



RIDGEVIEW
ELEMENTARY

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**WEST
VANCOUVER
SCHOOLS**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION
PLEASE HAVE THIS TRANSLATED**

RENSEIGNEMENTS IMPORTANTS
Prière de les faire traduire.

重要資料
請找人為你翻譯

これはたいせつなお知らせです。
どなたかに日本語に訳してもらってください。

알려드립니다

이것을 번역해 주십시오

CHỈ DẪN QUAN TRỌNG

Xin nhờ người dịch hộ

ਜ਼ਰੂਰੀ ਜਾਣਕਾਰੀ

ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਇਸੇ ਬੇਲੋ ਹਿਸ ਦਾ ਉਲੰਘਾ ਕਰਵਾਓ ।

INFORMACIÓN IMPORTANTE
Busque alguien que le traduzca.

اطلاعات مهم و سودمند
لطفاً از یک نفر بخواهید که برای شما ترجمه کند

ITO AY MAHALAGANG IMPORMASYON
Isalin sa wikang tagalog kung hindi maintindihan

يرجى ترجمة هذا
معلومات هامة

ВАЖНАЯ ИНФОРМАЦИЯ
Переведите это, пожалуйста.

June 26th, 2025

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UPCOMING DATES

June 26th

Last Day of School for Students – 12:00pm EARLY DISMISSAL

June 26th

Summary of Learning Reports Published on MyEd Family Portal

SCHOOL NEWS

THE PROUD PRINCIPAL – CONGRATULATIONS, GOOD BYE & ENJOY SUMMER!

We finally have made it to the finish line of another amazing year of learning experiences, shared moments together, and accomplished some amazing tasks this 2024/25 school year.

[I want to wish Mr. Paterson, Ms. Bird, Ms. Tsumura, and Ms. Daudlin all the best with their retirement!](#)

All four teachers have a deep and strong connection to Ridgeview and have certainly left a positive mark and lasting impression with all their time and dedication to the teaching profession and making a difference in the lives of so many students! These teachers have a long history with our school, made strong friendships and teaching partnerships along the way and have always modelled and looked out for the best interest of what it means to be a Ridgeview Dragon. We will sincerely miss your presence. But once a Dragon, always a Dragon!

We are also saying goodbye to many teaching staff in this transitional year, and I want to express my gratitude and thanks for all their amazing impact on students at Ridgeview! Farewell to: Ms. Sawyer, Ms. de Swardt, Ms. Carroll, Ms. Standeven, Ms. Wolf-Jeske, and Ms. Cipolla.

As well, we have some Educational Assistants moving schools this year. Best of luck to Mr. Poulin – he has spent many years at Ridgeview, and we appreciate his dedication to supporting students. Also, farewell to Ms. Crone who has joined us over the last few years and has had a positive impact on the students that she supports.

Ms. Morton will be continuing her professional learning as a VP at Westcot next year. We truly appreciate the level of joy she has brought to Ridgeview and for all the organization of special moments that make Ridgeview school life great! Good luck Ms. Morton!

Thank you to our RPAC Executive and team this year for the teamwork and support for school programming and events that bring us together! Thank you, Rianne, Angela, Kira, Shawn, Sepideh, Ohla, Vania and Janae for all of your time as a parent volunteer! Your efforts foster amazing school spirit! A special thank you to Shawn and Jeff, the traffic volunteers and whom also as parents, keep all of our student safe when arriving and departing from school. Finally, thank you to Jacqueline, Meghan and Kira for organizing the Grade 7 parent Grad event, yearbook, and other Grade 7 yearend events, etc. for our graduating class of 2025!

As we conclude another school year – I want to wish all the Ridgeview Dragons a happy and safe summer! If you are leaving our school for a new learning journey – we will miss you and best of luck with your future endeavours!

Happy Summer!

SUMMARY OF LEARNING (REPORTS)

Today, Thursday, June 26th, your child's Summary of Learning Report will be published to the MyEd Family Portal as a PDF (will be located on the right-hand side of the homepage under "Published Reports").

All Learning Updates #1 and #2, the final Summary of Learning Report, ELL reports (AIPs) and IEP reports will be posted on the Family Portal for the 2024/25 school year **until September 15, 2025**, so it is important that you print and/or download/save your child's reports to your computer as a PDF **prior to September 15th** for future reference. A reminder that there are many resources and a FAQ section on the district site [HERE](#).

PRIMARY KM CLUB

Today we recognized our primary student who came out the last two months to run and compete for their personal best distance at our year end assembly. We handed out ribbons today – but due to the great turn out and many sunny days of running up the km's – we ran out of the 25 KM Club ribbons (red) – but used WVS District Athletic ribbons (teal) to compensate for the shortage. We have ordered more, and they will arrive in September – so if you child would like to collect a red 25 KM Club ribbon – then can do it then. Thanks again for all of the support for this program!

SIGN UP FOR BAND! GRADE 6 AND 7 BAND REGISTRATIONS IS OPEN FOR 2025-2026 (FOR CURRENT GR 5/6 STUDENTS)

Band registration for elementary concert band is now open for the 2025-2026 school year. Band is an optional program offered to Grade 6 and 7 students where they learn an instrument to play as a group. Ridgeview has had a strong tradition with music and for opportunities like choir and band. Band can be a place where students can make connections and to find a sense of belonging at school. Band players help the school with showcasing music for school events, assemblies and district events too – besides the pure joy of learning how to play an instrument and playing together! Many of our band student continue their passion into high school with many opportunities to foster this passion. When you are ready to register, go to the [District Elementary Band Program page](#).

RETURNING TO SCHOOL AFTER SUMMER BREAK

If you are extending the summer break and returning after we begin classes on Tuesday, September 2nd, please keep in mind AP 300 Student Registration and Enrolment states that the unconfirmed whereabouts of an absent registered student will be removed from the school register if the student has not returned by 3:00 pm on the Thursday after school opening (September 4th). We do not hold seats as finalizing school and district enrollment, operations and planning will take priority over travel plans. Please reach out to Mr. Zerbe (wzerbe@wvschools.ca) if you need more information or would like to review your intentions.

MOVING? CHANGING SCHOOLS? (Gr K-6)

If you know your child(ren) will **NOT** be returning to Ridgeview in September for the 2025/26 school year and have not already let the office know, please email Mrs. Lytle (slytle@wvschools.ca) as soon as possible as it is important for us to have accurate information regarding enrollment for the upcoming school year. Thank you for your cooperation.

2025-26 SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

School Supply lists for the 2025-26 school year were emailed to all families earlier this month. Should you choose to order through EduPac, please do so online through EduPac, [HERE](#) (use code 4540 when prompted). School supply lists can be found on [EduPac](#) website as well as on [our website](#) under “school news and publications”.

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE 2025-26 SCHOOL YEAR

Registration is open for all grades living in catchment, in district and out of district. now. The online registration application can be found [here](#).

RPAC

[RPAC Facebook](#)

RPAC AGM

Please see the Minutes from the June 13, 2025 RPAC AGM.

COMMUNITY

HOW WE SHARE COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS

All local programs, events, and resources can be found [HERE](#).

PAUL MYERS ATHLETIC CENTRE

Construction has begun on the Paul Myers Athletic Centre, a new indoor sports facility created through a partnership between West Van FC and West Vancouver Schools. Starting in late 2025, SD45 students, West Van FC members and community groups will enjoy a climate-controlled space for soccer and other sports. Learn more here: <https://westvanfc.com/pmac>.



WEST VANCOUVER – HELP US BECOME THE MOST ACTIVE COMMUNITY IN CANADA!

The ParticipACTION Community Challenge is a national physical activity initiative that encourages Canadians to get active in search of Canada's Most Active Community. In 2021, the community of West Vancouver placed second in Canada. It is our goal to be the **most active** community in Canada. West Vancouver Schools will be participating in this initiative. Individuals can pledge to 'get active' throughout June in support of the community's efforts without having to track any movement minutes. To support West Vancouver in this initiative, we hope you will take the pledge to get active: <https://www.participaction.com/individual-pledge/>. Let's make movement matter!

WV EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION CENTRE UPDATE – OPENING EARLY 2026

West Vancouver Schools is pleased to share an update on our upcoming **Early Childhood Education Centre** announced in August 2024. Construction is underway, and the new facility is expected to open in early 2026. Once complete, it will offer high-quality childcare for children ages 0–5, operating at market value rates. We look forward to welcoming families into this purpose-built, modern space designed to support early learning and child care in our community. For more information and to join the waitlist [please click here](#)

WVBC BASKETBALL AND WEST VAN VOLLEY SUMMER CAMPS

The West Vancouver Basketball Club and West Van Volley are excited to offer 4 weeks of summer camps beginning on July 14th for students entering grades 2-12. All camps will be held at West Van Secondary School. Students that enrol in a basketball camp and a volleyball camp will receive a 10% discount off both registrations. For further information, please go to <https://www.wvbc.ca> and <https://www.westvanvolley.ca>.