

# GRADE 11-12

## HOW TO USE THIS CALENDAR

Click on the [LINKS](#) in this calendar to watch videos, get to lessons plans and more. Dates are categorized by...

- Sturgeon
- Salmon
- School Activity Days
- Mammals
- Community Events
- Invertebrates
- Watershed

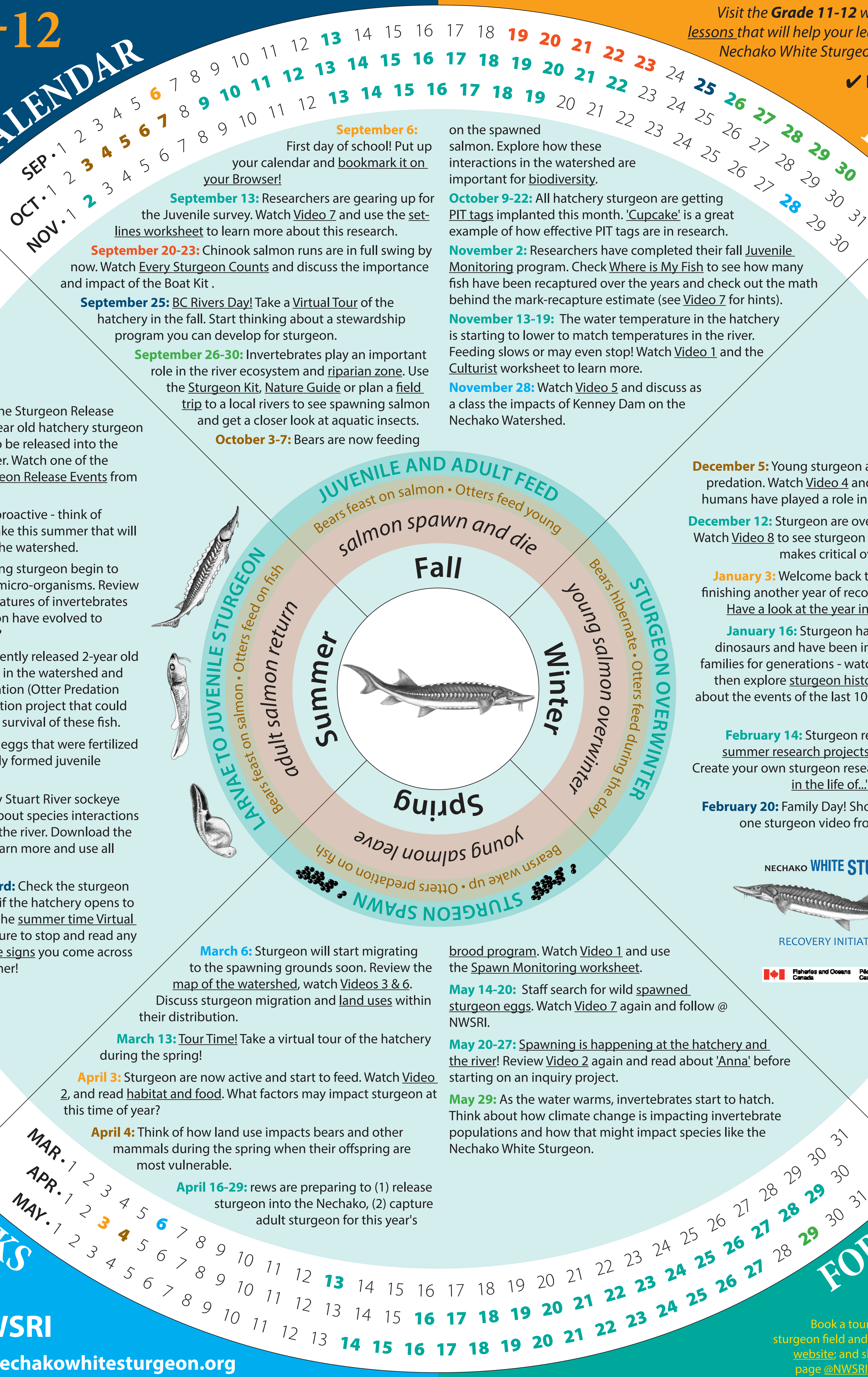
# 2022-2023 STURGEON CALENDAR

# QUICK LINKS

- V1 - Conservation Centre
- V2 - Spawning to Release Stage
- V3 - Sturgeon in the Wild
- V4 - Predation
- V5 - Changes in the Watershed
- V6 - Recovery of the NWS Population
- V7 - Monitoring Programs
- V8 - Sturgeon in the Winter
- V9 - Sturgeon Life Cycle (K-7)
- Sturgeon Curriculum Outline
- Nature Guide to the Nechako Valley
- Every Sturgeon Counts
- NWSCC Virtual Tour - Fall
- NWSCC Virtual Tour - Spring
- NWSCC Virtual Tour - Summer

@NWSRI

www.nechakowhitesturgeon.org



Visit the [Grade 11-12 webpage](#) to see [activities and curriculum lessons](#) that will help your learners understand these Big Ideas using *Nechako White Sturgeon* as your example species all year long!

- ✓ Evolution
- ✓ Stewardship and restoration
- ✓ Sustainable land use and climate change

# BIG IDEAS

**December 5:** Young sturgeon are vulnerable to predation. Watch [Video 4](#) and expand on how humans have played a role in sturgeon survival.

**December 12:** Sturgeon are overwintering by now. Watch [Video 8](#) to see sturgeon overwintering. What makes critical overwintering habitat?

**January 3:** Welcome back to school! The NWSRI is finishing another year of recovery work on sturgeon. [Have a look at the year in review NWSRI projects.](#)

**January 16:** Sturgeon have lived since the age of dinosaurs and have been important to First Nations families for generations - watch [Video 6](#) to learn more, then explore [sturgeon history](#) and ['Unel'tsoo'](#). Think about the events of the last 100 years and their impact on sturgeon.

**February 14:** Sturgeon researchers are planning [summer research projects](#). (see [Videos 6 & 7](#) too). Create your own sturgeon research project using ['Day in the life of...'](#) as your starting point.

**February 20:** Family Day! Show your family at least one sturgeon video from the [YouTube](#) page.



NECHAKO WHITE STURGEON

RECOVERY INITIATIVE



# FOR EDUCATORS

**Inquiry Project suggestions are on the Sturgeon Video Resource Sheets. Try one!**

## To Educators:

Book a tour at the hatchery (when we are allowed); borrow a sturgeon field and/or Storm Drain Kit; download resources from our [website](#); and share your experiences and ideas on our Facebook page @NWSRI, or by emailing [info@nechakowhitesturgeon.org](mailto:info@nechakowhitesturgeon.org).