



**PATTISON HIGH SCHOOL**

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A School facility owned and operated by Pattison High School

We don't teach a class; we teach individual students in a class





**Quotation from the BC Ministry of Education:**  
 “The educational program at PHS has a clear focus on blending its vision statement with the goals of academic education, resulting in a well-balanced program.”



## The Best Choice To Enter a Top University !

### Message from the Principal



Welcome to Pattison High School where the standard of excellence provides students a successful foundation for entrance into top ranked North American Universities. PHS is the best choice for students who want to earn a Canadian High School Graduation Diploma in an accelerated time frame.

Our “student centered” programs are designed to support individual learning styles which provide students with a rewarding educational experience and allows them to reach their full potential. At Pattison High School, students are immersed in a high quality learning environment where students and teachers work together in a caring, vibrant learning community that fosters personal and intellectual growth. Our teachers, staff, counsellors and administrators are professionals who are committed to understanding each student’s goals.

We take pride in the knowledge that students leave Pattison High School they leave with the confidence, skills and responsibility to make their mark in divergent academic pursuits.

We look forward to having you join us as part of the Pattison tradition, and wish you every success, not only at our school, but with your future post secondary and university aspirations.

Sincerely,  
 Brian Specht  
 Principal

# Reasons to Choose

*Pattison High School*



**1. Trimester System**  
 January / May / July / September  
 12 Courses a Year  
 Fast Track to Graduation



**2. Small Class Size**  
 Individual Attention  
 Student / Teacher Ratio 15:1



**4. Free Student Services**  
 After School Tutorials / Homework Club  
 Provincial Exam Preparation Program  
 University Application Guidance



**5. 100% Graduation Rate**  
 Scholarship Program  
 70% Rates at Top Universities Acceptance

**3. Certified Student Counsellor**  
 Appointments Available Any Time  
 Individualized Graduation Plan  
 Post-Secondary Day

**6. Academic Readiness**  
 Vocabulary / Reading / Writing /  
 Grammar / Composition



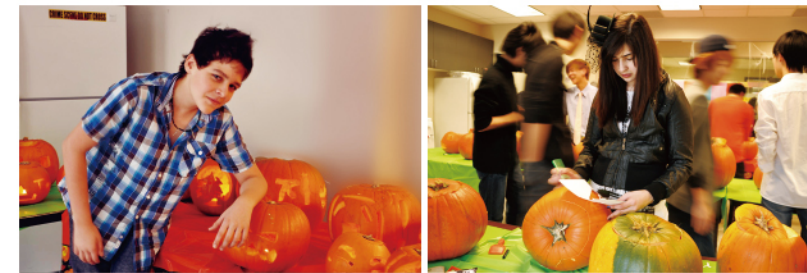


# Student Services and Life at PATTISON HIGH SCHOOL

Pattison High School provides a full range of Student Services. Our Administration and Office Staff are readily available to answer questions and offer support to students and their families. Our school Counselor works individually with all students to help them develop their graduation and post-secondary plans. Personal as well as academic counseling is offered.

At Pattison, we want to get to know students and help them feel at home. At Pattison High School, students are exposed to a plethora of experiences that assist greatly in developing a comprehensive education. Students from around the world gather at PHS to pursue their dreams and aspirations while enriching their lives in the cultural mosaic reflective of our society.

Students immerse themselves in their studies that include opportunities that occur outside the classroom. At PHS, a well-rounded experience includes getting outside the classroom walls to indulge in the various resources that the Vancouver Metropolitan area provides. Student activity days and field trips add to the rich educational environment. Social interactions and group leadership activities enrich the students' life experiences. Thus, a PHS student becomes a more global citizen ready to contribute to the world.



## PATTISON HIGH SCHOOL

### Grade 8

- English 8
- Academic Readiness
- Social Studies 8
- Math 8
- Science 8
- Drama 8
- Physical Education 8

### Grade 9

- English 9
- Academic Readiness
- Social Studies 9
- Math 9
- Science 9
- Drama 9
- Physical Education 9

### Grade 10

- English 10
- Academic Readiness
- Social Studies 10
- Math 10
- Science 10

- Planning 10
- Business Education 10
- Visual Arts 10
- Information Tech 10
- Physical Education 10

### Grade 11

- English 11
- Communications 11
- Social Studies 11
- Math 11
- Accounting 11
- Marketing 11

- Composition 11
- Chemistry 11
- Physics 11
- Art Foundations 11
- Visual Arts Media 11
- Physical Education 11

### Grade 12

- English 12
- Communications 12
- History 12
- Math 12
- Calculus 12
- Economics 12
- Accounting 12
- Marketing 12

- Biology 12
- Chemistry 12
- Physics 12
- Art Foundations 12
- Visual Arts Media 12
- Physical Education 12
- Geography 12
- Graduation Transitions

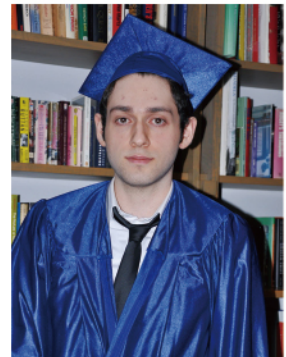


# Eligibility

To be eligible to graduate in the Adult Graduation Program, adult students (19 years of age or over) must earn at least 20 credits ( 5 courses ) in the secondary system. Courses and credits can be counted from the British Columbia School System and/or the College ABE Program.

## Adult Graduation Program

British Columbia School System Qualifying Courses	
A Language Arts 12* Course	4
AND	
A Mathematics 11 or 12* course	4
AND EITHER	
Option 1	
Three Grade 12 Ministry-authorized courses (4 credits each)	12
OR	
Option 2	
Social Studies 11 (4 credits) or First Nations Studies 12 and two Grade 12 Ministry-authorized courses (4 credits each)	12
<b>Total: 20 credits</b>	



Beginning in September 2004, Grade 10 became part of the permanent record for all students graduating in the BC High School system. The Ministry of Education introduced the Graduation Program and the concept of the Graduation Portfolio.

The requirements for successful completion of Grades 10, 11 & 12 are calculated as a grouping of 80 credits. Of the total of 80 credits, 48 credits must be earned from among a selection of required courses, and 28 credits must be earned from among a selection of elective courses.

## Graduation Programs 2004

80 credits required for graduation

### Grade 10-12

48 Credits in Required Courses	Credits
English 10	4
English 11 / 12 or Communications 11 / 12	8
Social Studies 10 / 11	8
Science 10	4
Science 11 (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)	4
Mathematics 10 / 11	8
Physical Education 10	4
Planning 10	4
Fine Arts or Applied Skills 10, 11 or 12	4

28 credits in Elective Courses	Credits
Biology 12	4
Chemistry 11 / 12	4
Physics 11 / 12	4
Mathematics 12	4
Composition 11	4
Physical Education 11 / 12	4
Fine Arts or Applied Skills 11 / 12	4
Graduation Transition	4





## Listen to What Faculty Say About Pattison!

**Dave Rowbottom**  
Assistant Principal



I started working at Pattison High School in February 2005 and never looked back. The staff and students have always been supportive. I began as an English and Physical Education teacher and am now in an administrative role. This role enables me to understand the inner workings of the school environment, and take part in supporting students to make sound decisions that will lead to a successful future. The small class sizes, trimester system and academic readiness program make it easier and faster for students to reach their goals. We strive for excellence and to provide a place where students' needs are met, where they have the freedom to have their voices heard and where their imaginations are valued.



**Mary Eby** | Senior Student Counsellor

It is my great pleasure to be a part of the Pattison staff. Pattison has provided me with the opportunity to continue with my counselling career that I have loved and enjoyed for over thirty years. I am very impressed with the commitment the staff have made in providing an outstanding educational opportunity for Pattison learners. Through my support and direction, I hope that the students will achieve the goals that they set for themselves and meet with success in all of their endeavours. At Pattison, they are presented with every opportunity to be the best they can be.



**Rick Williams** | English Department

I am one of the most fortunate teachers at Pattison because I have the challenge of teaching both lower and upper level English and Social Studies courses. The amazing multi-cultural students who enter our Academic Readiness program typically come to Pattison with low levels of English language skills and little understanding of Canadian history, geography, and culture. I firmly believe that by providing an enjoyable learning environment, students are willing and sometimes even eager to learn more about both Canada and the English language. As this occurs, I have the opportunity to watch the incredible transformation that occurs in these students as they journey towards graduation.



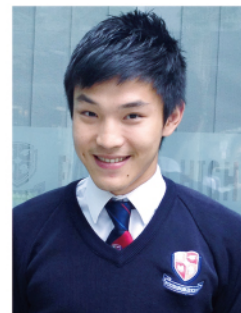
**Mersedeh Ghassemieh** | Recruitment and Advising Manager

I am thrilled to be part of Pattison High School, a place where we respect diversity, nourish various talents, and encourage students to reach their potential, by providing a safe and fun learning environment. I believe education is a powerful agent for personal and social transformations as it raises awareness, expands horizons, and encourages critical thinking that can lead to fulfilled lives and indeed creation of a better world. As an educator my career mission is to help students attain their goals, materialize their dreams, and help them make a positive difference in their own lives and those of others.



**Kamiar Arziab** | Vancouver, Canada | Grade 10

From the first day I started to go to Pattison High School, I felt very welcomed. The students are very co-operative and communicative. Also, the faculty are very respectful of their students and they are willing to lend a helping hand when students are in need. The interaction between the students and teachers has made the students more diligent with their work. I strongly believe that Pattison is a perfect high school for people who want to succeed and reach their full potential that will help them grasp their future goals.



**Martin Chen** | Guangdong, China | Grade 12

Throughout my three terms at Pattison High, there were a lot of memorable moments. Everyone in the school has helped me through ups and downs; it was the love and support between each other that made me understand more about life. I appreciate PHS for giving me the knowledge and confidence to enter another stage, and I will never forget my time here.



**Edris Ardeshirlarlijani** | Tehran, Iran | Grade 12

I came to Pattison a few years ago. I have found more than I had bargained for. The teachers are all extremely dedicated, they seem almost tireless and despite their endless efforts to help us improve. Here at Pattison, I find myself in a safe, warm and comfortable atmosphere. Staff, teachers and my peers are wonderful and welcoming. Pattison is like my second family while I am away from home. I truly love it here.

## Listen to what students say about Pattison!

I have been studying at Pattison High School for a year. It has been a great experience. Teachers are really nice and dedicated. Students are also nice and friendly and I have learned a lot about different cultures. Attending Pattison High School made me stop hating school and start liking studying. I'm really happy and grateful that I was able to attend Pattison High School and enjoy my high school years.



**Nazgol Abrishami** | Vancouver, Canada | Grade 11





# Application Checklist

Students must complete a minimum of seven years of formal schooling to be eligible for registration at Pattison High School. The completed Application Document Checklist consists of:

- 1. Application fee**  
CAD \$200 (non-refundable)
- 2. Completed and signed Student Application Form**  
If the student is under 19 years of age, parent / guardian signature is required
- 3. Copy of Student's passport**  
Verification of Canadian Citizenship or Landed Immigrant status (if applicable)
- 4. Transcripts for the past two - three years**  
Original or Notarized in English
- 5. Letter of attendance from current school**  
Original or Notarized in English
- 6. Copy of Medical Insurance**  
BC Medical Service Plan or private medical insurance
- 7. Custodianship Declaration**  
If the student is under 19 years of age, Canadian Immigration requires custodianship
- 8. One passport-sized photo of Student**

## Admission Procedures

- 1. Conditional Letter of Acceptance**  
After the review of the application documents, the Conditional Letter of Acceptance and Tuition Invoice will be issued to the qualified students.
- 2. Official Letter of Acceptance**  
Upon the receipt of the tuition deposit payment, an Official Letter of Acceptance and a tuition receipt will be issued and sent accordingly. International students may use the Official Letter of Acceptance for the student visa application purpose.

# Fee Schedule

in Canadian Dollars

Basic Fees	International Students	Local Students
Application Fee ( <i>non-refundable</i> )	\$ 200	\$ 200
Tuition fee per course	\$ 1,450	\$ 1,050
Tuition fee per semester ( <i>4 courses</i> )	\$ 5,800	\$ 4,200
Activities / Field Trips Fee ( <i>per semester</i> )	\$ 200	\$ 200
Material and Facility Support Fee ( <i>per course</i> ) <i>computer lab, library resources etc.</i>	\$ 40	\$ 40
Textbook Deposit ( <i>\$100 refundable</i> )	\$ 200	\$ 200
Art Supplies Fee ( <i>per course per semester</i> )	\$ 110	\$ 110
Physical Education Fee ( <i>per semester / if applicable</i> )	\$ 150	\$ 150
<b>Total Tuition for one semester</b> ( <i>4 courses</i> )	<b>\$ 6,670</b>	<b>\$ 5,070</b>
<b>Total Tuition for two semesters</b> ( <i>8 courses</i> )	<b>\$12,940</b>	<b>\$ 9,740</b>
<b>Total Tuition for three semesters</b> ( <i>12 courses</i> )	<b>\$19,210</b>	<b>\$14,410</b>

<b>School Uniform</b>	\$500 - 650
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### Medical Insurance (*mandatory*)

Private Medical Insurance ( <i>first 3 months</i> )	\$180 / 3 months
BC Medical Service Plan	\$192 / 3 months ( <i>BC Government rate</i> )

### Homestay Fees (*if applicable*)

Placement fee	\$400
Room and Board ( <i>including 3 meals</i> )	\$800 - \$1000 / month

### Custodianship (*if applicable*)

Declaration fee	\$300
Monthly Custodianship fee	\$100 / month

### 1) Cheque, Money Order or Bank Draft:

Payable to: **Pattison High School**

### 2) Bank Wire Transfer: (Please add \$50 bank handling fee)

Pay to the order of : **Pattison High School**

Bank : Bank of Montreal

Swift BIC : BOFMCAM2

Address : 595 Burrard Street, Vancouver, BC, V7X 1L7, Canada

Transit Number : 00040

CD\$ Account Number : 0004-1670-369