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PALMER JUNE 2021 CAREER CENTRE NEWSLETTER

Career Centre Website: for MacNeill and Palmer: On homepage, see CALENDAR for events, scholarships and opportunities, see tab NEW INFO for latest posts, and tab NEWSLETTERS to catch up on monthly news.

<https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/y4q4m6k/Pages/default.aspx>

Facebook Page: Ms. Mayer Career Centre: (For newsfeed on the latest career centre info)

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Ms-Mayer-Career-Centre/333673583360594>

GRADE 12's:

Be sure to visit post-secondary websites for admission requirements, program info, updates, and attend post-secondary in-school/on campus info sessions (when offered). To apply to post-secondary, you need your PEN (on your report card), and Credit Card Number to pay the application fee online. For most BC Institutions: Apply [EducationPlannerBC_https://www.educationplanner.bc.ca/](https://www.educationplanner.bc.ca/)

To send transcripts to the post-secondary institutions to which you have applied, first, register for a BCeID Account (you need your PEN – on your report card), select institutions and then 'send interim and final grades' or as indicated for institution. www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca/ (STS) **Make sure you have completed your STS form so your selected post-secondary schools have access to your marks!

***Be sure to check post-secondary/email accounts often for directions/updates/course registration. Attend online live Information Sessions and Webinars and campus events (when offered). Questions? - contact post-secondary schools regarding your application.**

Accepting Post-secondary Offers: Check your offer letters and make sure you accept before your specified date and pay your deposits.

Accepted your offer of admission - now what? - Make sure you follow your post-secondary school's instructions exactly and pay your deposit to confirm acceptance.

Many colleges and universities offer workshops for new students, these workshops will teach you about:

- First year course planning
- Registrations “how to’s”
- Tips for success
- Campus services

Students in selective or trade programs are encouraged to book an appointment with an educational advisor or attend a program-specific information session.

Post Secondary Info:

SFU information for new students: <https://www.sfu.ca/students/newundergrads/next-steps-events.html>

UBC info for those accepted: <https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/admitted/>

KPU info for future students: <https://www.kpu.ca/future-students>

CapU info for admitted students: <https://www.capilanou.ca/admissions/apply-to-capu/admitted-students/>

Douglas College info for future students: <https://www.douglascollege.ca/future-students>

UVic Events – Discover UVic and Course Registration: https://www.uvic.ca/undergraduate/tours-events/events/?utm_medium=redirect&utm_source=/future-students/undergraduate/events/facebook-live/index.php&utm_campaign=redirect-usage

Langara College Course Registration Guide: <https://langara.ca/reg-guide/>

Upcoming Dates :

JUN 1/21 – KPU Deadline to apply for Priority Course

Registration: <https://www.kpu.ca/admission/applying>

JUN 1/21 - University of Alberta Deadline to Accept Offer and pay deposit unless otherwise stated in offer letter.

JUN 10/21 – KPU Next Steps. <https://www.kpu.ca/info-sessions/future-students/next-steps>

JUN 10 -JUL 5/21 - <https://langara.ca/student-services/counselling/workshops-info-sessions/course-planning-sessions.html>

JUN 30/21 - Langara Deadline for Final Transcripts to be ordered through STS - to be received by July 31/21

AUG 01/21 - KPU Open Intake Application Deadline

* check for June scholarship deadlines on the

Calendar: [https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/y4q4m6k/Pages/default.aspx#/="](https://portal.sd38.bc.ca/public/y4q4m6k/Pages/default.aspx#/=)

*See post-secondary Websites for Updated details for online and webinar information sessions.

Post-Secondary Course Registration Dates - Students are reminded to check their college or university student account to find out the date and time they can begin registering for courses.

Applying for a student loan? Early June 2021 Student Aid BC Applications Open. Note, the process for applying for a student loan has changed. Students are encouraged to visit the Student Aid BC website now and view the step by step instructions on how to apply through this new process:
<https://studentaidbc.ca/apply/how-to-apply>

GRADE 10's and 11's:

This is a good time to do some post-secondary exploration, visiting post-secondary websites and listening in on the webinars they are offering through their websites and blogs. At this time you can check the individual schools to see if they have in-person or virtual campus tours (may vary due to Covid health regulations at the time)

If you are planning to attend a USA post-secondary institution after graduation, make sure you are familiar with, and have met, all the admission requirements. Many USA institutions begin accepting applications as early as Sept of your grade 12 year.

It's also a good idea to register for and to write your SAT/ACT admission exam during your **Grade 11** year. This allows enough time to have your scores ready for your fall application. You will need your school code to register for the following tests: Give school code: 821315

SAT - <http://student.collegeboard.org/>

ACT - <https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act.html>

Congratulations Grade 12 Grads of 2021!

Have a wonderful summer everyone, all the best and stay safe! - Ms.Mayer

Questions? - Contact me until June 23 through school email: mmayer@sd38.bc.ca