

EMCS Weekly Message for October 19th, 2017

It is a short week for students here at EMCS with a non-instructional day on Friday. The extra day off may be a great way to work on assignments or study to get prepared for the end of term on November 10th. There is still time to catch up and finish strong before report cards come home on November 20th. Dual credit registration packages are due back to the office on Wednesday and the Leadership class has lots of fun in store for us as we lead to Halloween. As always, if you are concerned about the progress of your student, please contact their teacher, their counsellor or the office. Regular communication is a great way to help with student success.

Post-Secondary Information & Application Nights at EMCS

Grade 11 & 12 students and their parents/guardians are invited to the following post-secondary presentations at EMCS!

Find out about:

- programs
- admission requirements
- student housing
- athletic opportunities
- scholarships
- and much more!!

Following the presentations, EMCS Counsellors and post-secondary representatives will be available in the computer lab to assist any Grade 12 students wishing to complete the online application that evening. Students planning to apply that evening should bring a credit card for the online application fee.

Vancouver Island University

- Tuesday, October 24 at 7:00 pm, room 2039 at EMCS

University of BC Information Night

- Tuesday, November 14 at 7:00pm in the EMCS Theatre
- Information will be shared regarding both UBC campuses: UBC Vancouver and UBC Okanagan.
- Due to the more involved application process for UBC, students will not be able to apply online at this event.

Camosun College

- Tuesday, November 21 at 7:00pm in the EMCS Theatre

EMCS Grade 12 Check list

See the EMCS website for a month-by-month checklist of important tasks that will help keep Grade 12 students organized during their final year of high school.

The checklist for October is attached.

Scholarships and Bursaries

The EMCS Financial Aid Handbook has been updated and is available on the EMCS website. (Students tab.... Graduation sub-tab.... Scholarships, Bursaries & Student Loans)

This booklet is a must-read for Grade 12 students planning to apply for scholarships and bursaries this year.

Important Upcoming Dates:

Oct.25th – Dual Credit Packages are due to the office.

Oct. 30th – Photo retakes

Oct. 31st – Halloween Dress-up

Nov. 8th – PAC Meeting @ 6:30pm

Nov. 10th – Term #1 ends

Nov. 11th – Remembrance Day

Nov. 13th – Remembrance Day Stat in Lieu (no classes)

Nov. 14th – Term #2 begins

Nov. 20th - Report cards distributed during homeroom

Nov. 23rd – Learning Conferences (3hr early dismissal)

Nov. 24th – Non-instructional Day