

Dr. John M. Denison Secondary School

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Re: School Activity Fee

Dear Families:

The School Activity Fee serves to engage students in the broader school community by providing a wide range of opportunities that occur before school, at lunch, and after school. Monies collected cover or subsidize costs of events and activities that build school spirit and enrich the learning experience beyond the classroom and the designated subject curriculum. Sports teams, clubs and groups benefit from the school activity fee as they receive a per pupil allocation of funds based on the overall student population. This subsidy allows for a reduction of costs which in many instances contributes to the overall viability of the event or activity.

Your support of the School Activity Fee is needed in order for us to continue to be able to provide a vast array of opportunities that respond to the diverse interests of our school community. At Dr. Denison Secondary School, the School Activity Fee will fund or subsidize the following:

- Sports teams
- Clubs
- School-wide events such as Dr. Denison Day and Guest Speaker presentations
- Student Council events and activities
- Athletic events and activities
- Arts events and activities

The number of activities/events that can be funded and the extent of the financial support will be determined by the total revenue that is generated through the School Activity Fee. We hope to continue our commitment to many varied opportunities for our students. We appreciate the value of co-curricular activities in building school spirit, fostering a sense of community, and fostering a sense of fulfillment and well-being.

Thank you for your support.

Janet Atkinson Principal

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