



## FULTONVALE JUNIOR HIGH 2025-26 GRADE 8 OPTION REGISTRATION

Full Name:

Registration Forms are due March 20, 2025

### Grade 8 Required Courses

- English Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Physical Education/Health
- Construction
- Food & Textile Technologies

There is a fee of \$31 for Construction. For Food & Textile Technologies there is a \$56 fee. These courses are not options.

### Grade 8 Options

Students will be enrolled in **TWO** option courses each semester. Please note that options are scheduled based on student requests. We make every effort to provide students with their requests while also ensuring that class enrolments remain reasonable. Therefore, choose your options carefully. **Once timetables are built, requests to change options will only be considered under exceptional circumstances. Fees will not exceed what is published below.**

Please RANK & identify SIX of the following option courses.

	Art 8 (\$21 Fee)		Leadership 8 (No Fee)
	Design 8 (\$20 Fee)		Film Production 8 (\$31 Fee)
	Drama 8 (No Fee)		Fitness & Wellness 8 (\$40 Fee)
	Robotics 8 (\$23 Fee)		French 8 (\$40 Fee)
	Enviromental Stewardship 8 (\$100 Fee)		Rec Fit 8 (\$115 Fee)

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Parent/Guardian & Student Signature (Required)

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(Print Parent/Guardian name)

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(Student Signature)

**Grade 8 Option Course Descriptions & Fees**

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## **FULTONVALE JUNIOR HIGH 2025-26 GRADE 8 OPTION REGISTRATION**

### **Art 8**

#### **Semester Course (\$21 Fee)**

Students will explore art materials, the processes, and ideas around creating and appreciating art. Mediums such as pastels, paint, printmaking, and clay sculpture will be explored. Students will study art from different cultures around the world and gain the basic vocabulary of art. Advanced students who have previously taken art courses will be working with more detail in a variety of mediums. Artists will continue to explore developmental drawing, painting and sculpture at their level.

### **CTF: Design Studies 8**

#### **Semester Course (\$20 Fee)**

Design focuses on the process of design from conception, to planning to creation. Students will have the opportunity to create with numerous media, with a focus on digital creation. This course will also investigate how the concept of “design” plays a significant role in society. Projects may include creating bridges, stickers, clothing items, architectural design, graphic design and more.

### **Drama 8**

#### **Semester Course (No Fee)**

The drama program fosters a positive self-concept in students by encouraging them to explore life through the assumption of roles and the acquisition of dramatic skills. The focus is on student creativity and participation in the major disciplines of movement, speech, improvisation, theatre studies, and technical theatre. We will work together to create a supportive environment in which students can develop a heightened level of comfort performing for their classmates. Most importantly, we will have fun!

### **CTF: Robotics 8**

#### **Semester Course (\$23 Fee)**

Using the Lego Spike Prime sets and software, students will apply the basics of coding to design, assemble and program robots as they respond to different challenges. Students will interact with robots, build their own models, and share them with classmates. Students will develop skills and gain an understanding of how automation and coding work together to influence industry and the workforce. If interested, students will compete in FIRST Lego League competitions as part of the Firebird Robotics Team.



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### **CTF: Environmental Stewardship (Outdoor Ed) 8 Semester Course (\$100 Fee)**

Are outdoor pursuits an area of interest? You will experience the great outdoors! Students will enjoy the ability to design and present their own outdoor games and programs to the class. Topics explored include study of our land and ecosystems, wildlife conservation and preservation, equipment (an introduction archery, camping equipment, survival and first aid kits) and various activities such as: archery range, Strathcona Wilderness Center, and exploring trails. We will spend time on navigation maps, geocaching, GPS and orienteering. Every day is always a great day to get outside!

### **French as a Second Language 8 Semester Course (\$40 Fee)**

As citizens of a bilingual country, it is our responsibility to learn to communicate with a certain amount of proficiency in French. Come join our FSL classes to discover what it is like to read, write, speak in a second language. We will learn several elements of the language and complete fun projects revolving around the unit topics of animals, food, clothing and four holidays and celebrations.

***Students must have completed French 7.***

***French 8 a prerequisite for French 9***

### **CTF: Leadership 8 Semester Course (No Fee)**

Students will learn skills to develop and enhance their leadership capacity. Students will be required to commit to adopting a leadership role within the school and community. This will include team leader responsibilities in areas such as student interest groups, event/activity planning and implementation, recycling, humanitarian involvement, promotions, mentoring, school spirit, and more.

### **CTF: Fitness & Wellness 8 Semester Course (\$40 Fee)**

Healthy minds and bodies are necessary so that we may be creative students and citizens of the 21st century. Students will be developing their fitness plan which will be tailored to their personal goals. The plan will include stretching, agility, strength development, and overall fitness. In conjunction with their personalized fitness plan, each student will create a personalized nutrition plan designed to meet their specific nutritional needs. Students will learn the key elements required in order to become and remain healthy and productive. Proper nutrition, stress reduction, time management, and the importance of making informed, responsible, and healthy decisions will be emphasized.

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### **CTF: Recreational Fitness 8 Semester Course (\$115 Fee)**

The focus of this course will be the individual fitness needs of the student. With the assistance from the teacher, students will set goals designed to help them improve their sport and/or activity performance as well as overall body health and fitness. This course welcomes all students who are interested in achieving a higher level of fitness through recreation and activities.

### **Film Production 8 Semester Course (\$31.00 Fee)**

Film studies will provide a general introduction to the art and history of the cinema with focus on genres and styles found in the past and present. As students progress through the course the objective is to foster development of the student as a creator, performer, historian, critic, and patron. The self-development and socialization of the student are extended by developing an appreciation for the cinema as a traditional art form.

Students will gain knowledge through lectures, film labs, projects and discussions will focus on the process of filmmaking as an art form; studies of great directors and film artists; studies of selected film genres; studies of film techniques and styles; the creation and critique of short films.