



# Unionville High School Weekly Parent Bulletin

**May 24, 2024**

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TECH REQUEST FORM – 2023-2024

CLUBS

GUIDANCE UPDATES

Character Matters Trait of the Month: Fairness

“Fairness is not an attitude. It's a professional skill that must be developed and exercised.”  
— Brit Hume

Upcoming Events

DATE	EVENT
May 28	Music Strings 'Viva Vivaldi' Concert at Apple Creek Seventh Day Adventist Church (7 p.m.)
May 30	UHS Prom
June 5	Arts Show Jazz Cafe (6 p.m.)
June 10	Music Banquet (6 p.m.)

# Family Engagement

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Embracing Diversity, Celebrating East Asian Heritage!

This event will feature:

- Captivating cultural musical and instrumental performances by talented students, along with interactive cultural demonstrations and activities.

The “Standing in the Doorway” traveling exhibition that explores the history of Chinese immigration to York Region

- Exploring community resources that support East Asian students and families

Join us to engage, learn, and celebrate East Asian heritage! Everyone is welcome!

Event Date: **Wednesday, May 29, 2024**  
Event time: **6:30 - 8:30 p.m.**  
Location: **Unionville High School**, 201 Town Centre Blvd, Markham, ON L3R 8G5  
More information is in the **poster**.



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Please scan the QR code below or visit <https://bit.ly/4b4kiRo> to register



For additional inquiries, please contact:  
[bronson.chu@yrdsb.ca](mailto:bronson.chu@yrdsb.ca) or [pauline.guo@yrdsb.ca](mailto:pauline.guo@yrdsb.ca)

This event is co-hosted by YRDSB Inclusive Schools & Community Services (ISCS), Community and Partnership Developers for East Asian Community and Supporting East Asian Students (SEAS) in collaboration with YRDSB Museum and Archives.



# EXAM SCHEDULE

## June 2024 Exam Schedule

We wanted to remind you that:

The last day of classes for **grade 12** courses is **Monday, June 17**.

The last day of classes for **grade 9, 10 and 11** courses is **Tuesday, June 18**.

Exams for **grade 12** courses run from **Tuesday, June 18 to Monday, June 24**.

Exams for **grade 9, 10 and 11** courses run from **Wednesday, June 19 to Tuesday, June 25**.

The order of exams will be as follows:

Tues June 18	Wed Jun 19	Thurs June 20	Friday June 21	Monday June 24	Tuesday June 25
Grade 12 Period 4 Exams	Period 5 Exams	Period 1 Exams	Period 2 Exams	Period 3 Exams	Grade 9, 10, 11 Period 4 Exams

Students have been provided with access to the full list of exams occurring each day via their **gapps account**. This list provides all details including course code, teacher, room number, task type, duration, and start time.

**Please speak to your child to review their exam schedule.**

By appointment exams are arranged by the classroom teacher. Students who have “by appointment” exams should arrive 15 minutes prior and wait in the cafeteria.

After the “by appointment” exam is over, students are kindly asked to leave the premises. Students who have “by appointment” exams should not linger in corridors as other exams are in progress.

For those students enrolled in an **online learning course**, exams have been scheduled for **Thursday, June 13**, from **12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.** in the **library**. Ms. Sukdeo will be contacting these students to provide more details.

The schedule for **Exam Review Day** on **Wednesday, June 26** will be as follows:

Homeroom/Period 1	8:25 am-9:05 am
Period 2	9:10 am-9:45 am
Period 3	9:50 am-10:25 am
Period 4	10:30 am-11:05 am
Period 5	11:10 am-11:45 am

During exams, **the cafeteria servery and library will be closed**.

Students are expected to attend school only for the days/times when they have an exam. Students leave the premises when the exam is over. Students should make transportation arrangements accordingly.

Community Classes will continue to run during the exam period as per their regular hours. Community class start times, end times and transportation continue as normal during exams.

Courses that do not have exams will not appear on the exam schedule. Parents with students in these courses should be aware that students are required to complete project based work in lieu of an exam activity. Teachers may arrange appointments to support students in completing this project work during exams.

If you have questions, please contact us at [unionville.hs@yrdsb.ca](mailto:unionville.hs@yrdsb.ca) or at 905-479-2787.

The UHS Administration







## Attention Wolves! Join Us for UHS's First Ever Relay For Life Spirit Day

**Monday, May 27, 2024** from 12:00 - 3:00 marks UHS's first ever Relay For Life Spirit Day!

Join **Athletics Council** in the **atrium and outside** for some games, contests, and an amazing ice cream truck!

Bring some cash to support our fundraiser for the Canadian Cancer society and participate in the festivities.

Event Highlights:

- Date and time: **Monday, May 27, 2024 -- 12:00 to 3:00**
- Theme: Wear **blue** and **yellow** to show your support and get entered into **a raffle** for great **prizes!**
- Bring: **Cash** to purchase luminaries, tickets for games, more UHS merch, and ice cream from our ice cream truck!
- Students can engage in activities on their **lunch or spare**, and teachers are welcome (but not obliged) to bring their classes to check it out if they need a little **movement break**.

**Blue**



**YELLOW**

How to Contribute:

Donate in person, or online at the official website to make a difference! **[Donate Here!](#)**



## UHS School Board Council Tech Update

### iMac School Upgrades - Investing in Our Students

Thanks to the incredible generosity of the UHS family, we've raised \$4,050.95 in donations, and our Bubble Tea Fundraiser brought in an additional \$1,707.59! 29 brand-new iMac computers were ordered, each costing \$1,698.44, to enhance our students' learning experience. However, our journey doesn't end here. To ensure that every student benefits from this technological upgrade, we need your continued support in order to reach our goals.

### UHS School Council Chair: Invest In The Students' Future

Dear UHS Families,  
Publicly funded schools benefit from our support, whether it is our time volunteering or directly through financial contributions. Our generosity has a direct impact on the type of high-quality educational resources and unique activities that Unionville High School can offer our students to support their development, interests, and talents. This year we hope to raise enough funds to upgrade our outdated computers that students learn and rely on. We ask you to take a moment to consider investing in our school, demonstrating the value of community involvement, and taking pride in supporting UHS for the benefit and enrichment of all our students. <https://yrdsb.schoolcashionline.com/>

Anoosh Sharif  
Chair, School Council UHS

For the easy 5 steps to donate and the Mandarin translation: **[UHS School Council Invest in Our Students.](#)**



## UHS School Council Update

### iMac School Upgrade - Invest In Our Students

**UHS family donations to date: \$ 4050.95**

**Bubble Tea Fundraiser: \$ 1707.59**

**Each iMac computer cost: \$ 1698.44**

**29 iMac computers ordered!**

*Please help us purchase more computers for our students*

Enrichment funds from donations help upgrade current technology that is outdated at Unionville High School.

Please consider donating to help enrich and support your child's education

5 Easy steps to donate and the amount \$25 or more will receive a tax receipt

Go to [schoolcashionline.com](https://schoolcashionline.com).

Click on button that says MAKE A DONATION

In Gift Information click on amount you want to donate or type in Other Amount

In Fund Destination click on Unionville H.S.

Click Add To Cart and check out! Thank you for supporting our UHS students!

来自您的捐款将提供我们丰沛资金，  
加以提升UHS目前过时的科技设备。

恳请您考虑捐款我们学校，  
共同支持孩子的未来与教育！

5个简单步骤即可进行捐款,捐款金额超过25元可收到报税单据！

请造访 **[schoolcashionline.com](https://schoolcashionline.com)**

点击显示「捐款」的按钮

在礼物资讯中，点击您要捐赠的金额或输入其他金额

在基金目的地中点选 **Unionville H.S.**

点击加入购物车并结帐！感谢您对我们 **UHS** 学生的支持！





## Arts Unionville Strings: Viva Vivaldi! - Tuesday, May 28, 7:00 p.m.

Please join us for a feast of concertos by Antonio Vivaldi, featuring the famous Four Seasons.

Date and Time: **Tuesday, May 28 at 7:00 p.m.**

Location: **Apple Creek Seventh Day Adventist Church** (at the corner of Town Centre and Apple Creek).

Admission: **free**

**All are welcome!**

## Stagebound Lights, Camera, Action!

Stagebound is an end of the year show, co-created by the AU 9's and Core 10 Drama class.

Come join us on **Wednesday, May 29** from **4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.** to enjoy a variety of creative works written, directed, and produced by UHS' talented student body.

Alternatively, there will be a day show on **Friday, May 24** during **Periods 3 and 4 (11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.)**.

Location: UHS room **106**

Tickets are **\$8.00** for the evening show and **\$2.00** for the day show; tickets are currently available for purchase on **School Cash Online**.

We are looking forward to seeing you there!

## Please Return



## Borrowed Technology: Please Return to The Office

If you are a student with a **Chromebook and charger** that is currently in your possession. Please return the technology to **Maria D'Andrea** in the main office according to the following timelines below:

- If you no longer require the use of a Chromebook please return to the main office **as soon as possible**.
- If you require a Chromebook for your exams, please return **on the day of your last exam OR Tuesday June 25, 2024**.

## Adult Non-Credit English as a Second Language (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 a.m. to 12 p.m., 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. & 6 to 9 p.m.

Please contact 905-731-9557 or [uplands@yrdsb.ca](mailto:uplands@yrdsb.ca) for more info. Here is the **website**.

## Program Registration - Indigenous Languages & International Languages 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.

We thank you for your ongoing support.

If you have any questions, please email [ILIL@yrdsb.ca](mailto:ILIL@yrdsb.ca).

## Grade 11 Scholarship Presentation

Attention All **Grade 11** students!

# Scholarship

Do you like free money? Do you want help applying for scholarships and awards for college or university programs? Come to the library on Tuesday May 28 during your period 3 or 4 lunch for a brief scholarship presentation! We will be reviewing helpful hints and how you can start preparing your applications!

Date and Time: **Tuesday May 28, 2024 -- period 3 or 4 lunch**

Place: **UHS library**

## Graduation GRADE 12

### Attention: Grade 12 Students!

#### An Important Message About Your GAPPS Account:

This is a message for all graduates and any student leaving YRDSB at **the end of June 2024**. Students who wish to keep work that has been saved on the YRDSB Google Drive (GAPPS account) will need to download it no later than the end of July 2024. They will not have access to this account after this time.

Instructions on how to Download your Google Data:

1. Select the Google Apps and Services you want to export your data and documents from, and select the option to receive the file as a download via email (depending on the size of your Google account, this could take several hours). Use the .zip file option.
2. Once the Google Takeout email arrives, use the links to download your archived data and documents to the personal computer, USB/external drive and/or the personal Google Drive that you wish.
3. You can "unzip" the archives and then upload the data and documents to a new personal Google Account or use the files and documents in Microsoft Office or other applications.

Need More Help? Support resources from Google are available on how to download your Google data.

### Graduation Class of 2024 INSTAGRAM

We are inviting families and students of grade 12 students to join our UHS Wolves Class of 2024 Instagram for updates regarding celebrations for the graduating class of 2024.

Please follow follow **uhswolvesclassof2024** ON **INSTAGRAM** and stay tuned for updates regarding prom and our graduation ceremony on **Wednesday, June 26**.



### Diploma Pickup in July

FROM **MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024 - THURSDAY, JULY 25, 2024** GRADUATES WILL BE ABLE TO PICK UP THEIR DIPLOMA AND OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT FROM THE MAIN OFFICE.

DIPLOMA PICK UP HOURS FOR THE MAIN OFFICE ARE:

**MONDAY - THURSDAY**  
**8:30AM - 2:30PM**  
**FRIDAYS CLOSED**

WHEN COMING TO PICK UP YOUR DIPLOMA PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR STUDENT CARD FOR IDENTIFICATION PURPOSES.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO PICK UP YOUR DIPLOMA AND ARE SENDING A PARENT/GUARDIAN TO PICK UP THE DIPLOMA ON YOUR BEHALF YOU MUST EMAIL [UNIONVILLE.HS@YRDSB.CA](mailto:UNIONVILLE.HS@YRDSB.CA) **NO LESS THAN 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE**. IN THE EMAIL, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR NAME (LEGAL AND PREFERRED) AND STUDENT NUMBER, AS WELL AS, THE FULL NAME OF THE PERSON PICKING UP ON YOUR BEHALF. IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED FOR YOUR PARENT/GUARDIAN TO PICK UP YOUR DIPLOMA.



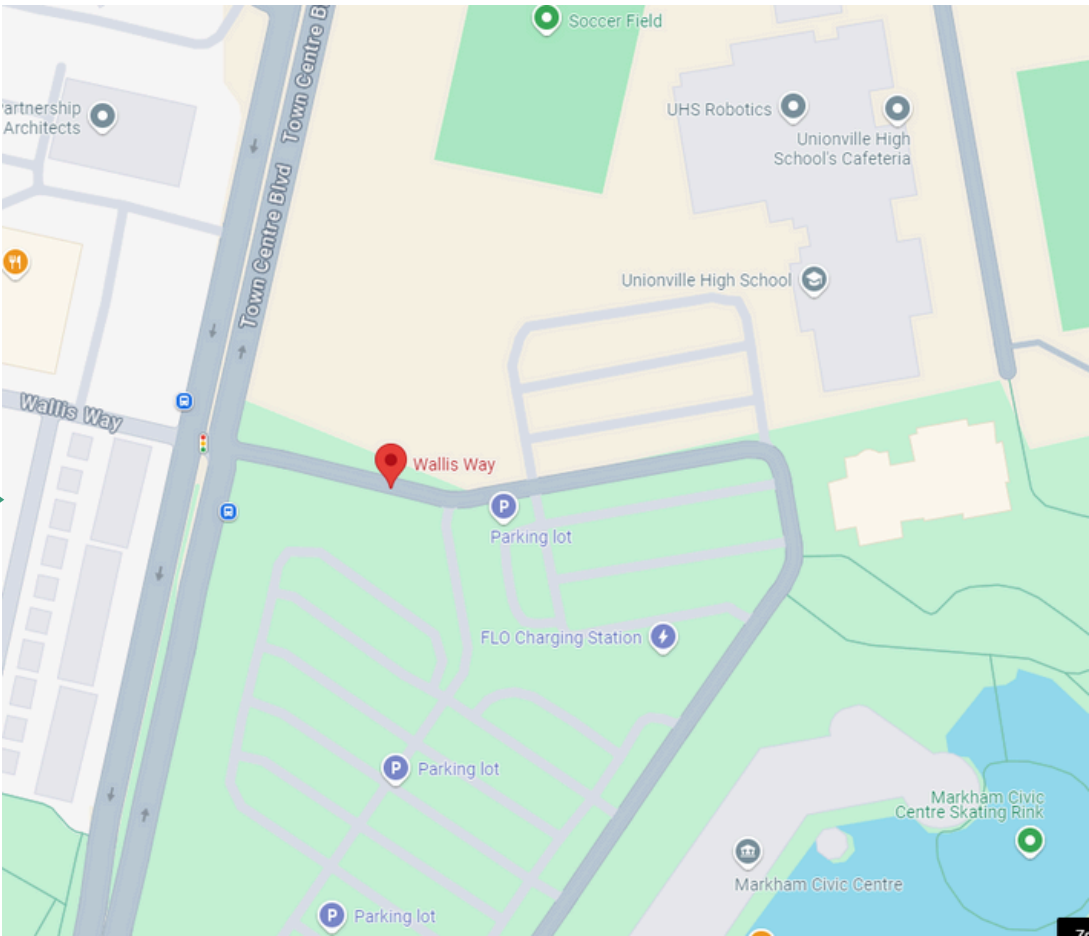
**Civic Centre Traffic Management**  
May 15 to 30 - 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. and 2:30-3:30 p.m.

**Traffic control measures** will be in place at the **Markham Civic Centre**.

**School-related traffic: all vehicles must access the school parking lot and drop-off area from Wallis Way. See map**

**Visitors and staff to Markham Civic Centre and Flato Markham Theatre:** recommended that all vehicles enter the parking lot entrance at Cox Boulevard and Town Centre Boulevard.

These new traffic control measures are necessary to manage efficient flow of traffic and to prioritize everyone’s safety.



**Library Information**

May is **Mental Health Awareness month**. Take time to read the **YRDSB’s Student Mental Health and Addictions newsletter** which includes links to many resources to support good mental health.



**Upcoming Events**

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June 12	Athletic Banquet (6 p.m.)
June 13	AU Celebration (7 p.m.)
June 18 - 25	Semester 2 Exams Week
June 26	Exam Review Day UHS Graduation Ceremony 2024
June 27	PA Day (No Classes)
June 28	PA Day (No Classes)

