



Hatzic Middle School

Principal: Mr. Gill

Vice Principal: Mr. Balakrishnan

Vice Principal: Mr. Conway

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Welcome to Hatzic Middle School! We are thrilled to have you as a part of our school community and look forward to an exciting year ahead.

Middle school is a significant milestone in your academic journey, and we are here to support you every step of the way. Hatzic Middle School is a place of learning, growth, and discovery, and we are committed to providing you with a safe and nurturing environment where you can thrive.

As you embark on this new adventure, you will have the opportunity to explore a wide range of subjects, develop new skills, and make lasting friendships. Our dedicated faculty and staff are here to help you succeed academically and personally. Don't hesitate to reach out to any of us if you have questions or need assistance.

At Hatzic Middle School, we believe that education extends beyond the classroom. We offer a variety of extracurricular activities and clubs that cater to different interests, from sports to the arts to community service. We encourage you to get involved and discover your passions.

Throughout the school year, we will keep you informed about important dates, events, and academic opportunities. Please stay connected with us through our website, social media channels (Instagram), and regular communication from your teachers.

Once again, welcome to Hatzic Middle School. We are confident that your time here will be filled with growth, learning, and wonderful experiences.

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I acknowledge that, as a learning partner of Mission Public School District, I humbly work and learn on the Traditional, Ancestral, Unceded, and Shared lands of the Stó:lō people, which includes the Sq'ewlets, Leq'á:mel, Sema:th, Matheqwi and Qwó:lt'el First Nations, peoples of this land since time immemorial.





Key Points For 2024-2025

- We have a new vice principal – Welcome Mr. Conway. He will be working with the alpha (A-K) and Mr. Balakrishnan will be supporting (L-Z).
- We have over 15 new classroom teachers.
- Students are asked to use the window openings in front of the office for any questions or concerns they have. The office will be kept for visitors or students who have been called down.
- Hatzic Middle has received a brand-new outdoor ball hockey court along with a fully painted court and an amazing art mural created by our MPSD staff Mr. and Mrs. Minor.
- We will be using hall passes for students to leave the classroom to ensure student safety and monitor the amount of traffic in the hallways. Students maybe asked to show their hall pass by staff. Staff will also be asking students to use a sign in/sign out sheet.
- Please ensure all fees and student cafeteria cards are purchased through cash online.
- We will have Hatzic clothing this year online. Stay tuned and all students and families are eligible to purchase. We will have hats, shirts, shorts, pants, and much more available with our new logo. We are now officially Hatzic Middle School **“Home of the Hawks”**.
- We will be sending out newsletters this year to update our families on key information and highlights that have occurred at Hatzic Middle. We will send our opening letter (September, Winter holidays letter in December, our spring break letter in March, and our year end letter in June). We will continue to showcase our amazing experiences on Instagram as well. Please follow Hatzic Middle School.
- We will be having grade assemblies three times this year to help ensure the information is transparent with our students for expectations and supports available.



- We will continue to tradition of taking grade wide photos which we started last year. Each grade 7 student will receive a complimentary welcome photo, each grade 9 student will receive a year end farewell photo.
- **Cell phones are not permitted on campus. Students are not to have cell phones in their classrooms. Cell phones may not be used in the mornings, breaks, during class time.**
- Pizza will be sold during the first week via cash, and our regular cafeteria will be open starting the second week (café cards) will need to be bought online.
- We have started new “starter packages” for families who wish to buy supplies. We had an overwhelming request. Office team will make them available for pick up via email.
- Breakfast Canada will continue this year. Students have access to a fresh meal each day but, are asked to eat in the cafeteria.
- We have new lounge furniture in the foyer which allows more of our students to sit down and enjoy the breaks. This ensures the area is safe for everyone.
- We have new character/leadership courses for all our students this year along with intramural program being run in the timetable by our grade 9 students.
- If you have any concerns regarding your child, we encourage you to please contact the classroom teacher first and voice your concerns. If any further aid is needed, please reach out to your corresponding vice principal according to the alpha. If you are finding you need further support, please do not hesitate to reach out to the principal.
- We are always here for support; we are committed to keeping our school safe and positive. We hold our students to the highest standard and work together as a team.