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Dear Vancouver Technical Students and Parent/Guardians,

On March 11, the Vancouver School Board announced adjustments to the Quarter 4 Schedule for Secondary Schools. The adapted schedule will increase in-person learning for all grades. These schedule adjustments will begin on **Tuesday, April 27, 2021**.

The Health and Safety of students and staff continue to be a top priority.

GRADE 8 AND 9 COURSES

- Students have been scheduled into either Cohort A or Cohort B
 - Cohort A attends face-to-face in the AM
 - Cohort B attends face-to-face in the PM
- Students will attend both of their classes in-person, everyday (AM or PM)

Time	Block	Quarter 4 Rotation 1 (Q4R1)	Quarter 4 Rotation 2 (Q4R2)
8:40 to 10:25	Face-to-Face AM (5 times a week)	F2F_AM (Cohort A)	Remote A (Cohort A)
10:30 to 11:30	Flex AM (In-Person 5 times a week)	Remote A (Cohort A)	F2F_AM (Cohort A)
11:30 to 12:15	Lunch		
12:15 to 1:15	Flex PM (In-Person 5 times a week)	Remote B (Cohort B)	F2F_PM (Cohort B)
1:20 to 3:03	Face-to-Face PM (5 times a week)	F2F_PM (Cohort B)	Remote B (Cohort B)

GRADE 10 - 12 COURSES

Students have been scheduled into either Cohort A (AM) or Cohort B (PM)

- Similar to Q1-Q3 schedules, students will meet with their F2F class, in-person, 5 times per week and their Remote class (now Flex Class), in-person, 2 times per week (Tuesdays and Thursdays)
 - Remote classes will have 1 additional interactive (in-person or online) learning opportunity per week. The date will be determined by the classroom teacher.

Time	Block	Quarter 4 Rotation 1 (Q4R1)	Quarter 4 Rotation 2 (Q4R2)
8:40 to 10:25	Face-to-Face AM (5 times a week)	F2F_AM (Cohort A)	Remote A (Cohort A)
10:30 to 11:30	Flex AM (F2F 2 times /wk + 1 Interactive)	Remote A (Cohort A)	F2F_AM (Cohort A)
11:30 to 12:15	Lunch		
12:15 to 1:15	Flex PM (F2F 2 times /wk + 1 Interactive)	Remote B (Cohort B)	F2F_PM (Cohort B)
1:18 to 3:03	Face-to-Face PM (5 times a week)	F2F_PM (Cohort B)	Remote B (Cohort B)

WEEKLY SCHEDULE BY GRADE						
Grade Level of Course	Block	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8 & 9	F2F AM or PM	Attend In-Person according to cohort and weekly rotation				
	Flex AM or PM	Attend In-Person according to cohort and weekly rotation				
10-12*	F2F AM or PM	Attend In-Person according to cohort and weekly rotation				
	Flex AM or PM		Attend Flex In-Person* (w/ cohort)		Attend Flex In-Person* (w/ cohort)	

*Note: Grade 10-12 students will have at least one more Interactive Learning Opportunity / Week- date determined by teacher

Quarter 4 - Additional Information:

- We will continue to follow a weekly rotation schedule.
- Students are **required to attend their classes as scheduled** (cohort A or B)
- Students in multi-grade 9-12 classes (e.g. Woodworking, Photography, etc.) will be scheduled as a grade 10-12 class (teachers will communicate class specific schedule)
- Linearly scheduled classes will continue to operate on the Linear Schedule. Classroom teachers will communicate class specific schedule.
- All students have been scheduled into AM or PM cohorts. Schedules will be updated and can be reviewed in MyEd by **April 20th**. Please see your grade counsellor with for any changes.

Access to Full-Day Instruction:

- Students wanting to stay at school the entire day are permitted to do so.
- **We are asking families to email their grade counsellor to indicate if their child will be attending full day.**
- They will attend their scheduled classes as well as the morning or afternoon cohort
- This may increase class size to more than 15 students
 - Vancouver Coastal Health has provided approval for the Vancouver School Board to operate classes with as many as 30 students
- Instruction will not be individualized for those students attending both morning and afternoon classes, but will be a repeat of instruction
- Lunch service from the cafeteria will not be provided and will be limited to those currently on the lunch program. Students should bring their own lunch.
- As there are limited number of seats in our cafeteria, we encourage students to eat in our outdoor spaces.



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