

GRADE 8-10

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

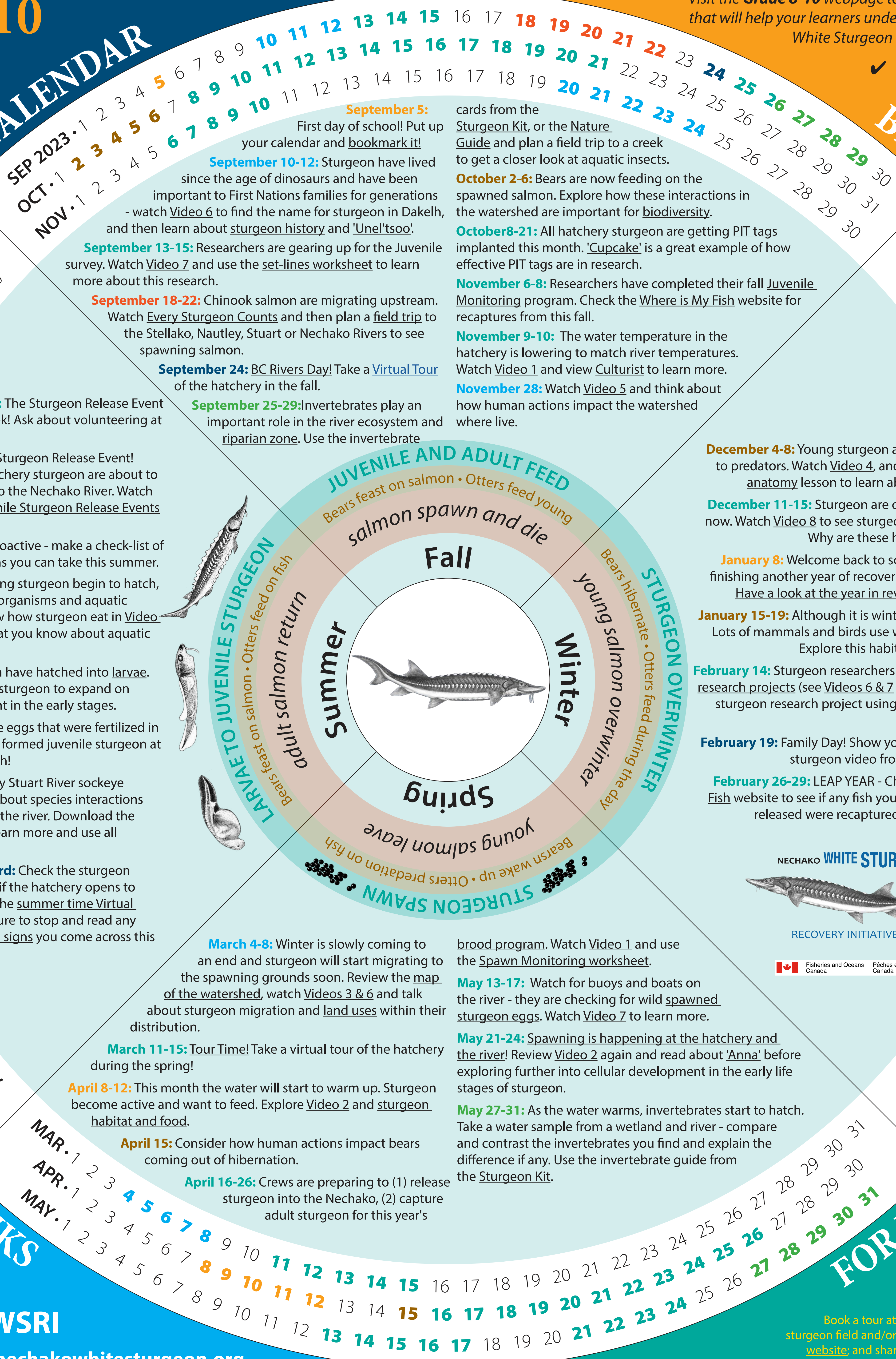
2023-2024 STURGEON CALENDAR

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 (animation)
- V10 - How the Hatchery Works (animation)
- Sturgeon Curriculum Outline
- Nature Guide to the Nechako Valley
- Every Sturgeon Counts
- NWSSC Virtual Tour - Fall
- NWSSC Virtual Tour - Spring
- NWSSC Virtual Tour - Summer

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Visit the [Grade 8-10 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!

- ✓ Cellular processes
- ✓ Community, the watershed and environment and our place in it
- ✓ Life stages

BIG IDEAS

- December 4-8:** Young sturgeon are vulnerable to predators. Watch [Video 4](#), and the [sturgeon anatomy](#) lesson to learn about predation.
- December 11-15:** Sturgeon are overwintering by now. Watch [Video 8](#) to see sturgeon overwintering. Why are these habitat important?
- January 8:** 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 15-19:** Although it is winter, go visit a wetland! Lots of mammals and birds use wetlands all year long. Explore this habitat and look for tracks.
- 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 19:** Family Day! Show your family at least one sturgeon video from the [YouTube](#) page.
- February 26-29:** LEAP YEAR - Check the [Where is My Fish](#) website to see if any fish you or your school have released were recaptured last fall and where!



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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.