
Administrative Memorandum

Regular Board Meeting

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Topic: Summer Learning Enrolment Report
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Summer Learning Enrolment Report 2019

The landscape of Summer Learning in Surrey continues to evolve as programs are constructed, evaluated, and adjusted to best meet the educational needs of students. The Ministry of Education continues to fund Summer Learning Programs for students in 2019. We anticipate approximately 12,500 K-12 students will be enrolled in Summer Learning Programs in 2019. Summer Learning does not charge a fee.

Early Primary (Kindergarten to Grade 1)

For the seventh consecutive year, our Early Learning Program called, “*Play, Connect, Learn*” will be offered at four elementary schools. Beaver Creek and Prince Charles will offer the program for students in their catchment. Forsyth Road will offer the program for Aboriginal students (in partnership with Awahsuk Headstart), and Simon Cunningham will run the program for refugee learners (with support from the Welcome Centre). With a focus on play-based learning to develop literacy and numeracy skills, these programs are designed to support students making the transition from Kindergarten to Grade One. *Anticipated number of students: 130*

**** NEW SITES ** Summer Learning Elementary Program**

This program emphasizes the need to engage our elementary age students in the process of learning, while also enhancing the literacy and numeracy proficiency levels for those who are “Emerging” or “Developing”. Students will be referred to the program by their enrolling schools and will join a program at a district HUB school close to their home. This summer we have added six new sites: Beaver Creek, Cambridge, Forsyth Road, George Greenaway, Janice Churchill, and Newton Elementary. *Anticipated number of students: 4000*

Summer Learning French Immersion Program

Students will be registered in either Early or Late Immersion programs at three HUB school sites. *Anticipated number of students: 200*

**** NEW ** City Camp for Children With and Beyond Cancer: A Partnership with the West Coast Kids Cancer Foundation**

Students (aged 6-12) facing cancer will experience joy in these week-long day camps that will be run twice within the district at AHP Matthews during the month of July. In addition, the partnership will provide a work experience program, with a leadership focus, for Surrey schools students in grades 10 - 12. *Anticipated number of students: 24*

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Specialized Student Support Programming

The Student Support Department will provide several summer learning opportunities for students with highly specialized needs. *Anticipated number of student: 30*

Trades Exploration

Interested students will be enrolled in a Trades Exploration 10 Program at Princess Margaret where they will have the opportunity to experience four different Trades: Plumbing, Electrical, Carpentry, and Welding. The goal is to expose our learners to different vocations and spark interest for further study. *Anticipated number of Students: 20*

Summer Connections – Supported through Safe Schools

Princess Margaret, Queen Elizabeth, and Education Services School host the Summer Connections program for youth at risk. *Anticipated number of students: 100*

Aboriginal Math Camp

The Aboriginal Education Department will be offering Secondary numeracy programs at Enver Creek, Frank Hurt, Guildford Park and Kwantlen Secondary. These programs draw from the First Peoples Principles of Learning to create a learning environment that is culturally responsive to the needs of our Aboriginal Learners. *Anticipated number of students: 80*

Bridge Program

The Welcome Centre will be hosting a Bridge Program (out of Princess Margaret and Dr. F.D. Sinclair) for students who are ELL Learners. We expect that there will be 7 classes running this year – 4 Elementary classes and 3 Secondary classes. *Anticipated number of students: 100*

**** NEW SFU PARTNERSHIP ** Enhancement Programs (Grades 8-12)**

School communities have identified a passion/interest within their student and teacher population and will be offering programs in the summer to support these interests. Enhancement programs allow an opportunity for students and teachers to pursue areas of personal interest and engagement in learning. New this summer, we will partner with SFU to run an audio/visual based program. *Anticipated number of students: 800*

LEAD/LANE/ATARI (Grades 8/9)

Students in grade 8/9 that have been identified by their school to be struggling in two core academic subjects will be enrolled in these programs. Teachers engage students in project-based learning and experience-based study. Each site also has grade 11/12 peer tutors who work with the students and receive credit. This program aims to build capacity within their own students at their own site instead of having to go to remedial summer learning. ATARI is the French Immersion version of LEAD at Earl Marriott. *Anticipated number of students: 300*

Transitions

Students in grade 7 will be referred by their schools to participate in the Transitions Program at their secondary school. The program will be offered at 20 secondary school sites in the district. This program is aimed to enhance students' literacy and numeracy skills, as well as give them an opportunity to acquaint themselves with all the nuances of student life in a secondary school environment. It is ideal for any student that could use some extra assistance with the move from elementary to secondary. *Anticipated number of students: 700*

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Academic Remedial

The Academic Remedial Program will continue to facilitate opportunities for success for students who may have had difficulty during the school year. Academic Remedial courses will be at Queen Elizabeth Secondary or Clayton Heights Secondary. *Anticipated number of students: 1000*

Academic Full Credit

North Surrey Secondary, Queen Elizabeth, Princess Margaret Secondary, Earl Marriott Secondary, Panorama Ridge Secondary, and Clayton Heights Secondary will be hosting Academic Full Credit courses. The spectrum of courses includes core academic subjects, languages, and physical education. Students choose to take up to two academic courses. *Anticipated number of students: 5000*

**** NEW ** Adult Full Credit**

New this year, Invergarra Adult Learning Centre will offer full courses for our adults this summer. The spectrum of courses includes core academic subjects -Literacy foundations, Math foundations, and physical education. Students choose to take up to two courses. *Anticipated number of students: 350*

August 2019 Government Exam Session

During the 1st week of August, Summer Learning will be hosting exam sessions for English 12 and Communications 12. *Anticipated number of students: 20*
