

Port Moody Secondary

“A Tradition of Excellence”

Grade 12

Grad 2023

Information Session

September 2022

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Graduation Requirements

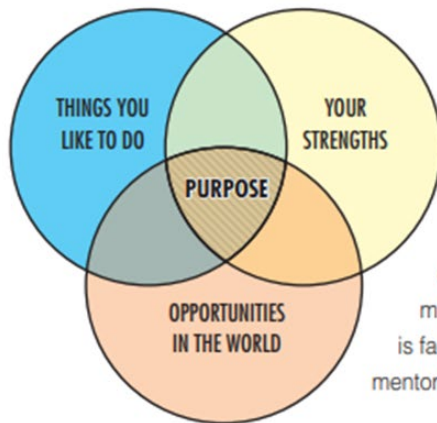
REQUIRED COURSES	
SUBJECT AREA	Minimum Credits
Two English 10 Courses (2 credits each)	4
One English 11 Course —Indigenous Focused Component	4
English Studies 12	4
Social Studies 10	4
a Social Studies 11 or 12	4
Science 10	4
a Science 11 or 12	4
a Mathematics 10	4
a Mathematics 11 or 12	4
Physical Health Education 10	4
Career Life Education 10	4
a Fine Arts and/or Applied Skills 10, 11, or 12	4
Total	48 credits
ELECTIVE COURSES	
Students must earn at least 28 elective credits for Grade 10-12 courses.	28 credits
Career Life Connections 11 & 12	
Students must earn 4 credits for Career Life Connections completed in grades 11 & 12	4 credits
OVERALL TOTAL	
Of the 80 credits for graduation, at least 16 must be at the Grade 12 level, including English Studies12 and 4 credits must include Indigenous Focused coursework.	80 credits

Graduation Requirements

New: Indigenous-Focused Graduation Requirement

Career Life Connections 11&12

The focus of this course is to research and reflect on different pathways to take after graduation, to prepare for employment and ensure a balanced lifestyle.



Sense of purpose

Career-Life Education and Career-Life Connections are designed to assist students in reflecting on where their personal interests and strengths overlap with emerging career-life opportunities in the world. Sense of purpose can occur where these three qualities overlap, offering possible career-life directions that are both personally meaningful and viable. This type of purposeful career-life development is facilitated by the learning standards of CLE and CLC and ongoing mentorship opportunities throughout the secondary years.

Students will complete:

- **Written Assignments in gr. 11 & 12**
- **Final Capstone Assignment**
- **Capstone Presentation in Jan. 2023**

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
Transcript Verification Form December 2, 2022

What is this?
Why is it important?

Please review and have
your parents sign it and
return on **December 5th**


BRITISH COLUMBIA The Best Place on Earth		Ministry of Education		TRANSCRIPT VERIFICATION REPORT 2009 - DEC - 31 Page 1 of 2						
School: 04343088	PORT MOODY SECONDARY			Birthdate:						
PEN:	LOCAL ID:			Grad Req Year: 2004						
				Grade: 12						
				Gender:						
				Citiz: Cdn or Perm Res						
				CP Pgmt:						
REVIEWED BY: _____										
(STUDENT'S SIGNATURE)										
PROvincially EXAMINABLE COURSES										
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SCIENCE 10	SC 10	*		09 01	38	56	42	F		(4)
SCIENCE 10	SC 10	8		09 08	50	54	51	C-		4
SOCIAL STUDIES 11	SS 11	*		09 01	34	56	38	F		(4)
SOCIAL STUDIES 11	SS 11	*		09 06	3	DNW	38	F		(4)
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DRAMA: FILM & TELEVISION 11	DFT 11	*		09 06	18	F			(4)	
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ENGLISH 11	EN 11	*		09 01	40	F			(4)	
ENGLISH 11	EN 11	*		09 06	4	F			(4)	
EARTH SCIENCE 11	ESC 11	9		10 01					4	
GRADUATION TRANSITIONS	GT	13		10 06					4	
METAL FABRICATION AND MACHINING 11	MFMA 11	15		10 06					4	
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PHYSICAL EDUCATION 10	PE 10	11		08 06	75	B			4	
PLANNING 10	PLAN 10	10		08 06	50	C-			4	
SOCIAL STUDIES 10	SS 10	*		08 01	40	F			(4)	

Graduation Requirements Transcript Verification Form

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PHYSICAL EDUCATION 10	PE 10	11		08	06	92	A		4
PLANNING 10	PLAN 10	10		08	01	94	A		4

Based on the above information provided by the school, this student can not satisfy the 2004 Graduation Program requirements.

Reasons for Non-Graduation 

No Socials 10

Graduation Requirements

Short of Credits?

There are many options...

- Summer Learning
- Continuing Education (Night School)
- Coquitlam Learning Opportunities Centre (CLOC)
(See your Counsellor)
- Coquitlam Open Learning (COL - Online):
 - Continual registration and self-paced courses
 - ❖ Take additional courses online to supplement your graduation program.

Note: students can not take a course with Coquitlam Open Learning that they are simultaneously taking at another school.



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Scholarships

What do I need to do to qualify for a **Provincial Scholarship**?

- 1. Be sure you have a social insurance number. If you don't have one, visit your local Service Canada office in person.
- 2. Must be a Canadian citizen, or Permanent Resident
- 3. Must be enrolled in or registered as a BC public home school
- 4. Must be graduating in the year that you are applying for the scholarship
- 5. Must complete the applications/resumes/provide references as indicated by the Ministry
- 6. Must meet the minimum grade requirements or other requirements as indicated by the Ministry.

Description of Provincial Scholarships

Provincial Scholarships

BC Excellence Scholarship:

- \$5000 scholarship awarded to **55 students**
- Must be nominated by the school (one nomination per school allowed)
- Winner will have demonstrated service and leadership at school and in their community, and show aptitude and commitment to their chosen career path
- Application includes a 'B' average in grade 11 & 12 as well as a 500 word essay, with no more than one C+ in their academics
- Meet any requirements outlined by the Ministry of Education
- A student cannot win both the BC Excellence and the Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarship.

BC Achievement Scholarship:

- \$1250 scholarship awarded to **8000 students**
- Recipients must have a 'B' average or better in their Language Arts 12 course
- Recipients chosen based on their achievement in course work (including electives). A cumulative average percentage will be calculated and form the basis for determining recipients.
- **Students do not apply for this award.**

District/Authority Scholarship:

- 5500 Scholarships of \$1250
- Awarded to graduating students for excellence in their chosen field of interest
- Recipient must demonstrated outstanding achievement in one of the following areas: Indigenous Languages & Culture, Fine Arts, Applied Skills, Physical Activity, International Languages, Community Service or Technical & Trades Training
- Students complete the school scholarship package to access these awards that is handed out in December.
- Application due in the beginning of March.

Pathways to Teacher Education Scholarship:

- 20 Scholarships of \$5000
- Awarded to 'Outstanding' graduating students who are intending to enter a BC Faculty of Education , and submit on deadline indicated (TBA)
- Must complete an application package on line: www.gov.bc.ca/scholarshipsprogram
- Must have a 'B' average, with no more than one C+ in academics
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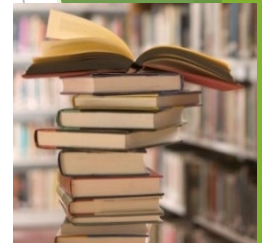
This information is based on previous years, and any updates will be shared as soon as they are released.

P.M.S.S. Scholarship Information

Two presentations will be shared with students:

October 12, 2022

February 8, 2023



The Presentations will cover facts about scholarships and review the application process in detail.

Our scholarship package and application will be online and shared in February and due March 10, 3pm.

Canadian University Event (CUE)

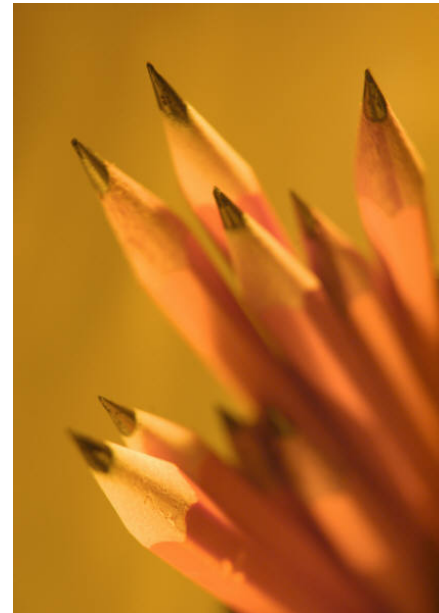
Representatives from Canadian Universities and colleges from across Canada will be at Port Moody Secondary

Date: October 13th

Time: 9:00- 11:00 am

Place:

Heritage Woods



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Post Secondary Institutes of BC Event

Port Moody Secondary is hosting a fair of BC college and university representatives who will answer questions and provide literature about their institutions, programs, and admission processes

Port Moody Secondary
Small Gym
October 27, 2022
1:40- 3:30 pm

Parents are welcome to attend!





School/ Program Name	Date	Time	Location
Simon Fraser University	Wednesday October 5 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
University of Victoria – Gustavson School of Business	Wednesday October 12 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
Canadian Universities Event (CUE)	Thursday October 13 th 2022	9:00am – 11:00am	Heritage Woods Secondary School
Western University	Tuesday October 18 th 2022	11:35-12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
Simon Fraser University – Beedie School of Business	Thursday October 20 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
University of Toronto	Monday October 24 th 2022	10:49am – 11:39am	Small Gym
UBC Sauder	Wednesday October 26 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
Post Secondary BC Fair (PSBC)	Thursday October 27 th 2022	1:40pm – 3:30pm	Small Gym
McGill University	Tuesday November 15 th 2022	7:00pm – 8:00pm	Heritage Woods Secondary School Theatre
University of Waterloo	Wednesday November 16 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
University of Calgary	Tuesday November 22 nd 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Booth in MPR
University of Victoria	Monday November 28 th 2022	10:50am – 11:40am	Drama Room
University of Alberta	Thursday December 1 st 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
Langara College	Wednesday December 7 th 2022	11:35am – 12:25pm (lunch)	Drama Room
University of British Columbia	**ONGOING – ONLY HOSTING ONLINE INFO SESSIONS		

Visiting Universities

Students will have the
opportunity to access
virtual presentations from
the institutions

All are advertised in the
Times and on the Career's
website!

Post Secondary Requirements

Requirements are DIFFERENT for each institution. Visit the university website for the most up-to-date requirements.

UBC

- Holistic assessment
- Assesses early admission based on Grade 11 & 12 marks
- Requires **6** grade 12 level courses (academic preferred, electives can be included)
- Minimum 70% in senior level English or equivalent
- Must meet PROGRAM SPECIFIC requirements as well
- Check UBC website for current program specific requirements

SFU

- Requires **5** grade 12 level courses (academic preferred, electives can be included)
- Students need to meet the Quantitative and Analytical Skills requirement (60% in a senior level math; 70% in senior level English)
- Must meet PROGRAM SPECIFIC requirements as well.
- Check SFU web site for program specific requirements.

Confirm with individual universities as to when On-line course work must be completed.

Post Secondary Institutions and Repeat Courses

Students who are repeating a course should look at the Post Secondary Institution/Faculty they are interested in to see which of the following they will accept:

- Take the higher mark
- Blend the marks
- Take first mark in the course

Post Secondary Information

- Application Start Dates and Deadlines
- PEN Number / SIN Number
- Marks and Transcripts
- On-Line Applications: Educationplannerbc.ca
- Except University of Victoria -must apply directly
- S.F.U.'s application deadline is January 31
 - **December 15th is the deadline, if applying for the Entrance scholarship
- U.B.C.'s application deadline is January 15th
 - **December 1st, if applying for the Major Entrance Scholarship
- February 28th is the Document Deadline for many Universities

This online form allows the Ministry of Education to share transcript information with post secondary institutions.

Information sessions will be provided in November followed by workshops to support students with the process.



Student Transcript Request Service

Purpose of the Post-Secondary Transcript Request Form

To help transition from secondary school to post-secondary education, your transcripts can be sent to various universities, colleges and institutes. This is a two step process, as you must have a BCeID to access the StudentTranscript Service. See video tutorials below.

The *Transcript Request Form* link is available in November at the [Student Secure Website](#):

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-and-certificates#studenttranscripts>

Your choices must be entered by end of April.

You will need your Personal Education Number (PEN) and a BCeID in order to create an account and access the Student Transcript Request form. Once you have signed in with your BCeID, you will have access to the menus to select which post-secondary institutions you want to receive your transcript. This is an important part of ensuring you provide the final transcript to the institutions. If not completed, you may risk your admissions to post-secondary opportunities. See the videos below for the two step process:

How To Videos:

Step 1: Registering for a BCeID and Accessing the StudentTranscript Service

<https://youtu.be/lzmY0WeTfFs>

Step 2: How to Order and or Send a transcript to a post Secondary Institution

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SSo_U7XmH8k

Post Secondary Information

- Some institutions require other English Assessment tests before admission, such as:
 - TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)
Get more info at: www.ets.org/toefl/
 - IELTS (Academic)—International English Language Testing: www.ielts.org
 - CAEL (Canadian Academic English Language Test)
www.cael.ca

Other Important Information

➤ Grad Photos

➤ Dinner Dance

➤ After Grad

➤ Commencement

➤ Awards Celebration





Graduation Photos



- Appointments are booked on-line:


<https://artona.com/schools/PMOD/programs/graduation>

- Dates October 6th → October 16th @PMSS, in the Artona Trailer
- Students must be photographed to appear in the yearbook and on the graduation composite
- Students who miss visiting Artona's on-site trailer, must go downtown to have photos taken, contact:

Artona.com

Grad Photo Booking

- ▶ Artona will be at PMSS for ten days to photograph all our graduates
- ▶ Graduates go to the Artona webpage to book their appointment
- ▶ \$60 deposit, required



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INDIVIDUAL PHOTO SESSION

October 6 - 16, 2022

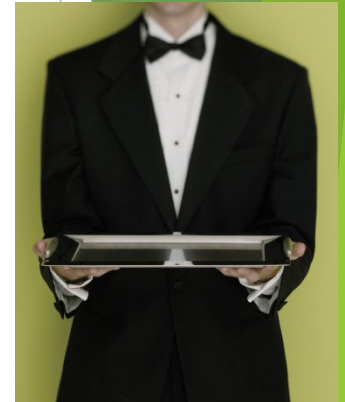
[Book This Sitting](#)

WHAT'S THE SESSION LIKE?

- Personalized 20 Minute Professional Studio Session
- 2 Studio Rooms and 16 different looks
- Traditional Cap & Gown

Grad Dinner Dance

- Where: Pinnacle Harborfront Hotel
- When: June 10th, 2023
- Time: 5:30pm - 11:00 pm
- Cost: Approximately \$130.00



Grad Dinner Dance

Behavior / Expectations

- No Drugs or Alcohol
- No smoking or Vapes
- Back to School on Monday.
 - Busy time of the year - Must finish classes strong
- ❖ Tickets will go on sale in May



After Grad

- Purpose: To provide a safe/fun environment for graduating students.
- Cost \$65.00 for an evening of fun with your peers
- June 10-11, 2023
(Event follows Dinner Dance)

Awards Celebration

- Date: Wednesday June 7th, 2023.
- Time: In the afternoon
- Location: School Gym



Commencement

- Date: June 17th, 2023.
- Time: 11am (graduates will arrive earlier)
- Location: Orpheum
- Only Graduates will be allowed to cross the stage





Important Grad Info

Commencement write-ups

- ▶ Students will complete a grad write-up on-line
- ▶ DUE: February 22nd, 2023.

Cap and gown distribution

- ▶ Caps and gowns are handed out the day before the ceremony

Important Grad Info

- ▶ GRAD information is provided throughout the year On the App—make sure you select Grad 2023 channel to receive all the notifications!



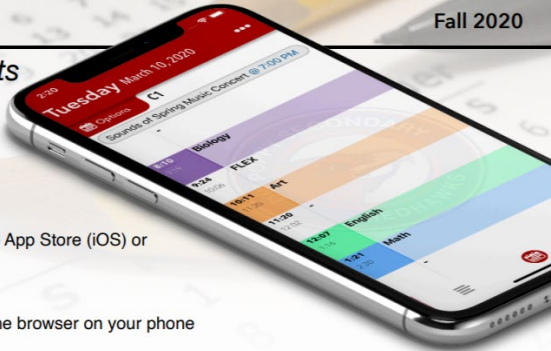
My School Day
Quick Start for Students and Parents

Fall 2020

1. Download the app

You can find the app - **it's free to download!** - on the App Store (iOS) or Google Play (Android) on your phone by

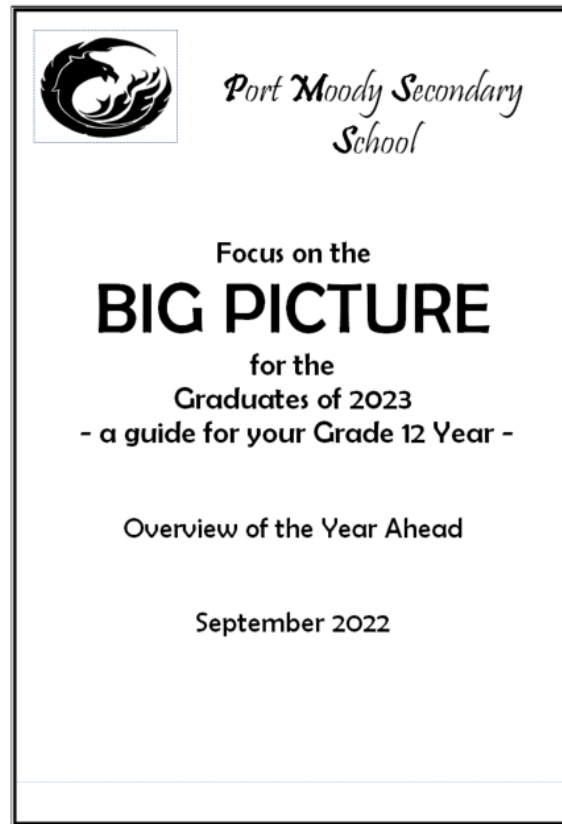
- Searching in the store for "My School Day"
- Going to <https://myschoolday.app/download> in the browser on your phone
- Using the QR or snap codes below



Make sure to allow it to receive notifications when asked - the school will use them to send out important reminders, information and alerts.



E-Handout: The Big Picture Book



Will be posted on the school website and emailed to all students.

GRAD DRESS FACEBOOK PAGE

- ▶ This is NOT a sanctioned PMSS Facebook page.
- ▶ Students choose to participate in sharing photos of themselves in their selected dress.
- ▶ There is NO expectation that all students participate.

GRADE 12 PARENT NIGHT

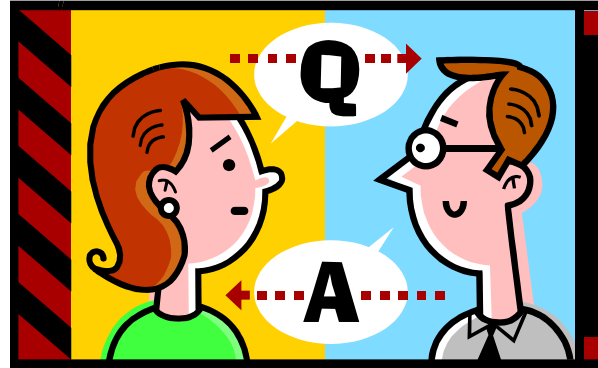
September 27, 2022

6:00-7:00 pm

All things related to Graduation will be reviewed

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Questions?



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