KSS BACKGROUND INFORMATION

École Kelowna Secondary School, a grade 10 to 12 (English and French Immersion) comprehensive secondary school, services the central area of the city of Kelowna. The school's enrollment of approximately 1800 students is drawn from a catchment area that includes all socio-economic backgrounds. Instruction for these students is provided by a well-qualified staff of 100+ professionals and approximately 50 support staff.

KSS is very proud of staff and student accomplishments in a variety of curricular/extra-curricular areas. 20% of the student body is drawn from areas outside the KSS catchment zone. This sizable group is attracted to the school through the French Immersion program and a variety of students interested in special programs offered at KSS.

Those programs include: athletics, music, drama and the visual arts. In recent years, KSS has continued to win a substantial number of awards & championships in each of these areas.

Our school is a large, well planned, two-storey structure. It offers students a fine facility for curricular and extra-curricular experiences. The gymnasium centers the building with subject classrooms, organized by departments, bordering the gymnasium on three sides. The modern, well equipped library is situated at the west end of the facility and the multi-purpose room offers an excellent entry and meeting place in our school.