



SWAN VALLEY REGIONAL SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Students and Parents new to the Swan Valley Regional Secondary School (SVRSS),

Welcome to high school and the SVRSS! This is a special life experience with many opportunities to explore and learn about yourself. Our focus at school is student's learning and we believe that all students have the potential to learn and achieve at high levels in a safe and caring environment. You will find high school full of new experiences that are challenging, rewarding, memorable, and fun!

The first day of school for all new students will be Monday, September 8, 2025. This day is set aside for students new to the school and is designed to give you a chance to become familiar with the SVRSS and our routines. The agenda for this day is as follows:

9:00-10:00 am	Welcome assembly in the gym (home of the Tigers). At this time, you will receive a package containing your locker information, school routines and your official schedule for the 2025-2026-school year.
10:00-10:20 am	Block 1 Class – Your teacher will assist you in accessing your locker, answer any questions about your schedule and school routines.
10:30-11:15 am	Block 2 Class – Classroom routines discussed.
11:25-12:00 pm	Block 3 Class – Classroom routines discussed.
12:00-1:00 pm	Complimentary lunch for all students and families – SVRSS Cafeteria.
1:00-2:00pm	Block 4 Class – Classroom routines discussed.
2:00-2:30pm	TAG (Teacher Advisor Group)/RTI (Tutorial and Extra Instructional Time).
2:30-3:25pm	Block 5 Class – Classroom routines discussed.
3:25 pm	Early bus dismissal, but for September 8, 2025, only. Get to know your bus driver and Your bus routines for drop off and pick up.

Your basic supply list for grade nine would include a couple of 2.5" or 3" cloth zip up binders, loose leaf paper, subject dividers, pens, pencils, ruler, scientific calculator, gym clothes and running shoes for gym. Your vocational teachers will share exactly what you need for their classes at the start of each semester. If you have any concerns about the upcoming school year, Ms. J. Barabash and Mrs. T. Badowski will be available and Tuesday, August 26th and Wednesday, August 27th, 2025, to answer any questions. Please call the office to book an appointment if needed, 204-734-4511. The office will reopen Tuesday, September 2nd, 2025, at 8:30 am.

We look forward to working with you, we look forward to seeing you on Monday, September 8th, 2025!

Sincerely,

Jacquie Mydyski-Arp
Principal