

VSB The Templeton FAMILY of Schools

Sir William MacDonald Elementary

604-713-4696
1950 E. Hastings St.
macdonald.vsb.bc.ca

Through outstanding teaching in a **nurturing environment**, Macdonald is **academically rigorous** and teaches the values of compassion for self, for others and for the earth. Activities and classes at MacDonald explore the **shared values, experiences and histories of all Aboriginal peoples** as well as the aspects that make each nation unique. **Art, dance, music, and literacy** are all key aspects to the educational culture of the school. MacDonald also has a **Breakfast and Hot Lunch program**.

DISTRICT PROGRAMS:
Aboriginal Focus

Lord Nelson Elementary

604-713-4595
2235 Kitchener St.
nelson.vsb.bc.ca

Nelson has a long-established **commitment to learning and academic achievement**, with a focus on **creativity and social responsibility**. Students at Nelson are representative of **varied ethnic backgrounds with active parental involvement**. Nelson staff maintain a **high level of engagement** with current trends in education and are constantly working towards meeting the individual needs of all students. The school is continually working towards **building individual potential** from pre-school aged students in **StrongStart** to Grade 7 students preparing to transition to secondary school. The school also has a **Hot Lunch Program**.

Garibaldi Annex

604-713-4740
1025 Slocan St.
garibaldi.vsb.bc.ca

Garibaldi Annex is a small school with a big heart. It is a K-Grade 4 annex located in a quiet area between Nanaimo and Renfrew streets. **School gardens and mountain views** make for a wonderful setting in which to **learn and grow**. Approximately 20% of the students speak a language other than English at home. The **strong parent community** holds several **family events** each year and is very involved and generous with their support of the Garden Club.

Hastings Elementary

604-713-5507
2625 Franklin St.
hastings.vsb.bc.ca

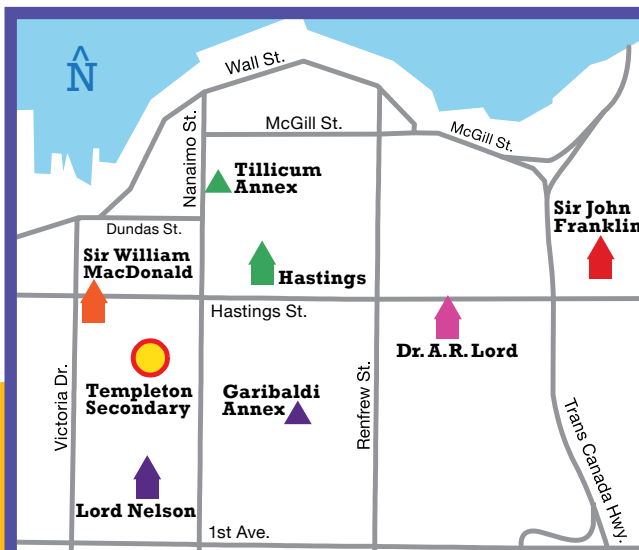
Hastings Elementary Community School respects and accepts others and prides itself on being a **safe place** where students are able to learn and play. The school's **vibrant and engaged parent community** and connection to the Hastings Community Centre complex creates a **strong, healthy and supportive learning environment** for its students. The school has a **breakfast and lunch program** and a partnership with the **YMCA Kids Club**, which runs programs outside of school hours and during holidays.

DISTRICT PROGRAMS:
French Immersion

Tillicum Annex

604-713-4716
2450 Cambridge St.
tillicum.vsb.bc.ca

Tillicum is a **safe and caring school** that places the highest priority on the needs of its students and their families. The school has a **strong academic focus** and students perform well in all academic areas. Tillicum is a designated Inner City school and receives additional support as a result. Tillicum's **Home Reading and Social Responsibility Programs** are highly successful. The school also works closely with the **Hastings-Tillicum community office** and **Kiwassa Neighbourhood House** to offer programs for students.



Sir John Franklin Elementary

604-713-4709
250 South Skeena St.
franklin.vsb.bc.ca

Located on the northeast edge of Vancouver, Franklin has a long history as a **community school** and enjoys many connections with partners from neighbourhood businesses and agencies. Families demonstrate and value a **strong sense of connection** in their support of each other and the school. **Franklin Preschool Association** operates onsite as partners in school readiness. As an **Early Intervention school**, focus is on ensuring all students reach their **potential in literacy** during the primary years. Grade 6 and 7 students participate in a district **Intensive French program** and a **district band program**. The Templeton Community School Team provides onsite **after school programs** to support students and families.

DISTRICT PROGRAMS:
Intensive French

Dr. A.R. Lord Elementary

604-713-4620
555 Lillooet St.
lord.vsb.bc.ca

Dr. A. R. Lord Elementary School is a **vibrant and positive** school providing a **creative and challenging** learning experience for all students. There are many extra curricular opportunities for students including **sports, arts and volunteering**. Dr. A. R. Lord Elementary School is located in a diverse multi-ethnic community, and is a small school with a **strong sense of community** and **excellent academic programs** for all students. We welcome registration for students from Grades K-7.



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Templeton Secondary

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Templeton Mini School

- » Enriched academic program for students with above average academic standing
- » A focus on leadership, cooperative learning, problem solving, mentorship, environmental stewardship and social responsibility

Culinary Arts – ACE IT

- » Award winning program providing technical skills and certification required by aspiring world class chefs

UNIQUE TO TEMPLETON SECONDARY

- » **Advanced Placement (AP)** university accredited course offerings in **Physics, Calculus, Chemistry and Biology.**
- » **STEM Program** is a project based program, integrating **Science, Technology, Engineering and Math** learning through real world applications.
- » **Theatre Temp** provides opportunities to participate in large, professional theatre productions.
- » **Film, Theatre, TV and Animation** – Professional instruction in all aspects of the media industry.
- » **Boys Club** – Mentorship group for teens.
- » Comprehensive **Music Program** includes **jazz, choir, band, piano and guitar.**
- » Language Programs offering **all levels of French, Spanish and Mandarin.**
- » **Outdoor Education** focuses on accessing the BC outdoors.
- » **Astronomy 11** – In this **unique to the district** course, students learn how to navigate the night sky and have access to full sized reflecting telescopes for use at home.
- » **First Peoples 10** – Academic credit for English 10 providing students with unique opportunities to learn about indigenous creative expression.
- » **Humanities 8** – A thematic course offering for Grade 8s **combining English and Social Studies** curriculum with the same instructor.
- » **Fine Arts Cohort** – Grade 8 students are scheduled together with a focus on fine and performing arts.

The **Vancouver School Board** has a **responsibility** to ensure the **highest quality of learning** experiences for all students, with a focus on **student engagement**, learning and development in a **safe and inclusive environment.**



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