



Friday, May 20

Hi Grade 12 Gryphons,

This edition is dedicated to Commencement and free tuition for pre-trades programs!

YOUR COMMENCEMENT TO-DO LIST!

1. **Book June 28th** in your calendar and inform your guests. Arrive at The Hamilton Convention Centre at 2:00 P.M..
2. If you did not submit your **Gown size**, please **see Ms. Nemeth** in the Main Office.

3. **Submit Guest form** for Commencement:

https://forms.office.com/pages/designpagev2.aspx?origin=OfficeDotCom&lang=en-US&route=Start&subpage=design&id=aq-er6xg0ypdMQ6iyFWNGiW_m0wo-dCrbS4-UwyHjFUMk5JRTZFNjc1MTNWQlkzR0I4RFITQUE3TS4u

4. **Complete your Grad bio** electronically by June 3 using this form):

<https://forms.office.com/r/nGj9UL2wyz>

5. **Pay the Commencement fee** – more details will follow once we know the price and can activate School Cash Online.

NOTE:

Due to technical challenges at the venue, we will not be able to run a slide show at Commencement as we'd hoped, so we no longer need you to submit your baby photos.

Valedictorian Inspiration

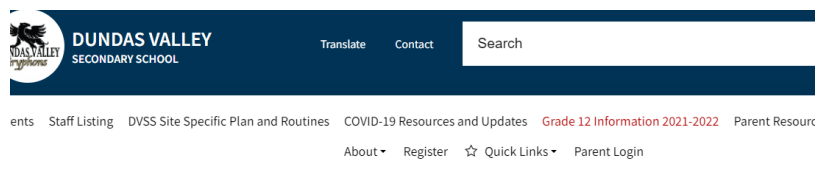
Your Valedictorian, Rachel Northwood-Torrens is looking for feedback from Grads on **favorite memories of DVSS** as inspiration for her Valedictorian address.

Starting Wednesday, May 25th you can share your memories using the form below. The form will close at 11:59 pm on Wed. June 1st.

Here's the link:

<https://forms.office.com/r/3CbRaJmavz>

If you missed the Commencement meeting in the cafeteria on Tuesday, please look at the DVSS website under Grade 12 Information – we have posted it there for you.



Here's the link:

[Commencement Information \(hwdsb.on.ca\)](http://hwdsb.on.ca)

FREE TUITION FOR TRADES!!!

If you are interested in a cost-free way to explore trades at Conestoga College, please see your Guidance Counsellor, Mr. Lane or Mr. Radix for the detailed email from Conestoga. The 4 programs offered are as follows:

General Carpenter – *Begins July 25*

Welder/Metal Fabricator – *Begins June 27*

**Intro to Construction (Carpentry, Electrical, Plumbing and Welding) –
*Begins July 4***

Women in Trades, General Carpenter – *Begins September 12*

Happy long weekend!

Your Guidance and Commencement Teams