care



## 2025/2026 Operating Grant Payment Schedule

May 16, 2025

I am writing to inform you of the Operating Grant Payment Schedule, which will take effect for the 2025/2026 school year.

Please note where the payment date does not fall on the 15th or last day of month, payment will be made on the first business day before those dates.

District Operating Grants will be paid as usual, twice per month on the 15th and the last business day of the month. Program-specific grants will be paid at the end of the month. The new schedule will apply to all grants and recoveries.

The first payment date of the 2025/2026 school year will be July 15, 2025, and then as per the table below:

### **2025/2026 Grant Payment Schedule:**

Month	Payment Dates
July	15, 31
August	15, 29
September	15, 29
October	15, 31
November	14, 28
December	15, 31
January	15, 30
February	13, 27
March	13, 31
April	15, 30
May	15, 29
June	15, 30

If you have any questions or concerns about this topic, please feel free to contact either me or the Funding and Allocation Unit Financial Officer at [ECC.CDS@gov.bc.ca](mailto:ECC.CDS@gov.bc.ca).

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tim Jah".

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