

EOM SCHOOL COUNCIL

Monday, November 9, 2020

Introductions – 3 VPs, Chair David Barron, Intermediate Teacher Representative Rebecca Montemurro, Secondary Teacher Representative Nancy Watzenboeck, Michelle Walter, Student Services Department Head, Co-Presidents Nasser Nayed and Claire Peacock

End of Quad 1 Wrap-Up:

Nov. 12 and 13 Teachers give students their evidence records.

Staff Handbook Review ... safety protocols and other practices

Student, Parents/Guardians Handbook Review - share again

Teacher professional reflection ...

Consider the most important specific expectations that they teach ... keep, drop, add?

Consider evaluations/performance tasks used in Quad 1 ... keep, drop, add?

Curriculum delivery inc. synchronous learning/activities
Team collaboration opportunities

Quad 2 Start-Up:

Main office will email Quad 2 students to inform them of entrances to use.

Textbook Return After End of Quad 1

Nov. 16 - 19 Tables set up at entrances

Main office to email students/parents to inform

Nov. 25 Quad 1 final marks received

Other notes and updates:

Staffing/Class Changes

Our school enrollment decreased due to a total of 57 students transferred from EOM to OCV this fall. Last week we received our final staffing allocation from the Board. As a result, we're required to cut a total of 10 classes from our allocation. During this process, no contract teachers were declared surplus to the school. The leadership team focussed on making the required changes in Quadmester 3 and 4 (avoiding a last minute change in Quad 2), we looked to minimize the impact on our Grade 12 courses, and our final decisions included courses with very low enrollments and limited effects on student timetabling and staff

reassignments. 98 students affected, 60% no change in timetable due to blended classes, 30% had options to move to other classes, only 12 students needed to select another course.

Information has been sent out to parents and students regarding Cohort B attending school on Nov. 13 AND on Nov. 16, the first day of Quad 2.

P-T Interviews - Appointment software will be used for Quad 2. Currently the intermediates are using this system.

Musical instruments ordered to replace those stolen during April theft... tubas, euphoniums, bassoon, saxophone, percussion

EOM virtual clubs on website ... 12!

Commencement Ceremony 2020 Dec. 10 at 7 PM

Message from Director, Trustee, Earl of March admin and staff, slide presentation, valedictory address, closing slide show

An email to students and staff will be sent later this week ... as we reach first day of school Quad 2