

June 25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018



# Bear Tracks

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## IMPORTANT DATES

### THIS WEEK

<b>June 25</b>	<b>2143</b> 9:00 am – EN 12 Provincial exam 1:00 pm – EFP 12 Provincial exam
<b>June 26</b>	<b>6587</b> 9:00 am - Numeracy Assessment (Gr. 11's last name A-K) 12:30 pm - Numeracy Assessment (Gr. 11's last name L-Z)
<b>June 27</b>	<b>2143</b> 9:00 am - Numeracy Assessment (Gr. 10's last name A-K) 9:00 am – COM 12 Provincial exam 12:30 pm - Numeracy Assessment (Gr. 10's last name L-Z) 7:00 pm – Awards night
<b>June 28</b>	<b>6587</b> 9:00 am – Report card distribution in home room 10:00 am – Bus pickup
<b>June 29</b>	<b>2143</b> Administrative Day

### AUGUST

<b>Aug. 27</b>	School office re-opens 8:30 am – Link Crew Training
<b>Aug. 28</b>	Pro-D 8:30 am – Link Crew Training
<b>Aug. 29</b>	Pro-D 10:00 am – Gr. 9 & 10 orientation in Bear gym
<b>Aug. 30</b>	Pro-D
<b>Aug. 31</b>	

## PARENT/STUDENT INFORMATION

### **Change to Provincial Assessment Schedule for August Session of the Graduation Numeracy**

**Assessment:** The August 2018 session of the Graduation Numeracy Assessment will be cancelled and moved to November 5-7, 2018. There is no change to the existing [Provincial Assessment/Exam Schedule](#) for the Language Arts 12 Provincial Exams. Email questions to: [student.certification@gov.bc.ca](mailto:student.certification@gov.bc.ca)

### **Pawprints**

Please check out the latest and final edition for this year of the Pawprints newsletter at [www.mbspawprints.ca](http://www.mbspawprints.ca)

**Outstanding school fees** are due now. Visit <https://centralokanagan.schoolcashonline.com> to register and pay online. Please contact an administrator if you have any financial concerns.

### **Principal Assessment Schedule**

Monday, June 25 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	English 12
Monday, June 25 <sup>th</sup>	1:00 pm	English First Peoples 12
Tuesday, June 26 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Numeracy Assessment Grade 11 (Last Name A-K)
Tuesday, June 26 <sup>th</sup>	12:30 pm	Numeracy Assessment Grade 11 (Last Name L-Z)
Wednesday, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Communication 12 12
Wednesday, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am	Numeracy Assessment Grade 10 (Last Name A-K)
Wednesday, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	12:30 pm	Numeracy Assessment Grade 10 (Last Name L-Z)

\*This year the new Numeracy Assessment will be implemented. All grade 10 and 11 students will be completing this assessment. Please make note of the following dates and times for your student:

For more information on this New Graduation requirement, please follow the link:

<http://www.mbs.sd23.bc.ca/Documents/Gr10%2011%20Numeracy%20Assessment.pdf>

### **School Bus Registration**

School bus registration for the 2018-2019 school year is now open. Students must be registered for school bus transportation each year. A discount of \$25 per child will be applied for early registrants. To receive the discount, the first installment payment of the transportation fee must be paid by June 30th. To register or for information regarding eligibility, courtesy riders, bus passes, route information and school bus rider rules, visit <http://www.sd23.bc.ca/ProgramsServices/SchoolBus>.

### **Link Leader**

Interested in becoming a LINK leader to welcome our grade 9 & 10 students of 2018/19, please see Ms. Bedwell in the Career Ctr.

### **Canadian Student Leadership Conference**

Are you interested in attending the Canadian Student Leadership Conference in Edmonton in September? Applications are due Thursday June 21. See Ms. Bedwell in the Career Ctr.

### **BC Student Leadership Conference**

Any students interested in attending the BC Student Leadership conference at Rockridge Canyon in October, applications are due Thursday June 21! See Ms. Bedwell in the Career Ctr.

## GRADUATION

**All Grade 12 students need to complete the online Post-Secondary Institutions (PSI) Selections Form** at <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>. Students must log-in using their BC Government account (called BCeID) and choose their PSI selections from their StudentTranscripts Service (STS) Dashboard. Even if a student is currently not interested in attending post-secondary, they should still choose to forward their transcript to all BC Electronic PSI's. The School Board Office receives significant requests in summer for transcripts from students who did not complete the PSI form and have now decided to attend post-secondary.

**Please ensure that your Grade 12 student's address is correct.** At the end of July, the Ministry of Education will mail Grade 12 Transcripts to the student's address provided by the school. If you move during the summer, you will need to submit your address change directly to the Ministry via email [trax.data@gov.bc.ca](mailto:trax.data@gov.bc.ca) or fax (250) 356-0171. Include student's full legal name and Personal Education Number (PEN), or date of birth if you do not know the PEN.

## CAREER LIFE PROGRAMS

**Please visit the Career Centre for information or further details on any of the following:**

### Volunteer Opportunities:

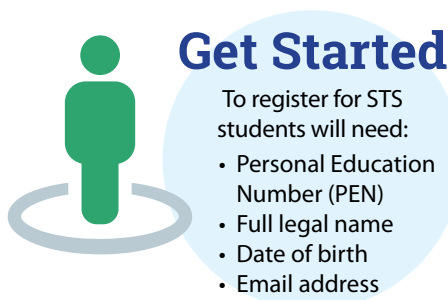
- ❖ **RIBFEST** – Volunteers needed to help out with this fundraising event benefitting JoeAnna's House – See the CC for more information.
- ❖ **PEACHLAND FARMERS & CRAFTERS MARKET** – Volunteers will greet visitors to the market as well as assist vendors. More information is available in the CC.
- ❖ **INTER-GENERATIONAL COMPUTER LITERACY** - Help seniors in the community teaching basic computer skills at the Peachland Wellness Centre. See CC for more info.



# Student Transcripts Service

## Information For Students

**Student Transcripts Service (STS)** is an online application for students to view their school marks, transcripts, scholarships and send transcripts electronically to post secondary institutions and employers.



**Step 1** Go to the Ministry of Education's **Transcripts and Certificate website** at <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>.

**Step 2** You **must sign up** for a BCeID before you can use the Student Transcripts Service. For BCeID signup, you need to:

- Complete the fields to register for a basic BCeID
- Select your password reset questions and answers (*remember these* as you will need them if you forget your password)
- Follow the system prompts and sign up for Student Transcripts Service.

[Sign Up for a BCeID](#)

**Step 3** Log-in to Student Transcripts Service using your BCeID.

When registering for the Student Transcript Service using your BCeID, you will be prompted to:

- Enter your student information used by your school (see **Get Started** information above)
- Read the personal data collection info and complete the process by clicking "submit"
- An email will be sent to the email address provided and must be activated within 24 hours of receipt or you will need to complete the registration process again
- Once activated, you will be able to log onto STS using your BCeID and password.

[Log in with BCeID](#)

**Step 4** From your STS Dashboard, you can choose your post-secondary institutions (PSIs) selections, preview, send and order transcripts, view exam and assessment results and view scholarship information. Please note that all transcripts previewed in the STS are considered unofficial, but official transcripts will be sent out when ordered.

You will need to consent to the STS privacy notice which enables the ministry to send your transcripts to your selected PSIs by paper or electronically depending on how the PSI is able to receive transcripts. Printed copies of transcripts may take up to 3 weeks for processing and delivery to your selected PSIs.

### Troubleshooting:

For BCeID questions: <https://www.bceid.ca>

For Student Transcripts questions: [Studenttranscripts@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Studenttranscripts@gov.bc.ca).