

GRADS OF 2024

What does it mean to be a Spartan?



Agenda

- Principal's message
- Dates and deadlines
- Grad Dinner/Dance
- Dry Grad
- Commencement
- Literacy 12 Assessment

Principal's Message

- Keep being YOU
- Finish Strong



Dates and deadlines...

Date / Deadline	Event
April 2-May 2	Tickets for Grad Dinner Dance on Sale through CashOnline
May 8-10 (\$150)	Dry Grad Tickets for sale at lunch in Centre Court
April 18	Dinner Dance Guest Applications Due noon
April 19	Valedictorian applications due
April 29-May 2	Dinner Dance Seat Selection Room 205(receipt needed)
May 17	Commencement Rehearsal, Blk D, Gym All Grads must attend Gowns Distributed in C block to your classes Students on a study will get gowns in center court Tickets for Commencement will be 5 dollars each (max is 3 on Friday, May 17th after school)
May 21	Extra Commencement tickets distributed after school at 5 dollars per ticket
May 22	Commencement Ceremony at 6 pm. Grads must be there by 5 pm
May 24	Dry Grad Bag Drop Off: 3:00pm to 4:00pm at school
Saturday, May 25	Grad Dinner Dance followed by Dry Grad

Commencement

- Formal ceremony to recognize your achievement
- Held at the Bell Performing Arts Center (6250 144th Street) on Wednesday, May 22nd
- You will be crossing the stage in the presence of a large audience to celebrate graduation
- Opportunity for your family and friends to celebrate your journey



Commencement Tickets


Distributed: Friday, May 17 after school in Center Court

- *3 tickets (\$5 each) will be made available for each student in Centre Court*
- *Extra tickets will be distributed once everyone gets a chance to get 3 tickets. These will also be sold at \$5 each (Tuesday, May 21 after school)*



Gown distribution and Commencement Rehearsal

- Gowns will be distributed in BLOCK C on Friday, May 17th
- Rehearsal for all Grads on **Friday, May 17th (same day)** will be held in the large gym (in Block D)
- Take photos with friends and family prior to the ceremony over the weekend!



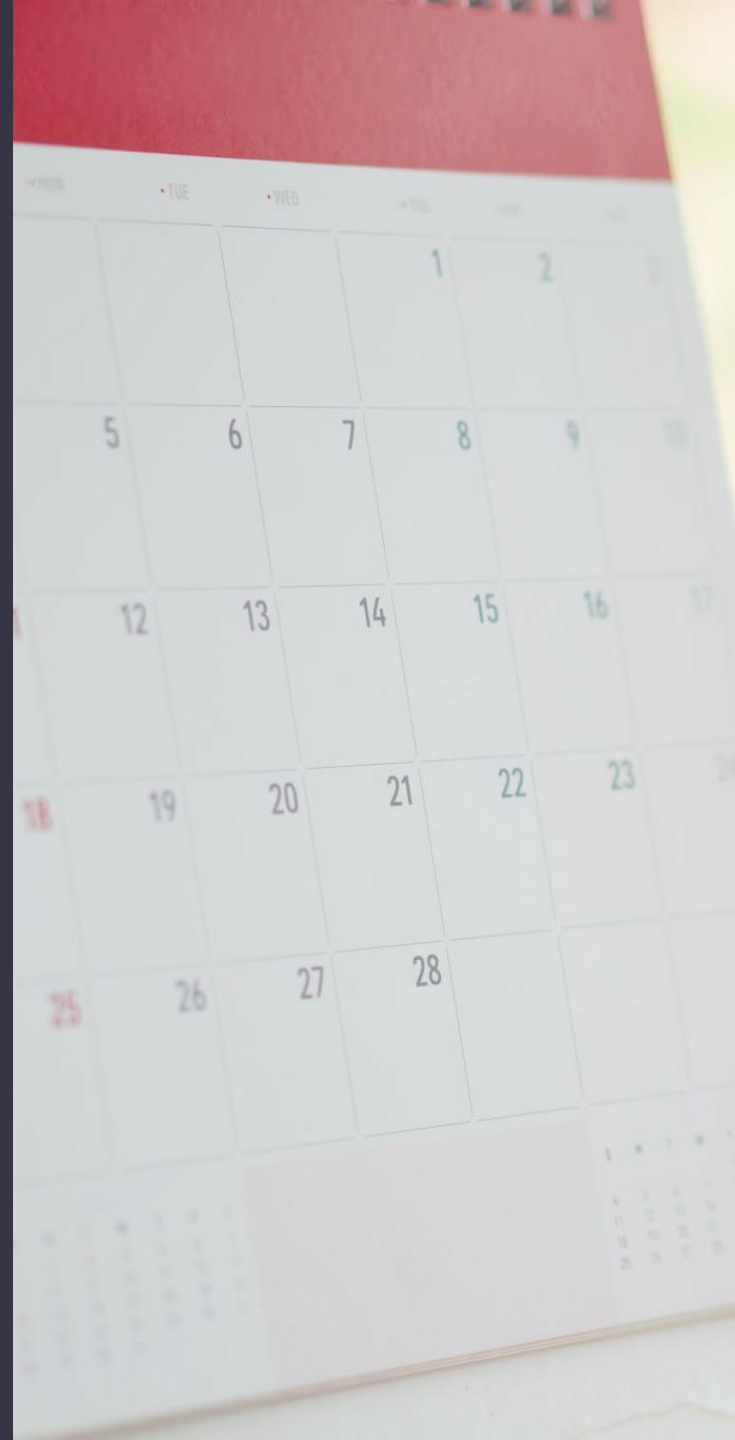
Commencement ceremony...

Wednesday, May 22nd at the Bell Centre @ 6 pm

- Arrive at **5:00 pm** at **Sullivan Heights Secondary (Bell Center is part of the school)** to prepare for processional and ceremony
- 5:30 pm doors open for guests
- Take photos with friends and family prior to ceremony
- No storage, leave phones, etc. with a family member
- Guests **MUST present tickets** at the door
- Grads do not need a ticket

Literacy 12 Assessment (for ALL Grade 12s that have not done it yet)

- The Literacy 12 Assessment is something that ALL Grade 12s need to write to graduate
- If you took English 12 last semester you were asked to write in November and were called down by class
- If you are **taking English 12 this semester** you were asked to write in **April**
- If you have not written this assessment please message Mr. Khaira on TEAMS





**GRAD DINNER DANCE
SWANESSET GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB**

Grad Dinner & Dance

Saturday, May 25, 2024 TICKET INFORMATION

- April 2: tickets on sale School CashOnline \$125
- Parent reception tickets \$5 (max 2)
- All other debts must be paid (including Commencement fee)
- Guest Applications available at the office and were due April 18
- Table Selection will be done in room 205 at lunch from April 29 to May 2
- Bring your proof of payment and proof for all 10 people you want at your table
- They all must have paid to be able to reserve a seat
- If you have an approved guest, then that ticket will be added to your cash online account. Pay it prior to selecting tables.
- Guests must sit with grad and grad is responsible for them.



Grad Dinner & Dance

Saturday, May 25, 2024 at Swaneset Country Club

TIMELINE OF EVENTS

- Photo of the Class of 2024 – taken at **5:00pm** on the lawn
- Check-in for students & guests starts at 5:15pm
- Parents arrive for the punch reception at 5:15pm (no seats)
(Ticket Cost = \$5, max. 2 per student)
- Welcome Speeches and Grad/Parent Dance
- Dinner starts at 7:00 pm as soon as parents leave
- Students will be searched prior to entry

ALL SCHOOL RULES APPLY: POSSESSION OR USE OF ALCOHOL, DRUGS, VAPES, CIGARETTES OR CIGARS IS NOT PERMITTED





Transportation

- Students need to provide their own transportation to Swaneset Golf Club
- Students **MUST** take the bus provided back to the school after Dinner/Dance
- Students who have purchased a ticket for Dry Grad will enter the school for the festivities
- Students not attending Dry Grad will provide their own transportation home from the school

DRY GRAD



- Approximately 170 tickets have been sold and we are anticipating over 200 grads at our Dry Grad!
- Bag Drop Off at North Surrey
 - ✓ 3:00 – 4:30 PM on Friday May 24, 2024
 - ✓ Bags will be checked and secured by staff and parents
- No bags will be allowed into Dinner Dance
- Tickets for **\$120** will be extended for one additional week and can be purchased from the Parents Dry Grad Committee in Centre Court at lunch starting tomorrow or by E-Transfer.
- After that tickets will be \$150.

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**Be Safe and enjoy
the end of
secondary school,
Spartans!**

