

## Program options include...

- Exploratories
  - ~ Industrial arts
  - ~ Home economics
  - ~ Outdoor education
- Fine Arts
  - ~ Art
  - ~ Drama
  - ~ Music (6)
  - ~ Band (7-8)
- Academy of Hockey
  - ~ Academic athletic excellence
  - ~ Skills and fitness
  - ~ Ice-time
- Intensive French
  - ~ Grade 6 program option
  - ~ No previous French language exposure required
- Extra-curricular fine arts options
  - ~ Art club
  - ~ Drama productions
  - ~ Band performances
  - ~ Choir



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# Enhanced Programs

## École William McDonald Middle School ((6-8))

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Educating for Life!





## Exploratories

As part of the regular schedule, these mini-courses give students the chance to explore a variety of areas based on individual needs, interest, and aptitude. In addition to a number of options, WMS exploratory highlights include:

### Industrial Arts

- ~ Project-based learning
- ~ Real-life math connections
- ~ Structural framing



### Home Economics

- ~ Cooking skills
- ~ Healthy food choices
- ~ Food sciences

### Outdoor Education

- ~ Dene Kede curriculum
- ~ Bush survival skills
- ~ Environmental stewardship



Success has many faces. In addition to strong academic programs, WMS provides opportunities for students to develop a multitude of skills and abilities, and showcase their many talents.

### Art (6-8)

- ~ Create and design a variety of artwork



### Drama (6-8)

- ~ Produce and perform various shows

### Music (6)

- ~ Choose an instrument
- ~ Listen to, create, and perform a variety of music



### Band (7-8) - concert and stage

- ~ Participate in numerous instrumental performances

**PLUS Extra-curricular** opportunities to create, perform, and showcase talents in a variety of areas through:

- ~ Art club
- ~ Drama club
- ~ Band
- ~ Choir



## NEW: Intensive French Program

- ~ Open to all grade 6 students
- ~ No previous exposure to French language is required
- ~ French instruction for the first 5 months (Math taught in English)
- ~ English instruction for the remaining 5 months, with an enhanced French program supplement

In addition to this new and innovative program, WMS continues to offer dual track language options for students in grades 6 to 8 through:

- ~ *French Immersion*
- ~ *English with Core French*

**École William McDonald Middle School is a great choice for students during their adolescent years**

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## NEW: Academy of Hockey Exploratory

Available at the grades 7 and 8 levels, this focused and dedicated program option is designed to give interested students the opportunity to further develop their individual hockey skills.



Participation requires students to maintain acceptable levels of academic performance and behaviour in all classes.



Focused on academic athletic excellence, ice-time and classroom aspects of the program will include:

- ~ *Concepts of sportsmanship, team play, and commitment*
- ~ *Skills development*
- ~ *Fitness training*
- ~ *Cross-training*
- ~ *Personal fitness programming*