



**Markham District High School**  
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## ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Parents/Guardians are reminded to report all late or absent notices to the Attendance Office by calling 905-294-1886, option 1 **or** emailing [markham.dhs@yrdsb.ca](mailto:markham.dhs@yrdsb.ca). Should your student be absent for 3 or more days, an extended absence form must be signed by each subject teacher, Parent/Guardian and the Vice-Principal prior to leaving for the absence. Forms are available from the attendance secretary or main office.

**REMINDER Secondary Schools do not use Edbsy for Attendance**

Week of June 24 <sup>th</sup> -28 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	
<b>Monday June 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exam Day-(Period 4) for Grades 9-11 Only. Exams all start at 8:20 am</li> <li>Grade 12 Senior Sendoff 1:00-2:30 pm in the Cafeteria (<b>Gown and Ticket pick up</b>)</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday June 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exam Day-(Period 3) for Grades 9-11 Only. Exams all start at 8:20 am</li> <li>Grade 12 Graduation Ceremony – 7:00 pm in the MDHS Gym</li> </ul>
<b>Wednesday June 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Last Day of School</li> <li><b>Exam Review Day</b>-Modified Schedule-Please see schedule below. Attendance will be taken. This is the last day for students to see their exams and pick up assignments.</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday June 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Professional Activity Day Agenda-No Classes</b>
<b>Friday June 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Professional Activity Day Agenda-No Classes</b>
<b>Wed &amp; Thurs July 3<sup>rd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diploma Package Ready for pick up, 9:00 am to 2:30 pm in the main office. Please note the office is closed on Fridays in the summer. If your student is unable to pick up their diploma and give permission for someone else to pick it up on their behalf, they must email the school to advise us of who will pick it up. The person must bring ID.</li> </ul>

The Exam Schedule and Information can be found on our website. Please review it with your child.

All written exams start at 8:20 am in the indicated examination room.

<http://www.yrdsb.ca/schools/markhamdistrict.hs/NewsEvents/Pages/Exam-Schedules.aspx>

**Students** - Please remember to:

1. Double-check your examination date and time with each of your teachers.
2. The night before your exam, get a good sleep!
3. On the day of your exam, have a good breakfast! Plan to arrive at least 15 minutes before the start of your exam so that you are not rushed.
4. All written exams listed on the schedule begin at 8:20 am sharp!

We want to wish all of you good luck on your Semester 2 finals!



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## **Exam Review Day**-Modified Schedule-Wednesday June 26

Period 1: 8:10 - 8:47 am

Period 2: 8:52 - 9:29 am

Period 3: 9:34 - 10:11 am

Period 4: 10:16 - 10:53 am

Period 5: 10:58 - 11:35 am

Lunch: 11:35 am - 12:35 pm 12:35 - 2:50 pm - Teacher interviews upon request/by appointment

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If your student provided an **Epi-Pen** to the main office at the beginning of the year, please have them pick it up during the exam period.

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## **Transportation Technology**

Now that summer is here, you probably want to clean out that garage and/or shed. If you find that your old lawnmower, weed whacker, outboard motor or snowblower needs to be discarded, please give me a call. MDHS Transportation would love to take it off your hands. Students in the fall semester will take advantage of any machine (gasoline) running or not, makes no difference! Contact me at [Andrew.macgregor@yrdsb.ca](mailto:Andrew.macgregor@yrdsb.ca) and I can arrange pick up.

## **Secondary Credit Courses Indigenous Languages and International Languages – Program Registration**

### **Secondary Credit Courses (Grades 9 to 12)**

Registration will open mid-July and will close the 3rd week of class. Remote learning will be in real-time using Google Classroom to deliver both synchronous and asynchronous learning opportunities. A [flyer](#) with additional information is available. If you have any questions, please email [ILIL@yrdsb.ca](mailto:ILIL@yrdsb.ca).

### **Adult Non-Credit ESL classes**

Adult Non-Credit English as a Second Language (ESL) classes are available on an ongoing basis including the summer semester from June 17 to July 26, 2024. Online and in-person classes throughout York Region are available from 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m., 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. & 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. please contact 905-731-9557 or [uplands@yrdsb.ca](mailto:uplands@yrdsb.ca) for more info.

### **LOST and Found**

We have lots of lost valuable items such as jewelry, watches, keys, head phones, glasses, pencil cases, wallets, key fobs, air pods and cases in the main office that have been lost since the beginning of the year. Please have your child come into the office to check with the receptionist (items may have been found after they last checked). We still have items unclaimed from the last school year.



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## Professional Activity Day Agenda

**Date:** June 27, 2024

**Length:** Full Day

**Topic:** Transition Planning and School Improvement Planning

**Entity Hosting:** All Secondary Schools

**Presenter(s)/Facilitator(s):** School Administration and Board based personnel

**Description:** School Teams will engage in School Improvement Planning, reflecting on the impact of strategies used during the year and their impact on student outcomes.

**Date:** June 28, 2024

**Length:** Full Day

**Topic:** Transition and School Improvement Planning

**Entity Hosting:** All Secondary Schools

**Presenter(s)/Facilitator(s):** School Administration and Board based personnel

**Description:** School Teams will engage in School Improvement Planning, reflecting on the impact of strategies used during the year and their impact on student outcomes.



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## NYCS Newcomer Youth Connections for Success

### Navigating Post-Secondary Education & Volunteering Opportunities

Are you a newcomer parent trying to understand the post-secondary education system for your child?

Want to learn about volunteering opportunities that can enhance their personal growth and future prospects?

**Join us for an informative & engaging workshop designed just for you!**

#### Navigating Post-Secondary Education:

- **Understanding the System:** Learn about different types of post-secondary institutions (universities, colleges, trade schools) and programs available.
- **Application Process:** Step-by-step guidance on how to apply to post-secondary institutions, including important deadlines and required documents.
- **Financial Aid:** Information on scholarships, grants, and student loans available for newcomers.

#### Finding Volunteering Opportunities:

- **Benefits of Volunteering:** Discover how volunteering can help your child develop new skills, gain experience, and build their resume.
- **Local Opportunities:** Learn about local organizations and community programs that offer volunteer opportunities suitable for young people.

**Location: Vaughan Jewish Community Campus**  
**9600 Bathurst Street, 2nd Floor, Volunteer Boardroom**



**Mon.  
June 17  
9:30 am -  
11 am**



**To register, send an email to [aneta.iliyaev@jvstoronto.org](mailto:aneta.iliyaev@jvstoronto.org)**

NYCS is open to newcomer youth 14-18 who have a PR card, Convention Refugee Status or CUAET.

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