

# British Columbia

The British Columbia 2012 budget was tabled February 21st, 2012.

## Government budget documents

BC Budget 2012 main website <sup>[1]</sup> (links to all budget documents, highlights, speech and media presentation)

Ministry of Children and Family Development budget overview and funding breakdown <sup>[2]</sup>

<sup>[2]</sup> "The Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD) budget for 2012/13 has increased by \$2.6 million."

## News articles

Families First? What it has been, what it should be <sup>[3]</sup>

Vancouver Sun, 27 Mar 12

The era of tax cut stupidity that starved BC <sup>[4]</sup>

The Tyee, 27 Feb 2012

Education funding stays virtually flat in new B.C. budget <sup>[5]</sup>

Vancouver Sun, 22 Feb 2012

## NGO responses and related readings

Children and youth get slim pickings in Budget 2012 <sup>[6]</sup>

First Call BC, 23 Feb 2012

BC Budget 2012 = No good news for families with young children <sup>[7]</sup>

Coalition of Child Care Advocates BC, 22 Feb 2012

The false economy of BC Budget 2012: deficit exaggerated to avoid spending on real problems <sup>[8]</sup>

Policy Note BC, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives, 21 Feb 2012

"No progress on solving the child care crisis affecting families with young children. No relief from high fees, insufficient spaces and low wages for child care workers. No plans for increasing access to quality early childhood care and learning for preschoolers."

Tue, 02/28/2012

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Links

<sup>[1]</sup> <http://www.bcbudget.gov.bc.ca/2012/default.htm> <sup>[2]</sup> [http://www.mcf.gov.bc.ca/about\\_us/budget.htm](http://www.mcf.gov.bc.ca/about_us/budget.htm) <sup>[3]</sup> <http://www.vancouversun.com/business/Families+First+What+been+what+should/6362414/story.html> <sup>[4]</sup> <https://thetyee.ca/Opinion/2012/02/27/BC-Tax-Cut-Era/> <sup>[5]</sup> <https://o.canada.com> <sup>[6]</sup> <https://firstcallbc.org/pdfs/BCBudget2012.pdf> <sup>[7]</sup> [http://www.cccabc.bc.ca/cccabcdocs/pdf/cccab\\_budget2012.pdf](http://www.cccabc.bc.ca/cccabcdocs/pdf/cccab_budget2012.pdf) <sup>[8]</sup> <https://www.policynote.ca/bc-budget/> <sup>[9]</sup> <https://childcarecanada.org/category/tags/budget> <sup>[10]</sup> <https://childcarecanada.org/category/tags/funding>