Foundations Language Arts

Foundations Language Arts (Levels 1 to 8) enable students to develop knowledge and skills in English Language Arts in order to be successful in courses required for graduation in the Adult Graduation Program. Students learn to develop their speaking, listening, fluency, conversation, comprehension and writing skills.

Day Classes:   
Monday to Thursday,  
9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. or 12 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

Evening Classes:   
Tuesday & Thursday,   
6:30 p.m.-9 p.m.

Format: Teacher-directed. In-person attendance required.

Adult Secondary Upgrading

Taking high school courses can help with various educational paths – working towards high school graduation, upgrading for work or for entrance into a post-secondary program.



Day Classes:

*English*:

Monday to Thursday,  
9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. or 12 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

*Math & Sciences*:

Monday to Thursday,  
9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. or 12 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

*Humanities/General Academics*:

Monday & Wednesday,   
9 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Evening Classes:   
Tuesday & Thursday,   
6:30 p.m.-9 p.m.

Format: Teacher-directed or Blended learning (computer programs with teacher support). In-person attendance required.

Adult Secondary Upgrading

English Courses

Composition 10

Creative Writing 10

English Studies 12

English First Peoples 12

Literary Studies 11

Math & Science Courses

Math 9

Math 10 Foundations & Pre-Calculus

Math 10 Workplace

Math 11 Foundations

Math 11 Pre-Calculus

Math 11 Workplace

Math 12 Apprenticeship

Math 12 Calculus

Math 12 Foundations

Math 12 Pre-Calculus

Life Sciences (Biology) 11

Anatomy & Physiology (Biology) 12

Chemistry 11

Chemistry 12

Physics 11

Physics 12

Humanities/General Academic Courses

Social Studies 10

Explorations in Social Studies 11

Science for Citizens 11

20th Century World History 12

BC First Peoples 12

Career Life Education 12

Child Development and Caregiving 12

Comparative World Religions 12

Law Studies 12

Philosophy 12

Physical Geography 12

Social Justice 12

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Need academic advice?

Contact Bob Mostat, our Academic Advisor at 604-668-7899 ext. 1 or e-mail at [bmostat@sd38.bc.ca](mailto:bmostat@sd38.bc.ca).

Be prepared to provide documents for review (see “Documents Required for Registration”.

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Program Location

Richmond Adult Education Centre  
12091 Cambie Road

Term Dates

Day Classes (English, Math & Science):

Term 3: January 31, 2023 - April 12, 2023

Term 4: April 19, 2023 - June 14, 2023

Day Classes (General Academics):

Semester 2: January 30, 2023 - June 12, 2023

Evening Classes:

Semester 2: January 26, 2023 - May 30, 2023

When to Register

Day Classes (English, Math & Science):

Term 3: starting January 12, 2023 (9 p.m.)

Term 4: starting March 30, 2023 (9 p.m.)

Day Classes (Humanities/General Academics):

Semester 2: starting January 12, 2023 (9 p.m.)

Evening Classes:

Semester 2: starting January 12, 2023 (9 p.m.)

How to Register

1. Online: [www.richmondce.ca](http://www.richmondce.ca)
2. By phone: 604-668-7899

ext. 1 – for Math, Science & General Academic courses

ext. 2 – for Foundation Language Arts/English courses

1. In person at 12091 Cambie Road, Richmond

Documents Required for Registration

1. Proof of Status in Canada (one of the following)

* Canadian Birth certificate
* Valid Canadian Passport
* Valid Permanent Resident or Citizenship Card
* Valid Study Permit

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1. Proof of Residency in B.C. with CURRENT address listed (any two of the following)

* BC Services Card
* BC Driver’s Licence
* BC ID card
* Rental Agreement
* Utility Bills
* Property Tax Assessment
* Bank/Mortgage Documents

1. School Records

* BC Transcript of Grades
* Permanent Student Record or school report card

Course Prerequisites

Richmond Continuing Education has established minimum prerequisite marks and courses. Some students may be required to complete an English Assessment in order to be placed in courses within the Adult Secondary Graduation Program.

What is an English Assessment?

To be taken by students who wish to register for an English course with us and have not completed Grade 10 English in Canada, the English Assessment covers four parts: Grammar; Reading; Listening and Writing. It usually take about two hours to complete on a computer, at the Adult Education Centre.

Assessment results are valid for one year and are used for class placement purposes only.

Cost: $30, payable by credit card.

To Register: [www.richmondce.ca](http://www.richmondce.ca)

Course Fees

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| ***Type of Students*** | ***Permanent Residents, Canadian Citizens, Convention Refugees*** | ***International Students*** *with Valid Study Permit* |
| High School Graduates | $0 (see tuition-free course list below)  $550 for courses not listed below | $1,500 per course |
| Non-High School Graduates | $0 | $1,500 per course |

Tuition-Free Courses Available to Graduated Adults

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| **Foundation Language Arts/ English** | **Math** | **Science** |
| FLA Levels 1-8  Literary Studies 11, English Studies 12  English First Peoples 12 | Math 11  Math 12 | Chemistry 11 & 12  Life Sciences 11  Anatomy & Physiology 12  Physics 11 & 12 |