



MEMSS

March 2021
Newsletter

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Bell Schedule:

8:40am – Warning Bell
8:45am-10:07am- Block 1
10:07am-10:22am- Recess Break
10:22am-11:43am – Block 2
11:43am-12:28pm – Lunch Break
12:28pm-1:49pm – Block 3
1:49pm – 1:59pm – Afternoon Break
1:59pm – 3:15pm – Block 4

Student Absenteeism:

Please contact the school whenever your child is absent from school. Homework requests are available upon request if your child is absent for an extended period.

Students Leaving the School:

Any student who needs to leave school for an appointment or needs to go home is required to sign out at the office. A parent/guardian must contact the school before the child is permitted to sign out.

Safety Protocol:

All parents/guardians, visitors and guests are required to call first. Please follow the COVID-19 protocols in place upon entering our school. Every person that comes into our school must immediately wash their hands, sign in and use a mask during their visit.



March Important Dates:

- March 2nd** – Staff Meeting
March 3rd – New Exploratory for Grade 8 classes begin
March 4th-12th – Student Learning Surveys led by Mrs. Byrd for all Grades 7, 10 & 12 students
March 5th – ALL GRAD forms are due into the office.
March 8th – Grade 7 Report Cards go home
March 9th – Department Head Meeting
March 10th & 11th – Early Dismissal Days/Parent Teacher Conferences
March 12th – Locker Clean Out (Lockers in Home Ec Hall will be painted over Spring Break!)
March 15th – 26th – Spring Break
March 29th – School Reopens (Block Rotation is BA – Day 2)

Upcoming Important Dates:

- April 2nd** – Good Friday
Monday, April 5th – Easter Monday
April 13th – Staff Meeting
April 15th – PAC Meeting (format TBA)
April 16th – STUDENT VOICE SESSION #2
April 19th – Quarter 4 begins
April 23rd – NID

June 18th - Graduation Ceremony in the Mount Elizabeth Theatre

School Awards Ceremony will be held in June
More information to come!

MEMSS MOMENTS

Hands for Humanity

Taught and led by: Ms. Katherine Johnsen

First People's Principles of Learning
Self-Identity and a Sense of Community
Mr. Durrant's Grade 9 English Class

"Communicating through images is a powerful means of expressing ideas and making meaning in our lives. The project we completed focused on the First People's Principles of Learning and included exploring one's identity recognizing the consequences of our actions and ultimately supporting the well-being of self and community. The students explored elements of their identity, connections to their community and to their culture. The hand becomes a symbol for respectful, kind and positive communication. We are encouraged to be mindful of our words and actions."

Ms. Johnsen

