



# EVER CREEK SECONDARY SCHOOL

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## MISSION STATEMENT

At Ever Creek Secondary School we provide opportunities for success and excellence as we prepare students to become confident, thoughtful, and responsible members of the community.

Ms. A. Tessier, Principal

Mr. J. Anderson, Vice Principal

Mr. H. Ghuman, Vice Principal

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the start of the 2023-2024 school year. I hope you all had a restful summer which included time with your loved ones and friends. September is always an exciting time as we look forward to a new year full of possibilities, opportunities and learning. Welcome back to our returning Cougars and a most sincere welcome to our new Ever Creek students! Our school staff are excited to be back and to work and learn with you. On a personal note, I would like to thank the Ever Creek community and I look forward to working alongside our staff, students, families, and the PAC again this year.

Typically, at this time of the year families and students have many questions. Please be assured your child will be coming into a safe, caring and loving Ever Creek environment. You can always contact us at the school through a phone call, email or please come in and make an appointment to speak with us in person. As we reach out in this newsletter, we hope to communicate the information that is necessary to get the school year started off positively. I hope you can find time as a family to go through this newsletter and discuss the information that is relevant to your child/children.

At Ever Creek we are committed to providing rich, deep learning opportunities that develop the young people in our community as a whole: intellectually, socially and emotionally. To our students, I remind you that learning is an active, continuous process. Approach your daily learning with a positive mindset and attitude and I know our staff will be here to support you. To our parents and guardians, learning is a collaborative process which includes support from both the school and home. Please continue to stay connected and communicate with us at the school. Working together will provide the best opportunities for your children. I am confident that both our students and their families are in for a great year. Go Cougars!

## NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION

All new registrations throughout Surrey schools are done online. Please visit: <https://www.surreyschools.ca/page/1051/school-registration> to complete the registration process, and to upload the required documents.

## TIMETABLE CHANGES

Timetables are now available for all students through MyEdBC. Instructions for password resets can be found on the Counselling Department's Instagram page (@ec\_counselling). Please do not email your counsellor. Please review your timetable now.

If you would like to request a change to your timetable, please ensure that your request meets the following criteria:

- There is a course in your schedule that has been completed in summer school.
- There is a course in your schedule for which you have not completed the previous course (ex. a Math 11 and you have not completed a Math 10).
- There are two courses that are in the wrong order (ex. Physics 12 before Physics 11).
- Your timetable is missing one or more classes.
- Your timetable is unbalanced (ex. too many academics or electives together).

If you meet the requirements above and require a change, complete the [Course Change Request Form](#) online <https://forms.office.com/r/keJxC4VPBb> or scan the QR code here below. **The form and QR code will be active on Wednesday August 23<sup>rd</sup>.**



***Deadline to submit your Course Request Change Form is Wednesday August 30th at 4:00pm.***

Your counsellor will review all submitted Course Change Request forms and respond to you via TEAMS. Counsellors will make every effort to accommodate changes for academic reasons. If you submitted an elective change request, please note that elective changes are not a priority, and your request will likely not be accommodated.

# Opening Day: September 5<sup>th</sup>

## **ORIENTATION SCHEDULE**

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

### **Grade 8 Students**

- 10:00 am Grade 8 students report to the front of the school and come in through main doors. (Look at the lists posted on the bulletin boards for your TAG teacher's name; TAG classes will also be told to you in the assembly.)
- 10:10-11:00am Grade 8 Assembly in the theatre  
Meet your TAG teacher and they will take you to your classroom.
- 11:00-11:20am TAG class and activities
- 11:20-11:25am Transition to Block A
- 11:25-11:35am Block A
- 11:50-11:40am Transition to Block B
- 11:40-11:50am Block B
- 11:50-11:55am Transition to Block C
- 11:55-12:05pm Block C
- 12:05-12:10pm Transition to Block D
- 12:10-12:20pm Block D
- 12:20 pm Time to go home.

### **Grade 9, 10, 11 & 12 Students**

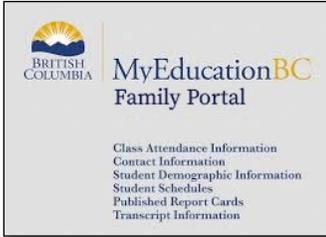
- 1:00-1:45 pm Grade 9, 10, 11, 12 students report to TAG class.



# Important Dates

## REPORT CARDS and PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Formal report cards will be posted to the MyEdBC Family Portal after 4:00 p.m. on the following dates:



October 12, 2023	Semester 1 Interim Report*
November 22, 2023	Semester 1 Midterm Report Card
November 23, 2023	Parent/Teacher Interviews, Early Dismissal
February 6, 2024	Semester 1 Final Report Card
March 7, 2024	Semester 2 Interim Report*
April 26, 2024	Semester 2 Midterm Report Card
May 1, 2024	Parent/Teacher Interviews, Early Dismissal
June 27, 2024	Semester 2 Final Report Card

Grade 8 and 9 students who have linear (full year classes) will have Formal report cards posted to the MyEdBC Family Portal after 4:00 p.m. on the following dates:

November 22, 2023	Interim Report*
February 6, 2024	Midterm Report Card
April 26, 2024	Interim Report Card*
June 27, 2024	Final Report Card

**\*Note that interim reports may not be posted on MyEdBC.** Teachers may choose to communicate student learning to parents/guardians in a different format for interim reporting.

## NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS

The following dates have been assigned for Professional Development Days for Enver Creek staff:

September 25, 2023	November 10, 2023	May 3, 2023
October 20, 2023	February 23, 2023	May 27, 2023

School will not be in session on these dates.

## EARLY DISMISSALS

Early dismissals are at 1:46pm.

October 19, 2023	Assessment/Planning
November 23, 2023	Parent Teacher Interviews
May 1, 2024	Parent Teacher Interviews
May 9, 2024	Capstone Presentations



## PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

We have an active and involved Parent Advisory Council (PAC) at Enver Creek. We invite and encourage parents to come to our meetings. It is an opportunity to learn about the school and find out what is happening of interest, ask questions and listen to guest speakers. Our meetings are held in person in the Enver Creek Library and/or on Zoom from 5:00pm to 6:00pm on the following dates:

September 25, 2023	December 18, 2023	March 4, 2024
October 30, 2023	January 29, 2024	April 29, 2024
November 27, 2023	February 26, 2024	May 27, 2024

The First Annual General Meeting will occur on September 25<sup>th</sup> at which time elections for the outstanding PAC positions will be held.

## ENVER CREEK 2023-2024 BELL SCHEDULES

Enver Creek Bell Schedule				
	Day 1 Monday	Day 2 Tuesday	Day 4 Thursday	Friday
<b>Welcome Bell: 8:25</b>				
<b>8:30 – 9:50</b> (80 min.)	<b>A</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>Rotation Day</b>
<b>9:55 – 10:05</b> (10 min.)	<b>TAG</b>	<b>TAG</b>	<b>TAG</b>	
<b>10:10 – 11:25</b> (75 min.)	<b>B</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>C</b>	
<b>11:25 – 12:05</b> (40 min.)	<b>LUNCH</b>			
<b>12:10 – 1:25</b> (75 min.)	<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	
<b>1:30 – 2:46</b> (76 min.)	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>A</b>	

Day 3 - Wednesday	
<b>8:25</b>	<b>Welcome Bell</b>
<b>8:30–9:40</b> (70 min)	<b>B</b>
<b>9:45–9:55</b> (10 min.)	<b>TAG</b>
<b>10:00–11:10</b> (70 min.)	<b>A</b>
<b>11:10 – 11:50</b> (40 min)	<b>LUNCH</b>
<b>11:55 – 1:05</b> (70 min.)	<b>D</b>
<b>1:10–2:21</b> (71 min.)	<b>C</b>

BLOCK ROTATION								
The Enver Creek timetable operates on a semester system with classes meeting on a daily basis. Each school day is made up of four blocks and a 10-minute TAG. The periods rotate through the week with Friday having a rotation as outlined below.								
<b>Sep</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Day 1</b>	<b>Dec</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Day 1</b>	<b>Apr</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Day 1</b>
	15	Day 2		8	Day 2		12	Day 2
	22	Day 3		15	Day 3		19	Day 3
	29	Day 4		22	Day 4		26	Day 4
<b>Oct</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Day 1</b>	<b>Jan</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>Day 2</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Day 1</b>
	13	Day 2		19	Day 3		17	Day 2
	27	Day 4		26	Day 4		24	Day 3
							31	Day 4
<b>Nov</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Day 1</b>	<b>Feb</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Day 1</b>			
	17	Day 3		9	Day 2	<b>Jun</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Day 1</b>
	24	Day 4		16	Day 3		14	Day 2
							21	Day 3
			<b>Mar</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Day 1</b>			
				8	Day 2			
				15	Day 3			

## ENVER CREEK EARLY DISMISSAL SCHEDULE 2023-2024

<b>Enver Creek Early Dismissal Schedule</b>				
Oct. 19 / Nov 23 / May 1 / May 9				
	<b>Day 1 Monday</b>	<b>Day 2 Tuesday</b>	<b>Day 3 Wednesday</b>	<b>Day 4 Thursday</b>
<b>Welcome Bell: 8:25</b>				
<b>8:30 – 9:35</b> (65 min.)	<b>A</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>9:40 – 10:45</b> (65 min.)	<b>B</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>10:45 – 11:25</b> (40 min.)	<b>LUNCH</b>			
<b>11:30 – 12:35</b> (65 min.)	<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>
<b>12:40 – 1:46</b> (66 min.)	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>

## ENVER CREEK SUPER TAG SCHEDULE 2023-2024

<b>Enver Creek Super TAG Schedule</b>				
Oct 27 / Dec 8 / Feb 16 / Apr 19				
	<b>Day 1 Monday</b>	<b>Day 2 Tuesday</b>	<b>Day 3 Wednesday</b>	<b>Day 4 Thursday</b>
<b>Welcome Bell: 8:25</b>				
<b>8:30 – 9:40</b> (70 min.)	<b>A</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>9:45 – 10:30</b> (45 min.)	<b>TAG</b>	<b>TAG</b>	<b>TAG</b>	<b>TAG</b>
<b>10:35 – 11:45</b> (70 min.)	<b>B</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>11:45 – 12:25</b> (40 min.)	<b>LUNCH</b>			
<b>12:30 – 1:35</b> (65 min.)	<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>
<b>1:40 – 2:46</b> (66 min.)	<b>D</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>A</b>

## COUNSELLOR ASSIGNMENTS AND STUDENT SUPPORT

Enver Creek's counsellors are assigned to students alphabetically, according to the student's surname.

### **Surnames beginning with:**

A – Dus  
Dutt - Lam  
Lan - Sekhon  
Sel - Z

### **Counsellor will be:**

Ms. Janda  
Ms. A. Gill  
Ms. K. Spencer  
Ms. D. Pabla

*Follow our Counselling Department on Instagram @ec\_counselling for updates!*

### Admin/Counselling Teams

#### Team A – Khan

VP: Mr. Ghuman

Counsellors:

A – Dus                      Ms. Janda  
Dutt - Lam                  Ms. Gill

#### Team Khangura - Z

VP: Mr. Anderson

Counsellors:

Dutt - Lam                      Ms. Gill  
Lan - Sekhon                  Ms. Spencer  
Sel - Z                              Ms. Pabla

### Student Support Team

Youth Care Workers

Ms. Kahlon (Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri)

Ms. Sangha (Mon.-Thurs.)

Ms. Frazee (HOPE Program)

Indigenous Youth Care Worker  
Indigenous Graduation Advocate  
Gifted Facilitator  
Connections Program  
Safe School Liaison

Ms. Ford

Ms. Takhar

Ms. Wilson

Ms. Deo & Mr. Sujan

Dash Richardson & Sunny Aujla

## SCHOOL PHOTOS

School Photos will be taken for all students on **Thursday, September 21, 2023** and each student will receive a School ID Card. Retakes will occur on the afternoon of Thursday, October 26, 2023.

More information can be found at

<https://artona.com>

THREE IMPORTANT REASONS TO BE PHOTOGRAPHED

		
<b>BE IN THE SCHOOL YEARBOOK</b>	<b>OFFICIAL PHOTO IDENTIFICATION</b>	<b>STUDENT FARES &amp; DISCOUNTS</b>
<small>Remain part of your school's legacy.</small>	<small>Verify who you are, use the library, and gain access to school and grad events.</small>	<small>Confirm your eligibility for discounts with stores and restaurants where applicable.</small>

## CAFETERIA SERVICE

Our school has an excellent Hospitality Training program operated by our Chef. This program provides a valuable educational option for many of our students, and a convenient lunch service for students and staff. Menus are posted on the public display screens throughout the school.

Note that food service will not be available during the first week of school.





Ministry of Education

# MyEducationBC

## **COURSE SCHEDULES ONLINE!**

Enver Creek Secondary provides student schedules and report cards through the MyEducationBC (MyEdBC) Family Portal for Parents and Guardians.

Information on accessing the Family Portal can be found on the school website

<https://www.surreyschools.ca/envercreek> under the “Resources” tab. If you already have a Family Portal Account, it will remain the same. If you are new to MyEducationBC and you have provided the school with a valid email address, that full email address will become your Login ID. New users will receive an email from [sysadmin@MyEducationBC.ca](mailto:sysadmin@MyEducationBC.ca) with a temporary password early in September to initialize their access to the Family Portal.

**IMPORTANT:** *Please ensure that you set up your account and make ALL password changes on a wired desktop computer and NOT on a wireless device (i.e, smartphones, iPads, laptops may NOT work). Please be sure to set up your security preferences as this will allow you to reset your own password when the office is very busy.*

The Family Portal will allow you to access your child(ren)’s course schedule, report cards, attendance information and much more.

The portal can be accessed at:

<https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspn/logon.do>

A mobile site is available at:

<https://www.myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspn/logon.do?mobile=1>

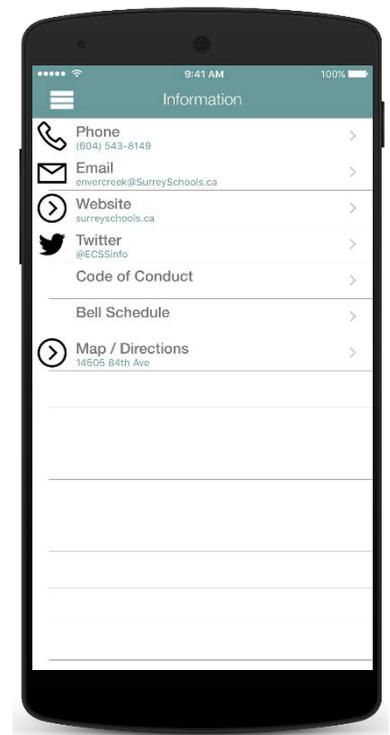
In the Family Portal parents and guardians with an account can view:

- class attendance information
- contact information
- some classroom assessment information
- student schedules
- student course requests for next year
- school information
- published report cards
- a school web page that contains resources and information for parents and students

## **Security**

MyEdBC is a secure student information system used in most school districts in the province of BC. Security is guided by the rules and regulations of the School Act and Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your school principal.

Instructions for accessing the Family Portal are located on the school web page under the *Resources* tab: [MyEdBC Portal Information](#)



## Download our “Ever Creek 2 Go” app today!

- ★ Get all your notifications in one place, the way you prefer to receive them, and only what is relevant to you.
- ★ Stay organized with a unified, personalized calendar and reminders.
- ★ Quick and easy access to school information on your phone, always up-to-date.

### “Ever Creek 2 Go”



Search the App Store (Apple) or Google Play (Android) for the free “Ever Creek 2 Go” app, or visit [envercreek2go.appazur.com/go](https://www.envercreek2go.appazur.com/go).

-OR-

If you don't wish to use an iOS or Android device, sign up for email or SMS text notifications at:

[envercreek2go.appazur.com](https://www.envercreek2go.appazur.com)

-OR-

Text @[envercreek2go](https://twitter.com/envercreek2go) to **778-800-2585**.

-OR-



Use your phone's camera to follow this QR Code.

If prompted, be sure to allow push notifications.

Choose the **Classes** tab, then tap the gear icon (top right) to select your Classes.

Sign in to choose the messages and other information that are important to you:

Choose the **Groups** tab, then tap the gear icon (top right) to select any clubs, teams, or other groups that you belong to.

Tap **Sign In** (on the Home tab) and follow the instructions on screen. Enter your school email address if you have one.

To customize how you receive notifications, tap the User Settings icon on the Information tab.

## ENVER CREEK GENERAL SCHOOL FEES 2023 - 2024

Instruction is provided free of charge to all students registered in a school's education program sufficient to meet the general requirements of graduation, and it shall provide free of charge any resource materials necessary to participate in that program. The School Act permits the charging of fees for certain items. In Surrey Secondary Schools, the following structure applies through Board Policy 9802 related to fees and any costs for students or families. Students will need to provide their own basic supplies and equipment for their own personal use such as paper, writing tools, calculators, notebooks, gym attire, sewing kits, music instruments, and some other items needed for various electives. Workbooks may be provided to students on loan, or they may be purchased for personal use. Students can also elect to purchase other support materials (professional resources including practice examinations) through their teachers. Some courses such as Textiles and Woodwork provide students with the option of using different or better-quality materials, which may be brought from home or purchased from the school at a cost. Some courses, such as AP (Advanced Placement), offer optional certifications or external examinations for which there are charges. If you wish to discuss the implications that these charges may have on your child, please contact our school administration.

### **BASIC STUDENT FEE**

Student Activity Fee ..... \$25.00  
 (Includes: Student Agenda/App/Locker Maintenance \$9.00, Student Activities/Events \$8.00, Athletics \$8.00).

### **OPTIONAL ENHANCEMENTS AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Athletic Fee (based on participation level)..... \$80.00 Major Sport  
 ..... \$40.00 Minor Sport  
 ..... \$20.00 Participation Sport

*Individual teams may have additional fees depending on tournaments and competitions entered.*

*Senior Basketball additional fee (boys and girls) ..... \$70.00*  
*Junior Basketball additional fee (boys and girls)..... \$25.00*

AP (Advanced Placement) Examination Fee (per exam)..... \$125.00

Cafeteria Food Safe Certification..... \$25.00

Fine Arts, Home Economics, Performing Arts, Technology Education  
*Students can elect to enhance their personal projects through special purchase of materials.*

Graduation Fee ..... \$55.00

**Music Instrument Rentals:**

Band instruments (full year rental) ..... \$150.00  
 Guitars (per semester rental) ..... \$30.00

Workbooks for personal use are recommended but not compulsory in several courses (Mathematics, Sciences, Languages, Business Ed., etc.) Fees represent cost recovery only and average between \$5.00 and \$30.00 per workbook.

Yearbook (optional) – (Early Bird Price until Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> \$55.00)..... \$65.00

Please pay online by registering at [surreyschools.schoolcashonline.com](http://surreyschools.schoolcashonline.com) or make cheques payable to Enver Creek Secondary School.

Online payment of fees should be available no later than September 5<sup>th</sup> to all registered 2023-2024 Enver Creek students. Students who are unable to pay online may pay in person, **by cheque only**, payable to Enver Creek Secondary School, at the school office before school, at lunch or after school.



# Are you a School Cash Online Member?

## Become a member today!

Follow these instructions to create your School Cash Online account today.

- 1 **Create Your Profile:**  
Go to <https://surreyschools.schoolcashonline.com/> and click on "Get Started Today".
- 2 **Confirm Your Email:**  
Check your inbox for the email confirmation and click on the link inside. Sign in with your new login details.
- 3 **Add a Student**  
Click "Add Student" and fill in the required fields with your child's details.

Stay connected by selecting "Yes" to email notifications about upcoming fees.

- I want to receive email notifications for new fees assigned to my student and updates on school-related activities.

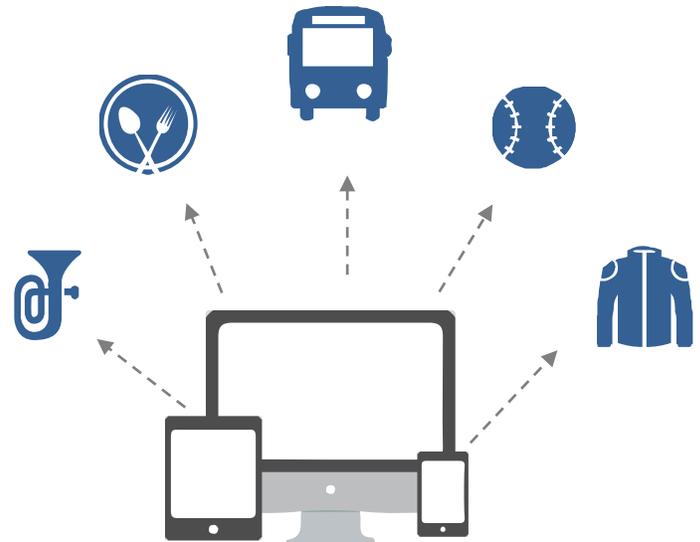
## Why join the thousands of School Cash Online members?

School Cash Online is an online parent portal that offers a safe, fast and convenient way to pay for school activity fees. Why join?

- ✓ Membership is free!
- ✓ Pay for your child's school fees online. Anytime, anywhere.
- ✓ Stop sending money to school with your child.
- ✓ Get automatic email notifications about upcoming school fees and activities.
- ✓ Help your school reduce the amount of cash coming through school doors.

## Purchase these items and more online.

Use your computer, tablet or smartphone to register and pay online.



## Which payment methods are accepted?



### Credit Card

Pay with Visa or MasterCard on School Cash Online by entering your credit card number, CVV number (the three digits on the back of your card), card expiry date, and billing information.



### eCheck

An electronic version of a paper check used to make payments online. Anyone with a checking or savings account can pay by eCheck on School Cash Online.



### myWallet

An online wallet that can be loaded to hold funds and then used to pay for your child's fees on School Cash Online. myWallet allows you to allocate funds to pay for school fees at a later date.

## **REPLACEMENT CHARGES**

Students will be assessed a charge for lost or damaged school property (textbooks, library books, uniforms, etc.) Charges will be based on the replacement cost of the item. Students are expected to return the same textbook they are issued so it is important to label your text with your full name and pupil number and avoid lending textbooks to other students.

## **MATERIALS CONSUMED IN A COURSE**

In courses that consume materials (e.g., art, cooking, woodworking, metalwork, science, music/band) schools can only charge for materials or goods that are surplus to what would be necessary for the student to meet the expected outcomes in a course. If a student is going beyond the basic requirements of a course and creating projects for personal use (e.g., creating a table from mahogany rather than plywood), then the student may bring their own materials from home or the cost for the materials for these enhanced projects may be recovered through a fee.

## **SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

As each student will have a different schedule and different teachers, we do not provide a list of required school supplies. If you wish to purchase some items prior to the start of school, the following are general supplies used for most classes:

- 3-ring binders (approximately 1 ½")
- Supply of loose-leaf paper
- Index dividers
- Pens, pencils, erasers

Please do not purchase a calculator until your child has spoken with their Mathematics teachers. Teachers may have specific requirements for each class and will advise students of those items during the first week of school.

## **FIELD TRIPS**

Students may be charged a cost for expenses such as transportation, accommodation, meals, entrance fees and equipment rentals for optional field trips, or other extracurricular outings or events. Students will not be charged fees for any field studies/field trips where attendance is mandatory as part of a course or program.



## **MEDIA COVERAGE / WEBSITE CONSENT / WEB 2.0 TOOLS**

"Media / website consent form" and the "Web 2.0 Tools consent form" will be distributed by TAG teachers and will be required for all grade 8 and new students to Enver Creek Secondary School. These forms are to be completed once at the secondary school level and will be valid until graduation, unless a new form is submitted to change consent. Please note that continuing students will receive forms when information verification is requested in October, if no form is currently on file.

All Enver Creek students will have a school email address and internet access for their educational use.

## **STUDENT AGENDA**

The Enver Creek Student Agenda contains information vital to success at Enver Creek and is also a useful tool for planning and organizing course work, homework, and other activities. Students in Grades 8 will receive a printed agenda as well as access to an electronic version via our school app, EnverCreek2Go. Students in Grades 9, 10, 11 and 12 will receive the electronic version only, but can request a printed version if desired.

Parents and students are encouraged to review the *Student Code of Conduct* and our *Policies and Procedures*, found in the Student Handbook located on our school website under "Our School >> Code of Conduct".

***We strongly advise students to leave valuable personal possessions at home (i.e., cell phones, AirPods, laptops,). The school does not accept responsibility for any lost or stolen property.***

## **ATTENDANCE – LATE TO SCHOOL/MISSED CLASSES**

There is a strong relationship between good attendance and success at school. **Our students are expected to be at school on time and to attend classes punctually and regularly.** Students struggling with chronic tardiness and truancy will work with their teachers, Administration, and guardians to come up with a collaborative solution. Often students who are driven to school are late to their first class because of congestion created when many vehicles arrive at the same time. Parents who drop off students can help by planning to arrive well before classes begin and/or dropping off their students away from the main entrance.



**If your child will be absent from school, or will be arriving late or leaving early, we ask that a parent call our office at (604) 543-8149, before 9:00am if possible. Parents/guardians may leave a voicemail on our system if unable to call during regular office hours. Students who need to leave before the end of the school day MUST sign out at the school office, preferably with a signed note from a parent/guardian. If no note is provided, office staff will make a confirming phone call before students are dismissed.**

**For student safety reasons, we do ask that parents call the school office to make necessary arrangements should they have an emergent need to take their child(ren) out of class during the day.**

## **EXTENDED ABSENCES**

Each school year we are approached by an increasing number of parents who wish to take their child(ren) out of school for extended periods of time. Enver Creek Secondary does not sanction the absence of any student during the school year for any reason other than illness or bereavement. However, we understand that time with families is important and travel distances sometimes mean that school absences are unavoidable. Please be aware that any planned absence greater than five (5) school days requires the student to complete an Extended Absence Form and the parents must arrange to meet with the Vice Principal prior to departure to ensure a clear understanding of the academic impact of such absence and have an academic plan in place.

## **ONLINE SCHOOL STORE FOR ENVER WEAR**

Looking for Enver wear? Go to our new online school store for all your Enver wear needs: <https://envercreeksecondaryschool.square.site/> The link can also be found on our school website. Great for gifts too!

## **PARKING LOT**

A reminder to please drive responsibly and slowly while in our school parking lot and around our school. We have over 1400 students, and we want them all to be safe. Parking lot congestion is a reality with the number of students we have. We do our best to keep traffic moving. Please do not wait for your children in the parking lot driving lanes. You may use our overflow parking lot (the exterior basketball court) after school. Please be patient and drop off your children well before the bell to avoid frustration and your child being late to class.

We have ample parking for Enver Creek staff and students. Students are reminded to park in designated areas only, on the south side of the parking lot closest to 84<sup>th</sup> Avenue.



## **WE SHARE THE AIR ~ BE SCENT-AWARE**

Many Enver Creek students and staff members have significant allergies and sensitivities to perfumes, aftershaves and other strong fragrances. Thank you for helping us contribute to a “SCENT SAFE” environment by refraining from wearing scented products.

## GRAD INFORMATION

### **Graduation Dinner/Dance**

The Grad Banquet will be held at Tsawwassen Springs Golf Course on Wednesday, June 26, 2024.

### **Commencement**

The Commencement Ceremony will be held at Bell Performing Arts Centre (6250 144 Street, Surrey) on Tuesday, June 11, 2024.

**CLASS  
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2024**

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### **Grad Photos**

Grad photos are scheduled for November 29 – December 9, 2023. Details are posted at [Artona.com](http://Artona.com) and more information will be forthcoming.

### **Grad Council**

The Grad Council meeting day will be established in September. All Grade 12 students are welcome to attend and help with fundraising activities and various events. Join in with your ideas and get involved! Grad sponsor teachers are Ms. Pillay and Ms. Randhawa.



***To be a member of the Grad Class of 2024, a graduate must have a grad plan that enables them to graduate in a timely manner (i.e., by August of their Grad year).***

## 2023/24 STUDENTS' COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Co-Presidents: Sukhman Kambo and TJ Jolly  
Vice Presidents: Pauline De Guzman and Arya Uppal  
Secretary: Catherine Feng and Alyssa Padam  
Treasurer: Muskaan Sidhu and Mantaj Brar

Social Media & Marketing Coordinators: Madi Perreault, Dimple Mae Mirabel and Jaanya Gill

Senior Advisors: Sabina Razi, Jane Biju, Amneet Bhullar, Alexandria Chow, Jugrajpal Basra, Simran Dhaliwal, Sara George and Amber Fatima

Junior Advisors: Ayesha Manhas, Balpreet Dhoot, Behleen Sidhu, Anya Gandhi, Maria Mauro, Mehak Grewal, Reet Saran and Navya Garg



## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES - BEING INVOLVED!

Extra-curricular activities are a valuable part of the school's education program. The School Board provides guidelines to ensure that:

- an approval process is in place for extra-curricular activities,
- there is consistency in the formation and operation of extra-curricular activities, and
- consideration is given to the safety and well-being of students involved in extra-curricular activities.

Our school is proud to offer a range of school-based structured activities for students. These include athletic activities, clubs and intramurals that extend beyond normal school hours and operate under the supervision of a staff member or an approved adult supervisor.

Sports and athletic activities are competitive, individual or team activities that are sponsored by the school and governed by the Surrey Secondary Schools' Athletic Association. Clubs are structured groups of students who come together on a regular basis for a specifically defined and approved purpose. Intramurals are sports activities that take place in our gym at lunch time.

**STUDENT  
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ACTIVITIES**

We anticipate that the following extra-curricular activities may be offered during the 2023-2024 school year. The activities offered will be subject to being able to secure an approved sponsor and will be based on the level of student interest.

**Athletics:**

**FALL SPORTS**

Volleyball  
Cross Country  
Boys Soccer

**WINTER SPORTS**

Basketball  
Wrestling

**SPRING SPORTS**

Badminton  
Ultimate  
Girls Soccer  
Track & Field

**Clubs:**

Ball Hockey  
Bhangra  
Board Games  
Chess  
Dance Teams  
ECY4S – *Enver Creek Youth for Science*

Drama  
DJ Club  
Gardening  
Grad Council  
Intramurals

Multicultural  
Outreach Charities  
Rainbow Alliance (GSA)  
School Newspaper

Student Council  
Weight Training  
WeCanSTEM

If you require further information about any of the above extra-curricular activities, please contact the administrative staff.



## Parent/Student Notice

### LOCKERS – CONDITIONS OF USE

#### **RULES REGARDING STUDENT LOCKERS: CONDITIONS OF USE**

**Lockers are assigned to students for use during the school year on the following conditions:**

1. Students are responsible for the locker which is assigned to them and it is not to be used by any other person.
2. Only approved locks may be used on student lockers and the combination of the lock must be registered at the office.
3. The locker may only be used for the storage of books, school supplies and equipment, outerwear, school sports equipment and lunches.
4. No other material is permitted except with the written authority of the principal or vice principal.
5. The locker is to be kept clean and food removed on a regular basis.
6. Students are responsible for cleaning and removing all material from their locker at the end of the year or when they leave the school.
7. No illegal substances, weapons or other prohibited or offensive material may be placed in school lockers.
8. School officials and/or designates may search student lockers at any time and without prior notice in order to ensure compliance with the conditions of use and other school policies and rules. Searches by school officials may include the use of dog units to detect the presence of narcotics or other prohibited materials.
9. Permission to use the locker may be terminated when a student does not comply with the conditions of use or school policies or rules.
10. It is the responsibility of all members of the school community to keep our schools safe. If any student has reason to believe that any locker contains anything which would threaten the safety of other students, staff or any other person, that student is expected to immediately report the information to a teacher or administrator. The name of the student making such a report will be kept confidential.

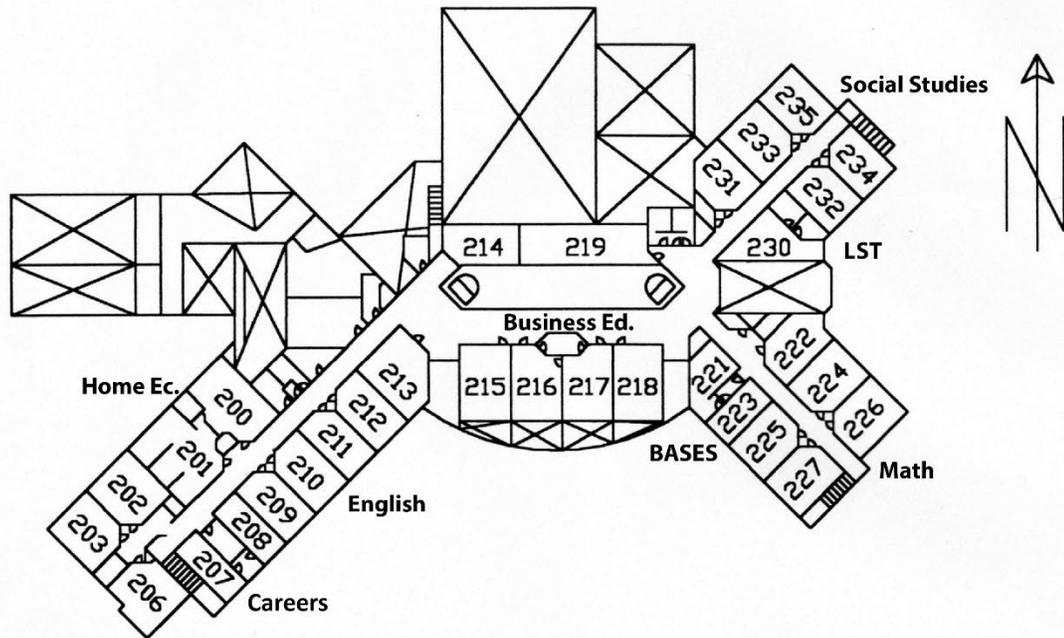


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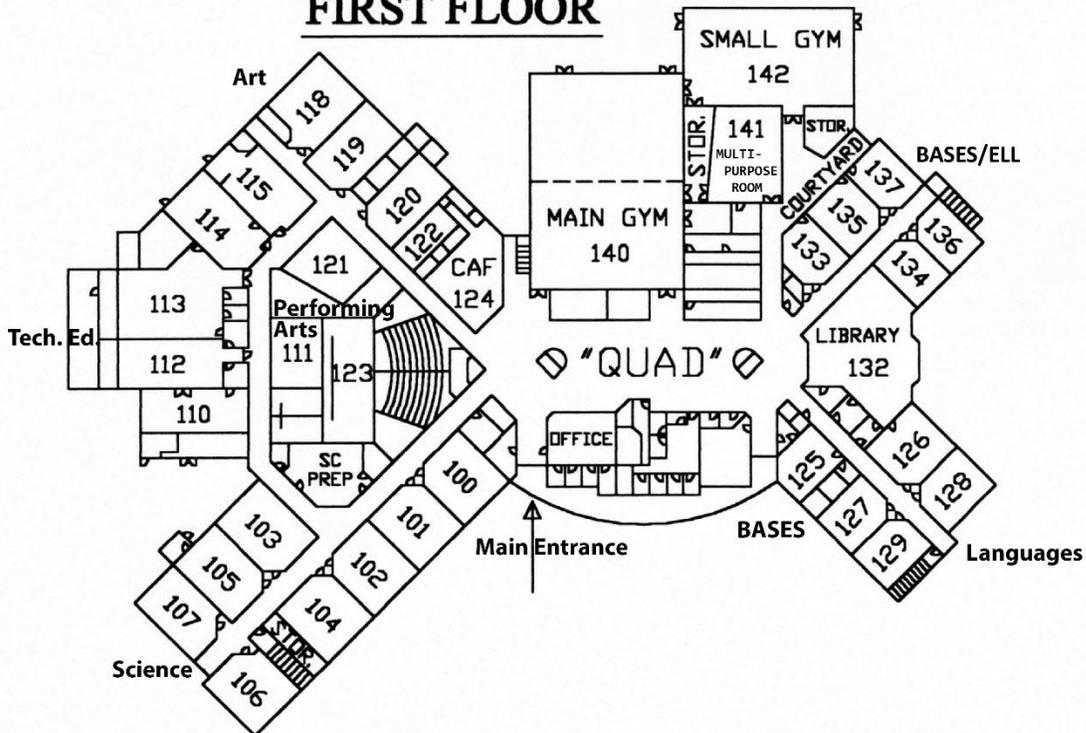
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