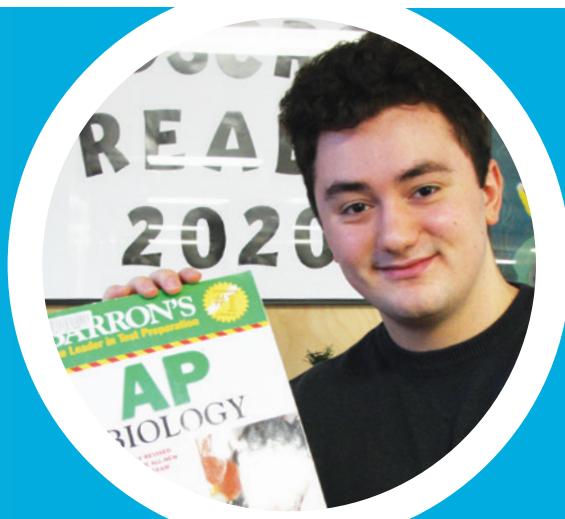


Burnaby's Secondary Schools

PROGRAMS OF CHOICE

All eight of our Secondary Schools offer Programs of Choice to give students the opportunity to excel in a specific area of interest while fulfilling their academic requirements. Learn more inside.



BURAK, Grade 12, École Moscrop Secondary
Advanced Placement Courses

“*It challenges us, prepares us for university, and improves our work ethic.*”

ALEKSANDRA, Grade 12, Burnaby South Secondary
Carpentry Program

“*I love working with my hands and developing new skills. This program has started me on my journey to becoming a Red Seal carpenter.*”



Apply for Programs of Choice & Cross-District Transfers during the month of February

Learn more at www.burnabyschools.ca

Visit a Career Education Advisor or Counsellor at any Secondary School

Burnaby's Secondary Schools

PROGRAMS OF CHOICE

ROB, Grade 12, École Cariboo Hill Secondary
DigiPen Gaming Academy

“*I've played video games my entire life. The DigiPen Gaming Academy has given me the chance to do something I love which directly relates to my future career.*”



ANNETTE, Grade 11, École Cariboo Hill Secondary
French Immersion

“*It's helped me in every other subject by building my communication skills. I have closer relationships with my peers because we have such a close-knit class.*”



CHELSIE, Grade 12, Byrne Creek Community School
Graphics and Media Arts

“*This program is unique because it encourages us to use a variety of mediums. I really enjoy the opportunities to collaborate and learn about new art techniques.*”



EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT

Advanced Placement Courses

Attend any secondary school

AP courses offered to Grades 10-12 students provide motivated learners with the opportunity to take university-level academic courses.

AP Capstone™

Attend Burnaby North or Burnaby South

The AP Capstone™ program provides students in Grades 11 & 12 with rigorous development of the skills that are critical for post-secondary success.

BETA Mini School

Attend Alpha

Highly able learners in Grades 8-12 are challenged in an inclusive environment of intellectual peers.

Business Summit

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with the BCIT School of Business, students in Grades 9-12 explore the world of business, while fulfilling graduation requirements.

ConnEx

Attend Burnaby Mountain

Grade 9 students explore ideas, curriculum, and local surroundings. Working in Social Studies, English, Physical & Health Education, and Science, they make cross-curricular connections with an emphasis on experiential activities.

Engineering Summit

Attend Cariboo Hill

Students in Grades 10-12 explore the world of engineering while fulfilling graduation requirements.

French Immersion

Attend Alpha, Cariboo Hill or Moscrop

Graduates receive a bilingual designation on their diploma.

Health Sciences

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with BCIT, Grades 11 & 12 students are supported in their transition to post-secondary education in the field of health care through simulations and program-specific labs held at BCIT. Travel to Moscrop Secondary is required.

Independent Directed Studies

Attend any secondary school

Students in Grades 10, 11 or 12 pursue a specific interest in greater depth and receive credit towards graduation.

Rethink

Attend Burnaby North

Students engage in learning opportunities with community partners to create projects, research and develop solutions to large challenges, issues, or problems beyond the walls of the school.

STEAM

Attend Byrne Creek

A project-based exploration in science, technology, engineering, the arts and mathematics for Grade 8 students.

TECHNOLOGY

Cisco Networking Academy

Attend any secondary school

Students in Grades 11 & 12 work toward industry certification while learning about computer hardware and software. Travel to Burnaby South Secondary is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

DigiPen Game Development Academy

Attend Cariboo Hill

In partnership with the DigiPen Institute of Technology, students in Grades 8-12 gain valuable hands-on experience in game design and production.

Film & Broadcast

Attend any secondary school

Grades 11 & 12 students gain experience and connect with industry employers, all while receiving comprehensive training and developing a portfolio that supports post-secondary application or employment. Travel to Burnaby North is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

Graphics & Media Arts

Attend any secondary school

Grades 11 & 12 students select courses in: Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator & InDesign, After Effects, Flash, Final Cut Pro, and ProTools. Travel to Byrne Creek Secondary is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

Microsoft Office Specialist

Attend Cariboo Hill

Students in Grades 8-12 receive globally recognized certification in this office standard desktop publishing suite.

Music Production & Technology

Attend any secondary school

Aspiring musicians, singers, and producers in Grades 11 & 12 compose, perform and produce professional quality recordings. Travel to Burnaby North Secondary is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

Palo Alto Cyber Security Academy

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with Palo Alto Networks, a leading cyber security company, Grades 10-12 students receive globally recognized industry certification. Travel to Cariboo Hill Secondary is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

Robotics (Mechatronics)

Attend any secondary school

This project-based technology program is open to students in Grades 10, 11 & 12 who aspire to become programmers, designers, or engineers. Travel to Alpha Secondary is required. Academic requirements are met at the student's home school.

SPORTS ACADEMIES

Hockey Academies

Attend Burnaby North

High performance hockey training for students in Grades 8-12 with academic requirements met at the school.

Attend Burnaby Central

Elite hockey training in partnership with the Burnaby Winter Club for students in Grades 8-12 with academic requirements met at the school.

SFU Lacrosse Academy

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with Simon Fraser University and École Cariboo Hill Secondary, students in Grades 8-12 participate in high performance field lacrosse training held at SFU, with academic requirements met at their home school.

SFU Soccer Academy

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with Simon Fraser University, this program offers high performance soccer training held at SFU. This is an option for any student in Grades 8-12 with academic requirements met at their home school.

Volleyball Academy

Attend any secondary school

In partnership with Volleyball Canada, this individualized program focuses on an overall skill set, positional training, strength and conditioning at École Cariboo Hill Secondary. This is an option for any student in Grades 8-12 with academic requirements met at their home school.

TRADES

Skills & Technologies Exploration

Various secondary schools

Students in Grades 9 & 10 explore various industries through hands-on projects. Areas of study include: Mechanics, Robotics, Electronics, Electrical, Carpentry, Metal Fabrication, Plumbing, 3D Printing, Cooking, Baking, Tourism, and Textiles.

Industry Training Options:

Auto Collision Repair Technician, Auto Refinishing

Prep Technician, Auto Service Technician,

Cabinet Maker (Joiner), Carpenter,

Construction Electrician, Ironworker, Landscape

Horticulturist, Metal Fabricator, Millwright,

Motorcycle Mechanic, Painter & Decorator,

Plumber, Sheet Metal Worker, Welder

Attend any secondary school

Students in Grades 11 & 12 explore a potential career in trades, and receive post-secondary training leading to Level 1 Technical Certification followed by apprenticeship. Students may be required to travel to another school with academic requirements met at their home school.

ONLINE LEARNING

Burnaby Online

Attend any secondary school or exclusively online

Students engage in flexible learning opportunities at their own pace choosing core and elective courses at all grade levels.

ARTS & ATHLETICS

Athletics and Visual & Performing Arts (AVPA)

Attend any secondary school

Artistic performers and athletes are given the ability to balance their practice and performance schedules with academics.

CAREER TRAINING

Baker (Pastry Arts)

Fitness Instructor

Hairstylist

Professional Cook

Tourism & Event Management

Attend any secondary school

Students in Grades 11 & 12 are given the opportunity to explore a potential career during their high school years. They earn industry certification, develop a professional portfolio, or work toward apprenticeship. Students may be required to travel to another school, with academic requirements met at their home school.

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Burnaby Central
Burnaby Mountain
Burnaby North
Burnaby South
Byrne Creek
Cariboo Hill
Moscrop

Programs of Choice & Cross-District Transfers

*Apply in February
for the following school year*

8 SECONDARY Schools

5 SPORTS Academies

8 TECH Options

2000 WORK EXPERIENCE Placements

18 Career Education ADVISORS

30 AP Courses

Endless Program OPTIONS

>100 FRENCH IMMERSION DIPLOMAS **Dual** Dogwood

1000 EMPLOYERS Career Education

8 CENTRES CAREER



SOPHIA, Grade 12, École Cariboo Hill Secondary
Volleyball Academy

“The Volleyball Academy gives me the opportunity to push myself as an athlete. The coaches are the best I’ve ever had, and the players are awesome.”



JAMES, Grade 12, École Cariboo Hill Secondary
Professional Cook Program

“It’s fun to work in a fast-paced professional environment. It’s given me the chance to have fantastic work experience in the real world.”

More than **10,000** SECONDARY Students

Many of our Programs of Choice are in partnership with higher education institutions or industry

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