

Student Services Spring Newsletter

Summer School at Chinook Learning

- Beginning May 4th, students or parents may call Chinook Learning (403-777-7200) to book an appointment for summer school registration. If students are concerned they may not pass a course, it is better to book an appointment than wait until Walk-in Registration when most courses are full.
- Summer school takes place from July 2-30th with diploma exams from August 4-12(no absences).
- Students may register for one course only.
- Students rewriting diploma exams must register online before July 3, 2015.
- Summer school is offered at 4 locations. The closest location is Sir Winston Churchill. Not all courses are offered at each location.
- Registration fee is \$65. Textbook deposit is \$85.
- CALM is offered in classroom July 2-18 and self-directed July 2-21.
- Summer Off-Campus/RAP is available through application on website or see Ms. Arrell.
- See website for more details:
<http://www.chinooklearningservices.com/SumSchPortal.html>

Process for Applying for in-class Summer School

1. Beginning May 4th, call Chinook Learning at 403-777-7200 to schedule an appointment for summer school.
2. Students may request a Prerequisite Information Form(PIF) from Ms. McLaughlin in Guidance during the lunch hour.
3. About a week prior to the appointment, students may pick up their Prerequisite Form from Guidance.
4. Bring all of the necessary documentation with you to your appointment (Registration Form, Prerequisite Information Form, Legal documentation, IPP (if applicable), ELL test scores (if applicable) and fees. See website for details.

Online Summer School

Registration for CBe-learn online Sr. High Summer School begins on May 19! All of the information has been updated on their website: <http://schools.cbe.ab.ca/cbe-learn/summerschool.html>

| a few highlights |

- Registration runs from **May 19** through **June 15**.

- Registration in Summer School is not processed until **payment has been received**.
- Students can only register in **one course with CBe-learn** for the summer.
- Course **offerings are reduced**, and the full list is available online. (No 30-level academic courses are being offered)
- Grade 9 students who request grade 10 courses are asked to **meet with their High School counsellor** and complete the PIF as well.
- Students must withdraw by **July 8** in order to obtain a **90%** refund.

| new for 2015 |

- Courses run from **July 2** through **July 31**.
- Students will gain access on **June 25**, but no teacher support will be available until **July 2**.
- CBe-learn will **not host diploma exams** in August 2015.
- **CALM KickStarter** allows students to get a kick-start on their summer, and finish up CALM in an accelerated time. Registration for KickStarter ends **earlier** than traditional Summer School registration. Make sure students are registered in time for this new offering!

Process for Registering for Online Summer School (CBe-learn)

1. Beginning May 11th, students may drop in to Guidance before school or at lunch and request a Prerequisite Information Form(PIF).
2. Students must fax in the PIF form and payment form to CBe-Learn between May 19th and June 15th.
3. No late registrations will be accepted.

NEW! Changes to Alexander Rutherford Scholarship Application

A new, simplified online application for the Alexander Rutherford Scholarships for High School Achievement will be released in early July 2015. Paper applications are no longer being accepted.

For further information, visit the Student Aid Alberta website at:

- [Rutherford Scholarship](#)

Attention Grade 12 Students with Individual Program Plans

Grade 12 students who have IPPs and have received conditional acceptance at a post-secondary institution should contact Accessibility Services in the month of May to arrange an appointment to see if they will be eligible for accommodations in post-secondary. Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Learning Strategist for more information.

The Canadian Rockies Outdoor Learning Centre

The Canadian Rockies Public Schools (CRPS) is offering CALM 20 in an immersive experiential manner similar to summer camp. Students will take the course over 5 days and 4 nights. Students will receive 5 credits for the course: CALM 20 (3 credits), Speaking and Listening (1 credit) and Nutrition (1 credit). The cost of the program is \$450. As this opportunity is outside of the CBE, we cannot endorse the program and encourage parents to contact CRPS for further information.