DELVIEW SECONDARY

WELCOME, PARENTS OF GRADE 7'S !

Acknowledgment

Good evening

Before we begin the our Grade 7 Parent Evening, I would like to acknowledge the traditional territory of the Tsawwassen and Musqueam First Nations and of all the Hun'qumi'num speaking people who have been stewards of this land since time immemorial.

I would also like to offer my respect to all the Elders who have gone before us and to all Canadians who are on the journey of Reconciliation.

Objectives

- Introduce our Administration and Counselling Team
- Highlight major differences between elementary and high school
- Introduce course offerings
- Introduce support services
- Suggest tips for success at Delview
- What now?

Meet The Team

Administration:

Principal: Mr. Kevin Vasconcelos

Vice-Principal: Mr. Gurpaul Sohal

Counselling Team:

Ms. R Pooni	(Last Name A-G)
Ms. A Janda	(Last Name H-0 Gr. 8 & 9/H-Q Gr. 10-12)
Ms. M Schlatter	(Last Name P-Z Gr. 8 & 9/R-Z Gr. 10-12)

About Delview

- Approx 700 students
- Semestered school with a hybrid in Grade 8 (Linear PHE and French 8) (Pre-Covid)
- Strong and caring staff focused on student connections
- Full range of secondary course options and programs
- Wide variety of extra-curricular sports, clubs and activities
- A culture of acceptance and commitment to inclusive learning. Offer 5 District Inclusive Learning Programs including: Gr. 10-12 Alternate Program, Jr. and Sr. Supportive Learning, Gradquest, and Life-Skills Resource Program (Focus).
- Small school with a big heart! History of philanthropy, including Delview's 'Thanks for Giving'

Schedule-Semesters

Regular Bell Schedule (M, T, Th, F)

	BEGIN	ENDS
Warning Bell	8:25	
Period 1	8:30	9:40
Flex Time	**9:45**	**10:27**
Period 2	10:32	11:42
Lunch	**11:42**	**12:25**
Warning Bell	12:20	
Period 3	12:25	1:35
Period 4	1:40	2:50

Collaboration and Early Wednesday Bell Schedule

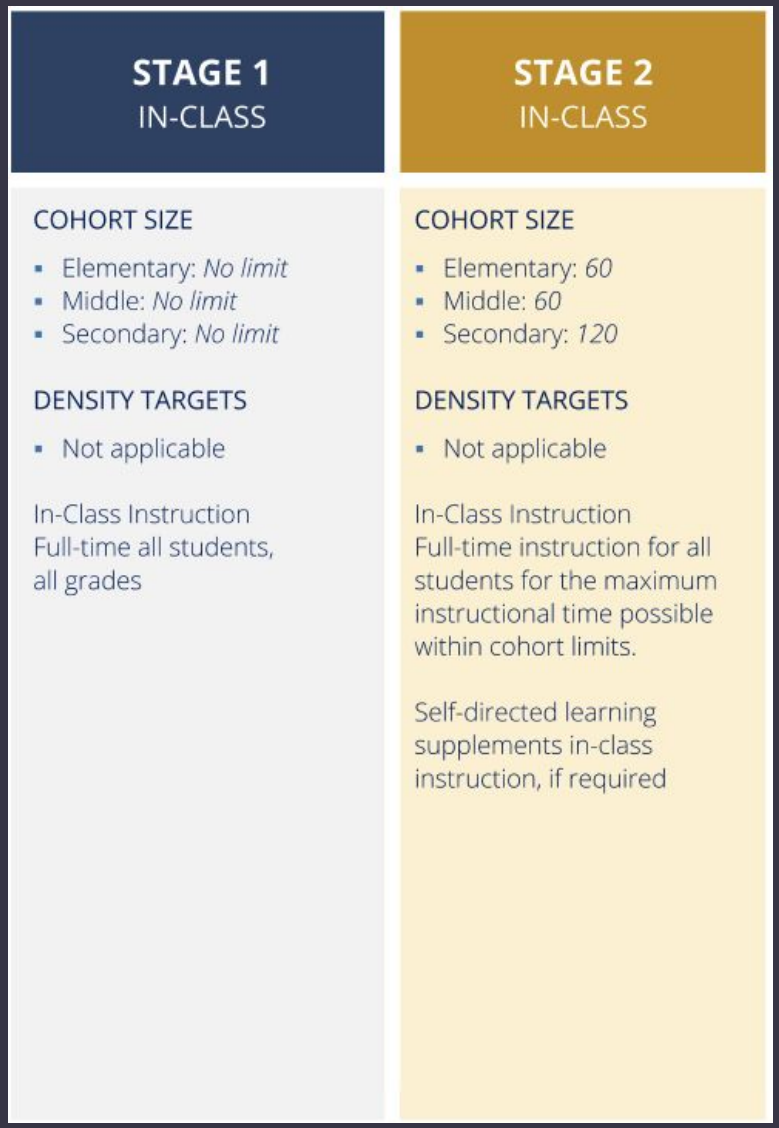
Collaborative/Prep Time	8:30	9:30
Warning Bell	9:30	
Period 1	9:35	10:40
Period 2	10:45	11:52
Lunch	**11:52**	**12:35**
Warning Bell	12:30	
Period 3	12:35	1:40
Period 4	1:45	2:50

Schedule- Quarters

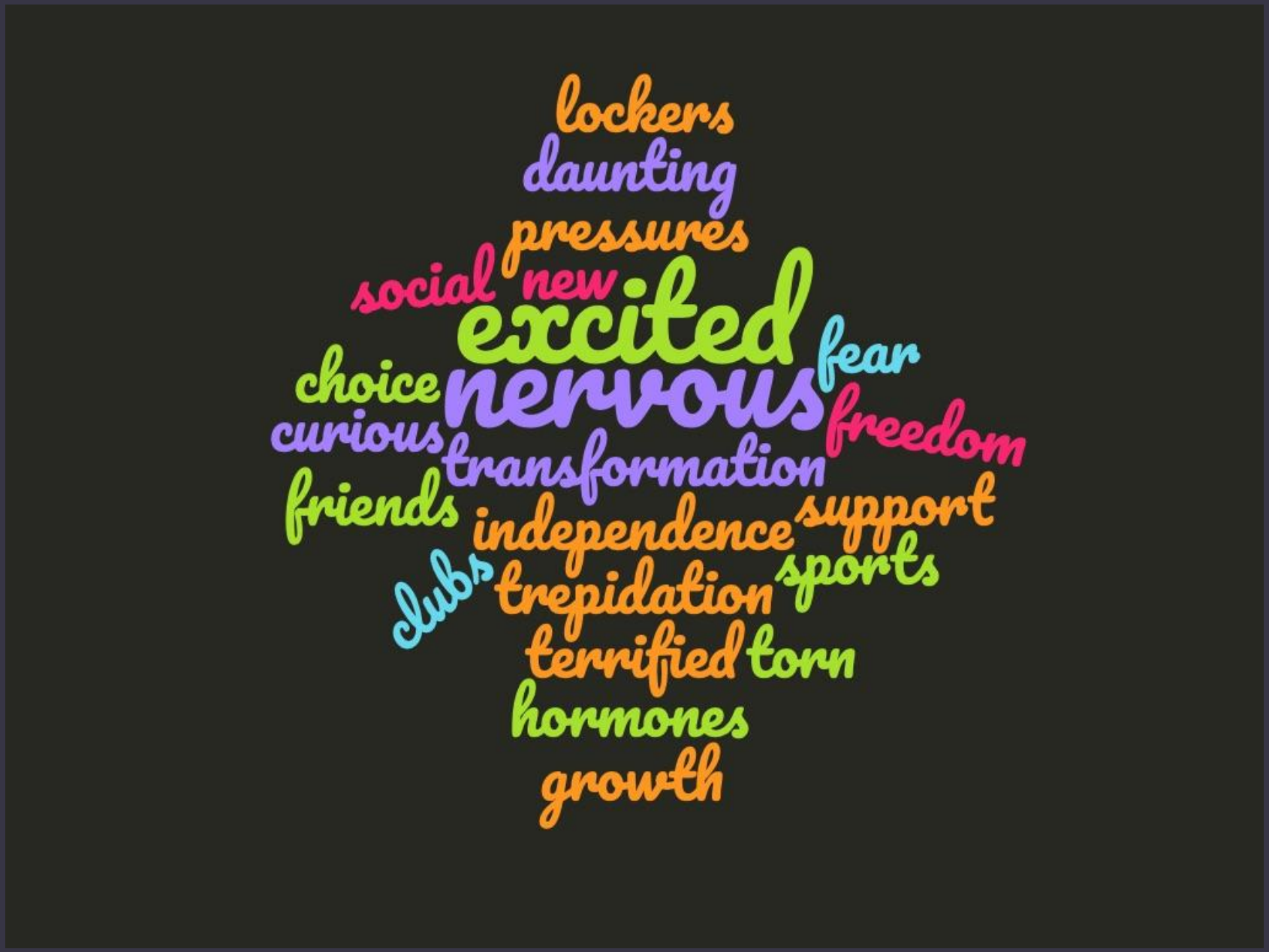
DRAFT SCHEDULE FOR DELVIEW FOR THE 2020-21 SCHOOL YEAR										
BLOCK SCHEDULE	MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
MORNING SESSION	BLOCK A		BLOCK A		TEACHER COLLABORATION TIME 8:30 – 9:30		BLOCK A		BLOCK A	
8:30 – 10:30										
(F2F or SENIOR HYBRID					Block A					
10:30 – 10:50	NUTRITION BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		NUTRITION BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		9:40 – 11:05		NUTRITION BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		NUTRITION BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME	
AFTERNOON SESSION					NUTRITION BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME 11:05 - 11:25					
10:55 – 12:55	BLOCK B		BLOCK B		BLOCK B		BLOCK B		BLOCK B	
(F2F AND HYBRID (SENIOR)					11:30 – 12:55					
12:55 – 1:25	LUNCH & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		LUNCH & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		LUNCH BREAK & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		LUNCH & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME		LUNCH & FLEXIBLE LEARNING TIME	
Late Afternoon Session										
1:30 – 2:50 (Linear Class)	LINEAR CLASSES/ STUDENT SUPPORT/ FLEXABLE LEARNING/ TEACHER PREP/ REMOTE TEACHING 1:30– 2:50	Late Afternoon Session Block C (Quarter F2F OR Hybrid) 1:30– 3:30	LINEAR CLASSES/ STUDENT SUPPORT/ FLEXABLE LEARNING/ TEACHER PREP/ REMOTE TEACHING 1:30– 2:50	Late Afternoon Session Block C (Quarter F2F OR Hybrid) 1:30– 3:30	LINEAR CLASSES/ STUDENT SUPPORT/ FLEXABLE LEARNING/ TEACHER PREP/ REMOTE TEACHING 1:30 – 2:55	Late Afternoon Session Block C (Quarter F2F OR Hybrid) 1:30– 2:55	LINEAR CLASSES/ STUDENT SUPPORT/ FLEXABLE LEARNING/ TEACHER PREP/ REMOTE TEACHING 1:30– 2:50	Late Afternoon Session Block C (Quarter F2F OR Hybrid) 1:30– 3:30	LINEAR CLASSES/ STUDENT SUPPORT/ FLEXABLE LEARNING/ TEACHER PREP/ REMOTE TEACHING 1:30– 2:50	Late Afternoon Session Block C (Quarter F2F OR Hybrid) 1:30– 3:30
1:30 – 3:30 (Quarter)										
2:45 – 4:05	X Block Courses		X Block Courses		X Block Courses		X Block Courses		X Block Courses	

What About Next Year?

- Hope to start the school year in Stage 1- Full Return
- Decision will be made by the PHO and Ministry of Education at a later date
- Preparing to start in quarters with student remaining in learning groups
- Ability for the system to possibly shift to a semester system based on PHO recommendations



You are hired!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The Numbers……..

- Students could have from 6 - 16 teachers
    - Students to familiarize themselves with the similarities and differences of the routines and expectations of each classroom environment.
    - need to be more responsible and independent
- Teachers could have 120 students….. not 30!
- Number of students in grade 8…..new friends!
    - All within 5 years of one another

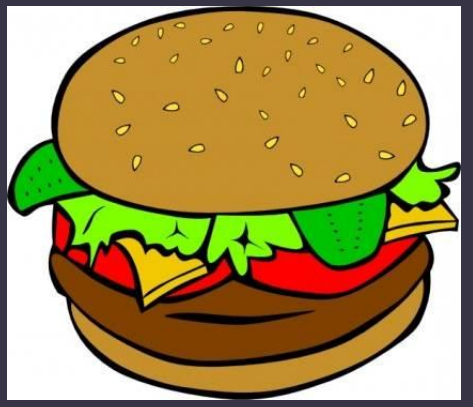
Lockers

- Becomes their homebase….who fits? :-)

- Used for the year….belongs to school….
- Locker assigned by school.
- Combination lock provided by school.

- Obligation to keep it clean.
- Organize it! Color code binders, shelves, make it your own!
- No food left in it!
- Regular locker clean ups.

Cafeteria



- Students no longer have to eat in their classrooms.
- There are a wide variety of healthy food available from wraps to sushi.
- The approximate cost of lunch is between $3.00-$5.00

School Teams

- Try out system (12-24 students participating)
  - Soccer
  - Badminton
  - Basketball
  - Ball hockey
  - Ultimate
  - Volleyball
  - Track and field (self-run)

Role of the Counsellor

- Classroom teaching experience, plus a Masters in Counselling Psychology

- Academic issues, scheduling
- Career counselling
- Personal & relationship issues; mental health support

- Parental permission is not required
- Confidentiality

So, what do you do in Grade 8?

Grade 8 Program

- English 8
- Science 8
- Math 8
- Social Studies 8
- PHE 8
- French 8 (or LST)
- Applied Design, Skills & Technology 8 rotation
- Fine Arts 8 rotation

Sample Grade 8 Schedule

- Semester 1 (Sept-Jan)
  1) Math
  2) English
  3) Fine Arts rotation*
  4) PHE

  *May include: Media, Dance, Visual Art, Drama, Music, Guitar

- Semester 2 (Feb-June)
  1) Social Studies
  2) Science
  3) ADST rotation*
  4) French (LST)

  *May include: Computers, Business, Foods, Textiles, Drafting, Woods

* Band will be offered at 7:15 am two to three times a week

Arts Education & ADST (Applied Design, Skills & Technology)

- Visual Arts
- Band, Guitar
- Theatre
- Graphics, Media Arts
- Animation
- Film & Television
- Yearbook
- Dance
- Information Technology
- Business, Accounting
- Marketing, Entrepreneurship, Economics
- Woodwork, Metalwork
- Electronics, Drafting
- Foods, Family Studies

New Graduation Program
80 Credits at Grades 10-12

- Science 10
- A Science 11

- Social Studies 10
- A Social Studies 11 or 12

- A Math 10
- A Math 11
- ❖ Provincial Numeracy Assessment

- English 10
- An English 11
- English Studies 12
- ❖ Provincial Literacy Assessment

- Physical & Health Ed 10
- 3 Grade 12 level electives
- 1 Art or ADST elective
- 2 Career courses, (Career Education 11 and Capstone Project

Other School Activities

- Student Government
- Thanks4Giving event
- Delview Cultural Group
- Breakfast Group
- Heros, Games and Homework Club
- Delview Explorers
- Rainbow Club
- Green Team
- Intramurals
- First Responders
- International travel
- Theatre Production, Live at Lunch
- Fine Arts Night
- District Youth Advisory
- Bhangra

Student Services

- Learning Support (LST)
- Grad Quest
- ELL
- CARES
- Focus
- Alternate
- International Student Program
- Indigenous Education

Career Programs

- Career Education for Gr.8,9
- Work Experience course
- Trades training programs & assistance
- Career Advisor
  - Exploration
  - Post-Secondary information & applications
  - Scholarships
  - Job-seeking, resumes, volunteering

Academies

Film Acting, Production, Lacrosse (LAX) and Visual Effects

(10 weeks at DMEC, 2 blocks and no bussing)

Limited athletic academies are school based

Please contact Paige Hansen at http://www.deltaacademics.ca/ for more information

Success at Delview……

- Establish a homework routine early.
- Encourage your child to have a method of organization (online calendar, agenda)
- Open communication with the school staff (Delview App)
- Encourage your child to be involved in school activities.

What now?

- Please READ the Course Guide through school website (www.deltasd.bc.ca/dl/)
  - "Program & Courses" tab—Course Guide"
  - Please complete a Google form that will be sent from your grade 7 teacher about Band
- Leadership Students visiting grade 7 classes Feb. 16-26
- Tour for grade 7's: Early June.
- Counsellors will meet with grade 7 staff re:supports (e.g. Learning Support, Supportive Learning, Grad Quest and or Focus Programs)
- **Please visit the school website for more information**

Registration

- Registration for Non-Catchment and Non-District students starts on February 1st 2021
- Due to COVID restrictions all restriction forms and documentation must be submitted electronically.
- Information and Registration forms can be found on the Delta School District Website: https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/student-registration/
- Contact Ms. V. Guzzo in the Delview office (604 594 5491) if you have any questions