



AMHS Bulletin

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Important Upcoming Dates

- March 21 - 24 - Interim Reports
- March 24 - School Council Meeting
- March 26 - Ontario Vocal Festival
- March 27 - High Tea Improvisation Night
- April 2 - Euclid Math Math Contest
- April 3 - Fryer/Galois/Hypatia Math Contest
- April 3 - Parent Teacher Interview/ Degree and Pathway Panel
- April 3 - Dance and Theatre Field Trip
- April 7 - Fire Drill
- April 9-11 - OSSLT
- April 9 - Course Verifications for 2025-2026 due

School Cash Online

- Graduation Ceremony
- School Dance

School News

School Council Meeting

The School Council Meeting will be on March 24 at 7:00 pm in the library learning commons.

Interview Night

Interview Night is on **Thursday April 3, 2025** from **6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** You will have an opportunity to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher(s) in person, and learn more about their course(s). Families can use **TeachAssist**, an online platform, to schedule a meeting time with their children's teacher(s) on Interview Night. All students in our

school currently have a TeachAssist account to access information associated with their class assessments.

Families may access appointment bookings on March 24, 2025 **at 8:30 a.m.** through the TeachAssist Parent Portal available at <https://ta.yrdsb.ca/parents>. From there, enter in your email address and leave the password blank, to set up a one time access link, or to reset a password that you've created. An email will be sent with a time limited link that will look similar to this:

teachassist@yrdsb.ca
To: parent_email

Click here for your one time access to teachassist
<https://ta.yrdsb.ca/live/parents/listReports.php?email=parent&token=serdftyugio678>

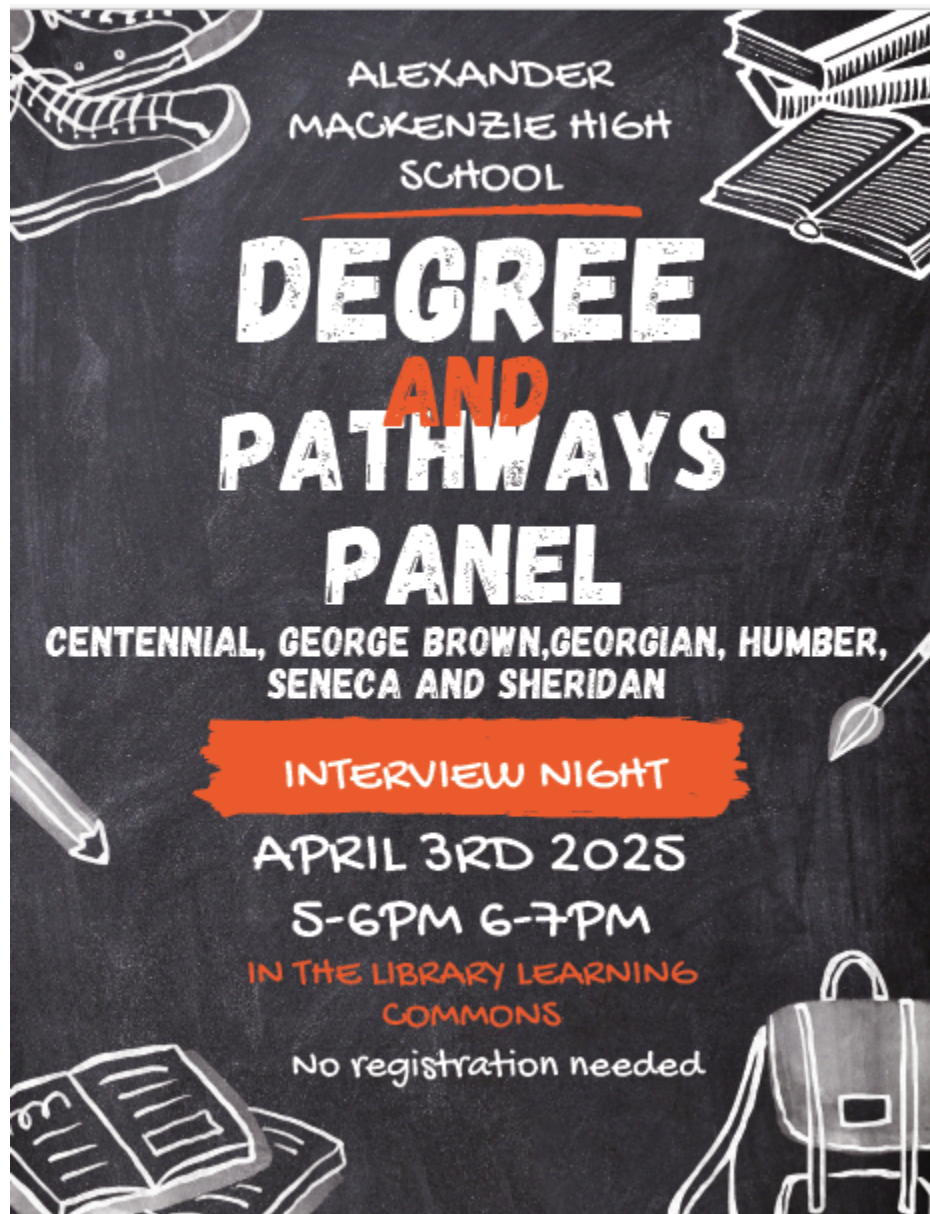
Once logged in, families will have the option to set up a password. For instructions on how to book an interview through TeachAssist, please click [here](#). If you have any questions about this process, please contact our main office.

If you cannot attend interview night on Thursday April 3, 2025, please contact your child's teacher to make alternative arrangements for another day. Please note some staff may not be available on interview night as it is a faith day, if you would like to meet with a staff member that is not available please email the staff and they will make alternative arrangements.

Important Timelines

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| March 24, 2025 | The TeachAssist Schedule opens at (8:30 a.m.) for booking. Families will go to the TeachAssist portal https://ta.yrdsb.ca/parents to book their appointment(s). |
| March 21 -24, 2025 | Interim Reports will be distributed electronically to families / 18+ students via the Electronic Distribution Process. |
| April 2, 2025 | Interview Scheduler closes at 3:10 p.m. |
| April 3, 2025 | Interview Night (6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.) |

Degree and Pathway Panel Session



Summer School 2025

YRDSB Summer School information has been updated on their website. Sign-ups occur on myblueprint and will start on April 15th. Online courses go quick so be sure to set a reminder to register. Attached is the [site information](#) and the [registration instructions](#).

AMHS Teacher Vs Student Basketball Event

On March 6th, AthCo organized a Teacher vs. Student Basketball Event after school hours. The event was well-attended by students supporting both teams, creating an enjoyable atmosphere. The game was highly competitive, with the final score resulting in a one-point victory for the students. We would like to express our appreciation to the staff and students who participated and contributed to the event's positive atmosphere.



GMG March Madness Basketball Fundraiser

On Thursday, March 20th, we held our annual GMG March Madness Basketball Fundraiser. The event was a huge success, with students having a fantastic time and the Phys Ed staff adding to the excitement by dressing as referees. A big thank you to everyone who attended and supported our fundraiser. Congratulations to "The Yellow Team" for winning the home tournament. We look forward to seeing you at our GMG 3-on-3 Volleyball Fundraiser in April.





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Krispy Kreme fundraiser in support of the AMHS school council.
Funds raised will go towards the Graduation Ceremony.



Board News

Budget Survey and Consultations

YRDSB is inviting staff, families, and community members to participate in the annual budget consultation process taking place until April 18, 2025. These opportunities for staff and public input provide the Board with important information about how staff and the broader community would like the budget to be allocated to continue supporting student achievement and well-being in York Region.

Survey: The [online survey](#) will be available until April 18, 2025.

Public Consultation Date: In addition to the survey, a virtual consultation session will take place on Monday, April 7 at 7:00 p.m.:

- For listen only, telephone access to the webinar, dial 647-497-9385 and enter access code 732-589-625; or,
- [Register for online access to the consultation session.](#) After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Student Attendance

General inquiries and student attendance information can be sent directly to the AMHS attendance email address at alexandermackenziehs.attendance@yrdsb.ca.

You may also call the school Main Office directly at 905-884-0554.

If your child is arriving late to school due to an appointment or another reason, please ensure that you confirm their late arrival with a call or email to our attendance office. Thank you.