# **GRADE 12 PARENT** INFORMATION PRESENTATION **OCTOBER 2024**

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## **THE YEAR AHEAD**

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• What to expect....a mix of emotions with this being an end of a 13 year journey

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• What to expect....

LIFE AFTER JH

- Many options for our students
- Work, travel, education
- Post-secondary help careers and counsellors
- Parents your supportive role

# 2024-25 GRAD REQUIREMENTS

## Provincial assessments (required)

- Grade 10 Numeracy Assessment
- Grade 10 Literacy Assessment
- Grade 12 Literacy Assessment

## Courses

For more information see Ministry website

## https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/graduation

## Dogwood Diploma - at a glance

The B.C. Certificate of Graduation or "Dogwood Diploma" is awarded to students who successfully complete the provincial graduation requirements.

Students require a minimum of **80 credits** to graduate.

Of these 80 credits:

- At least 16 credits must be at the Grade 12 level, including a required Language Arts 12 and Career Life Connections
- At least 28 credits must be elective course credits
- Effective July 1, 2023: At least 4 credits must have an Indigenous-focus (see <u>Indigenous-Focused Graduation Requirements - Province of British</u> <u>Columbia (gov.bc.ca)</u> for additional information)
- 52 credits are required from the following:
  - Career-Life Education (4 credits), and Career-Life Connections (4 credits)
  - Physical and Health Education 10 (4 credits)
  - Science 10 (4 credits), and a Science 11 or 12 (4 credits)
  - Social Studies 10 (4 credits), and a Social Studies 11 or 12 (4 credits)
  - A Math 10 (4 credits), and a Math 11 or 12 (4 credits)
  - A Language Arts 10, 11 and a required 12 (12 credits total)
  - An Arts Education 10, 11, or 12 and/or an Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies 10, 11, or 12 (4 credits total)

# **SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES**

- Coordinator: Ms. Crocker
- Communication: School Website & EagleTime App
  - Grad 2025 Scholarships / Post-Secondary
- Post-Secondary & Scholarship
  - Check out the 2024-25 Grads Scholarships and Awards team

# **POST-SECONDARY**

- We had our first post-secondary event on Sept 26. The CUE Event
- Other Post-Secondary visits in CLC classes.
- Student responsibility registration deadlines
  - Please note that Douglas College Foundations of Nursing Program registration opens Tuesday, October 1st, 2024.

# WEBSITE FOR POST SECONDARY APPLICATION -HTTPS://APPLYEDUCATIONPLANNERBC.CA

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## Apply for admission

You've planned, searched, and now you're ready to apply! Here you can easily apply to any of B.C.'s 25 public post-secondary institutions.

OR

Not sure how to apply? Check out our How-to guides for more information.

Sign Up for your EducationPlannerBC Account

Login to your EducationPlannerBC Account

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# **STUDENT TRANSCRIPT SERVICE**

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-andcertificates/order-a-high-school-transcript-or-certificate

You can use the StudentTranscripts Service (STS) to

- View or order your grade 10 to 12 course transcript
- · Send your high school transcript to post-secondary institutions
- Send your high school transcript to a third-party (another person or group)
- Order your graduation certificate
- View your provincially awarded scholarships
- View your provincial graduation assessment and exam results

Watch Help Videos on using the StudentTranscripts Service.

## What you'll need

Before you access the StudentTranscripts Service as a current student, you will need

- Your Personal Education Number (PEN)
  - Check your report card or contact your school to find your PEN. See Find Your PEN
- A valid email address
- Your date of birth
- Your legal first and last name

You must register for a Basic BCeID account to access the StudentTranscripts Service.



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## **Order Transcripts & Certificates**

① June 2020 final marks and graduation status updates are now available.

The <u>StudentTranscripts Service (STS)</u> allows you to view and order transcripts or certificates from B.C. or Yukon secondary schools. See <u>Help Videos</u> on using the STS.

### Order Transcripts or Certificates as a







Returning user

#### <u>Current student</u>

- Former student
- You are now enrolled in a secondary school, or
- Have completed a course within the last six months
- More than six months have passed since you completed a secondary school course
- You are familiar with the StudentTranscripts Service (STS) and have used it before

# COMMENCEMENT

- The Cap and Gown Ceremony (formal event)
- 6:30 pm Thursday May 22, 2025
- Students must be eligible to graduate in order to participate
- This is an optional event coordinated by the school.
- Key School Contact: Ms. C. Moennick, Vice Principal
- Commencement Fee: \$50 (Chandos rental, cap/gown, professional photo)

# **DINNER AND DANCE**

- "The Prom"
- Sunday, May 25 at Swan-e-set Golf and Country Club
- This is an optional event hosted by the school
- Grads may submit guest pass application to bring one approved guest (grade 11 or older)
- Students are bussed to the event
- Key School Contacts: Ms. Jen MacDonald, Vice Principal
- Cost: \$115 per person

# DRY GRAD

- Safe After-Grad Party hosted by Parents; immediately follows dinner/dance.
- May 25th evening and morning of May 26, 2025 from about 11pm 5am Location TBA
- This is an optional event; any grad and guest who attends this event MUST ride on the luxury coaches from Swan-e-set to the Dry Grad venue.
- Dry Grad Parent Committee (sub-committee of PAC) needs your help!
- Key School Contact: Sue Beyer, Principal
- Cost: \$TBA per person

# **CONCLUDING COMMENTS**

- Our kids need to stay focused and stay positive.
- Keep in mind, things are fluid so dates may change, and events may look different
- We will have a great year!