

## **R. B. RUSSELL VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL**

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Dear Families,

RB Russell Vocational High School will be implementing a **Late Start** on Monday mornings starting on October 7th. Late starts will take place all year until June 9<sup>th</sup> 2025. We will send reminders throughout the year.

This late start provides time for staff to collaborate and plan to ensure your child's educational experience is one of joy and rigor that focuses on their growth as people and learners. The time will be used for staff to plan for student success through attendance connections and interventions, focusing on increased engagement and sense of belonging and staff learning and collaboration.

Late start Monday's will have an altered bell schedule to limit the impact on teacher student contact and to maintain the required amount of course hours as mandated by the province of Manitoba.

Students will begin their day at 9:55am and follow the schedule below:

Period 1	9:55-10:40
Period 2	10:40-11:25

Period 3 11:25-12:10

Period 4 and 5 run as usual

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at <a href="mailto:lmunz@wsd1.org">lmunz@wsd1.org</a>

Sincerely,

Lindsey Munz-Principal

