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VANCOUVER TECHNICAL SECONDARY SCHOOL

School Year 2026-27 School Fee Schedule

Financial Hardship

The Vancouver School District is committed to ensuring that no school-age student will be denied an opportunity to participate in a course, class or program because of an inability to pay fees. Parents and guardians unable to pay some or all school fees are invited to speak to their child's teacher, school counsellor, and/or the school Principal.

[Administrative Procedure 506 - Financial Hardship](#)

SCHOOL FEE SCHEDULE

Fee Type	Gr. 8	Gr. 9	Gr. 10	Gr. 11	Gr. 12
Student Agenda Book	\$9.00				
Student Fee* Fee includes: intramurals, clubs, student welcome events, social responsibility activities, and student council initiatives. **Optional—Agenda book may be purchased separately in the school office.	\$21.00	\$21.00	\$21.00	\$21.00	\$21.00
Yearbook (Optional)	\$49.00	\$49.00	\$49.00	\$49.00	\$49.00
Grad Fee Fee includes: grad cap, gown and stole; decorations, tickets and programs; facility rental; and photographs.					\$85.00

Mini School Fees

Flex Humanities	Gr. 8	Gr. 9	Gr. 10	Gr. 11	Gr. 12
Loon Lake Camp	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00 attendance is optional	
Enrichment Activities Fee includes: guest speakers, enrichment activities and special events.	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Total:	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Summit	Gr. 8	Gr. 9	Gr. 10	Gr. 11	Gr. 12
Timberline Ranch Camp	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00		
Field trips	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$85.00		
Additional Activity and Program Costs	\$65.00	\$65.00	\$65.00		
TOTAL:	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$400.00		

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SUPPLEMENTAL FEE SCHEDULE

Optional supplemental school fees can be charged for materials or goods that are surplus to what is necessary for the student to meet the expected outcomes in a course. If a student is going beyond the basic requirements of a course and creating projects for personal use, then the student may bring their own materials from home or the cost for the materials for these enhanced projects may be recovered through a fee.

Art	Description	Cost
Art 8	Optional sketchbook	\$10.00
Art 9	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Art 10	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Art 11 - 12	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$30.00
AP Art & Design 12	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$35.00
Ceramics 9-10	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Ceramics 11 - 12	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$30.00
Graphics 10	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Graphics 11 - 12	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$30.00
Media Art 9	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Media Art 10	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$25.00
Media Art 11 - 12	Maximum supplemental cost for enhanced supplies	\$30.00
Photography 11 - 12	Maximum supplemental cost for photo paper beyond the basic requirements	\$35.00

N.B. Inclusive of digital and traditional photo courses.

HOME ECONOMICS	Description	Cost
Home Ec 8	better ingredients, more labs	\$5.00
Foods 9	better ingredients, more labs	\$17.50
Foods 10	better ingredients, more labs	\$35.00
Foods 11/12	better ingredients, more labs	\$45.00
Textiles 9	Supplemental cost based on individual projects	No Fee
Clothing & Textiles 10, & 11	Supplemental cost based on individual projects	No Fee
Fashion Design 12	Supplemental cost based on individual projects	No Fee
Cafeteria Training	Food Safe Certificate - optional to participate	\$25.00

MUSIC	Description	Cost
Music 9-12 (Band & Choir)	deposits may be collected for uniforms, sheet music, rentals	No Fee

TECHNICAL STUDIES	Description	Cost
Tech Ed 8	Maximum supplemental cost based on individual projects	\$5.00
All Courses 9 - 12	supplemental cost based on individual projects deposits may be collected for safety glasses, coveralls	No Fee

PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Description	Cost
All Courses	Fees may be charged for optional field trips/activities	
PE 11/12: Outdoor Education*	Estimated cost for this program (including equipment rental, activities, and fieldtrips) is \$450 Students are also responsible for fundraising. *If restrictions prevent the running of a regular program, no course fee will be applied and charges for individual optional activities will be charged.	\$450.00

OTHERS	Description	Cost
AP Courses	Per course (subject to change per AP/USD e	\$200
Certification Programs	Fees may be charged for optional certification programs (ie: SuperHost, FoodSafe, Quantum, First Responders, CPR, etc...)	
Optional Field trips/Activities	Fees may be charged	

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Refundable Workbook Deposits	Deposits may be charged for optional student workbooks. A refund will be issued if the workbook is returned in its original condition – without any markings or damage. No refund will be issued if the item is damaged or written in.
Extracurricular Athletics	Fees are charged to cover costs of uniforms, referees, and equipment. Fees are only charged to those who participate.

For any courses not listed, no supplemental fee will be charged