

RICHMOND SECONDARY GRADE 8 PROGRAM PLANNING 2024



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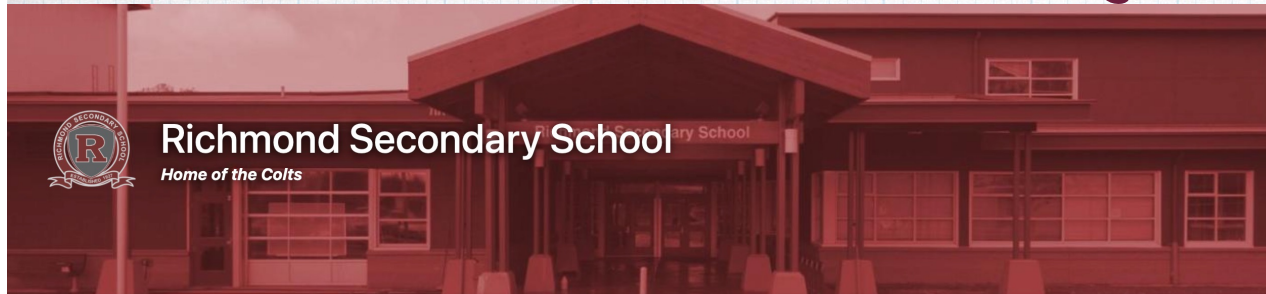
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Program Planning & Course Selection



Richmond Secondary School Program Planning Guide

This section of our school website is intended to give students and parents an overview of the many courses and programs offered at Richmond Secondary School. We offer a wide range of Ministry of Education courses, unique district programs, locally-developed course options as well as the *International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme*. **Please use the separate links on the right for more detailed course information from each department.**

Please note, students' personalized and completed Program Planning forms must be signed by parents and are due by 3 PM on Thursday, February 9, 2023. Course selections must also be entered online by this date. Please see the attachment below for instructions.

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Students are encouraged to read the online RHS course descriptions, ask current teachers, parents, classmates and counsellors about courses and think carefully before selecting courses for next year. Remember, we are here to help!

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Grade 8 Program

GRADE 8

English 8

Social Studies 8

Mathematics 8

Science 8

Physical and Health Education 8

French 8

Arts Education

Applied Design, Skills & Technologies (ADST)

TOTAL 8



Grade 8 Program Planning 2024-2025

Program Planning Info: rsscounselling.com

SAMPLE COURSE PLANNING FORM

Legal Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

Address: _____

Current ELL Level: _____

Current School: _____

Catchment Secondary School: _____

(This information is only for the use of your counsellor.)

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Parent e-mail: _____ Parent Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Course Request 2024-2025 School Year

1. English Language Arts 8

2. Math 8

3. Science 8

4. Social Studies 8

5. Physical & Health Education 8

6. Applied Skills 8 (ADST 8)

7. French 8

Choose **ONE** of the following:

8. Fine Arts 8

Music Band 8 Introductory

Music Band 8 Intermediate

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR TEACHER BY THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2024

This is a request sheet only and does not guarantee a student's placement in any course.

Please sign below indicating your consent to the completed student program.

_____ Date

_____ Parent Signature

_____ Student Signature



Grade 8 ELL Program Planning 2024-2025

Program Planning Info: rsscounselling.com

ELL Program Planning Form

Legal Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

Address: _____

Current ELL Level: _____

Current School: _____

Catchment Secondary School: _____

(This information is only for the use of your counsellor.)

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Parent e-mail: _____ Parent Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Check Appropriate ELL Level for September 2024

| <input type="checkbox"/> ELL LEVEL 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> ELL LEVEL 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> ELL LEVEL 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> ELL LEVEL 4 |
|--|--|--|--|
| ELL 1 A | ELL 2 A | ELL 3 A | ELL 4 |
| ELL 1 B | ELL 2 B | ELL 3 B | English 8 |
| ELL 1 C | ELL 2 C | Math 8 | Math 8 |
| Math 8 | Math 8 | Science 8 | Science 8 |
| Physical & Health Ed 8 | Science 8 | Social Studies 8 | Social Studies 8 |
| Applied Skills 8 | Physical & Health Ed 8 | Physical & Health Ed 8 | Physical & Health Ed 8 |
| Fine Arts 8 | Applied Skills 8 | Applied Skills 8 | Applied Skills 8 |
| *TBD* | | | |
| Choose ONE of the following: | Choose ONE of the following: | Choose ONE of the following: | Choose ONE of the following: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Introductory) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Introductory) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Introductory) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Introductory) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Intermediate) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Intermediate) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Intermediate) | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Band 8 (Intermediate) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts 8 | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts 8 | <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts 8 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Learning Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Learning Support | <input type="checkbox"/> Learning Support |

Did you receive Learning Support in Grade 7? YES NO

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO YOUR TEACHER BY WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2024.

This is a request sheet only and does not guarantee a student's placement in any course.

Please sign below indicating your consent to the completed student program.
If you have any further questions, please contact your Counsellor at 604-668-6400.

_____ Date

_____ Parent Signature

_____ Student Signature

Important Dates:

Feb. 29 *Course Selection Forms* due to your teacher

Transfer Deadlines:

Feb. 7 First day to submit *Transfer Applications*

Feb. 29 Last day to submit *Transfer Applications*



How to be successful in Grade 8

Take care and look after your own personal property: backpacks, textbooks. Use your locker.

Be prepared to spend time at home to review.

Organize all your work, use binders and dividers. **USE YOUR AGENDA.**

Share with your parents what you are learning and doing at school.



Shape of the Day

MONDAY + THURSDAY + FRIDAY:

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 8:25 AM | Morning Welcome Bell |
| 8:30 AM - 9:50 AM | Block A/E |
| 10:00 AM - 11:20 AM | Block B/F |
| 11:30 AM - 12:50 PM | Block C/G |
| 12:50 PM - 1:35 PM | Lunch |
| 1:40 PM - 3:00 PM | Block D/H |

TUESDAY + WEDNESDAY:

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 8:25 AM | Morning Welcome Bell |
| 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM | PLT |
| 9:35 AM - 10:40 AM | Block A/E |
| 10:50 AM - 11:55 AM | Block B/F |
| 11:55 PM - 12:40 PM | Lunch |
| 12:40 PM - 1:45 PM | Block C/G |
| 1:55 PM - 3:00 PM | Block D/H |

GET INVOLVED!

- * **Be involved in teams and clubs (we have over 40 clubs at our school!)**
- * **Join a team. Participate in intramurals at lunch.**
- * **Be open-minded: try something new and pay attention to announcements**



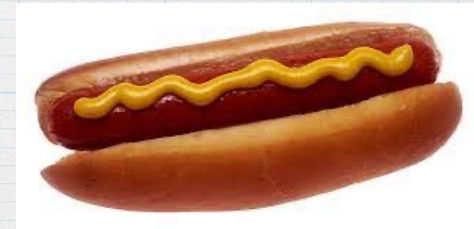
FUN STUFF

MAY 3, 2024



Grade 7 Welcome Day & School Tour!

- * Students will get a tour of the school and take part in fun activities



Colts in the Art Room



Colts in the small gym



Colts Sewing



Tech. Ed. Colts...

Are Creative



Woodwork...



Make interesting things

Grade 8 Projects



Colts Cooking



Colts Being Dramatic



Lunch Menu

| <u>Thursday's Menu</u> | | Enjoy! |
|------------------------|---|---------------|
| <u>Entree</u> | Thai Green Chicken Curry with Jasmine Rice | <u>\$5.00</u> |
| <u>Sandwiches</u> | Assorted Sandwiches and Wraps | <u>\$5.50</u> |
| <u>Soup</u> | Cream of Potato & Cheese | <u>\$2.00</u> |
| <u>Baked Goods</u> | Banana Bread | <u>\$1.00</u> |
| | Muffins | <u>50¢</u> |
| | And of Course Cookies | <u>50¢</u> |

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Thank you for listening! Any questions?