



L'École Secondaire

Oak Bay High

May, 2024

Dear Parents, Guardians & Students,

Here are some of the important dates for this week:

May 6 - 10 -COMPASS Survey (all students)

May 8, 2024 -Team Planning (first period classes begin at 9:55 am)

May 9, 2024 -Trades Expo -all students

For those of you who wish to connect with our daily announcements, please go to the following link:

<https://oakbay.sd61.bc.ca/news-events/announcements/>

Learning Update (Report cards)...

Third quarter Learning Updates are now available on-line. These reports can be found on the school

website under the 'Parent Info' tab > 'Parent Portal' or at the following link::

<https://oakbay.sd61.bc.ca/parent-info/my-ed-for-parents/>

You will need the email address and postal code that has been provided to the school to be able to access your child's info.

Careers....

On Thursday, May 9th, Oak Bay High will be hosting our 1st *Trades Expo*. Our primary goal for hosting this event is to provide our high school students with valuable exposure to the diverse and dynamic world of trades. By bringing in representatives from various trade areas, we aim to offer students the opportunity to interact with professionals who can share their experiences and expertise. Students can expect a showcase of equipment, trailers, and informative tables.

Please be aware that on that day, there will be NO ACCESS TO THE FRONT PARKING OFF OF CADBORO BAY ROAD, please use an alternative drop off/pick up location.

Thank you for your support as we provide an opportunity for students to explore career options in the trades industry.

Capstone Celebration....

Congratulations to all of our grade 12 students who presented their Capstone projects this past week. We have an amazing class of graduating students and to see their long list of accomplishments is so incredibly impressive. It is an honour to work with such an outstanding group!

Red Dress Day...

On Friday May 3 Red dresses and posters with information will be going up around the school in support of the Red Dress Campaign bringing awareness to the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Children and 2SLGBTQ+ people, supporting the TRC call to action 41 on our path towards reconciliation. Sunday May 5th is the official red dress day, our dresses will remain up until May 16th which will culminate with our Moose hide campaign encouraging people, particularly men and boys, to stand up to end the violence against women, children and 2SLGBTQ+ members of our society. Over this two week period we encourage parents, students and staff to have frank conversations about violence towards women, children and 2SLGBTQ+ members of our society. This violence transcends social & economic status, ethnicity, orientation, identity and culture.

Hot lunch program...

See the following [menu](#) for May

For those families interested in purchasing school meals, the subsidised cost is \$5 per meal, Purchases may be made in cash or through the school website where food cards can be purchased. <https://sd61.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/54290/140/False/True>