

Brock Middle Grade 7 Parent Information Meeting

Tuesday, April 6, 2021

Introductions

- Mr. Horton – Principal
- Mrs. McVittie – Vice-Principal
- Chante Reddeman – School Counsellor
- Kevin Chow – School Counsellor
- Scott Galloway – Vice-Principal

Welcome

Mr. Horton – Principal

Purpose of Meeting:

- Review Student Schedule Structures for 2021/22
- Review COVID driven structural changes
- Answer questions you may have

Questions



Feel free to ask in the chat *or* wait until the end to ask *or*
contact us at the school.

School Counsellors

Kevin Chow – last
names starting with A
to K

Chante Reddeman –
last names starting with
L to Z

Student Interviews



Guiding Principles

- Must meet H&S Guidelines
 - Cohorts of 60
 - Quarter system
 - One quarter is 9 weeks long, 2 blocks per day
- Alignment with the philosophy of Middle Level education
 - Fewer teachers to allow for improved personal connections
- Intentional interventions that target lagging skills
 - Increase students' skills in areas that they need extra support
- Discovery/Exploration of skills/Knowledge/Interests (i.e. Explorations – formerly Electives or Mosaic)

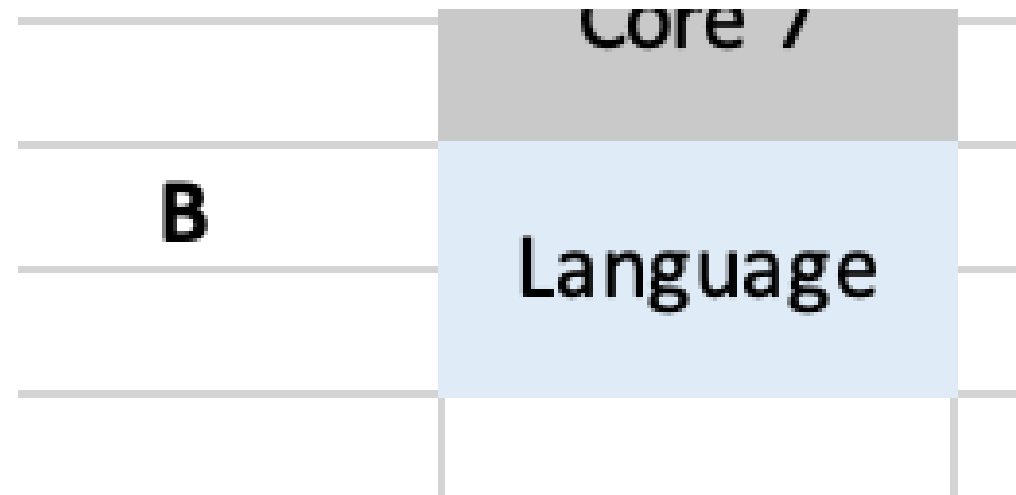
Grade 7 Schedule

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
A	Core 7	Core 7	Core 7	Core 7
B	Core 7	Car-Explo 7	Explo 7	Language 7

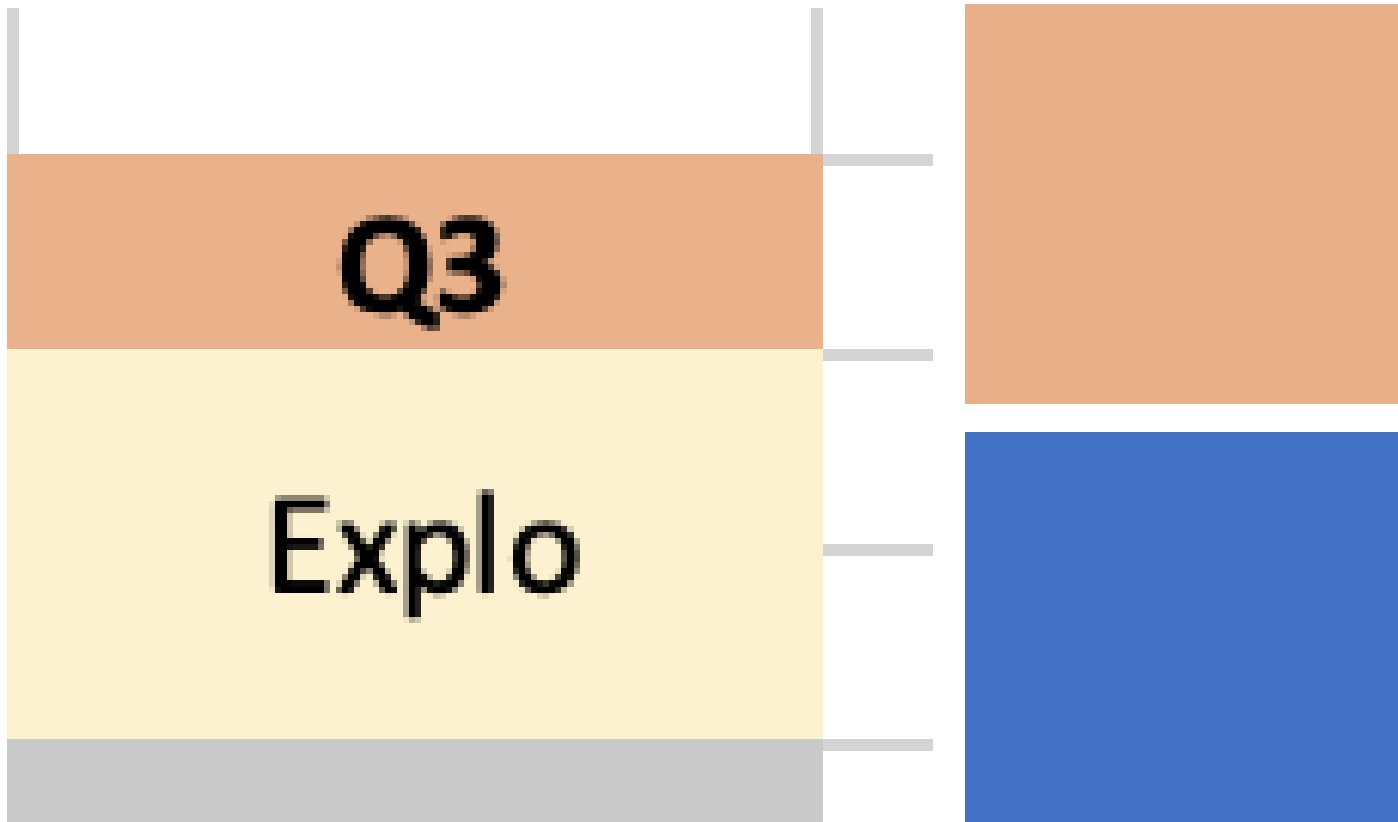
- **Core 7**
 - Five blocks with Core Teacher
 - Academy Cohorts (PE replaced by Academy)
- **Core Program includes:**
 - Math/Science/Socials /English/PE

Languages Mosaic

- French 7
- Secwepemc 7
- Coding 7 (ADST)
 - 3 week Terms
 - 3 Language Courses (above)
 - 40 hours of instruction per course
 - 2.5 hours every day (for 1 Quarter)



Explorations 7



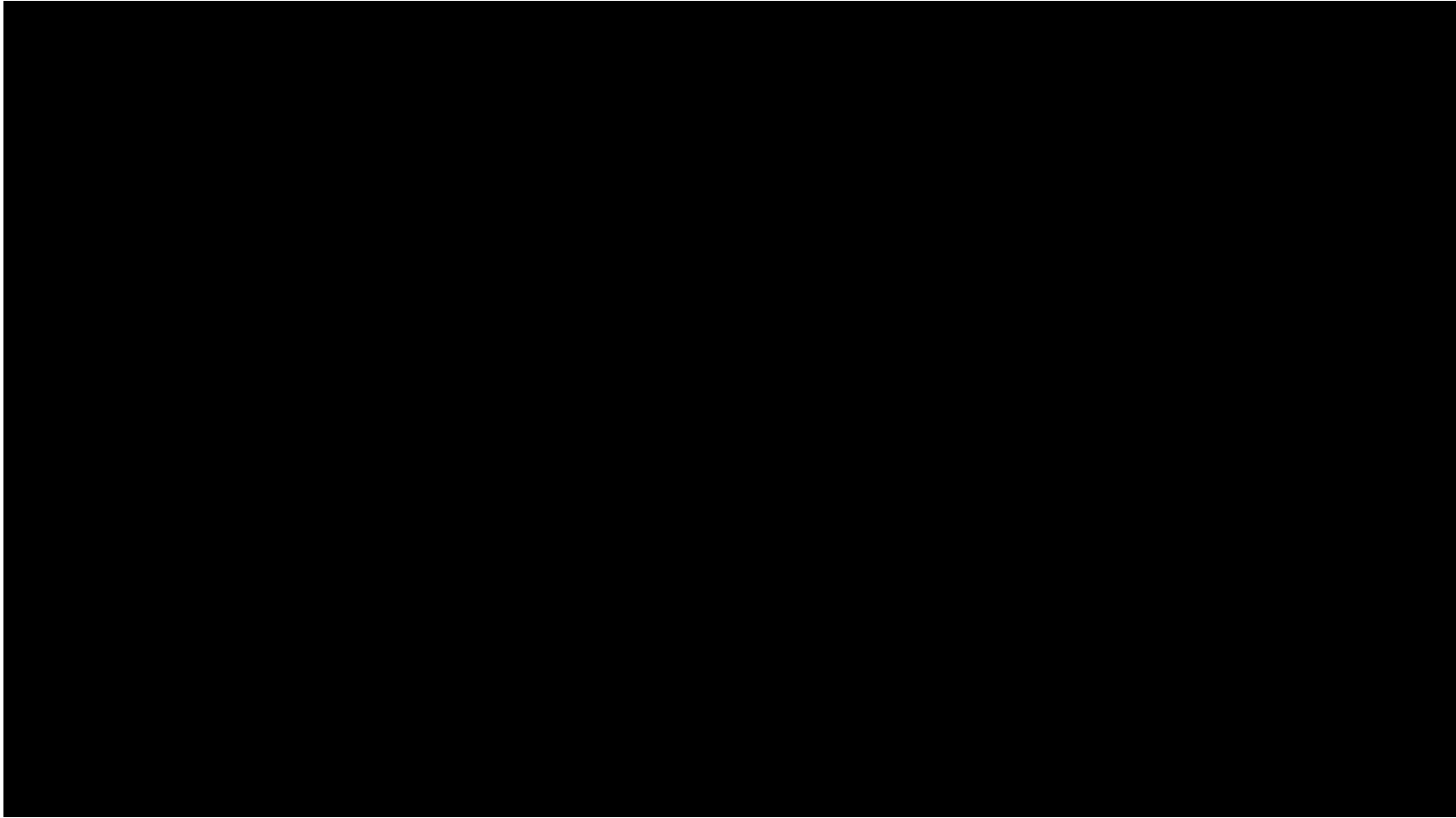
- 2 Explorations blocks per student
 - Wood, Art, TechEd
 - Sewing, Outdoor Ed, Careers
- 3 week Terms for Explorations 7 (fits within Quarter)
- Roughly 40 hours of instruction per course
- 2.5 hours every day for 3 weeks
- Set Rotation of Explorations for ALL Gr. 7
 - Different rotation in Gr. 8

Academies

- Aquatics
 - \$350
 - Swim, water polo, kayaking, scuba
 - Bussing
 - Two quarters
- Dance
 - \$225
 - Teacher and part-time dance instructor
 - One quarter
- Hockey
 - \$300
 - Brock Arena
 - Teacher and helpers
 - Two quarters
- Soccer
 - \$475
 - Brock Middle field and soccer dome
 - Bussing
 - Two quarters



School Tour – COVID Style



Dance Academy

Band & Choir

Mr. Schill

Opportunities - Cecile

Clubs (eg Games)	Athletics	Leadership	Intramurals
GSA	Service (eg Helping at Therapeutic Riding)	Bus to Boys/Girls Club (North Shore)	Math Contests/Pi Day
Young Authors	Young Artists	Science Fair	Heritage Fair
Drama Productions	Family Art Evenings	Bingo Night	Boys Club Network
Girls Club (Indigenous/Metis)	Power of Being a Girl	Student Voice	Diversity District Committee



Questions

