

Skwo:wech Stream



September 18, 2026

Important Dates:

Bike to School Week (Monday, Sept 21 – Friday, Sept 25)

- Bike, roll, or walk to school and bring a lock to keep your bike safe
- PAC will have activities and spoke beads for participants in front of school every morning

Photo Day – Monday, Sept 21

- Individual and class photos
- Photo Retake Day: Friday, Nov 6

PAC Meeting – Thursday, Sept 24

- 7pm – In person

Orange Shirt Day at School – Tuesday, Sept 29

- Students are encouraged to wear an orange shirt or something with orange

National Day of Truth and Reconciliation – Wednesday, Sept 30

- School closed

Updates

MyEd BC Family Portal

- The MyEd BC Family Portal is set to open for families to login and view the morning of September 24th
- The portal allows parents/guardians to view attendance information, contact information, student schedules, and published reports (including report cards)
- If you have a new portal account but do not receive an email by October 1 st or if you are experiencing any difficulties logging into your account, please email the school office for assistance. For more detailed instructions that include the Multi-factor Authentication, please use the following:
- [Family Portal - Instructions for Parents-MFA.pdf](#)

Student Verification Forms on MyEd will be posted September 25

- Please review your child(ren)s information to see if there are any changes to update o
Send an email (skwoweche@sd40.bc.ca) to the office or you can print the Verification Sheet and send to the office.

Medical Changes, Custody/Legal Updates & Changes to Family Arrangements

- We know changes for medical conditions or family arrangements may come up at anytime throughout the year. When changes do arise, please contact the office to update information so our school is best able to support your child and family.
- Medical Forms must be updated annually as well as whenever there are changes to serious medical conditions or medications being administered at school. Please bring medical forms and medication to the office as soon as possible for the 2024/2025 school year. Please be advised we do not have full time medical professionals on site.
- If custody of your child(ren) is limited by a court order, please contact the office and provide a copy of any legal documents pertaining to your situation. Information about other family arrangements is also helpful.
- For more information, please contact Ms. Noda or Ms. Hargrave at 604-517-6090 or skwoweche@sd40.bc.ca

SchoolCash Online

- *Deadline* to complete the forms is Monday, September 28, 2026
- Your 2026-27 Back to School Permissions & Emergency Release Forms can be found at

<https://newwestschools.schoolcashonline.com>

Absence and Late Form

- You can find this form on our school webpage under **Report a Student Absence** tab. Our preference is for families to use this online form whenever possible for absences.
- The form can be used for absences, lates as well as long-term absences and can be made any time in advance, or before 8:45 am on the day of the absence.
- <https://newwestschools.ca/skwowech/>

***FuelUp!* School Lunch Program**

- September menu is now live and you are able to order. If you require help with setting up your account or ordering, please email new.westminster@thelunchlady.ca. Questions on subsidies or feedback, please email Fuelup@sd40.bc.ca
- *FuelUp!* lunches will resume Monday, Sept 21. Orders must be submitted at least 2 business days in advance. For example, the first day for lunches is Monday, Sept 21, so orders must be submitted by 10:00am on Thursday, Sept 17. Info:

[September menu](#)

- <https://newwestschools.ca/programs-services/fuel-up/overview/>

Sports of All Sorts

Sampler Class

ROOTS Soccer

The Power of Drawing



AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS SKWO:WECH

Sports of all Sorts

Description: This program aims to teach participants how to play various sports and games and to promote healthy physical activity. **Grades 1-3**

Time: 3:00-4:15pm (Tuesdays)

Dates: Oct 13 - Nov 17

Location: Gym

Program Fee: \$58.80

Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

Sampler Class

Description: Each week features a new activity—from cooking and clay projects to science experiments and jewelry making. **Grades 1-5**

Time: 3:00-5:00pm (Fridays)

Dates: Oct 2 - Nov 13

no class Oct 9 & Oct 23

Location: təməsewtxw* (students will meet at the school gym and walk to TACC with program staff)

Program Fee: \$94.50

Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

ROOTS Soccer

Description: ROOTS is designed to support long-term development and age-appropriate activities and games. **Grades 1-3**

Time: 3:00-4:00pm (Thursdays)

Dates: Oct 1 - Nov 12

no class Oct 22

Location: Gym

Program Fee: \$50

Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

The Power of Drawing

Description: Students will explore a fascinating world of characters, patterns, texture, and vibrant colour. **Grades 1-5**

Time: 3:00-4:15pm (Mondays)

Dates: Sept 28 - Nov 9

no class Oct 12

Location: ADST Room

Program Fee: \$106.50

Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

For financial assistance, please contact the email or phone number below. If your child requires one-to-one support in the classroom, please contact us before registering.

A vibrant poster for Fastbreak Basketball training sessions. The background is a dark, stylized basketball court with blue and orange splashes. In the center, a large orange basketball is positioned above the 'FASTBREAK BASKETBALL' logo. Below the logo, the words 'FREE TRAINING SESSIONS!' are written in large, bold, white letters with a blue outline. Underneath, '3 FREE SESSIONS' is written in a similar style. On the left, a young boy in a black 'FASTBREAK BASKETBALL' t-shirt is dribbling a basketball. On the right, a young girl in a similar t-shirt is also dribbling. In the top left corner, the text 'WE DEVELOP PLAYERS.' is written in a stylized font with a crown icon. In the top right corner, 'MORE THAN BASKETBALL' is written. Below this, 'BETTER PLAYERS BRIGHTER FUTURES' is written with a crown icon. In the center, a list of skills is provided: 'SKILLS', 'CONFIDENCE', 'DISCIPLINE', 'COMMUNITY', and 'OPPORTUNITY'. At the bottom, there are two columns of information. The left column, for 'AGES 3 - 6' (6:00 - 7:00 PM), includes a calendar icon and the dates 'SEPT 22, 29 & OCTOBER 6'. The right column, for 'AGES 7 - 12' (7:00 - 8:00 PM), includes a location pin icon and the location 'F.W HOWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 91 COURTNEY CRESCENT, NEW WESTMINSTER'. A paragraph of text explains the program: 'We're excited to announce our three free sessions at F.W Howay Elementary School as we expand out in New Westminster. This is strictly fundamentals mix with game play. Our goal is to get back to offering more fundamentals skill training to young players. Coach Jeffrey will be leading the skills training.' Below this, there are icons for a group of people and an envelope, with text stating 'SPOTS ARE LIMITED SO MAKE SURE YOU REGISTER AS WE ARE A WEEK AWAY!' and 'DM OR EMAIL US IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS. Fastbreak4youth@gmail.com'. At the very bottom, there is an Instagram icon with the handle '@fastbreak4youth' and a crown icon with the text 'WE DEVELOP PLAYERS.'.

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FASTBREAK BASKETBALL

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Ages 3 to 6 register at:

<https://app.teamlinkt.com/register/go/fastbreak4youthbasketball/182713>

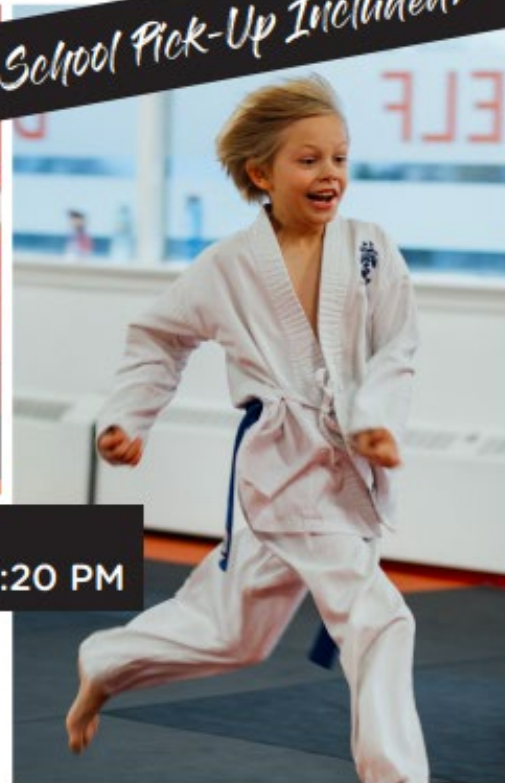
Ages 7 to 12 register at:

<https://app.teamlinkt.com/register/go/fastbreak4youthbasketball/197995>



AFTER-SCHOOL MARTIAL ARTS PROGRAM

School Pick-Up Included!



Homework & Activity Time
Martial Arts Class 4:30 PM – 5:20 PM

REGISTER TODAY

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New Westminster, BC V3B 2C1
(604) 353-5627
sasha@modernwarrior.ca



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