

VANCOUVER TECHNICAL SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Contacts (2025-2026) for Grade 8 Families

Role	Name	E-mail	
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Grade 8 Counsellor	Ms. Leanne Hagglund	lhagglund@vsb.bc.ca	
Program Case Managers/Resource Teacher			
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Life Skills	TBA	TBA	
Program Coordinators/ Department Heads			
French Immersion Department Head	Ms. Soumeya Boucetta	sboucetta@vsb.bc.ca	
English Language Learners (ELL) Department Head	Ms. Jenny Lee	jelee@vsb.bc.ca	
International Student Advisor	Ms. Angela Bigiolli	abigiolli@vsb.bc.ca	
Flex Humanities Mini School Coordinator	Dr. Dale Martelli	dmartelli@vsb.bc.ca	
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Additional Support Network			
Indigenous Education Team	Mr. Robin Roberts	rroberts@vsb.bc.ca	
Leadership & Resiliency Program (LRP)	Mr. Murray Anderson	murray.anderson@vch.ca	
Community School Team	Ms. Heidi Benson (Coordinator)	hbenson@vsb.bc.ca	
	Ms. Kelsey McCready (Youth & Family Worker)	kmmcready@vsb.bc.ca	
Administrative Staff			
Absence Reporting	Include name of student, student number, date of absence, brief reason, and parent contact number	techattendance@vsb.bc.ca	
General Inquires		vantech@vsb.bc.ca	

Communication

Who do I contact with questions/concerns about....?

content, progress, learning in a course	Classroom Teachers	
registration for next year's courses	Grade Counsellor	
graduation requirements	Grade Counsellor	
support for my child with learning needs	Program Case Manager/School Based Resource	
	Teacher (SBRT)	
support for my child with social emotional	Grade Counsellor; Youth & Family Worker	
needs		
support for technology	Grade Counsellor	
support for family around food security	Grade Counsellor; Youth & Family Worker	
support for Indigenous learners	Indigenous Education Team	
support for substance use/misuse	Grade Counsellor & Supporting and Connecting	
	Youth (SACY) Engagement & Prevention Worker	
inquires of Athletic Teams	Athletic Director	
support for transition to grade 8	Community School Team Coordinator	
support for language interpretation	Grade Counsellor	
inquires about French Immersion Program	French Immersion Department Head	
inquires about French Placement Exam	Modern Languages Department Head	
support for English Language Learners (ELL)	Classroom Teacher or ELL Department Head	
support for International Program students	International Student Advisor	
student registration packages	Student Records Clerk	
student transcripts	Student Records Clerk	
student MyEd password assistance	Office, Grade Administrator	
student VSB password assistance (TEAMS)	Classroom Teacher; Grade Counsellor	
general inquiries about school procedures	Administrative Assistant, Grade Counsellor	



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