

ABOUT US

Sherwood Heights Junior High School is a vibrant community of 600 grade 7 to 9 students located in the heart of Sherwood Park.

DIVERSITY IS OUR STRENGTH

20 percent of our school population is in our French Immersion program. We also serve Honours, Logos Christian, IMPACT and regular English programs.

PRIDE IN OUR VALUES

Perseverance
Respect
Integrity
Distinction
Enthusiasm



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WHY CHOOSE FRENCH IMMERSION?

01 Improved Academic Ability

Learning a second language increases cognitive ability. People who are bilingual tend to have better attention and multi-tasking abilities than people who are monolingual.

02 Better Decision-Making Skills

Bilingual people are more likely to take favourable and calculated risks when making a decision, and are less biased, more rational, and more systematic in their reasoning.

03 Increased Career Opportunities

Jobs in education, healthcare, social work, politics, translation, tourism, and international business require or favor candidates who are bilingual, resulting in more job opportunities.

04 Enhanced Creativity

Students learning a second language are exposed to a diversity of culture and language that sparks creativity of thought and expression.

05 Boosts in Memory

According to studies from York University and the University of Granada (Spain), bilingual students perform better at tasks requiring working memory.

FRENCH LANGUAGE STAFF

25 percent of Sherwood Heights staff members speak French - including our counsellor, administrators, Physical Education and Health teachers.