

Welcome Graduating Class of 2029

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we gratefully
acknowledge that we
are learning together
on the
unceded, Traditional
Territory of the
Okanagan, Syilx, people.

Principal: Mr. Alexander

LEARNING

AT RSS WE BELIEVE:

Learning occurs when individuals acquire skills and knowledge and make authentic connections, reflections and applications to themselves and their world. Taking risks, making mistakes and growing from failure is part of the lifelong learning process.



SD23 Core Values

- Respect
- Honesty
- Responsibility
- Empathy
- Fairness

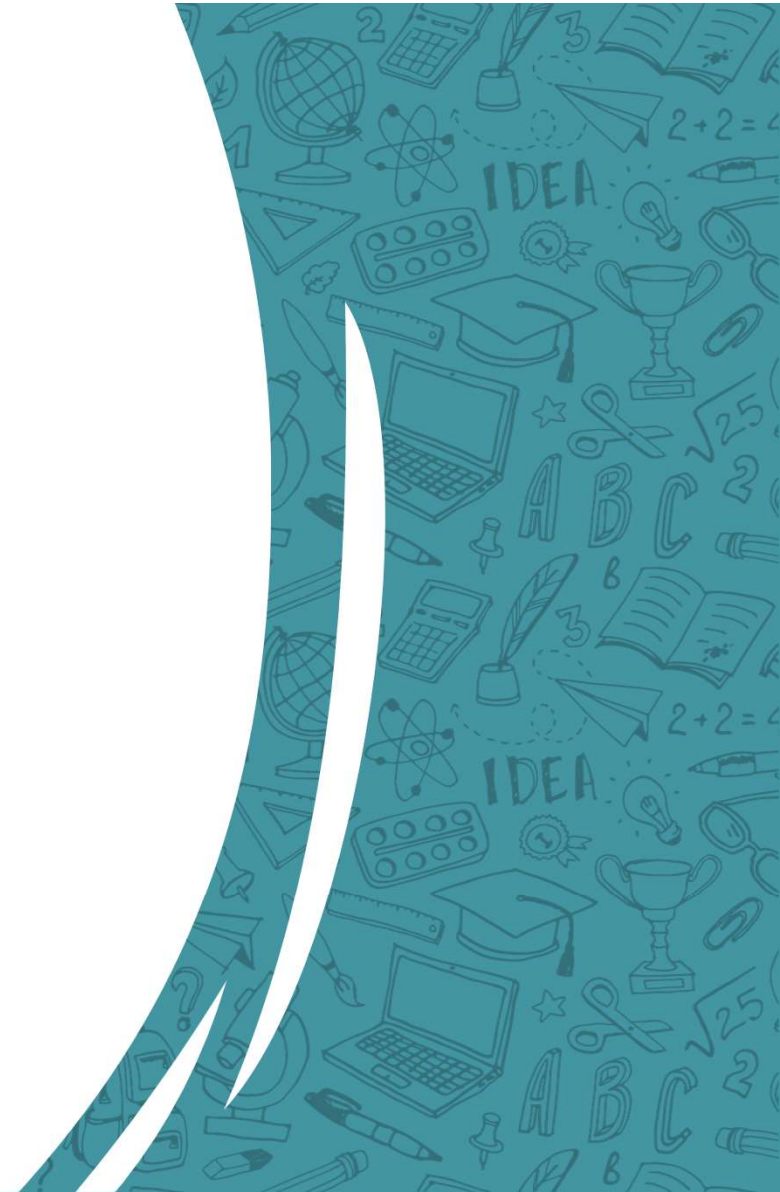


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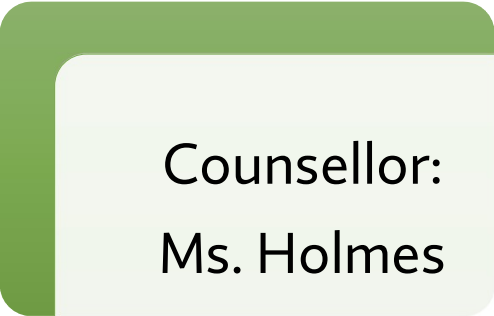
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Vice-Principal: Mr. Atkins

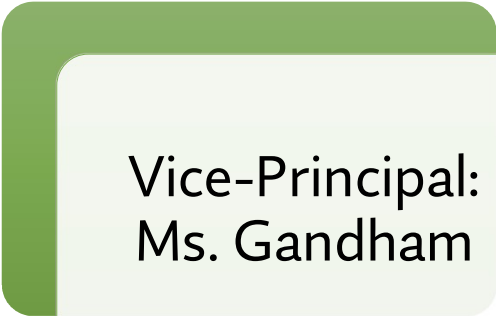
Indigenous Advocate:
Scarlette Stelka



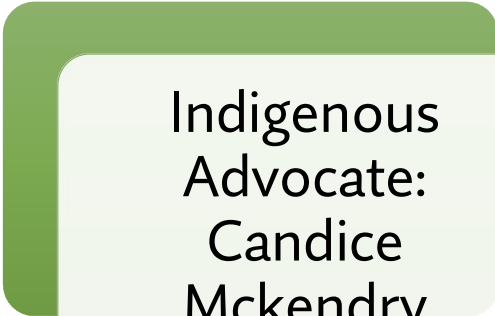
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Counsellor:
Ms. Holmes



Vice-Principal:
Ms. Gandham



Indigenous
Advocate:
Candice
Mckendry

O-Z

Counsellor: Ms. Reynolds

Vice-Principal: Ms. Johnston

Indigenous Advocate: Kim Gunner

Counselling Support

Personal emotional
issues

Medical issues

A source of advice
and advisement

Problems/issues
with peers, staff, or
parents

Link to outside help
agencies

Issues / concerns /
problems with
timetable

Educational
planning / road to
graduation.

Ideas for improving
academics –
homework / study
habits / goal setting.

Post-secondary
planning / ideas

University / College
/ Technical School /
Private training
centre information

Social Emotional Learning (SEL): Ms. Zimmerman, April Buck

RCMP Liaison- Fed Angulo

Indigenous Teacher Tutors: Mr. Heard, Ms. Siddal

Library Support: Ms. Farquhar, Mr. Horning, Ms. Seigny

Learning Assistance: Ms. Pembleton, Ms. Noonan, Ms. Lenardon

Resource: Ms. Henault, Ms. Christensen, Ms. Akurienne, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Wormsbecher

Career Programs Coordinators: Ms. Skogstad, Ms. Robb

Alternative Education: Ms. Shane



Bell Schedule

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Morning Block	9:00 am - 10:15 am	Afternoon Block	12:29 pm - 1:45 pm
Break	10:15 am - 10:24 am	Break	1:45 pm - 1:54 pm
Morning Block	10:24 am - 11:45 am	Afternoon Block	1:54 pm - 3:16 pm
Lunch	11:45 am - 12:29 pm	Dismissal	3:16 pm

Open Campus



Grade 9 students are permitted to leave campus during lunch



The Corner Store and the Café are open for breaks and lunch from Tuesday-Friday

Rutland Senior Secondary

Phone: 250-870-5110
Fax: 250-870-5010

705 Rutland Rd N. | Kelowna, BC | V1X 3B6

2023-2024 COURSE SELECTION SHEET

Administration

Principal: Mr. H. Alexander
Vice Principal (A-F): Mr. J. Atkins
Vice Principal (G-N): Ms. R. Gandham
Vice Principal (O-Z): Ms. M. Johnston

Counselling

(A-F): Ms. D. Patterson
(G-N): Ms. D. Holmes
(O-Z): Ms. L. Reynolds

Grade 9

Student Name:

GRADE 9 REQUIRED COURSES

THESE WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR YOU

☒ English 9

☒ Social Studies 9

☒ Mathematics 9

☒ Science 9

☒ Careers 9

SELECT 1 PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION COURSE

☐ Physical Education 9 *

☐ Mixed Martial Arts 9

☐ Dance 9

☐ Outdoor Education 9 *

☐ Basketball 9 *

☐ Women's Basketball 9 *

☐ Football 9

☐ Volleyball 9 *

☐ Baseball Academy (\$1200)

☐ Hockey Academy (\$1245)

☐ Rugby

☐ Soccer Academy (\$425)

* Denotes added cost

Additional Costs



Baseball Academy

\$1,200



Hockey Academy

\$1,245



Soccer Academy

\$425



Equine Academy

\$600

SELECT 8 CHOICES

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|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| ☐ Art 9 | ☐ Metalwork 9 | ☐ Computers 9 | ☐ Leadership 9 |
| ☐ Language and Culture 9 | ☐ Power Technology | ☐ Foods 9 | ☐ French 9 (counts as <u>2</u> choices) |
| ☐ Metal Art 9 | ☐ Woodworking 9 | ☐ Textiles 9 | ☐ Guitar 9 |
| ☐ Commercial Music 9
(counts as <u>2</u> choices) | ☐ Production Graphics 9 | ☐ Drama 9 | ☐ Equine Academy (added cost \$600) + counts as <u>2</u> |
| | ☐ Introductory Band 9 | | |

If you are taking the Band option below, then you will automatically be paired with the Social Studies Band.

OPTIONAL COURSES OFFERED OUTSIDE OF THE TIMETABLE

☐ Musical Theatre—Technical 9

☐ Musical Theatre –Performance 9

☐ Concert Choir 9

☐ Yearbook 9

Sample Schedule

Block 1
9:00-11:45
Lunch
11:45-12:30
Block 2
12:30-3:16

Block A: English

Block B: Math

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Lunch

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Block 2

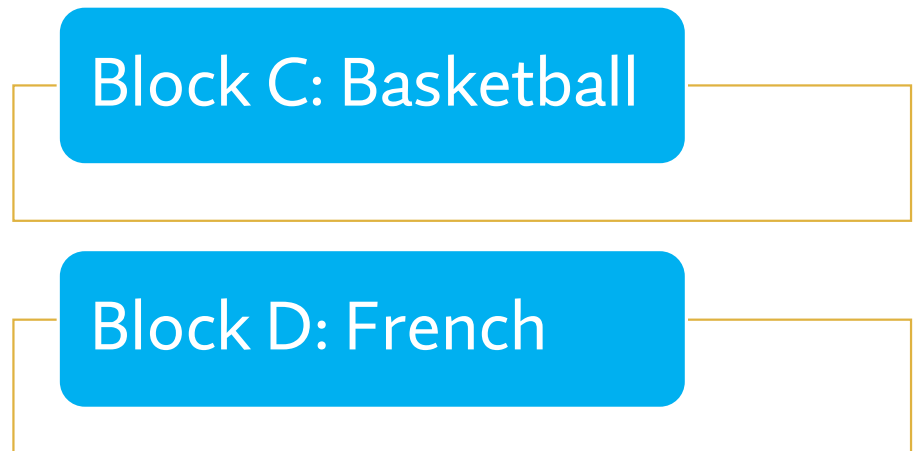
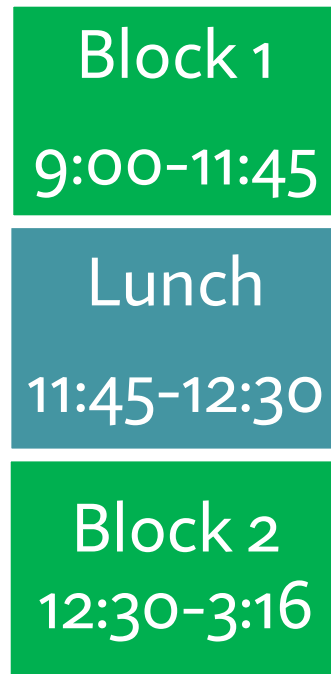
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Block C: Basketball

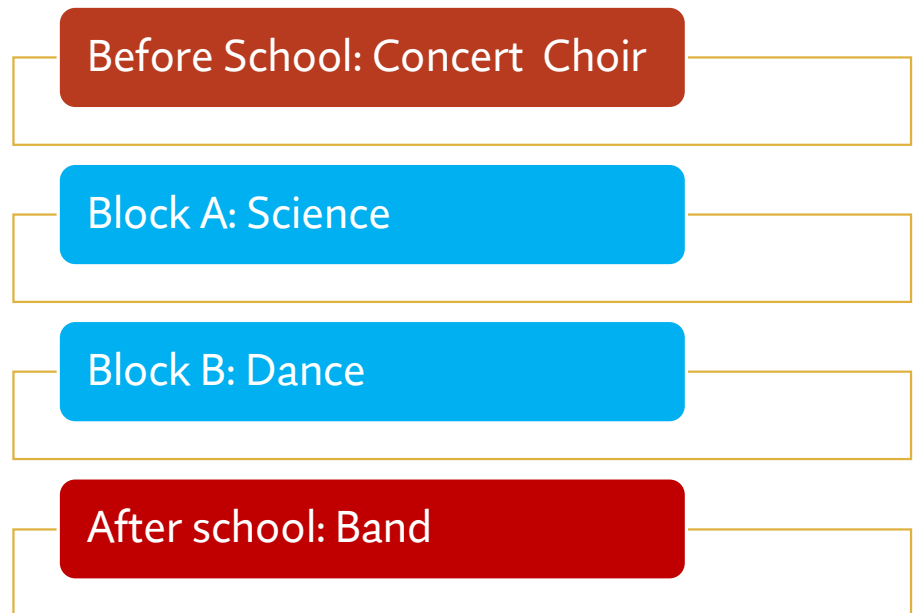
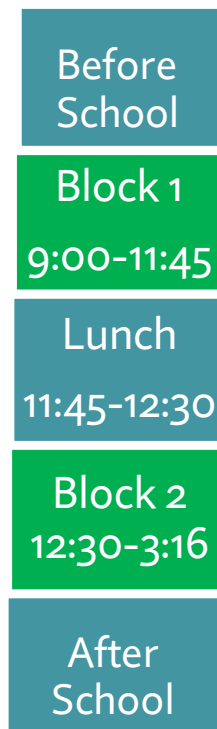
Block D: Elective

- Term 1: Foods 9 (10 weeks)
- Term 2 :Drama 9 (10 weeks)

Sample Schedule



Sample Grade 9 Schedule



Schedule

We cannot guarantee that students will receive all the courses they select.

Students will be exposed to a variety of exploratory options that will help them decide what they would like to take in Grade 10, 11 and 12.



New Reporting Order

Four-point provincial proficiency scale

The **four-point provincial proficiency scale** is used in K-9 to communicate student progress in all areas of learning. The four points on the scale include Emerging, Developing, Proficient, and Extending.

Proficiency Scale				
	Emerging	Developing	Proficient	Extending
	The student demonstrates an initial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a partial understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a complete understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.	The student demonstrates a sophisticated understanding of the concepts and competencies relevant to the expected learning.

Teachers use the four-point provincial proficiency scale and descriptive, strength-based feedback to communicate progress in all areas of learning.

Class Information

- Students and parents have access to attendance, report cards and the schedule through My Education Student Portal
- Teachers often use Google Classroom for continued support outside of the classroom



MyEd Portal Student Access

The screenshot shows the Rutland Senior Secondary website with a focus on the MyEd Portal student access. A red arrow points to the 'Students' link in the left sidebar. The main content area features a large image of the school building with the text 'Rutland Senior Welcome'. Below this, a yellow box contains links to various services, including the MyEd Portal. The right sidebar has a search bar and two featured sections: 'School Community Student Learning Plan' and 'Documents & Publications'. The bottom of the page displays a blue 'Bell Schedule' section with a table of times.

Browser address bar: rss.sd23.bc.ca

Navigation bar: LOG IN, Google, Bus icon, Menu icon

Left Sidebar:

- Rutland Senior
- Home
- About RSS
- Programs
- Services
- Parents
- Resources
- Students** (highlighted with a red arrow)
- Contact Us >

Main Content Area:

Rutland Senior

Welcome

Counselling Department	Scholarships and Awards
Course Selections	School Supplies
Grad	Transcripts and Diplomas
MyEd Portal	

Right Sidebar:

What are you looking for?

School Community Student Learning Plan

Documents & Publications

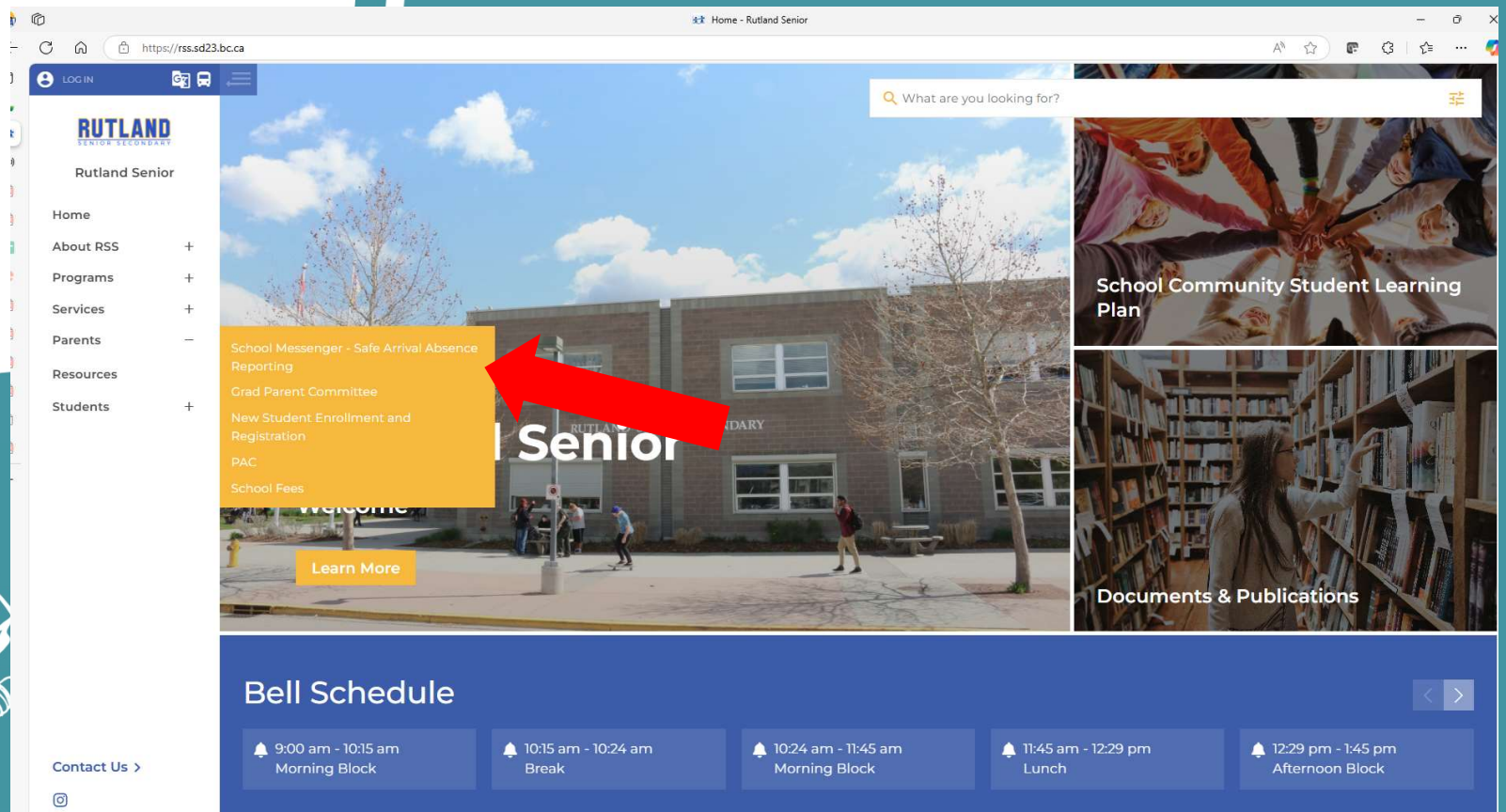
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Footer: <https://rss.sd23.bc.ca/students>

To report an absence

School Messenger



The screenshot shows the Rutland Senior Secondary website. A red arrow points to the 'School Messenger - Safe Arrival Absence Reporting' link in the main content area. The website features a navigation menu on the left, a search bar at the top right, and a 'Bell Schedule' section at the bottom.

Navigation Menu:

- Home
- About RSS
- Programs
- Services
- Parents
- Resources
- Students

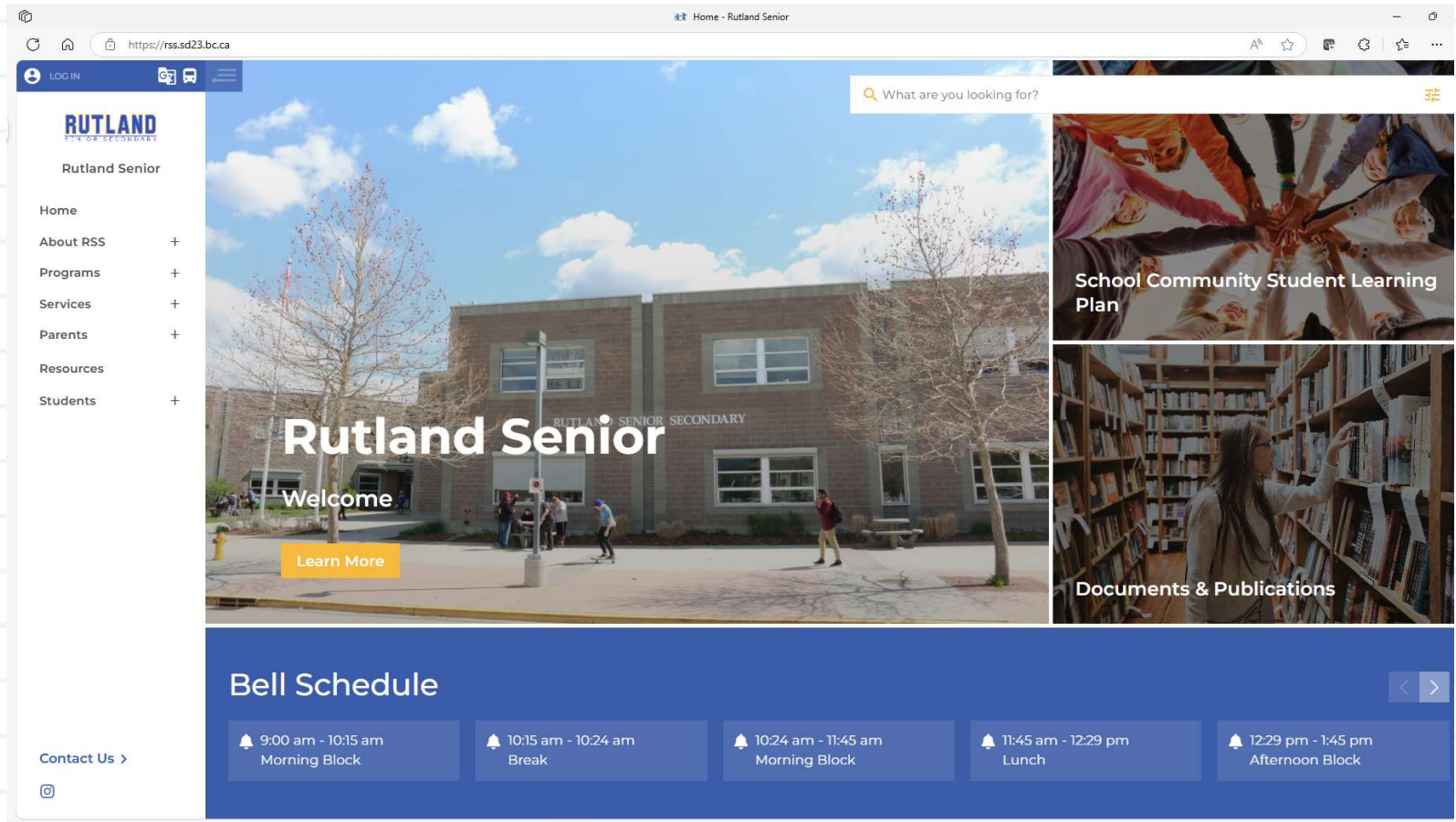
Main Content Area:

- School Messenger - Safe Arrival Absence Reporting
- Grad Parent Committee
- New Student Enrollment and Registration
- PAC
- School Fees

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RSS Website



Getting Involved at RSS

Athletics

Intramurals

Leadership

Dance
Shows

Spirit Days

Yearbook

Drama
Productions

Clubs

Upcoming Dates 2025

Course Selection Presentations:

- February 05 at SMS 9:30 am
- February 05 at RMS 1:00 pm
- February 05 Parent Night at RSS (5:00pm)

Online Course Selection

- February 12 at SMS 9:30 am
- February 12 at RMS 1:00 pm

Grade 9 Orientation

- August 27, 9:00am-12:00pm

First Day of School

- September 02





Questions