



## ConnEx 9 Application 2018-2019

Thank you for your interest in this exciting learning opportunity. Please complete this form so we can learn more about why you are interested in ConnEx 9.

This cohort is designed to embrace the redesigned curriculum for students in grade 9 who are interested in approaching their learning from a different path and using inquiry.

Students need to be curious, embrace physical challenges, capable of working with others and interested in making community contributions within the school and beyond the classroom walls. Teachers will be working together as an inquiry team to focus on wellness while making thematic connections with their community. Working in a **Science, Social Studies, English, and Physical & Health Education cohort**, students will explore the environment of the City of Burnaby and neighboring communities. Cross-Curricular connections and explorations will emphasize experiential activities. Frequent opportunities to explore ideas and curriculum in our local surroundings that will be facilitated by scheduling the cohort classes so as to allow for flexibility with off-campus days.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile/Home Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Why do you want to be a part of ConnEx 9?

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2. a) Have you participated in any outdoor adventure experiences?      YES      NO

b) If you circled YES please explain the organization you were a part of and what types of outdoor activities you have experienced. (Ex. cubs, scouts, girl guides, family holidays, elementary school...camping, hiking...)

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3. a) Do you enjoy working with technology?      YES      NO

b) If you circled YES what programs are you familiar with? (WordPress, google drive, etc.)

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4. What elective courses have you chosen to take next year? (ex. foods, art)

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5. a) Do you feel that you can be a leader in a group setting? YES                      NO

b) Provide an example of leadership you have demonstrated while working in a group?

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6. Please provide your **term 1 & 2 work habits** for the following courses

COURSE	TERM 1	TERM 2
Physical & Health Education 8		
Science 8		
English 8		
Socials 8		
Elective: _____		

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please return to Ms. Lindsay Mindlin in room 206 by Friday, March 16, 2018.**

For Parents:

All parents and students interested are invited to an important ConnEx meeting on **Thursday, March 8, 2018** in the **Multipurpose Room** from **6:30-7:30pm**. Refreshments and a small snack will be served by our catering students. If you have any further questions about ConnEx 9, please email either Mrs. Lewis - [deena.lewis@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:deena.lewis@burnabyschools.ca) , Mrs. Haywood – [janisha.haywood@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:janisha.haywood@burnabyschools.ca) , Mrs. Costa - [elise.costa@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:elise.costa@burnabyschools.ca), Ms. Mindlin - [lindsay.mindlin@burnabyschools.ca](mailto:lindsay.mindlin@burnabyschools.ca)