



Coast Mountains Board of Education School District 82

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2026 GENERAL SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION NOTICE OF NOMINATION

PUBLIC NOTICE is given to the electors of Coast Mountains Board of Education School District 82 that a Trustee election will be held on Saturday, October 17, 2026 to elect School Trustees to represent the Board of Education of School District 82 (Coast Mountains) for a four-year term (November 2026 to November 2030) as follows:

- Trustees (two) - Trustee Electoral Area 1 (**Kitimat**) (the District of Kitimat, Kitamaat Village, Klemtu, Butedale and Cable Car Subdivision)
- Trustees (two) - Trustee Electoral Area 2 (**Terrace**) (the City of Terrace, northeast area of Kitimat-Stikine Regional District including New Remo, Kalum Lake Drive and Rosswood)
- Trustee (one) - Trustee Electoral Area 3 (**Thornhill**) (Area E of Kitimat-Stikine Regional District and the South and East portion of Area C of the Kitimat-Stikine Regional District including Copperside, Gossen, Kleanza, Lakelse Lake, Usk and Old Remo)
- Trustee (one) - Trustee Electoral Area 4 (**Stewart/Meziadin**) (the District of Stewart and Area A of the Kitimat-Stikine Regional District)
- Trustee (one) - Trustee Electoral Area 5 (**Hazelton**) (Cedarvale, Village of Hazelton, District of New Hazelton, South Hazelton, Kispiox Valley, Kitwanga, Villages of Gitwangak, Gitanyow, Gitsegukla, Glen Vowell, Kispiox and Hagwilget)

NOMINATIONS FOR QUALIFIED CANDIDATES: Will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person between 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 1, 2026, and 4:00 p.m. Friday, September 11, 2026 (excluding weekends and statutory holidays) at the offices listed below. Nomination documents may be submitted in person, by mail, by email or by other delivery service. **THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF NOMINATION DOCUMENTS IS 4:00P.M. ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026.**

NOMINATION DOCUMENTS: Are available at the following locations from Aug 4, 2026, to the close of the nomination period:

Online:	www.cmsd.bc.ca/school-trustee-elections
Terrace:	Board of Education Office: 3211 Kenney Street (Building A)
Kitimat:	Municipal Office: 270 City Centre
New Hazelton:	District Office: 4670 10th Avenue
Hazelton:	Village Office: 4310 Field Street
Stewart:	Municipal Office: 705 Brightwell Street

QUALIFICATIONS: A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a School Trustee if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 17, 2026;
- resident of British Columbia for at least six months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed;
- not disqualified by the *School Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

CAMPAIGN PERIOD EXPENSE LIMITS: In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 General Local Election, the following expense limits for candidates during the campaign period apply:

Trustee Electoral Areas 1, 3, 4 & 5 (Kitimat, Thornhill, Stewart/Meziadin, Hazelton) - \$6,161.89
Trustee Electoral Area 2 (Terrace) - \$9,087.56

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS: In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 General Local Election, the following third party advertising limits apply:

Trustee Electoral Areas 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 (Kitimat, Terrace, Thornhill, Stewart/Meziadin, Hazelton) - \$924.28

For further information on **campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits**, please contact Elections BC:

Email: electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca

Website: www.elections.bc.ca/local-elections/third-party-expense-limits/

LIST OF REGISTERED ELECTORS: A list of registered resident electors will be available for public inspection at the above listed offices, during regular business hours from August 31, 2026 until close of general voting for the Trustee election. The list of registered electors has been produced on the basis of the Provincial List of Voters prepared under the *Provincial Election Act* in all the areas except for the Village of Hazelton which use the Voting Day Registration only.

For further information on the nomination process or list of electors, please contact:

Cathy Jackson, Chief Election Officer (250-635-1907) for:
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