



JOHNSTON HEIGHTS SECONDARY SCHOOL

15350 – 99 Avenue, Surrey, BC, V3R 0R9



For participation in Grad activities, this form must be returned to the school front office by Friday, October 2nd, 2026.

The intent of this document is to create transparency regarding our expectations for the students in the grade 12 class. These expectations are not set up to be punitive towards our students, but rather, to encourage our students to respect Johnston Heights' Code of Conduct, to develop or maintain positive work habits and to remain focused until the end of the year.

Our expectations include:

- Regular attendance to all classes;
- No involvement with tobacco, e-cigarettes / vaping, drugs or alcohol at school – including before or during school-sponsored events, activities or field trips.
- No involvement in any activity deemed a “prank”, whether in the school or not, that jeopardizes the safety, well-being, security of others and / or property. A “prank” is any activity carried out by students that:
 - Causes damage to school property or to property in the community;
 - Incurs a financial cost to individuals, the district, or businesses in the community;
 - Causes damage to our school's reputation;
 - Negatively impacts the physical or emotional well-being of Surrey School District (SD36) students, staff, and / or the community;
 - Disrupts teaching and learning;
 - Uses language or images that humiliate, threaten or violate the privacy of individuals on an online platform (i.e. Instagram, TikTok, Snapchat, Facebook).

Consequences may include (but are not limited to):

1. Denied participation in future grad events, including the Dinner / Dance or Commencement;
2. In or out of School Suspension;
3. Administrative transfer to another Surrey school or program.

I, _____ (Student Name), understand the expectations outlined above and the possible consequences if these expectations are not met.

Please complete the area below and submit this form to the Main Office.

Student Signature: _____ Student #: _____ Date: _____

Parent Name (please print): _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____



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September 2026

Dear Grade 12 Students and Parents / Caregivers:

This year marks the culmination of 13 years of public education for our grade 12 students and their families. We are all excited about celebrating our graduate's accomplishments and helping them make decisions for their future pursuits. For families, it is a time to be proud of their children for their hard work, successes and perseverance. This will be evident at our Commencement Ceremony in May 2027, where we will honour our graduating class.

To make sure this year is memorable, enjoyable and safe, we expect our grade 12 students to be upstanding citizens at Johnston Heights Secondary by being positive role models for students in grades 8-11. This expectation includes our grade 12 students demonstrating behaviour that meets and exceeds our Student Code of Conduct and to attend classes on a consistent basis.

All Grads and parents / caregivers need to be aware that all events organized and sponsored by the school must be free of tobacco, e-cigarettes / vaping, drugs, or alcohol. This is for the safety and well-being of our students and volunteer sponsors who give up their time to supervise these events. We must be respectful of the enormous responsibility they undertake. The school, therefore, expects that during these events our students will behave, dress appropriately and always demonstrate good judgment. Our expectations extend to activities that are deemed a "prank", whether in the school or not, that jeopardizes the safety, well-being, security of others and / or property and the reputation of Johnston Heights Secondary. Consequences for breaching the expectations listed above may result in denied participation in future grad events, including, but not limited to, the Grad Dinner / Dance and / or Commencement Ceremony.

Grad Events Include:

Grad Boat Cruise
Commencement
Dinner and Dance (including our Red-Carpet Event)
Other School-Sanctioned Grad events (TBD)

In the past, members of Johnston Heights' grad classes have planned their own unsanctioned "Grad activities". These events are student-planned, unsupervised and often interfere with learning because of missed class time. The school **DOES NOT** support these activities that may include Grad Skip Day, Grad Camping, S-Trips (Big White, Mexico, etc.) and others.

Prior to participating in any Grad events, students and parents / caregivers must complete and return the attached form to the Main Office. These forms will be kept on file and will pertain to all future school sponsored Grad events. Participation in Grad events will not be allowed unless this form is signed and completed. Your support is very much appreciated.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

We are looking forward to a great year!

Ms. Courtney O'Brien
Proud Principal

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An IB Continuum World School for MYP and DP.