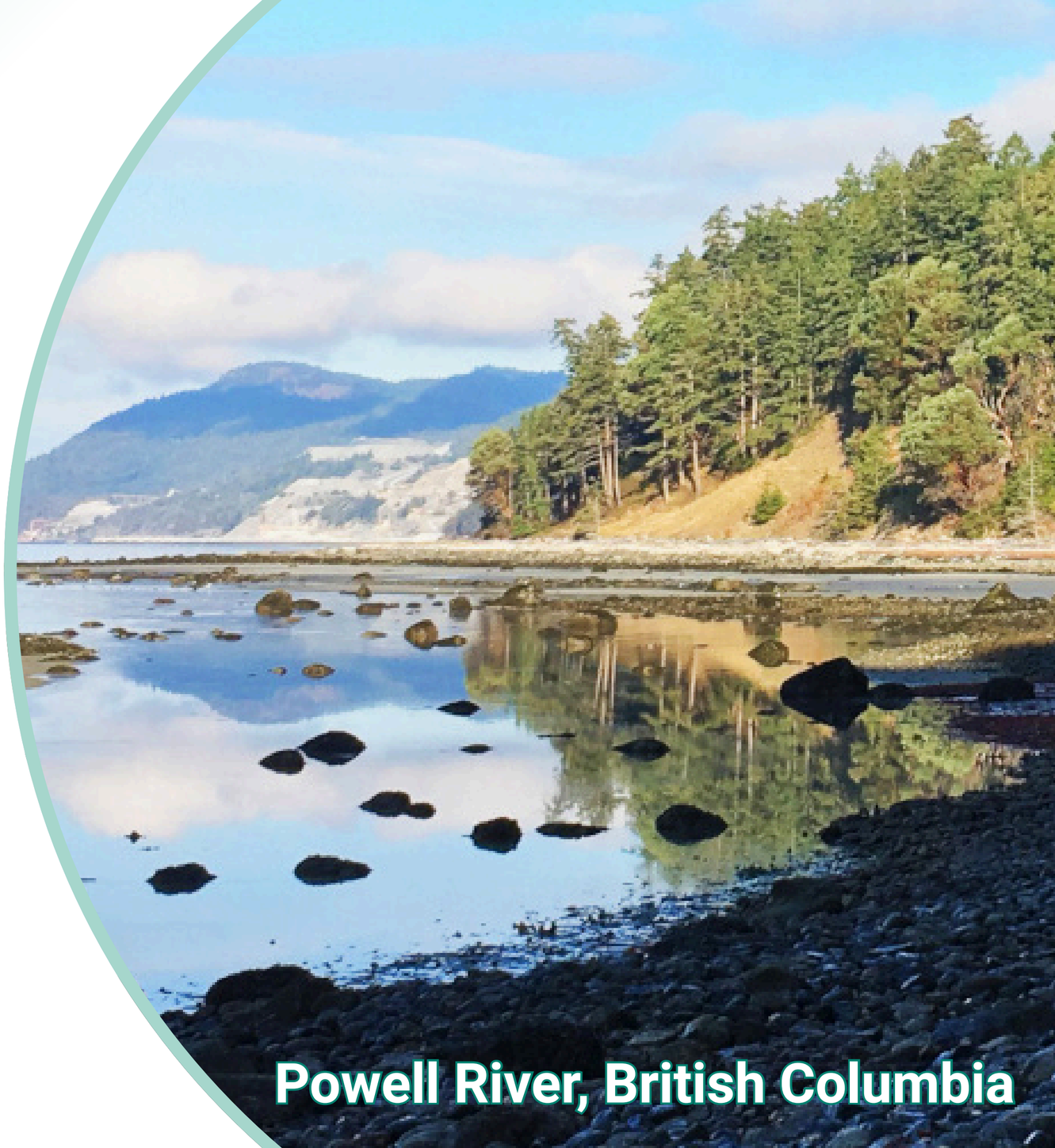
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Powell River, British Columbia

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Brooks Secondary





Brooks is a beautiful and diverse facility located in the qathet Regional District. Brooks is the only high school in the community and serves approximately 850 students in Grades 8-12.

Learn more about the school: sd47.bc.ca/brooks/about

Watch the Brooks year in review video from 2024/2025!

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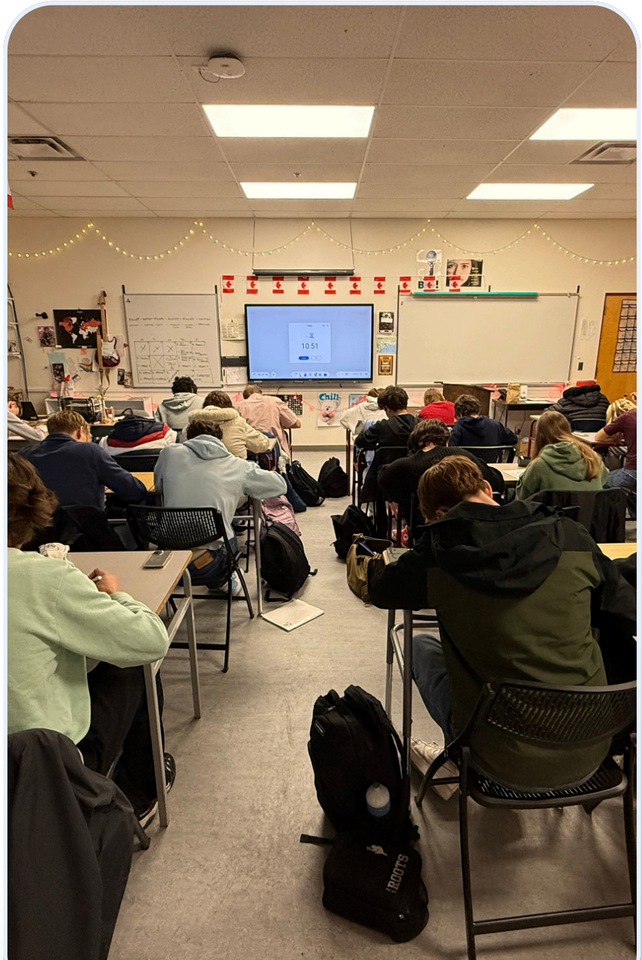
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Academic Programs

- English Language Learning Immersion
- Canadian Culture Experience
- Academic Preparatory Program
- British Columbia Graduation Program
- Other Secondary Programs





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State of the art classrooms and school



- Fully equipped schools surrounded by ocean, forests, and lakes
- Limited International student enrollment
- Full integration with English-speaking Canadians
- Powell River Music Academy, Culinary Arts Program

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Powell River is a safe and peaceful coastal community of ~15,000 people.

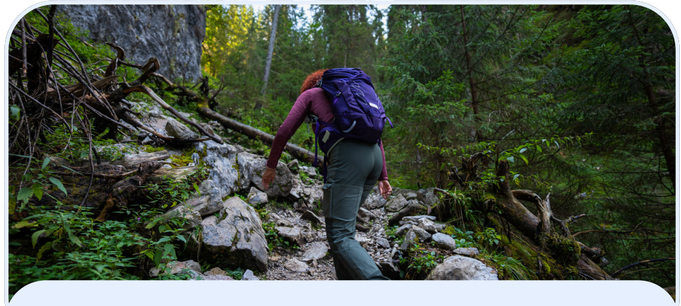
Eco-Adventure Activities/Programs



Whale watching



Kayaking



Mountain climbing

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On-Campus Career & Technical Training Facility



- Automotive Program
- Welding Program
- Hairdressing Program
- Carpentry Program
- Early Childhood Education & Care
- Healthcare Assistant

...and more!

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Culinary Arts

Each year, International Program students at Brooks Secondary host a vibrant Food Fair for host families, guardians, and staff. Working alongside Brooks culinary students and a professional chef, they prepare dishes from around the world and turn the school into a celebration of culture, connection, and community.

This annual event reflects how Brooks supports international students in feeling welcomed, included, and at home.







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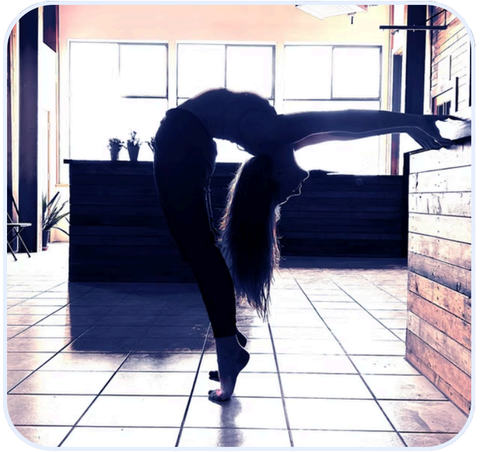
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Media Arts

At Brooks Secondary, one of the many creative spaces is the qathet Media House, also known as the Media Studies program. Students here engage in photography, graphic design, video production, music production, and podcast creation. qathet Media House provides a nurturing space for budding artists and storytellers to develop their talents, encouraging students to push boundaries and explore their passions. The program not only teaches technical skills but also promotes critical thinking and free creative expression.









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Music Programs

Love to sing or play an instrument, or want to try something new?

At Brooks, the choir and band programs give students a chance to grow their skills and let their talents shine.





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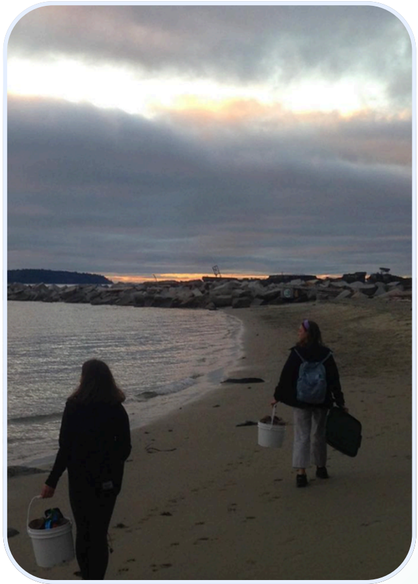
Sustainability & Eco-Education

Click here or scan the QR code to learn more about Sustainability at Brooks →

Dedicated to providing students with outdoor educational opportunities reinforcing their connection to the natural world and foster sustainability. Focus on giving students necessary skills to think critically about personal choices and relationships between society, economy, culture, and environment.









International Education Program

Recreation/Activities/Sports

Accessible activities in your free time...



Fishing



Boating



Sailing



Kayaking



Canoeing



Mountain Biking



Rock Climbing



Wind Surfing



Hiking



Scuba Diving

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Brooks has a sport for everyone...



Handball



Floor Hockey



Curling



Basketball



Climbing



Soccer



Hockey



Swimming



Volleyball



Cross Country

And many more groups and clubs!

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Study, grow, and thrive in Canada!

qathet School District offers International Education students the opportunity to improve English skills, earn academic credits, and take the next step toward university, all while enjoying Canada’s natural beauty and making lasting friendships along the way.







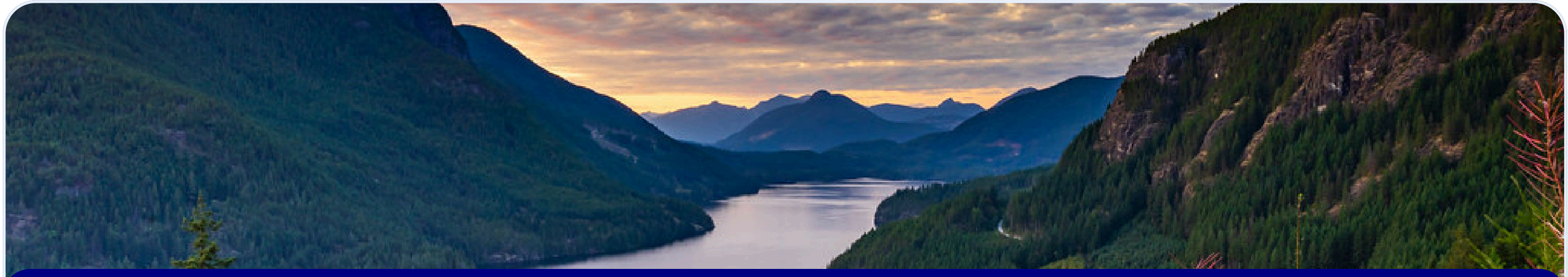


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International Education Program

Come learn, live, & explore here!

A Learning Environment Like No Other



Surrounded by ocean, lakes, and mountains, this unique school district offers a stunning natural setting that inspires learning and provides unforgettable outdoor educational experiences.

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International Education Program

English Language Learning Immersion

The English Immersion program includes community-focused activities designed specifically for international students.

Day trips beyond the classroom are an integral part of the ELL program, giving students opportunities to enjoy local recreational facilities while practicing English language and comprehension skills.

The program emphasizes the four core areas of English communication: reading, writing, listening, and speaking.





International Education Program

Homestay & Medical Insurance

Students are placed with carefully screened, English-speaking host families selected and supported by school district staff.

Medical insurance coverage **is arranged** for all international students, ensuring their health and well-being throughout their stay.





Meet Matt & Debbie. They've been homestay parents for over 5 years!

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Student Testimonials

“I currently work in a law firm as a practicing junior lawyer. I graduated from a law school in the Czech Republic and then went to the University of Cambridge, UK for my masters. Upon return, I started practicing in the Czech Republic. I also write my Ph.D. dissertation on a part time basis. As well, I teach company law and taxation in a college in Prague. I have to say that the decision to go to Canada back then totally changed my options in life. Without Powell River there would have been no Cambridge either. I am so grateful for the opportunities Powell River gave me.”

Tomas Mach – Czech Republic



International Education Program

Transportation and Additional Student Services



- Airport pick-up and drop-off
- Student orientation and counseling support
- Dedicated Homestay Coordinator →



- English language assessments, course placement, and individual tutoring
- Organized student events, sports, and activities
- School bus transportation to and from school

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Location

Nestled on British Columbia's beautiful coast, only 5 hours north of Vancouver.

How to get there...

Just a 25-minute flight from Vancouver, offering breathtaking views along the way.

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International Education Program

What to Wear/Bring

Students enjoy a relaxed and comfortable school environment:

- Students dress casually at school
- Common clothing: jeans, sports shirts, sneakers, and light jackets
- Winter months: winter jacket, gloves, and scarf recommended
- All required textbooks provided by the school



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