November 30, 2021

To : Parents/guardians of Grad Class 2022

Re: Graduation Assessments

New for the 2021-22 school year, all students in Grade 12 will be required to complete one or more mandatory literacy assessments. First, all students must complete the Literacy 12 Assessment during their Grade 12 year.

The Grade 12 Literacy Assessment is a provincial assessment that assesses students’ proficiency in literacy. The Assessment also assesses students’ ability to use critical and reflective thinking and analysis to make meaning from a diverse array of texts. Further, it assesses the ability of students to communicate their ideas, or those found in the texts.

The Grade 12 Literacy assessment is not based on a particular subject matter or course, but rather on learning across multiple subjects from kindergarten to Grade 12.

Students in French Immersion will be required to complete two additional assessments – l’Évaluation de littératie 12, which has a separate Évaluation orale 12 component.

Assessments will be graded on a 4-point scale and can be accessed on their STS account. Students will have access to their assessment results prior to the end of the school year. Students who wish to re-take the assessment(s) will have an additional opportunity to do so in June, 2022. At this time, the University of British Columbia is the only post-secondary institution that will be considering the result of the Lit 12 assessment in their admission process.

Below is the detailed schedule for the assessments in January 2022:

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| **DATE** | **TIME** | **LOCATION** | **STUDENT LAST NAMES** | **ASSESSMENT** |
| 18-Jan | 8:00-8:30 | LIB LAB | FRAL 12 A-DE | ÉVAL ORALE |
| 19-Jan | 8:00-8:30 | LIB LAB | FRAL 12 DI-MA | ÉVAL ORALE |
| 20-Jan | 8:00-8:30 | LIB LAB | FRAL 12 MC-SH | ÉVAL ORALE |
| 21-Jan | 8:00-8:30 | LIB LAB | FRAL 12 T-Z | ÉVAL ORALE |
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| 24-Jan | 8:30-11:30 | E211 | LAST NAME NE-SCHI | LIT 12 |
| 24-Jan | 8:30-11:30 | E214 | LAST NAME GA-KRI | LIT 12 |
| 24-Jan | 12:00-3:00 | E211 | LAST NAME SCHL-Z | LIT 12 |
| 24-Jan | 12:00-3:00 | E214 | LAST NAME LA-MY | LIT 12 |
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| 25-Jan | 8:45-12:00 | LIB LAB | ALL FRAL 12 STUDENTS | ÉVAL LIT FRAL 12 |
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| 26-Jan | 8:30-11:30 | E211 | LAST NAME CHE-GAL | LIT 12 |
| 26-Jan | 8:30-11:30 | E214 | LAST NAME A-CHA | LIT 12 |
| 26-Jan | ALL DAY | LIB LAB | ACCOMMODATIONS | LIT 12 |

Students requiring accommodations such as additional time or a separate setting, etc. will be contacted by their case manager or grade counsellor.

For more information including samples about these assessments, please visit [Graduation Assessments: Information for Administrators - Province of British Columbia (gov.bc.ca)](https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/administration/program-management/assessment/graduation#graduation-assessments)

If you have any questions in regards to these assessments, please do not hesitate to connect with the Grade 12 counsellor, Ms. So, or myself.

Sincerely,

Julie Bertrand

Vice-Principal/Directrice adjointe