



WVS PREMIER BASKETBALL ACADEMY

2020-2021 Open House Information

Acknowledgement



We would like to acknowledge and thank the Squamish Nation upon whose traditional territory West Vancouver Schools reside.

We would like to express our gratitude to this Nation as we value the opportunity to learn and share educational experiences on this traditional territory.



Welcome & Introductions

Mr. Paul Eberhardt

Vice-Principal , WVS Sports Academies



- High School Teacher and Coach for 30 years
- Two time Basketball BC High School Coach of the Year (2007 & 2011)
- Presently coaching the Jr. Boys at WVSS and also coaching the Langara Falcons Men's Basketball Team
- Three time PACWEST Coach of the Year (2013, 2014, & 2017)
- CCAA National Coach of the Year 2013
- Sport BC Coach of the Year 2014

Mr. Greg Meldrum

WVS Teacher

Head Coach: Regional Training Centre (RTC) 1
Regional Training Centre (RTC) 2



- West Vancouver Secondary School graduate
- Recruited by The University of Victoria & played 5 years with the “Vikes”
- Played professionally overseas for 10 years
- Played for the Canadian Men’s National team: 1999-2002 & played at the 2002 World Championship
- Head Coach of the Premier Basketball Academy since its inception in 2012
- Currently a West Vancouver Schools teacher at Ridgeview Elementary

Mr. Ryan Lenarduzzi

Head Coach: Boys Development Cohort

Boys Regional Training Centre (RTC) 2



- Graduate of Handsworth Secondary & played for the Handsworth Royals:
League All-Star
- Played at Capilano University and the University of Prince Edward Island
- Head Coach/Founder - North Shore Basketball Academy
- Former Athletic Coordinator and Sports Camps Manager for Capilano University
- Former Player Development Coach for Capilano University Men's Basketball

Ms. Kaitlyn Burke

Head Coach: Regional Training Centre (RTC) Girls



- Graduate of Argyle Secondary where she played with the Argyle Pipers
- Natural Point Guard and Leader
- Played Division I Basketball at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- Member of several Basketball BC teams
- Played on the Canadian Jr. National Team & Development Team
- Founder of the New Heights Basketball Academy with the goal to help female athletes reach new heights

Mr. Blake Poritz

Head Coach: Regional Training Center (RTC) 2 Development Boys



Operates the highly successful RBL Basketball Program in Vancouver

Graduate of Sir Winston Churchill Secondary School in Vancouver as a STAR player

Played for Capilano University & St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish, Nova Scotia

Represented Canada internationally on the Canadian Maccabiah Team in 2005 and 2013

Mr. Richard Schick

WVS Teacher: Supervising Teacher/Assistant Coach Boys'
Development Cohort
Head Coach, WVS Premier Volleyball Academy
Assistant Coach, WVS Premier Tennis Academy



- An all-round high-level athlete
- Former Head Coach of Volleyball Canada's Women's National Excellence Program
- Former Head Coach of the University of British Columbia (UBC) Men's Thunderbirds (2003-2016)
- Led the University of Alberta to a CIS National Gold Medal in 2002 in the sport of Volleyball
- CCAA All-Canadian at Red Deer College and played volleyball professionally in Germany
- NCCP certified in Hockey, Basketball, Volleyball and Soccer

Mr. Klaus Heck

WVS Teacher: Teacher Supervisor Regional
Training Center Girls

Teacher Supervisor Premier Rugby Academy
Teacher Supervisor Premier Soccer Academy



- Taught Physical Education in the Vancouver District for 33 years
- Named to the BC High School Track & Field Hall of Fame in 2007
- Klaus joined the WVS Premier Sports Academies in 2008 coaching and supervising numerous sports
- Coached both boys and girls' basketball teams at Sentinel Secondary
- Past President of the BC High School Boys Basketball Association



General Concept

- Designed for students registered full time in any one of WVS 3 secondary schools
- Inclusive - designed for all WVS students
- Grades 8-12; All genders welcome



West
Vancouver
Secondary



École Sentinel
Secondary



Rockridge Secondary

What are WVS Premier Sports Academies?

- Choice, fee-paying programs
- Areas of interest, strength or passion for students
- Taught by WVS teachers, but can include partnerships with outside community coaches such as the Premier Basketball Academy for several co-horts
- Students receive courses by participating that are used towards graduation
- Positive, challenging & fun environment



The Premier Basketball Academy



- A high-level teaching and learning opportunity
- Students can be registered in any one of the 3 secondary schools & train at one location
- Students maintain eligibility at their home schools as per BCSS Eligibility rules
- All coaches fully certified
- Basketball specific training following the Canada Basketball athlete development model with exposure to the latest trends and techniques

Canada Basketball Targeted Athlete Strategy

Canadian Basketball System – Elite Athlete Pathway



ONE GAME. ONE NATION. 100% CANADIAN.

Premier Basketball Cohorts

There are four basketball co-horts:

1. Boys' Regional Training Centre (RTC) 1
2. Boys' Regional Training Centre (RTC) 2
3. Boys' Development
4. Girls' Regional Training Centre

Boys Regional Training Centre (RTC) 1

- Thursdays from 1:00 to 3:40
- Boys, Grades 11 & 12
- Canada Basketball – Train to Compete Model
- Located in West Vancouver Secondary School's Gymnasium



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Boys & Girls Regional Training Centre (RTC) 2

- Tuesdays from 1:00 to 3:40
- Boys, Grades 9 & 10; Girls, Grades 11 & 12
- Canada Basketball Train to Compete – Model
- Sentinel Secondary School's Main Gym



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Boys Development Co-Hort

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- Boys, Grades 8 & 9
- Canada Basketball – Train to Train Model
- West Vancouver Secondary Gym



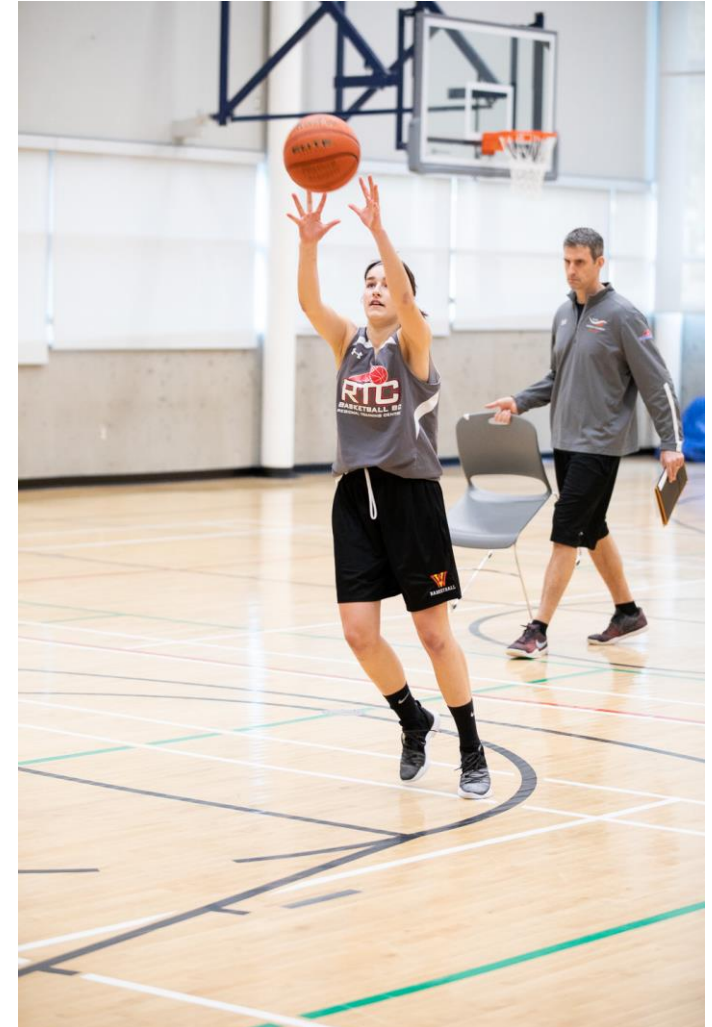
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Girls Regional Training Centre (RTC)

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- Girls, Grades 8-11
- Canada Basketball - Train to Train & Train to Compete Model
- Sentinel Secondary School's Main Gym



Quarter System - Sample Schedule

The Premier Basketball Academy co-hort sessions run 160 minutes per week all year long

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Period 1					
Lunch					
Period 2		X-Block		X-Block	
		1:00 – 3:40		1:00 – 3:40	
3:30 – 5:00					



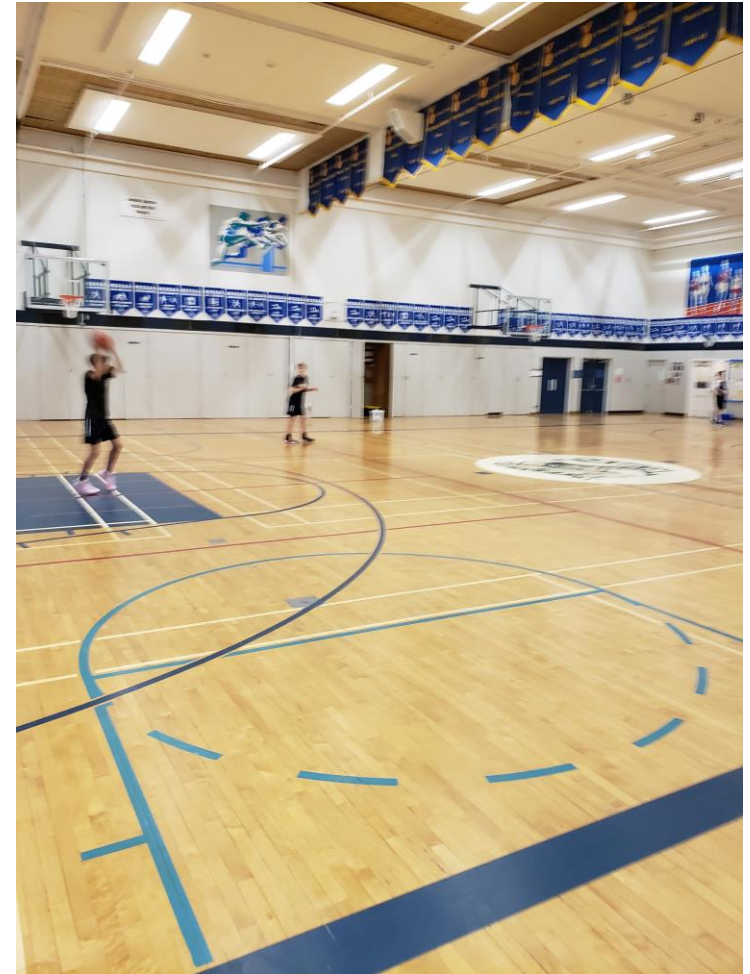
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Locations of the Basketball Academy Co-Horts



**West Vancouver Secondary School
Main Gym**



**Sentinel Secondary School
Main Gym**



Course Credits & Assessment

Physical & Health Education 8

Physical & Health Education 9

Physical & Health Education 10

Fitness & Conditioning 11

Fitness & Conditioning 12

Grade 8 students are encouraged to also take their regular PHE 8 during this quarter system schedule. Grades 9 & 10 may also take PHE or elective.

Assessment & Evaluation

Assessment

On-going assessment each session

Report Cards

Report cards issued 3 times per year

Interim Reports

Interim reports issued 2 times per year

Parent-Teacher Interviews

One formal virtual interview offered to parents.

Open-door policy, parents can contact us at any time





Clothing Kit

Clothing or Equipment Requirements



- Players are required to purchase the official Premier Basketball Academy gear consisting of a reversible jersey and shorts.

Other items for purchase:

- Shooter shirt
 - Backpack
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- Clothing sales are purchased through the Time Out Sports online store. More information will be provided to parents and students.





Fees

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Fee: \$200 per month x 10 months

September to June

Yearly Tuition: \$2000

Academy programs have implemented School Cash Online for payment.

For all academy programs, a deposit will be required.

More information will be to parents once students have been accepted into the program.





The Selection Process

Selection Process & Criteria

- ☐ Genuine interest or passion – sound reasons for applying
- ☐ Participate in an assessment or try-out (date/s to be confirmed)
- ☐ Commitment to participate for the full school year
- ☐ Complete the online student information form for the Basketball Academy
- ☐ Submit the most recent copy of the student report card.
- ☐ We are looking for students who demonstrate:
 - Being responsible & respectful
 - Ability to work well with others
 - Ability to follow the rules of this academy
 - Ability to adhere to the mandatory health and safety protocols

Basketball Try-Outs Information

What: Basketball Try-outs for all four co-horts

Where: West Vancouver Secondary School gymnasium

When:

Boys Development

For boys currently in Grades 7 or 8

Monday, March 1st from 3:30 to 5:30

Boys RTC 1 & 2

For boys currently in Grades 9, 10, & 11

Wednesday, March 3rd from 3:30 to 5:30

Girls RTC

For girls currently in Grades 7-11

Wednesday, March 3rd from 3:30 to 5:30





Next Steps

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- ☐ Register on-line at westvancouver.schools.ca
- ☐ Ensure the student is registered full time at a West Vancouver School District secondary school: Ecole Sentinel, Rockridge or West Vancouver Secondary

Note: Out-of-district students who are in Grades 10-12 should contact Paul Eberhardt - 604 981-1117

- ☐ Participate in the basketball try-out. Parents whose students have completed the on-line registration will be informed of the date/time of the try-out date
- ☐ Parents whose students are confirmed for the program will receive ongoing communication about the paperwork and final process in order to be ready for September 2021



Thank You