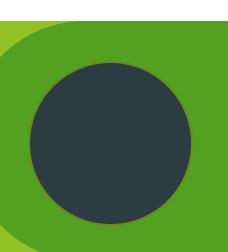
Graduation check in

Vanier Class of 2024!!





Agenda

- ← The final 50 days of High School
- Self-Care
- Grad Checklist
- Opportunities
- BBQ
- Grad Day events
- Memory makers

The final countdown



Self-care

Get lots of sleep

Drink lots of water

Exercise, make healthy choices

Use a calendar to plan items

Maintain social connections - friends are good!!!

Talk with a counsellor about next steps at Post-secondary - food, budgeting, navigating self, time management, balancing work / fun



Maintain your standards

13 years of schooling

- You have done well!!
- You have many fabulous memories
- Your families and staff are proud of you!!



- Poor choices (academically and socially) can change everything
- You are too valuable to throw it all away
- Many students have been sharing "I wish someone told me about attendance, grad credits, skipping classes the only reset button is "re-do"

Grad Checklist - Done by June 1st?

- Credit Check (80 credits)
- Good standing in classes
- Online Course(s) complete?
- Grad Bio
- Careers 12

- Capstone
- Fees paid
- Protocol & consent form signed for grad photo sharing in newspapers
- Literacy 10 + 12 & Numeracy 10 assessments completed

Bursary / Scholarship check in

- Congrats to all who applied your time investment is significant, and we hope you are rewarded.
- Selection processes are currently underway
- Other opportunities (not school specific) continue to pop up continue to watch.
- Many Indigenous-specific grants and bursaries continue to pop up - See Jeanie Walker for help if you wish.

The start of Celebrations:

- Bursary Evening June 11th successful applicants will be invited.
- Indigenous Grad Dinner May 29 personalized invitations will be sent to you and your family

Opportunities

- Check your name /
 photo posted on library glass last chance to edit changes Yearbook goes to print Apr 20
- Selecting your <u>valedictorians</u>
- Personalized message as you cross the stage (grad bio)



Grad BBQ - May 15 5:00 - 7:30 pm

Tickets will be available for grads & family members, siblings, friends, starting next week (\$5 each)

Tickets are used to help planning committee anticipate numbers for purchasing supplies and food

2 "bouncy obstacle courses" have been booked (see pic)

Raffle prizes will be available - VIP parking as well as VIP seats for your family







Vanier Tradition

- Classic Car Cruise
- Currently seeking classic cars & drivers
- Some grads have personal contacts
- Some grads have personal connection vehicles
- We need to know tell Mrs. Black

Plan ahead for memories

Some choose to go for family / friend photos in advance (day of or days ahead)

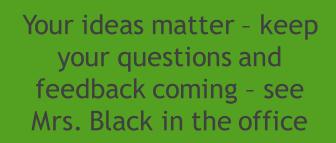
Goose spit, Comox

Filberg Lodge, Comox

Kye Bay, Comox

Must Be back at Vanier by 1:30 for snacks (provided), headcount, line up, class photo, shuttle to Rotary Bowl





Final tips

- Grad song choices will be collected soon
- Grad fees are due anytime now \$100
- Grad bio can be completed anytime now on Vanier website / grad tab / grad bio (only grads have access to the portal - parent cannot do for you.
- Grad bio link