

October 2023



NEWSLETTER

ROCKY MOUNTAIN ONLINE LEARNING



IMPORTANT DATES

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OCTOBER 20

Non-Instructional Day
(No School)

OCTOBER 27

K-7 Term 1 Report Cards

NOVEMBER 13

Remembrance Day STAT
(day off in lieu)

NOVEMBER 21

Grades 8-12 Term 1 Report
Cards

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Our school year is off to a great start! We are happy to welcome students, staff, and families to Rocky Mountain Online Learning.

This year, D2L Brightspace is the Learner Management System that houses the RMOL course work. Your patience and understanding was greatly appreciated while the necessary adjustments were made to our system.

A link to our School Success Plan can be found below which outlines our goals for the school year, your feedback and input is appreciated.

Lisa Tenta



**CLICK
HERE**

**for a copy of the 2023-2024
RMAE School Success Plan**

FRIENDLY REMINDERS



START UP FORMS



THANK YOU very much to all
parents/guardians for taking the time
to fill out the online Start-Up Forms!

We appreciate your patience as we
worked through some challenges with
navigating
a new system

If you have not already completed
forms,
we would appreciate you taking the
time
to do so using the link below!
Paper copies are also available at
each of the schools

Click Here

To access the online
Clevr Start-Up Forms

Click Here

For a Clevr Guide for
Parents/Guardians

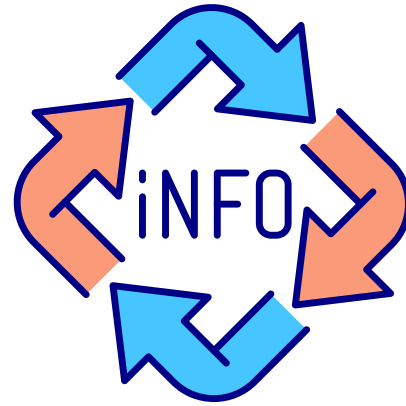
PARENT-TEACHER COMMUNICATION

Feel free to contact your
child's teacher at ANY time if
you have any questions or
concerns!



D2L

Parent Information:



Please see the following steps for viewing your child's progress in their D2L Brightspace courses:

1. Go into course tile.
2. Click on Class Progress in navigation bar.

Course Home Assessments ▾ Class Progress Class Tools ▾ Competencies Content

3. Here you will see 4 expandable sections: Grades, Content, Assignments, Course Access.
4. Click on the arrow pointing to the right to expand each. See description below.
Grades: Here you will see the results of all assessments (quizzes, tests, learning guides, projects)
Content: In this area you will see the different content tabs that the student has visited, how many visits and how long spent there.
Assignments: Here you will see the details of assignments that were marked by the teacher.
Course Access: if you click on the title "Course Access" you will see the days that the student accessed the course in the last 30 days.



Progress Summary

Print

Help

Grades

Grades Received: 4



Content

Topics Visited	Total Visits	Time Spent
24 / 115	90	1d 10h 49m 24s

12 % Completed: 5 / 41

Topics Visited: 24



Assignments

Assignment Submissions	Late Submissions	Awaiting Grade
6 % (1/16)	0	0

Graded Submissions: 1



Awaiting Grade: 0



Course Access

# Days Visited	Last Accessed
22	10/10/2023
Absent period: 0	

Days Visited: 22



K-9 Learn at Home students

Melissa Kardash has math, literacy games and books that are available to borrow. Please connect with her for more information.

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WORK IN TRADES



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YOUTH PROGRAMS



SHAPE THE TRADES OF TOMORROW

SkilledTradesBC is the organization that advances British Columbia's trades training system. Our Youth Trades Programs help young British Columbians unlock their potential—creating a world-class workforce, one career journey at a time.

WHY JOIN THE TRADES?

A career in the skilled trades is engaging and fulfilling. SkilledTradesBC's Youth Trades Programs give you the chance to try out different trades and:



DO SOMETHING YOU LOVE



BE PART OF A COMMUNITY



MAKE GOOD MONEY

100+ TRADES TO CHOOSE FROM

There will be 85,000 additional jobs in B.C. in the next decade. The opportunities are vast, and there has never been a better time to get started.

Wondering where to start?

Our Youth Trades Programs will help you gain the knowledge and skills needed for a career in the trades. We have programs for all levels—from initial trades discovery sessions to in-depth learning, classes, and even on-the-job training.

YOUTH DISCOVER THE TRADES

SPARK YOUR INTEREST WITH HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES

These school- or community-led programs vary from one-day events with local tradespeople to regular classroom activities that incorporate trades thinking and skill building. You'll learn all about what makes trades great.

Is the Youth Discover the Trades Program for you?
— You're in grade 5-10
— You're looking for an introduction to the trades

YOUTH TRAIN IN TRADES

GET A HEAD START ON YOUR TECHNICAL TRAINING

Attend a trades training class at a local high school, a partner post-secondary institution or training facility. You'll learn from skilled instructors and earn credits that count towards your high school diploma and Level 1 of your technical trades training.

Is the Youth Train in Trades Program for you?
— You're in grade 11-12
— You found a trade that you like and want to learn more

YOUTH EXPLORE THE TRADES

TRY OUT DIFFERENT TRADES AND BUILD YOUR SKILLS

You'll learn the basics and get a sense of what trade you want to pursue. You'll also gain practical skills and even complete certifications that employers are looking for.

Is the Youth Explore the Trades Program for you?
— You're in grade 10-12
— You're interested in trying out different trades
— You may have some trade experience already

YOUTH WORK IN TRADES

GET ON-THE-JOB TRAINING AS A YOUTH APPRENTICE

Get paid, earn up to 16 credits towards your high school diploma and log 400 or more work-based training hours toward your trades credential.

Is the Youth Work in Trades Program for you?
— You're in grade 10-12
— You want to get on-the-job training in your trade

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It's never too early to start your Trades journey.

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Your ticket to a Skilled Workforce

There will be one million new jobs in B.C. in the next decade—and 85,000 of these will be in the skilled trades. Sponsoring apprentices is an investment that not only strengthens your business, but also ensures B.C. will meet the future labour demand.

Why sponsor an apprentice?

A SOLID INVESTMENT

Apprentices are a smart business decision. According to the Canadian Apprenticeship Forum, every dollar invested in an apprentice returns \$1.47. As a sponsor, you're also eligible for substantial tax credits.

A LEGACY OF LEARNING

Apprentices bring the latest techniques and technology to your workforce. They are enthusiastic and have fresh ideas—guaranteeing the continued growth of your business.

A TAILORED TALENT POOL

Sponsoring apprentices enables you to recruit, train and retain the right people. And with a shortage of skilled workers, it's crucial to have a fully certified workforce.

YOUTH ARE THE FUTURE

Doing your part to support apprentices helps continue a tradition, where sponsors guide eager minds towards building a better future for everyone. When you invest in a youth apprentice you're investing in your business—and your trade.

47% ROI

EACH \$1 INVESTED IN TRAINING YIELDS \$1.47

Claim 10% of eligible apprentice wages per year

FOR RED SEAL TRADES

Claim 20% of eligible apprentice wages per year

FOR NON-RED SEAL TRADES

SPONSOR AN APPRENTICE

Help more British Columbians get a foothold in the labour market—sponsor an apprentice today.

Visit SKILLEDTRADESBC.CA/EMPLOYERS



What does an employer sponsor do?

Employer sponsors are responsible for teaching apprentices the skills of the trade by providing supervision and feedback from a certified journeyman. They support apprentices during technical training, track training hours, and recommend the apprentice for certification.

HOW TO SPONSOR AN APPRENTICE

We are here to help you with the apprenticeship journey, which includes:

- RECRUITING AND HIRING
- CREATING WORKPLACE ORIENTATION AND TRAINING PLANS
- REGISTERING YOUR ORGANIZATION AND YOUR APPRENTICE
- TRACKING AND REPORTING TRAINING HOURS
- REVIEWING AND CONFIRMING DOCUMENTATION
- RELEASING YOUR APPRENTICE FOR TECHNICAL TRAINING
- RECOMMENDING CERTIFICATION

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Employers have a range of financial support options:

RED SEAL TAX CREDIT – 10% of wages, up to a maximum of \$2,000 per year, for Red Seal apprentices for the first 24 months.

BASIC TAX CREDIT – 20% of wages, up to a maximum of \$4,000 per year, for non-Red Seal apprentices for the first two years.

COMPLETION TAX CREDIT – additional tax credits for employers that hire apprentices who are First Nations or have disabilities.

EMPLOYER TRAINING GRANT – up to two-thirds of the cost of training an employee, with a maximum of \$10,000.

APPRENTICESHIP SERVICE SUPPORTS – Employers hiring new first-year apprentices in Red Seal trades can get up to \$10,000.

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ABOUT SKILLEDTRADESBC

SkilledTradesBC is the organization that advances British Columbia's trades training system. We are building the most diverse and sustainable workforce in Canada by supporting equitable access to skilled trades and helping British Columbians unlock their potential—creating a world-class workforce, one career journey at a time.

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