



December 22nd, 2023

Greetings AMHS Families,

Greetings AMHS families and caregivers, we would like to extend our well wishes for an amazing winter break for our school community. We wish all of our students a wonderful and restful winter break as well. Please be safe and see you all in the New Year! As a friendly reminder, the exam schedule has been released - please see the information listed below. Take care Mustangs!

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### Important Upcoming Dates

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**December 25th - Jan 5th** - Winter Break

**January 9th - 15th** - Course change requests for semester 2 - a Google Form was emailed to students

**January 10th - 19th** - graduation photos in room 141 (graduating students must sign up)

**January 18th** - Dance and theatre showcase (RHCPA)

**Jan 25th - Jan 31st** - Exam period

**Feb 1st** - exam review day

**Feb 2nd** - PA Day

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### Graduation and Grad Photo Sign-up

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#### Graduation Information | Class of 2024

All families of graduating students are invited to visit the AMHS Graduation LinkTree for updated information regarding our graduation ceremony on Wednesday, June 26, 2024 at Terrace Banquet Centre. Updates will follow on the website:

<https://linktr.ee/amhsclassof2024>

Graduating students are invited to sign-up for graduation photos. Photos will be taking place in January, 2024 between the dates of January 10th and 19th in room 141. All information about how to sign-up for graduation photos are posted on the Graduation LinkTree.

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## Exam Schedule

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Please see the attached exam schedule here:

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1wWkYolOgiNtWPI\\_3COQB8o3x-CUk4cDoTIWL4gitYjg/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1wWkYolOgiNtWPI_3COQB8o3x-CUk4cDoTIWL4gitYjg/edit?usp=sharing)

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## Athletics

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Athletic Council had an amazing 2023 year. We wanted to send our thanks to our Mustang Family. Happy Holidays and see you all in the New Year.

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## Guidance Services

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Guidance Counsellor	Alpha last name for students
Ms. Pantusa	A - G
Mr. Petrone	H - M
Mr. Daides	N - V
Ms. Cohen	W - Z

Guidance Secretary: Cathy Zhang

**Guidance Google Classrooms**

Grade 9-11 Guidance Classroom (2023-2024)

Guidance & Education Services

Class Code: ugbztay

AMHS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

GUIDANCE

Class Code: orggenu

AMHS Peer Tutoring Program

Class Code: odyb3b7

SHSM: jde7dmp

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## Student Attendance

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

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## AMHS Daily Schedule

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As of September 2023, the schedule for the AMHS school day will be as follows:

TIMES	PERIOD
8:30 a.m. – 8:35 a.m.	HOMEROOM
8:35 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Period 1
9:55 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.	Period 2
11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Period 3
12:35 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Period 4

1:55 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.

Period 5

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## School Contact / Website Information

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### IB Google Classroom Codes

Grade 11 IB: [hmfxept](#)

Grade 12 IB: [nn4umuq](#)

### Grade Google Classroom Codes

Grade 9: [hf5itbn](#)

Grade 10: [jv4kffq](#)

Grade 11: [qlinckg](#)

Grade 12: [kwjnulg](#)

### Arts Mackenzie

[www.artsmackenzie.com](http://www.artsmackenzie.com)

### Music Department

[www.amhsmusic.ca](http://www.amhsmusic.ca)

### MAC Health, Physical Education & Athletics

For information about our programs, please follow us:

Twitter: [@Mustangsmove](#)

Instagram: [macpheathletics](#)

### Alexander Mackenzie on Instagram

[@alexmackhs](#)

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