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Name selected for the middle school that will serve West Springs and Cougar Ridge

West Ridge School is the name of the new middle school being built for the communities of West Springs and Cougar Ridge. Combining the names of the two communities was the most popular choice in a recent survey of parents, students, staff and community members.

After gathering and evaluating stakeholder input, the school naming committee recommended this name to the Board of Trustees for its approval. The committee was comprised of CBE Trustees, parent and/or community representatives and members of CBE administration.

West Ridge School is expected to open in January 2017 for students in Grades 5-8. From September to December 2016, Grade 5-6 students from West Springs will temporarily attend West Springs School; Grade 5-6 students from Cougar Ridge will temporarily attend Wildwood School; and Grade 7-8 students from both communities will temporarily attend Vincent Massey School.

Visit our cbe.ab.ca/newschools for more information on this new school.

For more information on the Board of Trustees' guiding principles for naming a school visit [GC-5E, 3](#).