


*For Parents!*

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW FOR  
GRADE 12 IB GRAD 2024




# September 2023

- Considerations
  - Graduation and Diploma
  - Grad Events and Info
  - Post-Secondary Applications
  - Your Questions
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# Considerations

- CAS was to continue over the summer months
  - First draft of the EE was due date last night
    - Students should get feedback over next week or so
    - Final draft due October 30
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# Considerations

- Grade 12 is going to be a busy year
- November – February: internal assessments in all 6 subjects ongoing
- Monitor stress levels
  - Encourage physical activities
  - Encourage breaks away from the books
  - Encourage participation in family life
- Communicate with teachers and coordinators






# Graduation and Diploma

- Dual Track: MOE and IB
- MOE:
  - 80 graduation credits
  - CLC 12
  - Fine Arts/Applied Skills
  - Math 11 or 12, SS 11 or 12, English 10, Math 10, Science 10, CLE (Planning) 10, PE 10
  - English Studies 12 and 4 grade 12 courses
  - CLC 12
  - Numeracy assessment and 2 Literacy assessments
  - INDIGENOUS GRADUATION REQUIREMENT



# IB

You will earn your Diploma if:


- CAS requirements have been met
  - Total points are 24 or more
  - No “N” given in any subject, including TOK and EE (N meaning incomplete)
  - No “E” awarded in TOK and/or EE (E meaning Fail)
  - No 1 is awarded in any subject
  - No more than two 2s
  - No more than three 3s
  - Scored more than 12 points on 3 HLs (4HLs, 3 highest count)
  - Scored more than 9 points on 3 SLs (5 on 2 SLs)
  - Has not been found guilty of academic misconduct
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# Bonus Points for TOK/EE

ToK/EE	A	B	C	D	E
A	3	3	2	2	Failing condition
B	3	2	2	1	
C	2	2	1	0	
D	2	1	0	0	
E	Failing condition				




# Timetable

- Core and TOK end in January.
  - CAS continues until April 25<sup>th</sup> as an independent requirement.
  - Students will have off-blocks from Jan 29<sup>th</sup> to April 25<sup>th</sup>. USE THE TIME WISELY...
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# Timetable


- HL classes will continue again during the week of January 22-26
    - Monday Day 2/Tuesday Day 1/Wednesday Day 2/Thursday Day 1
    - Friday—Super Fun Math Test
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# IB May Exam Schedule

- April 25- Physics Paper 1&3
- April 26- Physics Paper 2
- May 1- Maths Paper 1
- May 2- Maths Paper 2
- May 6- Mandarin and Japanese Paper 1&2(r), Math HL Paper 3
- May 7- Mandarin and Japanese Paper 2 (l), History Paper 1&2
- May 8- History Paper 3, Chemistry Paper 1&3
- May 9- Chemistry Paper 2, English Lit Paper 1
- May 10- English Lit Paper 2, Geography Paper 1
- May 13- Geography Paper 2&3, Biology Paper 1&3
- May 14- Biology Paper 2, Spanish Paper 1&2 (r)
- May 15- Spanish Paper 2 (l), Economics Paper 2
- May 16- Economics Paper 1, French Paper 1&2 (r)
- May 17- French Paper 2 (l)
- May 17- Celebration of the IB Journey (CAS, EE, TOK, CLC Capstone)



# Exam Registration and Fees

- Students will register for exams next week
  - Review General Regulations
    - Document to sign coming next week
  - Exam fees charged by IBO
    - 6 exams at USD\$119 each = USD\$714
    - We will invoice after registration done in CAD\$ plus GST
    - Prompt payment appreciated
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# Grad Info

- IB students are finished after May 17<sup>th</sup>- please don't book your celebratory vacation until the 18<sup>th</sup>!!
- BC Transcript Verification forms: Dec 1
  - Review to make sure no credits/courses missing
- IB first term grades: Dec 8
- PMSS Scholarship Info Sessions for Students: Oct 11 and Jan 17
  - Make sure to subscribe to PMSS Times and check the Career Centre website




# Grad Info

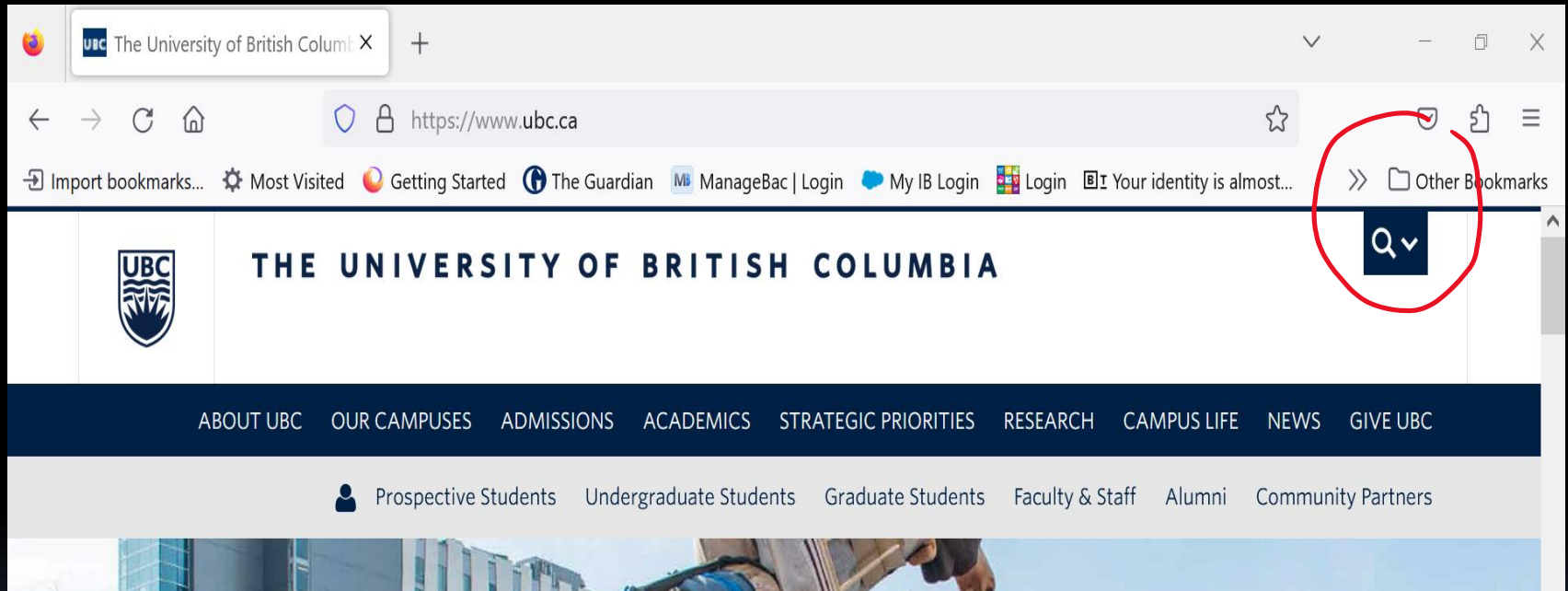
- Grad Photos: Oct 13-Oct 25
    - Book online
  - Grad Dinner & Dance: June 15<sup>th</sup>
    - After Grad tba
  - Awards Celebration: June 6<sup>th</sup>
  - Commencement: June 22<sup>nd</sup>
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# Post Secondary Application

- Do your own research! Don't listen to your friends, neighbors, Uncle Jim's friend who lives in California...
  - The Universities set their admissions standards
    - NOT IBO
    - NOT MoE
    - NOT ME!!
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# Post Secondary Application



Search for IB admissions...




# American Post-Secondary

- SAT/ACT– many are moving away from tests
  - Common Application Online
    - Be aware of your deadlines
    - Give me and teachers PLENTY of time for reference letters
  - Complete all parts of application before I start
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# Canadian Post-Secondary

- Specific faculties and programmes have specific requirements
  - Transfer credit policies are different from university to university
  - Consider ALL your options
  - Don't go where you aren't wanted
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# Canadian Post-Secondary

- Application deadline versus Document deadlines?
    - Application deadlines- submit application, all your demographic information, courses taken or currently taking, etc
    - Document deadlines- interim grades, supplemental applications, etc
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# Canadian Post Secondary

- Predicted Grades
    - Consider your entire academic performance
    - PREDICTION! Prove us right! Prove us wrong!
    - Do not pester, bribe or bully teachers.
    - I will send PGs directly to UBC and SFU at end of January.
    - Students let us know how many forms they need and will have to submit themselves
      - This has become more complicated and confusing
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# UBC

- December 1 deadline for application to be considered for the Presidential Scholars Award and UBC Centennial Scholars Entrance Award.
  - January 15 deadline for applications
  - January 31 deadline for interim transcripts a.k.a predicted grades
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# UBC

- IB students admitted Feb-July...relax!!
  - 2021: 83% of BC IB students who applied to UBC were admitted
  - 2016: 85 out of 98 PMSS IB students were admitted to UBC; only 28 attended UBC
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# UBC

- Full diploma will only be considered on basis of diploma scores out of 42
  - Personal profile
  - Competitive scores in range of 32+ for sciences, 28+ for arts...
  - Final admission confirmation will include bonus points for TOK/EE
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# SFU

- December 15 deadline for scholarship application
  - January 31 deadline for admissions for Fall 2023
  - February 7 deadline for Beedie supplementals, etc
  - February 28 deadline for completing STS form and for interim transcripts (PGs)
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# U Vic

- January 31 application deadline
- Self report: IB diploma- self report predicted grades? Or %?
- 29-31 points will get conditional early acceptance; confirmed on final grades




# Post Secondary Application

- Register to have MoE marks sent to universities
  - Student Transcript Service:  
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-and-certificates#studenttranscripts>
- Give universities permission to access your grades throughout the year
- Grade 12 course marks will be reported on in December and April.
- Final Grade 12 course marks will be reported in June.



# Post Secondary Application

- Students will register with me in May to have IB Final Grades sent to universities in July
  - 3 inside North America
  - Up to 3 outside North America



Universities will use these results to confirm offers of admission.



# Time for a little Q&A

- Thanks for coming!
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