

Academic Enrichment Program at Mary Butterworth School



at Mary Butterworth School for the 2024-2025 School Year

What is the Academic Enrichment Program? (new program after Pre-Advanced Placement Program)	 The Academic Enrichment Program offers motivated students challenging academic experiences by deepening their learning in the core subjects of Mathematics, Science, English Language Arts, and Social Studies. Students will engage in enriched coursework while striving for high academic achievement. For the full program description, go to this link: https://epsb.ca/programs/teachingphilosophy/academicenrichment/ Note: Students in the Academic Enrichment Program are required to meet the same Alberta curricular outcomes and standards as in regular classes; however, instructional approaches and learning activities may be enriched and extended.
How to be a successful student in this program	 → The enrolment conditions for students include: ◆ Be enrolled in Grades 7 to 9 ◆ Demonstrate self-motivation, interdependence, life-long learning, positive attitude ◆ Enjoy a challenge, be motivated to learn, enjoy finding solutions and synthesizing information all while being independent and responsible learners ◆ Parental support and commitment are encouraged ◆ Progress reports should indicate high proficiency and exemplary grades ◆ Elementary school recommendation is positive and indicates the student will be successful
How to Pre-Enrol in the Academic Enrichment Program at Mary Butterworth School	 Between 9 a.m. on February 1 and 4 p.m. on March 22, 2024 [and preferably before March 15, 2024 to allow us time to contact you], SIGN IN TO SCHOOLZONE to select Mary Butterworth School as your child's preferred school for next year. Also, select the Academic Enrichment Program under the Program section. You also need to SUBMIT the Mary Butterworth March 2024 Grade 7 AEP Student Information Form to the Mary Butterworth School Office, as soon as possible, and no later than Friday, March 22, 2024. [See next page.] You can email the completed form to mbutterworth@epsb.ca. Note: We may contact parents to discuss program suitability.
Questions?	 Our Mary Butterworth School Open House will be held on Wednesday, February 28, 2024, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. (Doors open at 5:45 p.m. Gym presentation from 6:00 to 6:30 p.m.) For pre-enrolment inquiries, email our school: mbutterworth@epsb.ca or call us at: 780-476-1480.
Enrolment Steps	 Placement in this alternative program will follow our Division's enrolment priorities outlined here: https://epsb.ca/ourdistrict/policy/h/hc-ar/ NOTE: For our alternative Academic Enrichment program classes, we accept students in the following order: Resident students who live in Mary Butterworth School's attendance area. Siblings of students currently in an MBS AEP class and who will be returning to MBS for the 2024-2025 school year. Other resident students. Other non-resident students. If we have more students interested in this program than we have available spaces, we will complete a Random Selection process outlined here: https://epsb.ca/schools/register/randomselection/ All parents will be notified no later than April 12, 2024 about AEP placement.



Mary Butterworth School - March 2024 Grade 7 AEP Student Information Form



Grade 6 Student Information								
Student Name (please clearly print first and last name)								
Current Elementary School								
Parent Name (please clearly print first and last name)								
Parent Email and Parent Best Phone #								
Parent Checklist		Parents - please ensure you have completed the following: ☐ Completed Pre-Enrolment in SchoolZone by Friday, March 22 at 4:00 p.m. - Be sure to indicate Academic Enrichment in the Program Section. ☐ Have your child's Grade 6 teacher complete and sign the section below. ☐ Submit this form to mbutterworth@epsb.ca by Friday, March 22, 2024.						
Note on Timelines: Between April 5 and April 12, 2024, we will contact all parents of students who express interest in the Academic Enrichment Program about their enrolment status. In late April / early May 2024, we will contact pre-enrolled students to complete their Option Selection Forms and share our Grade 7 Orientation plan.								
Teacher Recommendation Form - to be completed by Current Grade 6 Teacher								
Grade 6 Teacher Name								
Please check off the student's achievement levels based on their Grade 6 Term 2 Progress Report	Grade 6 Reading Exemplary - At Grade Level Proficient - At Grade Level Adequate - At Grade Level Below Grade Level		Grade 6 Writing Exemplary - At Grade Level Proficient - At Grade Level Adequate - At Grade Level Below Grade Level	Grade 6 Math Exemplary - At Grade Level Proficient - At Grade Level Adequate - At Grade Level Below Grade Level	Grade 6 Science Exemplary - At Grade Level Proficient - At Grade Level Adequate - At Grade Level Below Grade Level	Grade 6 Social Exemplary - At Grade Level Proficient - At Grade Level Adequate - At Grade Level Below Grade Level		
Please check off your recommendation.	 □ Strongly Recommend student for the Academic Enrichment Program □ Recommend student for the Academic Enrichment Program □ Better suited for regular programming and pacing at this time. 							
Grade 6 Teacher Signature								