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RE: All Alberta Students Welcome to Register for RVS Online Schools

Rocky View Schools' (RVS) two online schools have opened the registration process for the 2025/26 school year, offering flexible learning options to students from across the province.

Summit Trails Online High School, serving students in Grades 10 - 12, and Discovery Trails Online School, serving Grades 1 - 9, offer supportive and inclusive learning communities where students can grow.

"Many students truly shine in the online environment, and it is exciting to see them develop as learners," said Summit Trails Principal, David Smith. "They find their potential and their futures are limitless."

RVS' online schools use a combination of real-time online video interaction and instruction, online activities/resources, pre-recorded videos and independent work. Registration is free for Alberta students. The schools serve all of Alberta, offering opportunities to families who either do not have a fully online option with their local school division or for those looking for alternative options.

RVS' online students thrive thanks to exceptional teacher support, focused learning environments and flexibility and control over their schedules.

"We've had students tell us how much they have enjoyed our programs; they found a place to belong," said Discovery Trails Principal, Bob Rodgers. "Our teachers and administrators are committed to making sure every student gets what they need — and sometimes that's just a space where they can truly be themselves."

Each school also has its own culture and spirit, from Summit Trail's emphasis on mental health to Discovery Trail's focus on exploring, learning and discovering.

Summit Trails is also proud to work with athletes who train and compete elsewhere but wish to complete high school in Alberta.

"High school athletes walk a unique path of juggling school, training and competitions," said Smith. "At Summit Trails we work alongside each student to create a flexible plan that sets them up for success in all areas of their lives."

Students are encouraged to register early to ensure preferred course availability. For more information including testimonials or to begin the registration and transfer process, visit <a href="https://www.rockyview.ab.ca/onlineschools">www.rockyview.ab.ca/onlineschools</a>.

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