

MURRAY MOMENTS

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I want to thank the coaches, student athletes, and volunteers for a great fall sport season. Our students were awesome for getting involved and showing true Marauder spirit. I appreciate the many hours of commitment my staff put in, to lead and coach these sports after school to better our students. Proud to be a Marauder!

We are proud to announce "The Wizard of Oz" playing in our auditorium on December 14, 15, and 16 at 7 p.m., as well, with an afternoon matinee also on Saturday, December 16 at 1:30. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to showtime, and rush ticket seating is \$5.

The band concert will take place on Wednesday, December 13th at 7 p.m. in the main gym. It will be exciting to see our talented students perform music with their instruments.

The final parent/caregiver conferences for semester one will take place on Friday, December 1st. We look forward to connecting with you on your child's learning profile. The last day of school before winter holidays will be on Friday, December 22nd. Enjoy a wonderful holiday season filled with joy and relaxation. We will kick start the new year with school resuming on January 8th. Happy holidays!

On behalf of the staff, Tom Sargeant

Legacy Gift from Graduating Class of 2022

Check out the new bench located in the tennis court/courtyard for classroom use and student/staff enjoyment.



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Walter Murray Collegiate

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Dates to Remember

Nov. 23	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
Nov. 29	SUTIL Grades 11 and 12, pd 2/3 cafeteria
Dec. 1	Parent-Teacher Conferences Student Dismissal 12:10
Dec. 13	Band/Choir Concert 7:00
Dec. 14-15 Dec. 16	Musical Wizard of Oz 7:00 performance Musical Matinee 1:30 and 7:00 performances
Dec. 15-16	Gil Wist Wrestling Tournament
Dec. 22	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting) Last Day of School before Christmas
Dec. 23-Jan. 5	Christmas Holidays
Jan. 8	School Resumes
Jan. 11	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
Jan. 16	SCC Meeting 6:30 Course Selection Meeting 7:00
Jan. 22-26	Grad Photos
Jan. 23-26	End of Term Assessments (<i>see page 3 for details</i>)
Jan. 26	Grade 8 Sage Open House 1:00 p.m.
Jan. 29-30	Turnaround Day (no school for students)
Jan. 31	Semester 2 begins
Feb. 1-3	MIT Basketball
Feb. 8	WMC Grade 8 Open House 7:00 p.m.
	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
Feb. 19-23	No School (February Break)
Feb. 29	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
March 8	Parent-Teacher Conferences, home contact day, <i>Student Dismissal 12:10</i>
March 12	SCC Meeting 7:00
March 14	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
March 28	Early Dismissal 1:05 (staff meeting)
March 29- April 5	Easter Break

CONTACT INFORMATION



All school communication is sent via email through School Messenger. Stay in the loop of student absence notifications, newsletters, and school notifications (to name a few). To ensure you are receiving emails from Walter Murray, we suggest you add waltermurrayschool@spsd.sk.ca to your contact list. Please check your spam regularly.

Please notify our Main Office at (306) 683-7850 of any changes to your phone numbers (home, work, cell), email addresses, medical information, or emergency contacts.

Hot daily lunch specials and home-made soups are served in the Cafeteria for \$5. Cash only please.



Congratulations to Madeline C. for her achievement in German studies! She will be one of two students representing Saskatchewan in the National German competition, taking place in Montreal in November! Good luck!

AROUND THE SCHOOL

GRADE 8 OPEN HOUSE

Walter Murray Collegiate's Open House will be on Thursday, February 8th at 7:00 p.m. This will be an opportunity to tour Walter Murray Collegiate and meet our amazing students and staff. If you have any questions, please contact our counselling office or administration. There will be a SAGE Open House at Walter Murray Collegiate on January 26 at 1:00 p.m.

COURSE SELECTION INFORMATION

Parents are invited to a course selection information session on January 16 at 7 p.m. following our 6:30 p.m. SCC meeting. The course selection information session will take place in the WMC cafeteria. Please contact the counselling office for more information.



In an attempt to gather together in the fight against cancer, we fundraised a total of \$4,590.37! As part of the reward for raising so much money, the class that raised the most money, Mr. Chicilo's period 2, earned a pizza party to celebrate their generosity. Additionally, our Halloween Pep Rally featured many of our school-wide prizes such as: pieing 9 teachers in the face, dyeing 5 teachers' hair pink, and shaving Mr. Barnes' head!

The SRC would like to thank all of you for your generosity, dressing up in pink on Wednesdays, and for joining us in the fight against cancer. The proceeds will be donated to the Saskatoon Cancer Centre.

Honour Roll Certificates for the 2022-2023 school year will be presented to students in their period 1 classroom by Mr. Sargeant, Mr. McNarland, and Ms. Elliott-Jensen before the holidays.

How is the calculation made

- ◆ This is a student's personal best and average of their highest marks in the current school year.
- ◆ Must be enrolled in six or more classes
- ◆ Honour Roll certificate = 79.50 to 89.49%
- ◆ High Honour Roll certificate = 89.50 to 100%

End of Term Assessments

Monday, January 22 to Friday, January 26, 2024

	Monday Jan. 22	Tuesday Jan. 23	Wednesday Jan. 24	Thursday Jan. 25	Friday Jan. 26	Monday Jan. 29	Tuesday Jan. 30
9am to 11 a.m	Last day of regular classes	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 5	Turnaround Day (No school for students)	PD/ Collaboration (No school for students)
Lunch		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch TODAY ONLY 11:00 to 12:30	Lunch		
12 p.m. to 2 p.m.		Outcome Completion	Outcome Completion	Period 4 12:30 to 2:30 TODAY ONLY	Outcome Completion		

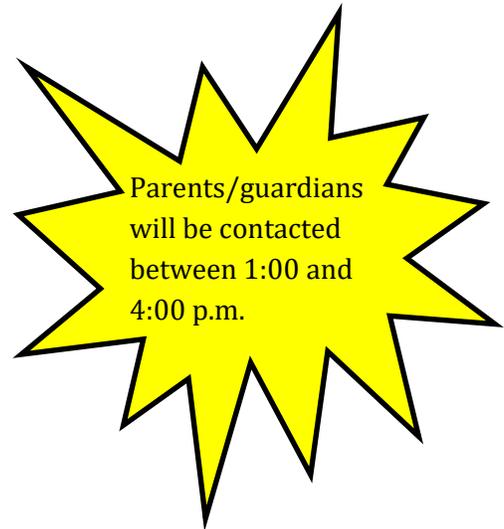


School Communication

Good communication with teachers, parents, and guardians is key! Students and their parents/guardians may be contacted by their teachers to update their student progress between the hours of 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. on Friday, December 1st. Parents/guardians may have also received an email or telephone call about their student's progress. Please remember that you can contact your students' teachers, but our next scheduled 3 way conference will take place through a teacher-led invitation process.

Edsby Mark Update - Teachers will update an average percentage mark on Edsby by **Monday, November 27th**.

Special Schedule for Parent-Teacher Conferences Friday, December 1	
Warning Bell	8:45 a.m.
Period One	8:50—9:25 a.m.
Period Two	9:30—10:05 a.m.
Period Three	10:10—10:45 a.m.
Period Four	10:55 —11:30 a.m.
Period Five	11:35—12:10 p.m.



If you have not already done so, please contact the school for an invitation to join Edsby. You can access/create a Parent Account to see your child's attendance record, report card(s), and class progress, including overdue assignments. Average percentage marks will be updated by teachers in a timely manner. Please note that you will have to have an email and phone number on file. Ensure your personal information is up to date!

THE WIZARD OF OZ

Take a journey with us down the yellow brick road alongside the memorable characters you know and love! When Dorothy drops into the Land of Oz, only one thing is certain: she's got to find a way back to Kansas. A funny and fast-paced expedition ensues as Dorothy and her new friends – the Scarecrow, Lion, and Tin Woodman – travel to the fabled Emerald City to meet the Great Oz. When Oz demands a steep price for sending her home, a perilous new adventure begins. This imaginative adaptation by Erin Detrick captures the heart of L. Frank Baum's classic tale. From acting, to set design, to lighting and sound – more than 50 students are involved in this magical production!

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TICKETS & SEATING

- \$5.00 general admission
- Rush seating
- Doors will open 30 minutes prior to showtime.

PUBLIC SHOW DATES & TIMES

- Thursday, December 14 @ 7 pm
- Friday, December 15 @ 7 pm
- Saturday, December 16 @ 1:30 pm
- Saturday, December 16 @ 7 pm

THE WIZARD OF OZ

BY ERIN DETRICK

FROM THE BOOK BY L. FRANK BAUM

WALTER MURRAY COLLEGIATE

DECEMBER 14-16, 2023

\$5.00 ADMISSION RUSH SEATING

EVENING SHOWS - 7 PM

SATURDAY MATINEE - 1:30 PM



Active Clubs at Walter Murray



ANIME CLUB: Mondays from 3:30 to 5:00 in room 217. Watch anime, play games, cosplay contests, potlucks and karaoke.

ARCHERY CLUB: Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:30 to 8:30 in Boys' gym. Coach is an international level archer, and we send a team to provincial championships every year.

AVIATION CLUB: Tuesdays at noon in room 234. Learn more about opportunities in aviation.

BEADING CLUB: Mondays at lunch hour in room 225. Students can choose their own project (bracelet, pin, earrings). All materials are supplied.

BOOK CLUB: Every second Friday at lunch hour in Room 102. At reading club, students share their lunches and views on a range of books independent of any required school reading. The group selects from classics to new releases to read and then to discuss.

CHESS CLUB: Wednesdays at lunch in room 304.

COFFEE CLUB: Every second Tuesday at lunch in Room 200. Students welcome to come handout and have a hot beverage while talking about important topics related to mental health and wellness.

DEBATE CLUB: Every Wednesday at lunch in room 308. Learn how to develop arguments and participate in mock debates, and prepare for competing in debate tournaments.

DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CLUB: Mondays from 3:30 to 5:00 in the art room 225. All are welcome to come and join in on this fantasy role-playing game. Need an open mind and an active imagination.

FUND THE FUTURE CLUB: Thursday at lunch in room 304. Students raise money to support those in need with a focus on funding for educational initiatives in our school division.

HOMEWORK HELP CLUB: Wednesdays from 3:20 to 4:00 p.m. in room 304. Students can come and get help with math and science homework.

MATH CIRCLE: Mondays til 4:30 in room 304.

MATH CLUB: Tuesdays at lunch in room 304.

SCIENCE CLUB: Thursday at lunch and/or after school in Room 216. Students perform experiments, listen to presentations, and explore the natural world around them.

STRING ART CLUB: Tuesdays at lunch in room 216. Students choose their own projects and learn to knit, crochet, cross stitch, or make bracelets.

YEARBOOK AND PHOTO CLUB: Wednesdays at noon in the photo lab, room 131. Students interested in photography, layout, design, editing or writing. Photography experience is helpful but not necessary.

School News



AUTO MECHANICS

Auto mechanics is centered around students learning the fundamentals of mechanics in a shop setting. We are working on a variety of projects from partial restorations to brake replacements. Student vehicles take priority as our main source of repair, and if you have a child attending our school who needs a repair done, please feel free to contact me. We may also be able to take on other repair work, but note that education is our main priority and the speed at which repairs are completed takes a secondary role to learning.

Email Mr. R. Janzen at janzenR@spsd.sk.ca if you have any specific questions regarding mechanics work.

Walter Murray is looking for donations for our food hamper drive. Hampers will be delivered to Walter Murray families December 19 to 22. Food items and/or monetary donations will be gratefully accepted and can be dropped off in room 104 or 106. Please check the expiry dates of items before donating. Contact Kristie Palmer at palmerk@spsd.sk.ca or Lindsay Wolter at wolterl@spsd.sk.ca for more information.



A huge thank you to all our donors, volunteer bakers, hamper organizers, and fundraiser volunteers.

MUSIC NEWS



The following students are proudly acknowledged for their participation in some big events:

- ◆ Junior Honour Band Participants - Xavier F., Emily Q., Melody Q., and Nirvan S.
- ◆ Senior Provincial Honour Band: Enna O. (received the Graeme Steen Scholarship), Linaya T., Abby B., Melody Q.
- ◆ Senior Provincial Honour Choir: Caleb W., Graeme B., and Roxanne R.



You are invited to our

Walter Murray Holiday Band Concert

Wednesday, December 13

7:00 p.m.

Main Gymnasium

SCHOOL SPORTS & CLUBS

CALLING ALL MARAUDERS! Come join Marauder wrestling and help our strive for a Provincial Championship title this season. There will be an info meeting in the third week of November about the upcoming season.

There are *NO* tryouts.....Come out and **TRAIN**.....
BECOME A CHAMPION!!!!

Start Up: **Monday, November 27, 2023 @ 3:30-5pm**

- ◆ Where: Wrestling Room
- ◆ What you need?: T-Shirt/Shorts/Indoor Shoes/
- ◆ Water bottle

Please see Coach Barry in the PE Office or Mr. Sloboda in the Drafting Lab for more details.

BASKETBALL: Basketball season is approaching! Tryouts begin November 20th. Listen for announcements, and check the posters around the school for more information. Please talk to Ms. Farmer in room 229 or a PE teacher if you have any questions.

CROSS COUNTRY: Congratulations to our Cross-Country team who competed in the City Championships on October 4th. The students braved the elements and ran to their 10th consecutive title, which is a record for any high school sport. Not only did they win City's, but they dominated with an overall perfect score of 30 in all age categories, which was also a record set by the team.

FUN FACTS

- #1 Walter Murray had 7 of the 10 top finishers in senior girls.
- #2 Retired WMC teacher, Ms. Janet Christ, had won 7 in a row prior and lost one year. It is technically 17 wins in the last 18 seasons, and now 10 in a row of city championships.



Cross Country 2023 City Champs!

Grade 9 Boys

Bertin L. (Gold)
Ghassane Z. (Silver)

Grade 9 Girls

Ryan D. (Gold)
Juliette S. (Bronze)

Junior Boys

Caleb W. (Bronze)

Junior Girls

Maria M. (Silver)

Senior Boys

Rayane Z. (Silver)

Senior Girls

Eszter N. (Silver)

***In the senior girls' category, seven of the top finishers were Walter Murray students.

The team then sent 21 runners on to the Provincial Championship on October 14th in Regina. As a team, there were a lot of top finishes, and they placed 3rd overall in the province.

Congratulations Marauders!!!!



We are requesting that all families look online to see what the cost of school fees are for their student(s). If you need to make arrangements for payment, please contact the office at 306-683-7850.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SEE STUDENT INVOICE

Go to the spsd.schoolcashonline.com website.
Enter your student's name. Do Not use the student number field.
This will give you access to view your student's fee invoice.

TO PAY FOR STUDENT FEES

1. You can pay fees in the office by using cash or cheque (payable to Walter Murray).
2. Or online at spsd.schoolcashonline.com.
 - ⇒ Enter your student's name. Do Not use the student number field.
 - ⇒ This will give you access to view your student's fee invoice.
 - ⇒ Add each fee to the cart. (Yearbook is an optional item.)
 - ⇒ Check out and you will be able to pay using a credit card or visa debit or mastercard debit.

NOTE:

All fees must be paid in full before . . .

- ⇒ Grade 12 students can participate in the graduation ceremony on Monday, June 24.
- ⇒ Students can pick up their yearbooks. Deadline to purchase yearbooks is Friday, April 26.

If you have any questions, please call the school at 306-683-7850 or email waltermurraycollegiate@spsd.sk.ca.



ATTENTION PARENTS

Do you have access to the Edsby App Communication tool?

Please contact the school by
emailing waltermurrayschool@spsd.sk.ca or
call 306-683-7850
to be sent an Edsby Link Invite.

This communication tool is great for . . .

- Submit/view student absences
- Send emails to teachers
- View marks/report cards
- See daily notices
- Upcoming assignments
- View school calendar

Student Services

TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS THROUGH STUDENT SERVICES:

Students requesting *unofficial* transcripts for scholarships or post-secondary admission are asked to speak to their counsellor. *Official* transcripts must be ordered from the Ministry of Education and must be ordered by the student.

- ◆ Students requiring official transcripts are asked to visit the Saskatchewan Ministry of Education website at <https://k12.gov.sk.ca/etranscript/>. Official transcripts are required by post-secondary institutions. Direction for how to order official transcripts can be found in the Edsby “Grad Class of ‘24” group.

****Please note:** the Ministry charges \$25.00 to send your request to various Saskatchewan institutions.

Scholarship Websites:

- ◆ <https://yconic.com>
- ◆ <https://www.scholarshipscanada.com>
- ◆ <https://scholartree.ca/>
- ◆ <https://www.studyincanada.com/scholarships/index.aspx>
- ◆ <https://studentscholarships.org/>

Stress and Anxiety Support:

We recognize that many families are experiencing heightened stress and anxiety. On this page is a list of websites that provide helpful information and tips on how families can manage and find stress relief. These can also be found on our WMCI portal in the Counsellor Corner.

- ◆ Anxiety Canada: <https://www.anxietycanada.com/>
- ◆ Jack.org: <https://jack.org/resources/COVID-19-Youth-Mental-Health-Resource-Hub>
- ◆ Stressed Teens: <https://www.stressedteens.com/>
- ◆ Caring for Kids: <https://www.caringforkids.cps.ca>
- ◆ Healthline: <https://www.healthline.com/>
- ◆ Kids Help Phone: <https://kidshelpphone.ca/>

Counsellors’ grade assignments and emails:

Ms. Mapes, Guidance Secretary

(306) 683-7856

Ms. Morley	Grade 10 Grade 12, last names N to Z	MorleyC@spsd.sk.ca
Ms. Salamon	Grade 9 Grade 12 A to G	SalamonK@spsd.sk.ca
Ms. Grant	Grade 11, last names A to G, Grade 12, last names H to M	GrantK@spsd.sk.ca
Ms. McEwen	Grade 11 last names N to Z	mcewenj@spsd.sk.ca



The Home Economics Department is looking for the following donations to be used in the classroom....

Fabric, notions (buttons, zippers, etc.), cleaned yogurt/sour cream containers and take out containers. If ever you have any of the following laying around please drop them off to the school as we would greatly appreciate it.

2024-2025 Application for Admission is open

The application for admission for the 2024-2025 academic year is open. Applicants can fill out the online application form at <http://www.usask.ca/admission> and should follow the other steps required, including:

- paying the application fee
- Electronically submitting documents necessary to support an application for admission
- checking the status of the application

Questions about the application? Email admissions@usask.ca or call 306-966-5788.

Students will now be required to apply for admission prior to applying for awards. Two to three business days after applying for admission, students will receive their PAWS log-in ID and password in order to gain access to the awards application forms.

Guaranteed Entrance Scholarships

Students who apply for admission during their grade 12 year will automatically be considered for Guaranteed Entrance Scholarships based on either their average at the time of admission or following graduation, whichever is higher.

- Visit <https://admissions.usask.ca/money/scholarships.php> to learn about other scholarship opportunities available to our students.

Interested in the Trades after High School?

Attention all grade 11 and grade 12 students. Are you interested in a career in the Trades? Did you know that you can get paid to go to school and earn while you learn. If you are interested in a career in the trades you should attend the **presentation by Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship on Tuesday, November 21 in period 2 in the Auditorium.** Please sign in at the event.

THANK YOU TO THE HUBCITY TURNERS

Picture displayed are the members of Hubcity Turners Club working with students in the Industrial Arts program at a recent session with HCT members and students at the school.

For more information, go to Talk about win, win, win. - HubCityTurners found at: <https://hubcityturners.ca/talk-about-win-win-win/>



Walter Murray's Remembrance Day Service



On behalf of the Remembrance Day Committee and participants, thank you for your participation and support throughout the past month, leading up to the ceremony.

Our amazing staff, student body, and guests commented how wonderful everyone responded to the ceremonies and supported each other throughout the event.

If you were able to speak with our guests, Major Barry and Reg Harrison, what an honour it was to have these two here!! On top of that, to have the founders of Canada Remembers here, it was a great experience.

Our student participants did a wonderful job! Our MCs, Madeline and Nathan kept things on track and did well with their roles. The Colour Party and our Wreath Bearers did an amazing job with the coordination of this special component of the ceremony. Thanks to Darlene and her students in Pathways for representing our Indigenous Peoples

here at Murray! Also, to AEWS for the poppy drive and participation with the wreathes, as well.

The Band was awesome! The chorales at the beginning were beautifully performed. The main song later was also performed well. A very touching piece!

The Caretaking staff who tidied up afterwards with the carpet and stacking, THANK YOU!!! – I see you had Madeline and Nathan helping you out.

Thanks to Mr. Tysowski's GYM class for getting the auditorium back to normal with the chairs. I know it was short notice, but I appreciated it, so THANK YOU!!

Thanks to Rob and the staff who signed up for traffic control! Great job! From the gym floor, it looked like everything went smoothly. Thank you again!!

Thank you to the office staff for managing the bells and making our guests feel welcome!

Thank you to Admin for being with our guests before, during and after. Our guests were very grateful for your support and guidance.

I am sure there are more people to thank! Just know you are all amazing and appreciated!!

Until next year, LEST WE FORGET!

Darryl Heskin



Second World War II Veteran, Reg "Crash" Harrison and Major Barry were honoured at our service.

The Dance crew was a wonderful addition to the ceremony!

The Tech Crew ran the whole thing! Great student leaders there!

The amount of students who wanted to volunteer was unreal! This enthusiasm to be involved in our school will be something to look forward to for years to come!

DID YOU KNOW: World War 1 , ended on the 11th hour, of the 11th day, of the 11th month in 1918.



2024 Timeline of Graduation Activities!



RE: Graduation 2024

This letter was sent out via School Messenger on October 31, 2023 to all potential graduates and families from WMC Grad Committee. This information package is intended to highlight the dates and times for the Graduates of 2024.

- ◆ **Intent to Graduate Form** - All grade 12 students must complete the Intent to Graduate Form that is posted on the [WMC Class of '24 Edsby Group](#). This is to confirm or decline your participation in the Graduation Ceremony.
- ◆ **Graduation Photos** - Photos will take place at Walter Murray in the Library on January 22 to 26, 2024. A link to book your session with LifeTouch Photography is posted on the WMC Class of '24 Edsby group. The sitting fee is \$30.00 and will need to be paid at the time of your session.
- ◆ **Grad Write-ups** - All students participating in the graduation ceremony are asked to write a brief statement about themselves that will be read when they cross the stage. More information and deadline will be provided in semester 2.
- ◆ **Graduation Ceremony (In-Person Celebration)** - We will be hosting our Graduation Ceremony at Merlis Belscher Place (2010 College Drive) on Monday, June 24, 2024, beginning at 2:00pm. We ask that all graduates come at 1:15pm in their grad cap and gowns to line up for a 2pm start time. There are no tickets required for this ceremony and graduates can have as many guests as they like in attendance. Seating is first come first served and parking is free. **The ceremony will be approximately 2 – 2.5 hours.**
- ◆ **Graduation Gown Distribution** - We will be distributing gowns, stoles, caps, and tassels for students to keep. These will be distributed during the second week of June. We will let students know when they are able to pick them up. Students are required to bring their cap and gown to Merlis Belsher Place on June 24th.
- ◆ **Grad Folders and Documents** - All graduates will receive a graduation folder with their WMC graduation certificate, formal letters of congratulations, and other documents during the graduation ceremony. If a student is unable to attend the ceremony, folders will be available after the day of graduation and throughout summer for pick up. Office hours during the summer: Monday – Thursday 8am – 4pm, Friday 8am – 12pm. (Please call ahead to ensure someone is available to help you – 306-683-7850)
- ◆ **Graduation Fees** - All school fees need to be paid prior to graduation. These fees include the graduation fee that is used to pay for the cost of the cap and gown, graduation folder, and rental cost for the ceremony. ***If cost is a barrier, please see an administrator.***
- ◆ **Valedictorian** - The WMC Valedictorian is voted on by the grade 12 student body. Information on the process of applying to be elected as valedictorian will be posted in the school and on the WMC Class of '24 Edsby group. The nomination process will occur May 6 to 10 and voting on May 16.
- ◆ **Last day of school for grade 12 students is Friday, June 21st.** This is to ensure that all marks are calculated and submitted prior to graduation. In order to be eligible for graduation, students must have met all of the Ministry of Education graduation requirements by the end of semester 2:



2024 Timeline of Graduation Activities (continued)



- Grade 10 + Grade 11 + Grade 12 = a minimum of 24 credits
- Successfully completed all mandatory classes for Grade 10, 11, and 12
- Successfully completed at least five subjects numbered “30”
- Minimum of 9 electives, at least 6 in Grades 11 or 12

If you are unsure of your graduation status, please see your guidance counsellor in Student Services. All students, however, may attend the Parent Led After Grad Banquet and Dance regardless of graduation status. ***Please see the poster outside the main office for ongoing information regarding this parent-led event.***

See you at grad!
Graduation Ceremony Committee

GRADUATES TO-DO LIST

- 🎓 REQUEST TO JOIN THE WMC CLASS OF '24 EDSBY GROUP
- 🎓 COMPLETE YOUR INTENT TO GRADUATE FORM (Posted under the PINNED tab)
- 🎓 BOOK YOUR GRAD PHOTO ONLINE (Will be posted in Edsby group, deadline TBA)
- 🎓 CREATE AND SUBMIT YOUR GRAD WRITE UP (FEBRUARY 2024)
- 🎓 PAY ALL YOUR SCHOOL FEES AT THE MAIN OFFICE

SEE MRS. MCEWEN IN STUDENT SERVICES IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE FROM WALTER MURRAY, BUT YOU ARE...

- o Done classes at the end of Semester 1
- o attending a different collegiate in Semester 2
- o are full-time online Semester 2

DON'T FORGET...

- ◆ All documents are linked in the Edsby Group
- ◆ It is your responsibility to keep track of deadlines and submissions for graduation.
- ◆ Grad photo questions should be directed to Lifetouch at the number provided (1-888-676-1647)

Yearbook:

Please note that if you want to be in the yearbook as a graduating student, you must have a formal grad picture taken. If you cannot afford the sitting fee, please see a counsellor or administrator. If you miss the opportunity to have your photo taken at school, please make arrangements to have a formal picture taken by Lifetouch Canada no later than Friday, February 23, 2024. If you are in Grade 12 this year and do not plan to graduate or do not have a formal grad photo taken, your fall portrait will be included on a separate Grade 12 page in the yearbook.