



**Introduction to Trades Program: Expression of Interest
Program Commitment - Signature of Intent**

I am interested in participating in the Introduction to Trades Program at Parkside Secondary for the 2021/2022 school year. I understand that the following conditions apply and I am prepared to meet the following expectations:

Equipment required for Intro to Trades 10 (student's responsibility)
CSA approved steel toed safety boots, not shoes.

Academic Expectations

Prior to acceptance into the Trades Program, candidates must successfully complete a minimum of four courses, one of which must be mathematics.

Attendance Expectations

Prior to admission into the Trades Program, candidates must demonstrate an ongoing pattern of full day attendance at Parkside Secondary in the first semester by arriving to school by 8:45 AM and remaining in class until final dismissal at 3:15PM.

Behavior Expectations

While at the Coast Mountain College (CMC) Parkside students are expected to meet a standard of behavior and independence that aligns with that of an adult pursuing post-secondary education. While working in an industrial training facility, safety is paramount and student behavior that compromises that safety will not be tolerated.

Consequences

If students cannot meet the behavior and work expectations at CMC, they will be removed from the Trades program and return to Parkside Secondary to resume their courses.

This is a tremendous opportunity for exposure to the trades prior to making educational and career decisions. There is a considerable investment on the part of the School District, Parkside, and CMC in order for this to take place. Make your choice wisely and commit to your decision.

Student Name: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Return this signed form to Ms. Arbuckle in the main office