



MEDICINE HAT CATHOLIC BOARD OF EDUCATION

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District at a Glance

SCHOOL OPENING DAY

Tuesday, Sept. 3, 2019
(Grades 1-12)

Friday, Sept. 6, 2019

(Kindergarten & ELP Programs)
Orientation Days, Sept 3rd, 4th & 5th

REGISTRATION - NEW STUDENTS & TRANSFERS, contact your local Catholic School to register or the School Board Office at 403.527.2292.

EARLY LEARNING PROGRAM - ENGLISH & FRENCH PROGRAMMING
Children **3-5 years of age as of September 1** are eligible for Early Learning.

Programming for children with specialized learning needs starts at age **2 years and 8 months**; call Learning Services for details 403.502.8354.

Early Learning Programs are a "Fee for Service" program calculated on attendance days per week.

KINDERGARTEN - ENGLISH & FRENCH IMMERSION

Children **five years of age on or before March 01, 2020** are eligible for Kindergarten in September 2019. For a full day option, children can attend a combination of (half-day) Kindergarten and (half-day) Early Learning Program. School schedules and times can vary. Contact your child's school for exact schedule.

GRADE 1 - ENGLISH & FRENCH IMMERSION

Children **six years of age on or before March 01, 2020**, are eligible for Grade 1 in September 2019.

SCHOOLS AND ATTENDANCE ZONES & TRANSPORTATION

TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED TO ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

Elementary: Students who live 1.2 kms or more from their designated School are eligible for transportation.

Middle & High School: Students who live 2.4 kms or more from their designated School are eligible for transportation.

Students with special needs: Contact Learning Services 403.502.8365 for transportation eligibility.

Redcliff: Students transported to St. Michael's School, St. Mary's School and Monsignor McCoy High School, unless in a district-wide program.

Desert Blume: Students transported to St. Patrick's School, Notre Dame Academy, St. Mary's School and Monsignor McCoy High School, unless in a district-wide program.

Dunmore: Students transported to École St. John Paul II School, St. Mary's School & Monsignor McCoy High School, unless in a district-wide program.

District-Wide Programming: Transportation is provided for eligible students in the following district-wide programs:

- French Immersion at École St. John Paul II School and French Immersion at St. Mary's School
- Sports Academy at Notre Dame and Fine Arts Academy at St. Mary's School
- Monsignor McCoy High School

Southland Transportation @ www.southland.ca/ 403.526.4655 Schedules, Routes, Pick-Up/Drop-Off Points & Times.

Monsignor McCoy High School

202 - 8th Street NE T1A 5R6
•Grades 10 - 12
(403) 527-8161 phone / (403) 527-8209 fax
Principal - Mr. Paul Bauche
Vice-Principal - Mr. Rob Burzinski
Vice-Principal - Mr. Pat Weisgerber
•Natural Attendance Area: All District Attendance Zones.
🔔Bell Times - 8:10 am / 2:40 pm

St. Mary's School

155 - 11th Street SW T1A 4S2
•Grades 7 - 9 Regular Program & (Fine Arts Academy)
•Grade 7 - 9 French Immersion
(403) 527-7616 phone / (403) 527-7212 fax
Principal - Mr. Mike Weisgerber
Vice-Principal - Mr. Brad van Middelkoop
•Natural Attendance Area: All District Attendance Zones (with the exception of Southridge, Saamis Heights, Vista Heights and Hamptons).
•All District Attendance Zones for Fine Arts Academy.
•All District Attendance Zones for French Immersion.
🔔Bell Times - 8:54 am / 3:18 pm

Notre Dame Academy

646 Spruce Way SE T1B 4X3
•Grades 6 - 9 Regular Program & (Sports Academy)
(403) 527-5118 phone / (403) 527-6649 fax
Principal - Mr. Neal Siedlecki
Vice-Principal - Mr. Lon Bosch
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in South Ridge, Saamis Heights, Vista Heights and Hamptons.
•Flex Zone Area: All students living in Desert Blume and Canyon Creek may attend either St. Mary's (Grade 7-9) or Notre Dame (Grade 6-9) with transportation provided.
•All District Attendance Zones for Sports Academy.
🔔Bell Times - 8:15 am / 2:46 pm

Mother Teresa School

235 Cameron Road SE T1B 2Z2
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 6
(403) 529-2000 phone / (403) 529-2178 fax
Principal - Mrs. Erika Bodnaruk
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in Marlborough, Connaught, Crestwood, Norwood, Meadowlands, Southview and Ross Glen.
🔔Bell Times - 8:50 am / 3:20 pm

St. Louis School

861 - 4th Street SE T1A 0L5
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 6
(403) 527-7411 phone / (403) 527-7437 fax
Principal - Mr. Ron Blackmer
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in the North and South Flats, SE & SW Hill, Harlow, River Heights, Kensington, Tower Estates, Cottonwood & Wild Rose Trailer Court area. All students living in area East of Medicine Hat who are North of Hwy#41A and South of the Saskatchewan River.
🔔Bell Times - 8:35 am / 3:10 pm

St. Michael's School

865 Black Boulevard NW T1A 7B5
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 6
(403) 527-7242 phone / (403) 527-9651 fax
Principal - Mrs. Shannon English
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in Crescent Heights West of Division Avenue. All Students in Riverside. All students in Redcliff and area West of Medicine Hat and North of the Saskatchewan River.
•Flex Zone Area: All students in Crescent Heights East of Division Avenue North, Parkway, Ranchlands and Northlands can attend either St. Michael's School or St. Francis Xavier School with transportation provided.
🔔Bell Times - 8:38 am / 3:08 pm

St. Francis Xavier School

318 - 8th Street NE T1A 5R6
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 6
(403) 527-7223 phone / (403) 527-7285 fax
Principal - Mr. Nick Gale
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in Crescent Heights East of Division Avenue. All students in Ranchlands and Northlands.
•Flex Zone Area: All students in North East Crescent Heights can attend either St. Francis Xavier School or St. Michael's School with transportation provided.
🔔Bell Times - 8:55 am / 3:23 pm

St. Patrick's School

241 Stratton Way SE T1B 3Z2
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 5
(403) 527-1177 phone / (403) 527-0985 fax
Principal - Mr. Dwayne Unreiner
Vice-Principal - Ms. Aura Street
•Natural Attendance Area: All students in South Ridge, Saamis Heights, Vista Heights, Hamptons and Desert Blume and Canyon Creek.
🔔Bell Times - 8:55 am / 3:20 pm

École St. John Paul II School Dual-Track English / French Immersion

4802 Southlands Drive SE T1B 0N8
•Early Learning Program
•K - Grade 6 English Stream & K - Grade 6 French Immersion Stream
(403) 527.7333 / (403) fax 403-580-3138
Principal - Mr. Robert Dumanowski
Vice-Principal - Mr. Terry Kennedy
•English Stream, Attendance Area: All students in areas East of 13th Avenue and Southlands. All students in Dunmore. All students East of Medicine Hat South of Hwy #41A. All students in area West of Medicine Hat South of Hwy #1. All students South of South Boundary Road.
•French Immersion Stream, Attendance Area: All District Attendance Zones
🔔Bell Times - 8:25 am / 2:40 pm

2019 - 2020 School Year Calendar

- ♦ FIRST DAY for Students (Grades 1-12): Tuesday, September 3, 2019
- ♦ FIRST DAY for Kindergarten & Early Learning Programs: Friday, September 6, 2019
- ORIENTATION DAYS for Kindergarten & Early Learning Programs: Sept. 3rd, 4th, & 5th, 2019
- ♦ CHRISTMAS VACATION - December 20, 2019 to January 3, 2020 (inclusive)
- ♦ FAMILY DAY, TEACHER CONVENTION, TIME IN LIEU - February 17, 2020 to February 21, 2020 (inclusive)
- ♦ EASTER BREAK - April 10, 2020 to April 17, 2020 (inclusive)
- ♦ LAST DAY OF SCHOOL STUDENTS - June 26, 2020

Are you a new resident to Canada or new to our community or have a new learner getting ready to start school? Catholic Schools are a publicly funded, vibrant part of the public education system in Alberta. All are Welcome! Our Schools offer a faith-filled education. We nourish the whole child, spiritually, socially and academically. Call us for information or to register in one of our nine Schools in the City of Medicine Hat. MEDICINE HAT CATHOLIC BOARD OF EDUCATION - 403.527.2292 or www.mhcbce.ab.ca.

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