



WVSS Information Bulletin

A Weekly Update of School Information for Parents and Guardians

June 10, 2021

This information bulletin includes several updates for families:

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1. WVSS Email and Google Accounts for Graduating Students

Just a reminder that graduating student's school email and Google accounts will be closed down some time during the summer. Grade 12's, please download any information you want to keep and transfer to personal accounts.

2. WVSS 2021 Sports Day

We will be having an old school Sports Day of Fun to celebrate Grade 12s and all participating athletes on June 29th at 12:00 pm. Volleyball, Football and Rugby balls plus a dash contest or two? Ice Cream, music and your coaches to wish you well! All athletes from Grade 8 – 12 are invited!

3. Graduation Assessments: June 14- 17, 2021: Literacy and Numeracy

Any grade 10 or 11 student who missed the Numeracy or Literacy Assessment will write those assessments June 14-17th, 2021. Students will receive an individual memo in their class Friday indicating the date, time and location of the exam. These assessments are required for graduation purposes and **students should prepare**. Sample assessments, videos and more information can be found [here](#) for Literacy and [here](#) for Numeracy. Any questions, please contact Crystal Tanfara ctanfara@wvschools.ca

4. Let's do this WVSS: ParticipACTION and The Community Better Challenge!

Who's Leading the ParticipACTION Challenge? Keep up the great work West Vancouver Schools! Thank you for continuing to MOVE and to be involved in the ParticipACTION 2021 Challenge helping the entire community of West Vancouver become the most active community in Canada. We remain optimistic working hard to win this competition so that the proceeds can help in the completion of The Place for

Sport. Thank you for continuing to enter your daily minutes! Please see the attached flyer for our recent standing in the competition. Go West Vancouver Go!

5. The WVSS Current has finally been released!!

Congratulations to all the writers and the artists who've made it this far. Don't forget to come pick up the copies for yourself and your loved ones to celebrate this fine occasion together! Each copy is \$10 and the sale will be held next week Monday (May 31st) during lunch in Ms. Cormier's room (W246). See you there!

6. Student Fees - School Cash Online

The direct link to the program is <https://westvancouver.schoolcashionline.com/> **School fees were due March 31st, 2021.**

7. Pursuit Update: 2021-2022: Please see website for application dates

West Vancouver Schools District Pursuit Program has been updated. Please see the website [here](#) for more information and upcoming dates.

8. WV Premier Academies

There is limited availability in the following 2021-2022 Premier Academies and District Programs:

Academies - Baseball, Fencing, Field Hockey, Rugby, and Soccer

District Programs - Fashion Industry and Honour Choir

Please visit <https://westvancouver.schools.ca/> and click on the drop-down menus for detailed information. Students from Rockridge, Sentinel and West Vancouver Secondary are welcome to come and visit our Academies this school year to see how the programs run. Please contact Diane Nelson at the Academy Office (dnelson@wvschools.ca) to find out further information on these exciting opportunities.

9. Summer Learning with West Vancouver Schools – open now!

The following courses have space available in the 2021 Summer Learning session. Students who are interested in any of them should register by June 14th. After that date, courses that do not have enough enrollment will be cancelled.

- Composition and Literary Studies 10 (English 10)
- Language and Cultural Literacy 10 (ELL)
- Social Studies 10
- Literary Studies 11 (English 11)
- Life Sciences 11 (Biology 11)
- Anatomy and Physiology 12 (Biology 12)
- 20th Century World History 12
- Physics 12

10. Harry Jerome Oval in WV – to donate please visit wvpfs.org

We know that a community can be transformed by sport, as it has the power to unite people in a way that little else does. West Vancouver Schools is a proud supporter of the Harry Jerome Oval which we hope will become the most vital sports facility on the North Shore. For more information or if you would like to donate to the Oval please visit wvpfs.org

11. WV Memorial Library's Virtual Summer Reading Club starts June 1!

Registration for the West Vancouver Memorial Library's Virtual Summer Reading Club starts June 1! SRC is a free, at-home, self-directed program to keep kids motivated with reading over the summer. The Library will also be offering dozens of virtual programs for kids and families in July and August. Register and get more information on SRC here (wvml.ca/src). Older students (Grades 6+) can find out more about Teen Reading Club here (wvml.ca/trc).

12. Ultimate Team Sport for the Summer

If you are looking to improve your ultimate frisbee or disc golf skills, check out Elevate Ultimate's summer programs! They are running evening and weekend programs at Kirkstone Turf and Eastview Park. You can check out their [ultimate academy here](#), and [disc golf academy here](#).

13. National STEAM Virtual Summer Camp

July 19-23 for all students entering grade 7-12. Please see attached flyer for details.

14. Stay Informed: Keep Your Address & Contact Information Up to Date!

All Parents and Guardians will be emailed this e-bulletin weekly to keep you up to date with our school information and upcoming events. Our Student absence system will make daily contact by telephone or email to alert parents of unexcused absences. Occasionally, we do send documents and information to homes by regular mail. To ensure that you stay informed in all of these ways, please email the school office at wvss@wvschools.ca and let us know if you change your email, phone contact information or move to a new address.

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