

About SWIS

The Settlement Workers in Schools is in partnership with the SD 40 schools to provide a settlement service for immigrants, refugees, and other eligible clients to meet their immediate settlement or ongoing needs after they arrive in Canada. We provide one-on-one consultations and support to newcomer families and their children to connect them with school resources and the community.

Service Languages

Amharic | Arabic | Armenian | Dari | English | Farsi | French | Pashto | Polish | Russian | Spanish | Tigrinya | Turkish | Ukrainian

*and more through interpretation

Eligibility

The Settlement Workers in Schools program is open to new immigrant and refugee students and their parents or caregivers (e.g. grandparents) who are currently registered in the New Westminister School District (SD40)

Opening Hours

Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 5:00pm



MOSAIC is a non-profit organization and registered charity serving immigrants and newcomers since 1976. Today, we offer comprehensive services for Canadian citizens, newcomers, refugees, immigrants, and temporary foreign workers at multiple locations throughout Metro Vancouver.



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Settlement Workers in Schools (SWIS)

In New Westminister Schools



MOSAIC
Engaging Newcomers, Enriching Communities

Welcome Services

SWIS assists newcomer students and their families to adapt to their new life in Canada through:

- One-on-one services and group supports
- Workshops & information sessions
- Community resources and referrals
- Outreach and field trips
- Youth pre-employment services
- Youth Sports and activities
- Youth life skills and leadership training
- Promoting respect for diversity and encouraging participation in school and community
- Facilitating culturally sensitive communication between school staff and families



Areas of Assistance



Education
in Canada



Activities
for Youth



Child Care &
Family Programs



Getting Involved
in the City



Employment
Skills Support



Essential
Documents



Health
& Wellbeing



Financial
Literacy



Social
Support



Housing

New Westminster School District (SD40)

Elementary

Lord Tweedsmuir Elementary
1714 Eighth Avenue

F.W. Howay Elementary
91 Courtney Crescent

Herbert Spencer Elementary
605 Second Street

Lord Kelvin Elementary
1010 Hamilton Street

Ecole Qayqayt Elementary
85 Merivale Street

Queen Elizabeth Elementary
921 Salter Street

Connaught Heights Elementary
2201 London Street

Skwo:wech Elementary School
331 Richmond Street

Middle

École Glenbrook Middle School
701 Park Crescent

Queensborough Middle School
833 Salter Street

Fraser River Middle School
800 Queens Ave

Secondary

New Westminster Secondary School
820 6th Street