



Williams Lake Campus

Lake City Secondary

November 2022 Newsletter

Williams Lake Campus (Gr.10-12)

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"Lest we Forget"

Important Dates

Oct. 31- Prov. Assessments
Nov. 4

Nov. 10 Remembrance Day
Ceremony

Nov. 10 Term 1 ends

Nov. 11 Remembrance Day (no
School)

Nov. 16/17 Early Dismissal

Nov. 19/20 Medieval Market

Nov. 21 PAC Meeting 6:00pm
Columneetza Library

Nov. 25 Pro-D Day

Nov. 28 Report Cards go home

Dec. 22 Last day before Winter
Break

Dec. 23 – Winter Break
Jan. 6

Jan. 9 - Return from Winter
Break

Semester 1 Midterms!

The middle of semester 1 (Term 1) is Thursday November 10th, all students need to ensure that their work is up to date so their grades (Term 1 report card) reflect their full learning.

Any parents with concerns please call the school immediately to arrange a teacher meeting if necessary. Course failures at the Grade 10-12 level may have an impact on graduation eligibility.

School Messenger - LCSS is using School Messenger automatic callout module. The program is linked to MyEd BC and sends out emails, phone calls and messages to parents whose children did not go to class for that morning or afternoon (unexcused absence). Parents can respond in kind to the message indicating that the child is ill etc. The system also allows parents to indicate that their child will be away for the day by calling 1 (833) 582-6944, using the phone app, website login or calling the school. <https://go.schoolmessenger.com>



Grade 10 & 12 Literacy and Numeracy Assessments – First Session Oct. 31 – Nov. 4

All Grade 10 students are required to complete a Grade 10 Literacy and Numeracy Assessment and Grade 12 students must complete a Grade 12 Literacy Assessment to meet graduation requirements. There are 4 scheduled assessment dates: October 31 – November 4, January 23-27, April 24-27, and June 26-29.



All Grade 10 & 12 students are required to write these assessments as part of their graduation requirements. Students will be informed of their exam schedule at least a week in advance. Students can rewrite these assessments to improve their marks if they choose.

2023 Graduates! - Please ensure that you check in with Ms. Nowotny and Ms. Palmer at the Career Centre to ensure that all your graduation requirements are being met, as well as your work experience and Transitions course work.

Scholarships - For any students needing scholarship information please visit <https://jeannettegobolos.wixsite.com/jeannette-gobolos> , or go visit Ms. Gobolos in Room 110 for an in-person discussion.

Dry Grad 2023 — This year's dry grad committee is meeting monthly and is still looking for lots of volunteers to help plan and hold an amazing dry grad event for the grads of 2023! Next meeting is Monday November 21st at 7pm in the WL Commons. This years Grad Ceremony is planned for Friday June 9th with Dry Grad taking place on Saturday June 10th.



Volunteering at the School – All volunteers volunteering their time to support school events must have a criminal record check completed before they start helping out. This includes driving students, dry grad, coaching, helping in a classroom, etc. To apply online go to the link below and enter the password:

Online Link: <https://justice.gov.bc.ca/criminalrecordcheck>

Williams Lake Campus Access Code: **3RMX4S4KYY**

Medieval Market – School fundraiser

November 19th 9am-4pm & November 20th 9am-2pm

Over 90 vendors! Door Prizes, Concession, Live music on 2 stages!

Come One, Come All! \$5 entry for the weekend, \$3 for Sunday only

Kids 12 and under are free

All proceeds to SD27 students and programs



Parent Advisory Council: A strong relationship between the school and parents is very important in a child's education, and one way of being involved with the school is to be a member of the PAC. All Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend meetings to hear what is happening at each school.

The PAC is combined for WL and Columneetza and meetings generally take place the third Monday of each month at 6:00pm in the Library. A bonus – participation in PAC (set by the criteria to be approved) gives your child the opportunity to apply for a bursary in their Grade 12 year!



NEXT MEETING: Monday, November 21st @ 6:00pm – Columneetza Library

Attendance & Success: There is a direct correlation between student attendance and success. Please talk to your child about attending regularly and staying caught up with homework and assignments. If your child is struggling with attendance and/or falling behind, please contact their teacher directly at any time.

E-Sports (League of Legends) Club is Tuesdays and Thursdays after school in room 150, from 3:30 - 5:30pm at **Columneetza**. Game days for our two teams are Tuesdays, and Thursdays are general practice days. New members from Grades 7 – 12 welcome.

