

SCHOOL OPENING PROCEDURES SEPTEMBER 2018

School District No. 40

ALL ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Grade 1 to Grade 5 students will report to their respective schools, unless otherwise advised by the Principal concerned, for approximately 60 minutes and be dismissed mid-morning on September 4th. Regular classes commence September 5th. Elementary schools will be open to receive new registrations during the week of August 27th. Please contact your neighbourhood school for more information. Note that the deadline for guarantee of placement in your neighbourhood school was March 9, 2018; however, students will be accommodated in their neighbourhood school as space is available.

<u>Kindergarten</u> students have a gradual entry process. Parents are provided with a schedule for parent orientation, interviews, and their child's gradual entry. Contact your child's school for the schedule.

ALL MIDDLE SCHOOLS

All Grade 6 – 8 (Grade 5 – 8 at Queensborough) students will report to their respective schools, unless otherwise advised by the Principal concerned, for approximately 60 minutes on September 4th. The school office will be open for new registrations during the week of August 27th between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Students already registered at Glenbrook and Fraser River Middle Schools will receive an information package outlining the time they should arrive at school on the first day, September 4th. Students at Queensborough Middle School are to arrive at school at 8:36 a.m. on September 4th. The second day, Wednesday, September 5th, is a regular school day for all middle schools.

NEW WESTMINSTER SECONDARY SCHOOL

Phone: 604-517-6220

Phone: 604-517-6292

and

SIGMA YOUTH LEARNING CENTRE (16 - 18 year old students)

Grades 9 - 12 new registrations for 2018 - 2019 will be accepted from Tuesday, August 21st to Wednesday, August 29th from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Completed registrations must be accompanied by all required documentation indicated on the Registration Information Form (newwestschools.ca/registration/registration-information-forms/). Students and their parent/guardian will be required to attend an intake meeting with their counsellor and/or grade vice-principal. Meeting times are arranged upon receipt of completed registration documents.

School opens at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, September 4th. All students must confirm their registration by attending grade assemblies in the MASSEY THEATRE and picking up their timetables at the time indicated below:

Grade 12: 8:30 a.m.

Grade 11: 9:30 a.m.

Grade 10: 10:30 a.m.

835 - 8th Street, NW

Grade 9: 11:30 a.m.

New registrations will not be accepted on Tuesday, September 4th. The school office is open again from 8:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. for new registrations on Wednesday, September 5th. Wednesday, September 5th is a regular full day of instruction.

POWER ALTERNATE SECONDARY SCHOOL (16 – 18 year old students) http://newwestschools.ca/our-schools/power/

Columbia Square Education Centre, 200 – 1065 Columbia Street, NW

Returning students will be contacted for orientation and course selection from September $4^{th} - 7^{th}$. Classes begin September 10^{th} . For information about new registrations, please contact 604-517-6191.

ROYAL CITY ALTERNATE PROGRAM (RCAP) (13 - 15 year old students)

850 Queens Avenue, NW

Phone: 604-517-6247 or 604-517-6273

Returning students will be contacted for orientation and course selection beginning September 4th. Classes begin September 10th. For information about new registrations, please contact 604-517-6273.

NEW WEST ONLINE LEARNING (New Westminster's Virtual/Online School) Columbia Square Education Centre, 200 - 1065 Columbia Street, NW http://www.virtualschoolbc.ca/

Fall Registration starts on Wednesday, September 5th; please see our website for more details and phone 604-517-6191 if further information is required.

NEW WEST ADULT LEARNING (Pearson Adult Learning Centre) https://newwestadultlearning.ca/

835 – 8th Street (NWSS), Portable Room # 1 Phone: 604-517-6286

https://newwestschools.ca/our-schools/rcap/

Registration for returning students will take place from 9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4th. For information about new registrations, please visit our website or contact 604-517-6286.

HOMELEARNERS' PROGRAMS

Please call to register and to make an appointment for an orientation session.

New Westminster (Hume Park): 521 Fader Street, NW Phone: 604-517-5917 Phone: 604-947-0700 **Bowen Island:** 889 Cowan Point Drive, Bowen Island