

Earl Marriott Secondary: “Semester Completion Day”

January 27th

January 26th will be the final day of semester #1 regular classes for all Surrey Secondary schools. On January 27th, schools will be holding a “Semester Completion Day”. Students will have the opportunity to demonstrate understanding of their learning, catch up on missing tests/assignments/projects and/or receive tutorial support. Although regular classes will not be in session on the 27th, schools will be open during regular instructional hours and teachers will be available for students.

At Earl Marriott Secondary, we encourage all students to use this time to ensure that all assignments, projects, tests and final assessments are completed, additional tutorial support is organized as needed, and alternative demonstration of learning outcomes is completed as necessary.

Each department at EMS will be scheduling a variety of learning opportunities. Individual teachers will be available during their regular schedules in order to support their students.

Please see the following Departmental learning activities.

Counselling Department: Available for student appointments re: course change requests.

Mathematics Department: Teachers available for tutorial support and for students to complete missing assignments and tests. Students must schedule appointments with individual teachers in advance.

English Department: Tutorial assistance; sessions for students to complete missing assignments and tests. Teachers will schedule individual appointments with students.

Science Department: Science Department: Scheduled sessions for students to complete missing assignments, completion of missed labs, and/or tests. Please arrange in advance a specific time with your teacher to ensure that students come with the necessary materials and so that any lab equipment and materials required are prepared/available to complete the task.

Social Studies Department: Social Studies teachers will be available in their classrooms throughout the day. Social Studies teachers ask that their students arrive by 8:30 am, unless different times have been arranged with their teachers. Students are to have all necessary supplies with them, including their binder, writing materials, and any assignments they are needing to work on. Students will be able to finish / complete their final assessments or any other work their teachers deem necessary for completion of their course(s).

Physical Education Department: The Weight room will be open to make up missed classes; fitness testing.

Technology Department: Shops will be open to complete projects. Students are asked to schedule their visits in advance with their teachers.

French Immersion Department: Individual appointments scheduled for completion of missed assignments, tests, tutorials.

Modern Languages Department: Scheduled tutorial support for missing assignments and exam rewrites.

French courses –Portable 8, Spanish courses – Portable 8.

Home Economics Department: Drop-in sessions, (9:00am–12:00pm) and by appointment (1:00pm-3:00pm), for students to complete any course requirements.

Business Education Department: Sessions for students to complete final portfolio and/or missing assignments. Please see your teacher to schedule an appointment.

Performing Arts Department:

Theatre students and volunteers will be working on set painting, construction and lighting for our major musical production.

Music students may drop into the Band room for extra help or consultation on projects and performances. Mr. Ho and Mr. Rutley will be available for students who need to complete missed assignments, and make up instrumental playing tests. We are also offering Jazz Combo sessions for any interested students.

Career Education Department: The Career Centre will be open for consultation and quiet study from 8:00am – 4:00pm. Students are encouraged to drop-in for assistance with District Partnership and Co-Op applications.

Visual Arts Department: Art room will be open for drop-in sessions for students to complete assignments, projects and portfolios.

Planning Department: Students are advised to schedule an appointment with their Planning teacher to complete missing assignments, tests or quizzes. Planning teachers will be available for tutorial assistance.

BASES Department: Individual meetings with students and parents re: Individual Education Plans.

First Nations Program: Individual appointments with students and parents; completion of missing assignments, re-submission of work.

Graduation Program: Graduation Transition Interviews/Celebration of Learning; scheduled interviews for Grade 12 students.

Connections Program: Individual meetings with students and parents re: Individual Education Plans.

Peer Tutoring Program: Drop-in support to assist in any capacity to complete course requirements (location: Mr. Clift's office). Submission of missing assignments.

Learning Support Team Department: Tutorial support and invigilation and adjudication for missing/scheduled tests.

English Language Learners Department: Drop-in sessions (am) for tutorial support; scheduled sessions (pm) for students to complete missing assignments and tests.

Learning Commons: the Learning Commons will be open and providing space for students to study, prepare for final assessment and assignment completion.

NOTE: Except where otherwise indicated, teachers will be available within their regular scheduled classroom locations during regular scheduled times.