



# SPACE for STUDENTS

## Cochrane Urgently Needs More Schools



### Growing Population

2002 to 2022  
**173%\***



### In Comparison

Calgary  
**52%\***

Leduc  
**123%\***

Medicine Hat  
**23%\***

St. Albert  
**27%\***

\*Source: Government of Alberta



### Rising Enrolment

by 2028  
**6,982**  
RVS students in Cochrane

**6,631**  
student spaces in Cochrane  
=

**351**  
more students than spaces



2023/24  
**5,855**  
students in Cochrane schools

**95%**  
utilization



### Need for Schools

**243**  
number of new students in  
2023/24

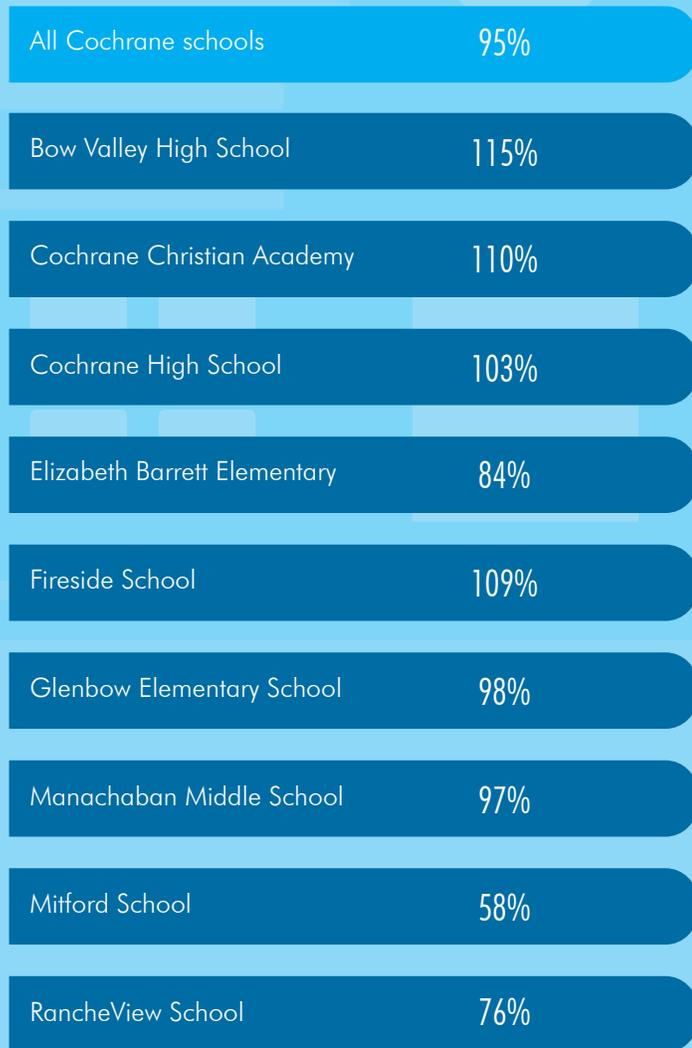
**2017**  
last Cochrane school opened



### Cochrane Three-Year Capital Plan Priorities:

- Kindergarten – Grade 8 school
- High school
- Kindergarten – Grade 8 school
- Kindergarten – Grade 8 school

## Six out of nine Cochrane schools are already full:



Once the provincial government approves a new school or an addition it takes three to four years to plan and build.

RVS provides quality learning experiences for 28,600+ students in pre-K-12.

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Fastest growing town in Alberta and 11<sup>th</sup> fastest growing in Canada\*



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