

# Grad Assembly

## Welcome Grad Class 2021

Tuesday, October 14th  
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# Agenda

1. Welcome to your Grad year - Mr. Norris
2. Student Services - Mr. Loukes
3. CLC 12 Requirement - Mr. McKean (A-L) & Mrs. Daniells (M-Z)
4. Post Secondary - Mrs. Turnbull
5. Career Center - Mrs. Turnbull
6. Scholarship - Mrs. Daniells
7. Grad Council - Ms. Chan/Ms. Kirzinger

# How to Be a Successful High School Student

## Pressures of Grad Year

- Course pressure
- Events pressure
- Financial pressure
- “What’s Next” pressure
- Pandemic pressure

## How a Grad Can Help Themselves

- Stay focused on what you need to accomplish, one step at a time
- Stay organized and on top of what you need to do
- Continue to have down time

# Student Services

## Who to See

- Mrs. Leahy (A-L)
- Mr. Loukes (M-Z)
- Mrs. Leahy/Ms. Wohlberg (International Students)

## Position to Grad

## Online Courses

# CLC 12-at-a-Glance



1. Digital Profile (Oct. 13)
2. Capstone Proposal (Nov. 13)
3. Mentor (Dec. 13)
4. Health Plan (Jan. 29)
5. Post Graduation Plan (Mar. 13)
6. Capstone (Apr. 20)
7. 30 Hours (Apr. 20)

**Take it one  
step at a  
time. We are  
here to  
support you.**

# Career Life Connections 12

## Mr. McKean (A-L) & Mrs. Daniels (M-Z)





### To Do

- Join Google Classroom [wrbcxjv](#)
- Review course outline & complete Google form
- Begin Digital Profile assignment (due Oct. 13)

### Class Visits - What is the Capstone?

- We started visiting gr. 12 classes last week and will wrap up this week.
- If you missed an in-class presentation, please come by the Career Center.

# Digital Profile Assignment

	<b>Full Name Here</b> Reynolds Graduate - Class of 2020	Email here  Instagram here (if you have account)  Twitter here (if you have an account) 
Delete all instructional text, along with this box before submitting.		
(Input a <u>professional</u> looking photo of yourself here).		
<b>Competencies &amp; Skills:</b>  List 4 competencies or skills along with a short explanation of how you have demonstrated the competency or skill listed.  BC education has a focus on three core competencies, communication, thinking, and lastly personal & social. Each class contains specific curricular competencies. Explore this website for ideas: <a href="#">(click)</a>  Link to a website that lists 150 different skills <a href="#">(click)</a>	<b>Personal Bio:</b> Write a short passage about yourself. Who are you, what are your hobbies, what areas of study or work do you plan to pursue when you graduate high school?  Include an example of a project, task, or experience from your high school experience that has contributed to who you are.	<b>Careers That Interest Me:</b>  Provide a list of 3-5 careers that you see as a possibility in the future. Use these links: <a href="#">#1</a> <a href="#">#2</a> <a href="#">#3</a>
	<b>Growth</b> In this small space list a skill or competency you would like to develop or continue to develop further.  <b>Resume</b> Link your resume here. (Check sharing settings so we can open it!)	
<b>Links: (not required)</b> Use this space to link to any online content that is about you..		

# What is the Capstone?

A research project on something you are interested in learning about. Explore your topic in three ways:

- **Research:** use Youtube, websites, books.
- **Connect:** find a mentor who can listen to you and give guidance or advice.
- **Lived Experience:** Find a way to experience what you are learning about.

# Capstone Examples in Google Classroom

Can I Make My Car More Fuel  
Efficient?



How to Prepare for Music School



How to do an Archaeological Dig



# Capstone Project Mentor



- An adult, other than your parent or educator at Reynolds, who can talk to you a minimum of 3 times while working on your capstone. Beginning, middle and end. Give you feedback.
- Hand in **Mentor Agreement Form**

# Getting Started on Capstone



- Identify what you are interested in learning more about.
- Take it one step at a time. You have until April 2021, but it's important to get started.
- Your Capstone Proposal is due Nov. 13

# POST SECONDARY

## Mrs. Turnbull

- Post-secondary does not always mean university or college. For some it means volunteering, travelling and/or working.
- Whatever it is, we are here to support you as you start that journey.

# GPA or Research Universities

- Competitive GPA based admission.  
Supplemental information is sometimes required depending on your program
- Example: the big ones, such as UBC, SFU, UVic, U of T, McGill etc.

**\*\*Always check your institution for up to date information**

# First Applied-First Registered Post-Secondary Schools

- Example: Camosun, Douglas College
- Apply **early** for your best chance at getting what you want.
- If you meet the admission criteria and there is a seat, you apply first, you are in!
- **Note:** Camosun has four GPA based program offerings- Nursing, Medical Radiography, Sonography and the Athletic and Exercise Therapy program. There are different due dates for these programs. **Check the Camosun website for up to date information.**

# NURSING

- Highly competitive at all schools
- Camosun/UVic Application deadline is Dec 15th@noon  
**Apply through UVic** for this program.
- Work to attain your highest GPA possible, check all your grade 11 and 12 prerequisites.
- Camosun-Uvic admission is currently grades based only. Note: Douglas College (Vancouver) is accepting first qualified, first applied.

# Before you Apply

- Know the prerequisites for your program
- Know the application deadlines

For information check  
University and College websites,  
Career Centre & The CC Website

**[reynoldscareercentre.weebly.com](http://reynoldscareercentre.weebly.com)**

# When to Apply ?

- Institutions can have different dates
- Usually Oct 1
- Deadlines - each school can be different.  
The Nursing deadline is most often earlier than other programs.
- Major scholarship deadlines are early in the application cycle - Be sure to check this

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# How ?

BC - use the EducationPlanner if applying to more than one school.

Not all BC schools subscribe but links are listed here.

Alberta - ApplyAlberta

Ontario - OUAC (also separate college app site)

All others - go to the school websites to apply

**\*\*Application Centre's will add to the processing time - DO NOT wait until the last minute.**

# You will need...

1. PEN # (student services or Mrs. Turnbull can give this to you, it is also on your report card)
2. A copy of your final Gr 11 marks and any completed Gr 12 marks.
3. Credit or debit card to pay application fees (non-refundable).
4. Record the application confirmation number and the fee confirmation.

# Transcripts

Create an account with the  
**“Student Transcript Service”**

The BC Ministry of Education will send  
your transcript to the schools you select.

Do this now

**\*\*Some schools will still require you to send hard copy transcripts. Read all communication carefully - do not skim! If you miss something it is on you.**

# Checklist

1. Pay the application fee
2. Your application **will not** be fully processed until payment is received.
3. Submit your application and **save/print** the page with your application ID #.
4. By letter, but most likely **by email**, you will receive your **permanent** university or college **ID #** that is used to access your status, pay tuition, and choose courses.

**Do not lose this number**

At some institutions you must create an account to apply.

# After you have applied

- Check your email often
- Log into your personal account at the university/college using the student number sent to you from that institution.
- This is where you will find your next steps, self-report your grades(if required), apply for scholarships, submit extra supplemental applications, pay tuition, choose classes and correspond with future profs.

# Career Centre Updates

- We will continue to arrange Post-secondary information sessions via zoom. If there is a particular school you want to contact, let me know I can help you.
- University Fairs are also still happening - most are offered over many days to suit your schedule.
- Career Fairs will also be upcoming in a virtual format.
- Next up :
  - Wed, Oct 14th @ 3:15 Ivy School of Business at Western University
  - Wed, Oct 28th @11:25 Southern Vancouver Island Film Commission
  - Thurs, Oct 29th @ 11:10 UBC (group zoom in the library)
  - Tues, Nov 3rd @ 7:00 pm UVic
  - Tues, Nov 10th @ 7:00 pm - Camosun College
  - Tues, Nov 24th @ 3:15 Ryerson University
- All sessions will be posted to the App, TV's and the Career Centre website, please check often.

**Connect with the Career Centre for access to the information sessions**

# Scholarship 12



- Class meets Wed. @ lunch in the gym by **ASSIGNED GROUP**. Registered students with last name A-L are group 1. Registered students with last name M-Z are group 2.
- Join Google classroom **ymej3ap** to receive a weekly scholarship update.
- **Purpose:** learn about scholarships & how to apply

# Reynold Students Earn Scholarships

**2019     \$594,518\***

## ***PREVIOUS YEARS***

<b>2018</b>	<b>\$ 470, 000</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>\$ 289, 000</b>
<b>2016</b>	<b>\$ 524, 550</b>
<b>2015</b>	<b>\$ 608, 800</b>
<b>2014</b>	<b>\$1, 303, 751</b>
<b>2013</b>	<b>\$ 351, 242</b>
<b>2012</b>	<b>\$ 544, 285</b>
<b>2011</b>	<b>\$ 215, 450</b>



*\*Based on students self reporting scholarships earned. Includes renewable scholarship amounts. Figures reported here are best estimates.*

# Numeracy and Literacy Assessment

- You must have completed Numeracy 10 to graduate
  - You should have completed this already
  - If you have not completed it please email Ms. Chan at [achan@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:achan@sd61.bc.ca)
    - Those who have not written will write  
JANUARY 29, 2021
- You are exempt from the Literacy 10 Assessment
- There will be no Literacy 12 Assessment

# Online Courses

- If you are planning to take a course online:
  - Register now so you can get going on it
- If you are currently in an online course:
  - Need to be almost complete by April 2021
    - Set a goal for 50% done by Christmas
    - **DO NOT PROCRASTINATE**

If you are using an online course for Post-secondary admissions - check your PSI for due dates.



# Grad Committee

Meet Fridays at 10:30 Location TBD- Listen to the announcements

ALL grads welcome to join

Winter formal

Grad song

Grad events

Grad class gift

Grad valedictorian

Prom

Grad ceremony

Anything else GRAD

# Grad 2021

- **Grad Photos**
  - Nov. 16-24
  - \$25 sitting fee, this DOES NOT include photos
  - <http://schedule.prestigeportraits.ca>
  - Grad Retakes Jan 28 and Jan 29
  
- **Winter Grad Dinner Dance?**
  - Booked for Dec 11
- **Grad Banquet?**
  - Booked for May 15
- **Grad Ceremony**
  - Booked for June 18



# Questions?