

Education Services School Programming Options

The programs in this school give vulnerable and at risk youth, often with mental health concerns, an opportunity to fill their learning gaps and gain much needed life skills: with the goal of employment or post-secondary after graduation.

Adolescent Day Treatment Program (ADTP)

Location: Surrey Memorial Hospital

ADTP is a provincial resource program operated in partnership with Fraser Health. Students with mental health issues are referred by Child and Youth Mental Health clinicians or by a psychiatrist. They are reviewed by the Fraser Health team in collaboration with the Surrey School District. Fraser Health assesses the suitability of the program and the school district coordinates the academic portion and future school placements for the students.

A'mut

Location: Surrey, BC

A'mut is a 5 bed female program for self-identified Aboriginal youth. The program focusses on addressing co-occurring presentations of trauma, substance use and mental health. A'mut is designed as a culturally responsive program for Aboriginal females and focuses on a cognitive behavioral approach that emphasizes Aboriginal knowledge and spirituality, with a structured evidence based curricula that is gender and culturally sensitive. This is a partnership between the School District, Ministry of Children and Families and the Elizabeth Fry Society.

Adolescent Psychiatric Unit (APU)

Location: Surrey Memorial Hospital

APU is a provincial resource program that operates within the Adolescent Psychiatric Unit in Surrey Memorial Hospital. Students are admitted through the hospital admission process; no district referral process is available for this program.

Centre for Children

Location: Cindrich Elementary

The Centre is a partnership between MCFD, Fraser Health, CYMH, the Children's Foundation, and the School District. This program will generally serve children 6-12 years old and their caregivers, living in Surrey. The Centre will provide a range of services for children who display significant behavioural and emotional needs that are not being successfully managed at home, at school or in the community. Referred children may be attending school part-time or not at all, might have multiple diagnoses, trauma and attachment histories. Generally, the children will have complex developmental and behavioural conditions; children with mild developmental delays and comorbid autism spectrum disorder will be considered.

*Note – this program is overseen by Karen Greaux, District Principal, Student Support Referrals Vetted by: District Principal Team, Student Support

Child Day Treatment Outreach Program (CDTOP)

Location: WF Davidson

CDTOP is a partnership between CYMH and the School District and serves elementary school aged students who have a diagnosis of anxiety, psychosis and or mood disorder who are living in the Surrey/White Rock area. Either the school or clinician can initiate the referral process. Students are in the program for one year, with intake happening from September to the end of April.

Educational Transition Centre (ETC)

Location: Surrey Traditional Elementary

In partnership with the Children's Foundation - this is a bridging program focused on elementary or younger high school kids as they transition from school to either an alternate program or back to regular school.

Fastrack Program - Secondary

Location: Princess Margaret Secondary (portable)

There are two Fastrack Secondary classes providing learning to students aged 12 – 18 with a FASD diagnosis or behavior traits that closely resemble students who have FASD.



FocusTREK

Location: City Central Learning Centre

There are two streams of FocusTREK. One is a program that is primarily an academics infused outdoor education program. The second provides individualized programming and support for secondary students who have an H designation. Core curriculum and elective credits will be given through the cohorts throughout the year.

Foundations Program

Location: Surrey Traditional Elementary

This program is for students who have academic gaps due to missed schooling or have a K (Mild Intellectual Disability) and an H (Intensive Behavior/ Serious Mental Illness) designation that require a more specialized learning environment than what is provided in a regular secondary school. There is a focus on career exploration and transition to adulthood.

HOPE

Location: Clayton Heights Secondary, Elgin Park Secondary, Enver Creek Secondary (2019), Tamanawis Secondary

This program is a blend of school-based and district placements for students who have a diagnosis of anxiety and/or depression. Students must have an H designation to be in the HOPE program. They receive individualized support and planning as well as integration into mainstream courses and school life.

Hospital Homebound

Location: Surrey, BC

Hospital Homebound (HH) Teachers provide direct instruction to students (1-12) who are unable to attend school for medical reasons. Hospital Homebound Teachers collaborate with classroom teacher(s) and medical personnel to determine appropriate curriculum pacing, and to update student progress. In addition, the hospital homebound teacher assists students in the transition back to school.

HUB

Location: City Central Learning Centre, District Education Centre and TREES Site

This program evaluates the needs of chronic non-attenders in our Student Support Programs and address the barriers to school attendance and engagement in collaboration with family and community partners/ supports. Staff provide access and bridging support for students so they can re-engage with the system to the degree that they are able. They also build individualized programming for students who do not fall under the purview of available specialized programming, being responsive to the unique and complex needs of students.

Lee Program

Location: Surrey, BC

Lee School provides individualized programming and support for secondary students who have been diagnosed with an anxiety disorder or depression and who have an H designation.

PLEA - Waypoint (boys) / Daughters & Sisters (girls)

Location: Surrey, BC

Waypoint and Daughters & Sisters are provincial resource programs operated in partnership with PLEA. They are residential treatment programs for youth who have current court orders directing them to attend a treatment program and school. The students are referred by probation officers and are from all parts of BC. They also accept private fee-for-service referrals.

Pre-Employment (for District Programs)

Location: LA Matheson

The Compass (Pre-Employment) Program, for Interagency students *only*, will give students a variety of skills to help them obtain and maintain employment. If they can focus for 2-3 hours per day, have a genuine interest in working, are in Grade 12 or their over age year, and don't have any reason that would prohibit them from working, then the student is a good candidate for this program. This program is to enhance the student transitioning to adulthood.



Surrey Schools Young Parent Program

Location: Guildford Park Secondary

In partnership with a community partner, this program is for pregnant and parenting teens. The district team works with the young parent to find daycare options while also working with the school and the young parent to arrange schooling options. The referral process can originate from schools, other ministry partners or may include self-referral and is reviewed by the District Referral Team which includes the District Principal, Education Services.

Surrey Transition and Education Program (STEP)

Location: Surrey, BC

The STEP Program is a collaboration with our Safe Schools Department and referrals come from the WRAP team – overseen by Safe Schools.

Transition

Location: City Central Learning Centre

This new program will be a transitional space for students moving on from the HUB or on a waitlist to enter into a program. Most students transitioning from mainstream or from a lack of programming options are often not ready for full school. This program will be a place for students to ready themselves for alternative programming as well as assessing their academics. Mondays and Wednesdays will be for students who are generally referred to Intensive Behavior Programs, Tuesday and Thursdays for students referred to mental health programs.

TREES

Location: Surrey, BC

TREES is a program that is supported out of a partnership with MCFD and operated by PCRS. This program provides individualized and group support for students with significant behavioural needs and who meet the criteria required for receiving an H designation. This program includes both academic courses as well as a range of physical activities and outdoor education.

Visiting Teachers

Location: Surrey, BC

Visiting Teachers provide direct instruction to students (1-12) who are unable to attend school for behavioral reasons.