



AMHS Bulletin

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Important Upcoming Dates

- May 26 - School Council Meeting @7:00pm
- May 26 - Fire Drill
- May 26 - Ultimate Frisbee @ Bayview
- May 28 - Fire Drill (Rain date)
- May 29 - Ultimate Frisbee @ Langstaff
- May 29 - Prom
- May 30 - StuCo Elections
- June 2, 3, 5 - Credit Rescue Days
- June 4 - School Carnival
- June 4 - IB Banquet
- June 5 - Drama Dance Banquet

School News

School Council Meeting

School Council meeting is on May 26, 2025 at 7:00 pm in the learning commons.

Volunteer Hours for Graduating Students

Students who are graduating are reminded to submit volunteer hours by **June 1** as it is a requirement for graduation.

School Carnival and Wellness Day

On June 4 AMHS will be having its AMHS Carnival and Wellness Day. Students' classes will be running on an alternative schedule.

Alternative Schedule

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| Period 1 | 8:30 am - 9:20 am |
| Period 2 | 9:25 am -10:15 am |
| Period 3 | 10:20 am - 11:10 am |
| Period 4 | 11:15 am - 12:05 pm |
| Period 5 | 12:10 pm - 1:00 pm |

Wellness and Carnival activities will begin at 1:00 pm - 3:10 pm. Food trucks will be at Carnival for students to purchase food and treats.

Grade 9 Math EQAO

On June 11 and 12, Grade 9 students taking Mathematics this semester will be taking part in the provincial Grade 9 Assessment of Mathematics created by the Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO), an independent agency of the Government of Ontario. This assessment is administered to all students in Grade 9 mathematics courses in Ontario's publicly funded school system. The results of the EQAO Grade 9 assessment of mathematics will be included in the final evaluation of the Grade 9 mathematics course for 10% of the final mark.

Culminating and Exams

Students will be beginning Summative coursework in June.

Exam Schedule

All exams begin at 8:30 am

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| June 18, 2025 | Period 1 Exams |
| June 19, 2025 | Period 2 Exams |
| June 20, 2025 | Period 3 Exams |
| June 23, 2025 | Period 4 Exams |
| June 24, 2025 | Period 5 Exams |
| January 25, 2025 | Exam Review Day (Alternative Schedule) |

Board News

Black Foundation of Community Networks (BFCN) Scholarships and 2025 Scholarship Directory

Black Foundation of Community Networks (BFCN) 14th Annual Scholarships Application: This year, BFCN will be awarding four \$1000 scholarships to qualifying students pursuing education at an accredited Canadian University or College in September 2025. Two scholarships will be awarded to undergraduate students and two scholarships will be awarded to graduate students. **Learn more and register by July 31, 2025.**

Black Foundation of Community Networks (BFCN) 11th Annual Aim 2 Achieve Awards Application

The Aim 2 Achieve Award will recognize Black students who are celebrating achievement after facing adversity. This year BFCN will be awarding two Aim 2 Achieve awards. The recipients of the \$1000 award will be students graduating from a Canadian secondary school or CEGEP and who will be attending an accredited Canadian University or College in September 2025 to pursue undergraduate education. Perseverance and dedication are two qualities that the Aim 2 Achieve winners must embody and believe in. Achievement exists in many different forms and we want to hear about yours! **Learn more and register by July 31, 2025.**

Black Foundation of Community Networks (BFCN) Scholarship Directory 2025

The **BFCN Scholarship Directory** is a free, detailed, and up-to-date compilation of 50+ available scholarships, awards, and bursaries for youth pursuing post-secondary education primarily at the undergraduate level. This directory was created to support Black students and their families, educators, guidance counselors, and coaches search, find, and apply for funding opportunities.

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.