



# Reading and Communications Plus (RAC+)

**Reading and Communication Plus** is designed to build on prior reading skills with an emphasis on comprehension. Students will be guided to ask and respond to who, what, where, and why questions through a variety of texts, movies and conversations. Students will further explore content through report writing and oral presentations on topics of choice within whole class thematic units. Journals and other varied writing activities will offer additional opportunity to practice writing skills, along with the process of formatting and editing in PowerPoint and Word documents.

Practical money handling skills will be another area of focus, along with problem solving designed to increase math skills and reading comprehension.

The program will draw on the expertise of DSRF’s speech and language program and will include whole group conversation skill building with a registered speech language pathologist.

The program is open to young adults between the ages of 19-30. A minimum grade one reading level is required, as well as functional expressive and receptive language skills. Students will be assessed upon entering the program and progress reports will be completed at the end of the January term, with a final assessment completed at the end of the June term.

Dates (2020-21)	Schedule	Location	Ages	Class Size	Fee
Sept 8 - Jun 18 <i>(2-week winter break; 1-week spring break)</i>	Mon/Wed 9:00 am - 3:00 pm	Burnaby (DSRF)	19-30	8	\$4,500

## Registration

To register for **Reading and Communications Plus**, please visit [DSRF.org/GroupPrograms](https://www.dsrf.org/GroupPrograms) and complete the online registration form.

**Space is limited; register early!**

