

Monday April 14th, 2025

GRADE 12 WEEKLY LETTER 14

Hi there Grade 12s!

- **PAY YOUR COMMENCEMENT FEE**
- **PAY FOR YOUR PROM TICKETS**
- **MIDTERM MARKS DUE ON THURSDAY**
- **ADVICE FOR OFFERS OF ADMISSION**
- **WHAT IS OSAP?**
- **GRAD AWARD ALERT!**

## COMING UP IN THE NEXT 2 WEEKS...

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
14	15  <b>LAST DAY TO PAY COMMENCEMENT FEES ON SCHOOL CASH ONLINE</b>	16	17  Midterm Marks Submitted by Teachers	18  GOOD FRIDAY
21  EASTER MONDAY	22  <b>LAST DAY TO PAY FOR PROM TICKETS ON SCHOOL CASH ONLINE</b>	23  PROM TABLE FORMS DUE TO THE MAIN OFFICE	24	25  MIDTERM MARKS SENT HOME

## Midterm Marks are due on Thursday

Please ensure you have submitted all necessary work, as universities and colleges will base their next round of offers on those midterm marks.

# Advice for responding to offers of admission:

- Use a computer/desktop to read through the details of your offer... phones sometimes do not allow you to see all the necessary links
- Read through the offer and take notes on what your next steps are
- Write down the deadline for paying the deposit for your tuition
- Write down the deadline for requesting to be considered for residence
- **MOST IMPORTANTLY: if you have questions, call the university/college admissions office... they are your best source for information if you have questions!**

## Funding College and University: OSAP

What is OSAP?

The Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP) is a financial aid program that can help you pay for college or university.

OSAP offers funding through:

- grants: money you don't have to pay back
- a student loan: money you need to repay once you're done school

When you apply for OSAP, they automatically consider you for both grants and a loan. If you don't want to take a loan, and you're a full-time or part-time student, you can decline it after your application is approved.

**Will I qualify for OSAP?** Click on this link to find out!

[OSAP Aid Estimator for Full-Time Students: Home Page](#)

# **New Graduation Award: Dundas War Memorial Award for a current/former Cadet or Reservist!**

Please see us in Guidance if you would like to be considered for this \$500 graduation award. Note the criteria below!

## Dundas War Memorial Award

### School

Dundas Valley Secondary  
Westdale Secondary

### Award Established

2025

### Background

Established by a citizen of Dundas, this award was created in grateful memory of the men of Dundas who gave their lives in the South African War, World War 1, and World War 2.

### Form of Award

Cash award

### Value of the Award

The amount of the cash award will be \$500.00 per award, per school.

### Criteria

1. The award will be presented to a current or former cadet in the Royal Canadian Sea Cadets Corps Dundas, the Royal Canadian Air Cadets 735 Firebird Squadron, 2347 Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders of Canada Regimental Cadet Corps, Canadian Armed Forces reservist or Dundas Pipes and Drums who is pursuing post secondary education in Ontario and demonstrates financial assistance. Preference can be given to a student who is a resident of Dundas and/or who has participated in a Dundas or Hamilton Remembrance Day parade for at least 3 years.



Have a wonderful week!

Your guidance team...

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