MMGCI Newsletter

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Message from our Principal

June is that time of year when we are putting both the final additions in this school year and planning for the next one. We have currently completed our scheduling and staffing for the 2024/2025 school year. Marion Graham Collegiate has established itself as a school of choice for students throughout Saskatoon and it continues to grow in numbers, and educational opportunities. It has been an honor and privilege to have served as Principal of Marion Graham Collegiate over the past year. I have enjoyed my time working with this community and look forward to continuing next year. I would like to acknowledge, and thank, those staff members that will be leaving us this year and wish them well with their future endeavors. We say goodbye to:

Coreen Dutka – Bedford Road Collegiate
Rod Friesen – Evan Hardy Collegiate
Brandon Leatherdale – Aden Bowman Collegiate
Kristen Robertson – Centennial Collegiate
Shannon Welch – Centennial Collegiate
Ivy Armstrong – Centennial Collegiate

We also want to acknowledge the commitment and contributions that our temporary and intern teachers provided us this past year. We wish them well going forward and continue to look for opportunities for these excellent educators. In addition, we would like to welcome the following to our staff next year:

Erin Menz – Counselling
Joanne Boots – ELA
Ilaria Zuzak – Dance/Drama
Heath Alexander – Social Sciences
Pat Somerville – Resource
Lindsay Wolter – ARP

We have a few extracurricular events and celebrations happening throughout June. Please refer to this newsletter for the dates of upcoming events. Our Graduation Ceremony will be held on, Tuesday, June 25th.

We wish you a safe and enjoyable holiday during the summer months and look forward to welcoming returning students and families in the fall. For those families who are moving, or have students graduating this year, thank you for your support and best wishes in the future.

On behalf of staff,

Rick Iverson ***Tommy Williams***

Principal **Vice Principal**

Important Dates to Remember

June 4th—Colour Day Awards 2 pm

June 5th—FLS Track and Field

June 11th—Athletic Awards Ceremony

June 12th—Dance Recital (PD 4)

June 13th—Early Dismissal/Pep Rally

June 13– Grad meeting (PD 3)

June 13th—Staff Meeting

June 14th—Summer Sizzler– Lunch Time

June 17th—Final Day to Clean out Lockers

June 18th-21st—Grade 12 Final Assessments

June 18th-25th—Grade9/10/11—Final Assessments

June 25th– Grade 12 Graduation

June 27th— Turn Around Day—No School

June 28th—Grade 9 Orientation

END OF SCHOOL YEAR SCHEDULE

Grades 9, 10, 11 MMGCI School Schedule—June 18-June 26

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday
17-Jun	18-Jun	19-Jun		20-Jun		21-Jun		24-Jun		25-Jun		26-Jun
Regular Day	9-11 am Period 1 Block Class	9-11 am	Period 2 Block Class	9-11 am	Period 3 Final Assessments	9-11 am	Period 5 Final Assessments	9-11 am	Period 1 Final Assess-ment	9-11 am	Period 2 Final Assess-ment	Outcome Completion 9-11am/12-2pm
	12-2 pm Period 3 Block Class	12-2 pm	Period 4 Block Class	12-2 pm	Period 4 Final Assessment	12-2 pm	Outcome Completion	12-2 pm	Outcome Completion	12-2 pm	No School	

Thursday June 27 - Turn Around Day - No School for Students
Friday June 28 - Have a great Summer! See you in the Fall!

Grade 12 MMGCI School Schedule — June 17-June 21

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Monday	Tuesday
17-Jun	18-Jun	19-Jun		20-Jun		21-Jun		24-Jun	25-Jun
Regular Day	9-11 am Period 1 Final As-sessment	9-11 am	Period 2 Final Assess-ment	9-11 am	Period 3 Final Assessment	9-11 am	Period 5 Final As-sessment	No classes	Graduation Merlis Belsher 6pm
	12-2 pm Outcome Comple-tion	12-2 pm	Period 4 Final Assess-ment	12-2 pm	Outcome Completion	12-2 pm	Outcome Completion		

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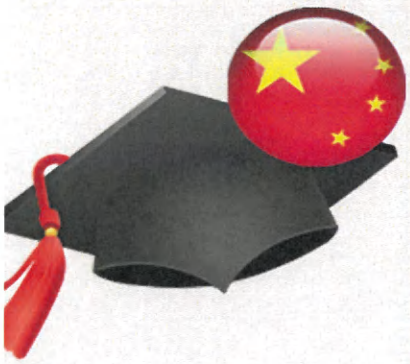
A Few Reminders:

- The purpose of the end of semester assessments is to provide students with an opportunity to redemonstrate outcomes, show their understanding of missing evidence, and celebrate their learning.
- Students are required to attend all end of semester assessments. If a student is ill or unwell, please contact the school prior to the beginning of the assessment, so a plan can be created with the teacher.
- The Credit Recovery time periods are for students that need additional time to meet course outcomes in order to pass the class.
- Students who wish to have resource support during final assessments, should reach out to Mr. Friesen, Ms. Stock, Mr. Hingley, or Ms. Armstrong to make arrangements.
- Our school team will contact families of students who fail courses to provide recommendations and with regards to rescheduling and next steps.

Grade 12 Graduation Information

Graduation Day

Grad's are to assemble back stage at Merlis Belsher between 5:15 pm and 5:30 pm. The doors will open to the public at 5:30 pm. Graduation Ceremony starts at 6:00 pm. Tickets are not required for the Graduation Ceremony. The Ceremony is a rush seating event. You are able to bring as many guests as you would like to the Ceremony. The Ceremony will take approximately two hours.



Graduation Gowns

All Graduates must have all their library books returned, and school fees paid before they will receive their Cap and Gown. Graduation Gowns will be available for pickup during the day on Friday, June 21st. Students will pick up their gown, stole, graduation cap and tassel. These are yours to keep!

Quick Notes Home

Student Fees are now past due

You are able to view your school invoice and pay your students fees online! Please visit https://www.schoolcashonline.com/ and clicking on the word Register to see any past payments and invoices, as well as any current outstanding invoices. Please contact PasulykoC@spsd.sk.ca if you need more instruction or assistance.

Library news:

Time to start getting those textbooks back! Overdue Semester 1 textbooks and any Semester 2 textbooks no longer being used can be returned anytime. Semester 2 textbooks needed for study purposes can be returned as assessments are finished. For example, June 18 all period 1 textbooks should be returned at the end of the day.

Lockers

A reminder to all students who chose to have a locker this year. Please clean out your locker and take your lock and belongings home on, or before, June 17. Your lock is to be used next year, so don't forget it! All items left behind will be donated to local charities at the beginning of the summer break.

2023/2024 Yearbooks

We expect the 2023/2024 Yearbooks will be available for pick up at the end of September/beginning of October for students that ordered them earlier this year. Once they arrive , we will notify students during the school day. If your student has graduated, or is no longer attending Marion Graham, we will make sure to send you an e-mail to notify you. Please ensure your email is current and up-to-date with student services.

Honour Roll Certificates Will be presented n the fall.

Summer School

If your student is interested in completing a class over the summer there are some options! Summer school classes will be at Walter Murray Collegiate. Here is the link for more Information:

https://www.spsd.sk.ca/Schools/highschoolprograms/summerschool/Pages/default.aspx#/=

Grade 9 Orientation

We welcome all new Grade 9s to join us on Friday, June 28th at 9:30 am in the Theatre. Members of the SRC will be there to welcome you, and tell you about the exciting events planned for the fall. You will also get a chance to meet many of the people you will be working with next year. After the program in the Theatre, there will be the opportunity to walk through your first semester timetable, find out where your classes are, and meet your first semester teachers. After the walk through, we will gather in the commons for a snack at about 11:00 am. We hope to see on you June 28th.

PLEASE DONATE YOUR OLD BALL GLOVES TO OUR PE DEPARTMENT

Baseball glove donations needed!

The school PE department is in need of baseball gloves to support our outside programming. If you, or anyone you know, have ball gloves, in any condition, that you are willing to donate, please have them dropped off at the front office or Male PE office.

Viewing Report Cards, Next Years Timetable and Making Timetable Changes

Your student's Report Cards will be available for viewing on Edsby by Friday, June 28 at 3:00 pm.

How to View Your Student's Report Card Through Edsby

Report cards are viewable through a web browser at **spsd.edsby.com** from a computer or tablet. Report cards are not viewable on mobile devices.

In Edsby click *View Report Cards* to see your student's report card.

If you haven't received your invitation to Edsby, contact your school.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORTS:
saskatoonpublicschools.ca/edsby

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A paper copy of your 2024/2025 Timetable will be available mid June.

If you feel a change needs to be made to the classes that were selected, please make an appointment to see a student services counsellor.

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2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR
COLLEGIATE ACADEMIC CALENDAR

August 2024

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September 2024

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December 2024

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January 2025

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February 2025

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March 2025

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April 2025

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May 2025

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June 2025

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- Stat Holidays
- No School - Students/Teachers
- PD/Operations - No Students Gr. 9-12
- Student First Day
- Early Dismissal Days
- XX Last Day (9-12 Students)/Assessment Date
- Parent/Teacher Conferences
- STA Institute