Revelstoke Early Years Centre

Supporting Revelstoke's Young Children and Families

BRITISH COLUMBIA Early Years Centre

Let's get connected!

Information about all early years programs/ services.
Find out what fits for your family.

Visit the Early Years Information Office:
Room 120-1001 Mackenzie Ave, Revelstoke

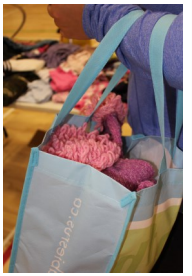
Phone:	250-805-2305
Email:	revelstokeecd@gmail.com
Facebook:	Revelstoke Early Childhood Development
Twitter:	@revecd
Website:	www.revelstokeearlychilddevelopment.com

Drop by, call or email for a tour of the Early Years Centre and for information on all programs!

Spring and Fall Children's Clothing and Toy Exchange!

Watch for this ***FREE*** event to save your family money!

Families are invited to bring clean clothes and toys in good condition. No money is exchanged. Come and check it out!



Please note: you do not have to bring items to take items. We receive newborn items, baby items, toddler items and children's clothing and toys! We also receive some maternity wear. It is the ultimate way to recycle!

Location: Begbie View Elementary Gym (1001 Mackenzie Ave)
Usually offered in October and April each year.

For dates or more information call 250-837-6669

This project is supported by:

BRITISH COLUMBIA Early Years Centre

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Revelstoke Early Childhood Development Committee

REVELSTOKE CREDIT UNION community partners

Revelstoke Family Programs

Your community's ***best*** source of child care information and resources.

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Child Care Resource & Referral

Revelstoke Child Care Society
Room 124-1001 Mackenzie Ave
Phone: 250-837-6669
Email:revelstokeccrr@live.ca
Websites:
www.revelstokechildcaresociety.com
www.childcarechoices.ca

Before Baby Arrives:
- Borrow pregnancy information books
- Come on in and learn about community programs and services for families.
- Music CDs to enjoy with your growing child

After baby arrives join the Early Years Resource Library to borrow (Parents of newborns receive a free membership):
- Parenting books, baby board books and children's books
- A full range of early childhood development resources.
- Developmentally appropriate toys
- Infant and toddler equipment (including baby swings and exersaucers etc.)

Ask our staff about Child Care Referrals and information on the BC Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative and Affordable Child Care Benefit.

RCCS

The Child Care Society is a non-profit organization that works to provide parents with information about quality child care choices and early childhood development and supports child care providers through training, education and resources.

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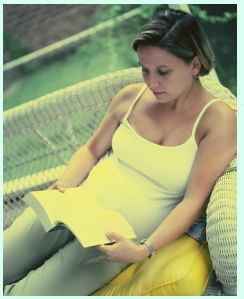
Revelstoke Branch

605 Campbell Ave (in the Community Centre)
Phone: 250-837-5095

Email: revelstoke@orl.bc.ca
Website: www.orl.bc.ca/branches/revelstoke
Facebook: Revelstoke Library
Twitter: @RevelstokeB



OPEN HOURS:

Monday:	CLOSED
Tuesday:	1:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Wednesday:	1:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Thursday:	10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
Friday:	10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
Saturday:	10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
Sunday:	CLOSED

Prenatal Information:

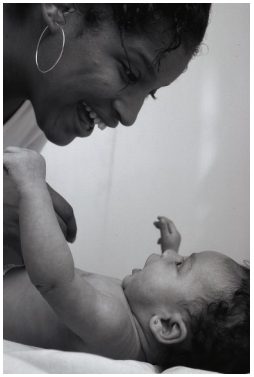
- Pregnancy books
- Baby Name Books
- Prenatal Exercise and Information Resources

After Baby Arrives:

- Parenting Books
- Parenting Magazines
- Books on parenting
- Music and audio books
- Toddler Time
- Baby Board Books
- Picture Books
- Online Library to Go
- Ask about our children's programs

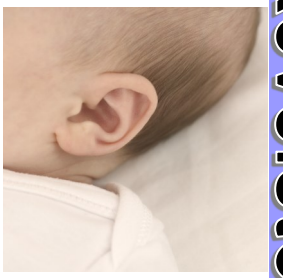
Families are welcome! Come on in to get your library card.

There is something for everyone at the Library!



Interior Health

Speech-Language Services



Open Monday-Thursday
Room 134-1001 Mackenzie Ave, 8:30 to 4:30
Phone: 250-837-4285
Email: Carolyn.Duncan@interiorhealth.ca

It's never too early to talk read and sing to your baby!

If you have any questions regarding speech, language or hearing difficulties please contact Carolyn Duncan at the number above.

Feel free to ask Carolyn questions when you see her out at the StrongStart Centre, at Mother Goose, or at local children's events.

Revelstoke Speech and Language Services are dedicated to improving the communication skills of children age 0 to 6 years of age.

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Columbia Basin Alliance for Literacy

Parent-Child Mother Goose

Fun with your little one!

http://www.cbal.org/revelstoke.html

What is the Revelstoke Mother Goose Program?

- A fun and free program for your family and a chance to meet other parents!
- A chance to learn rhymes, songs, stories, and giggles with your infant to three year old!
- Snacks for everyone!
- Don't let the name Mother Goose mislead you—Dads and other family members are welcome too!

Little Goslings Activity Time:

Older brothers and sisters (3-5) are invited to attend Little Goslings during Mother Goose. This program is a fun time with rhymes, stories and a craft facilitated by qualified staff.

Call the Columbia Basin Alliance for Literacy at **250-805-2305** or drop in to the Early Years Centre at Room 120-1001 Mackenzie Ave for dates and times of the next session!

Community Connections (Revelstoke) Society

314, 2nd Street East, 250-837-2920
website: www.community-connections.ca

Family Support Services

Bellies and Babies:

B & B **1** is a drop-in group for expecting moms and families with babies birth to **12** months. Please join us for lunch and great conversation every Tuesday from 11:00am - 1:00pm.

B & B **2** is a drop-in group for expecting moms and families with babies birth to **24** months. Please join us for coffee and snacks every Wednesday from 10:00am – 12:00pm.

PACT (Parents and Community Together):

This drop-in group offers support to parents and caregivers of young children in an informal, unstructured setting. There is opportunity for parents and caregivers to have a cup of coffee while connecting with each other, for parents and children to play in a safe and inviting space, and to have a nutritious snack. Monday and
Thursday 9:30am-12:00pm, 314-2nd St E.

Infant Development Program (IDP):

This program is available to families with infants (birth to 3) who are at-risk of developing a delay in their development or are born with a delay and/or disability. This program can be home or office based. Any parent who has questions about their infant's development is welcome to contact the Infant Development Program at 250-837-2920 ext. 39 or email amacintosh@community-connections.ca

Food Connect (Food Recovery Program)

Provides perishable food to families in an effort to increase Revelstoke's food security and decrease our environmental impact of throwing out food in the garbage. Surplus foods (close to or at its best before date, overstocked, mislabeled, cosmetically unappealing) are donated from food retailers and farms. Once assessed for safety, these foods are directed through our programs and our community agencies that provide meals and food for community members.
Families can access Food Connect through our family support programs, through referral from our organization, or on our public pickup days:

- Mondays- 11:00-12:30 pm: Only available to PACT participants
- Tuesdays- 11:00-1:00 pm: Only available to B & B participants
- Wednesdays- 12:00-1 pm: Public Food Pickup for Families with children and Seniors
- Thursdays- 11:00-12:30 pm: Only available to PACT participant

This is a free, anonymous distribution of perishable foods. Contact Jenna Fraser for more information at (250) 837-2920 or jfraser@community-connections.ca.

Outreach Services Food Bank

Weekly Food Bank services as well as hygiene, clothing and household items. Contact Patti Larson for more information at (250) 837-2920 or plarson@community-connections.ca.