LEARNING WITHOUT LIMITS

Surrey Academy of Innovative Learning (SAIL) is a blended learning program that combines face-to-face classroom learning and online learning from home.

This interdisciplinary approach allows students to learn through inquiry and project based learning using a variety of digital tools as they think critically and creatively about real world learning experiences and challenges.

Our **STEAM** program

focuses on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics to prepare K to 7 students for a rapidly changing world.

The SAIL Academy's **STEAM** program offers a special focus on developing independent learners, critical thinkers, collaborators, innovators and contributors. In this interdisciplinary program, students learn through inquiry and project based learning.



"Know how I learn, what helps me learn, and what I want to learn"

The **STEAM K-7** program

SAIL's STEAM K-7 program begins September 2015.

STEAM program costs

There are no registration fees for students accepted into the program. **STEAM** is a Surrey School District program, which is fully accredited by the BC Ministry of Education. Students must be Canadian Citizens or Permanent Residents residing in the Lower Mainland.

BC Curriculum

Engaging students through inquiry, project based learning to explore big ideas in the BC curriculum

Deeper Learning Flexible approaches, interdisciplinary and grounded in real world experiences and challenges

Learning Process Students partner in designing learning with teachers; become self aware of passions, strengths, interests

Ongoing Assessment

Accessible, shared. descriptive feedback and planning for growth



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from the **Surrey Academy of Innovative Learning** SAIL

INTAKE SEMESTERS

New applications are accepted starting in January for upcoming September enrolment. The STEAM K - 7 program runs from September to June.

Apply online today! sailacademy.ca



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STEAM bridges School and Home for Kindergarten to Grade 7

We offer a unique opportunity for parents to take an active role in their child's education.

STEAM teachers and staff consult with parents to determine suitable grade appropriate materials and strategies for online work from home.

Parents are supported with access to meaningful and relevant resources that will guide their child effectively on his/her learning journey.

Cohort learning

Grouped in flexible cohorts, students are provided with opportunities to meet and collaborate in classrooms with their teacher(s) up to three days per week. The other two days of the week students are supported by their parents. Students can do online work from home, may participate in field trips, or do learning in the community with adult mentors, agencies, and businesses with whom parents have made arrangements.

The SAIL Academy **STEAM** program explores Science Technology Engineering Math through the lens of the arts and design. Students develop a designer and maker mindset through experiences in a Makerspace – where access to a variety of tools and projects at all levels, provide opportunities for students to create, invent and tinker with novel concepts or ideas.

Your child will explore their interests and passions and develop strong social, emotional, cognitive skills as they prepare themselves for our rapidly changing world.



Why choose STEAM?

STEAM students embrace a design mindset and dynamic learning through...

- 1 Problem Based learning
- 2 Teamwork and Leadership
- 3 Digital Citizenship
- 4 Connecting to Community
- **5** Creating and Exploring
- 6 Self-Directed Projects
- 7 Hands-On Activities
- **8** Being Self-Aware and Reflective



What type of student would enjoy **STEAM**?

SAIL Academy's Elementary **STEAM** program welcomes learners who appreciate hands-on, interdisciplinary curriculum experiences combined with flexible hours and pacing that allows time to explore and access learning through a variety of digital platforms, and to connect to the community in powerful, unique ways.

Students who would flourish in the **STEAM** program would

- Be passionate about Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math
- Have a keen interest in wanting to understand how things work and like to build, create or design things
- Enjoy learning through inquiry, experimentation and reflection
- Be self-motivated, like to learn independently, as well as in collaborative groups
- Be able to cooperate with peers for group projects and explorations
- Thrive in a challenging and enriched academic environments
- Contribute to a positive and respectful classroom and online community
- Be open to sharing and celebrating learning

We believe our blended learning
STEAM program is the way of the future
- offering the best elements of learning
for your child.