W.C. Miller Collegiate

Graduation 2024

Parent Information

October 18, 2023
Agenda

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Grade 12 as a Transition

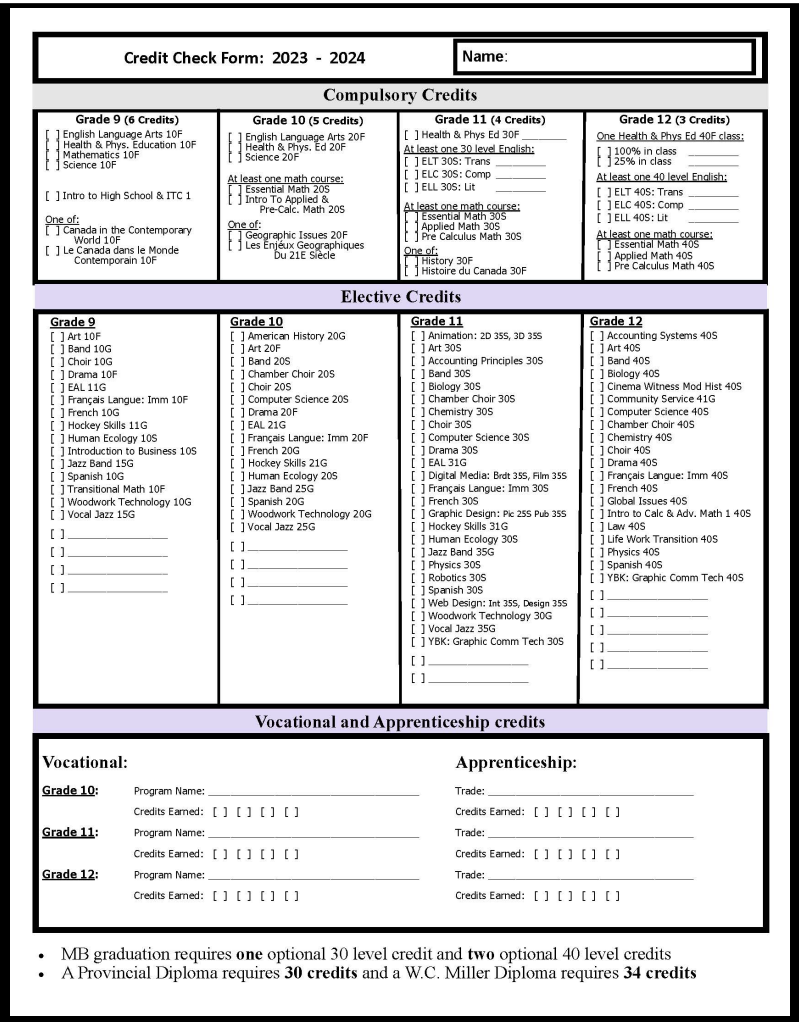
Prepare students for the transition into adulthood.

Engage G12 students in their decision making as much as possible

Shift toward assisting students with decision making as much as possible

Require permission from those over 18 for parent/guardian communication

Graduation Requirements



Credit Check Form: 2023 - 2024 | **Name:**

Compulsory Credits

Grade 9 (6 Credits)
[ ] English Language Arts 10F
[ ] Health & Phys. Education 10F
[ ] Mathematics 10F
[ ] Science 10F
[ ] Intro to High School & ITC 1
One of:
[ ] Canada in the Contemporary World 10F
[ ] Le Canada dans le Monde Contemporain 10F

Grade 10 (5 Credits)
[ ] English Language Arts 20F
[ ] Health & Phys. Ed 20F
[ ] Science 20F
At least one math course:
[ ] Essential Math 20S
[ ] Intro To Applied & Pre-Calc. Math 20S
One of:
[ ] Geographic Issues 20F
[ ] Les Enjeux Geographiques Du 21E Siecle

Grade 11 (4 Credits)
[ ] Health & Phys Ed 30F _____
At least one 30 level English:
[ ] ELT 30S: Trans _____
[ ] ELC 30S: Comp _____
[ ] ELL 30S: Lit _____
At least one math course:
[ ] Essential Math 30S
[ ] Applied Math 30S
[ ] Pre Calculus Math 30S
One of:
[ ] History 30F
[ ] Histoire du Canada 30F

Grade 12 (3 Credits)
One Health & Phys Ed 40F class:
[ ] 100% in class _____
[ ] 25% in class _____
At least one 40 level English:
[ ] ELT 40S: Trans _____
[ ] ELC 40S: Comp _____
[ ] ELL 40S: Lit _____
At least one math course:
[ ] Essential Math 40S
[ ] Applied Math 40S
[ ] Pre Calculus Math 40S

Elective Credits

Grade 9
[ ] Art 10F
[ ] Band 10G
[ ] Choir 10G
[ ] Drama 10F
[ ] EAL 11G
[ ] Français Langue: Imm 10F
[ ] French 10G
[ ] Hockey Skills 11G
[ ] Human Ecology 10S
[ ] Introduction to Business 10S
[ ] Jazz Band 15G
[ ] Spanish 10G
[ ] Transitional Math 10F
[ ] Woodwork Technology 10G
[ ] Vocal Jazz 15G
[ ] _____
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Grade 10
[ ] American History 20G
[ ] Art 20F
[ ] Band 20S
[ ] Chamber Choir 20S
[ ] Choir 20S
[ ] Computer Science 20S
[ ] Drama 20F
[ ] EAL 21G
[ ] Français Langue: Imm 20F
[ ] French 20G
[ ] Hockey Skills 21G
[ ] Human Ecology 20S
[ ] Jazz Band 25G
[ ] Spanish 20G
[ ] Woodwork Technology 20G
[ ] Vocal Jazz 25G
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Grade 11
[ ] Animation: 2D 35S, 3D 35S
[ ] Art 30S
[ ] Accounting Principles 30S
[ ] Band 30S
[ ] Biology 30S
[ ] Chamber Choir 30S
[ ] Chemistry 30S
[ ] Choir 30S
[ ] Computer Science 30S
[ ] Drama 30S
[ ] EAL 31G
[ ] Digital Media: Brdt 35S, Film 35S
[ ] Français Langue: Imm 30S
[ ] French 30S
[ ] Graphic Design: Pic 25S Pub 35S
[ ] Hockey Skills 31G
[ ] Human Ecology 30S
[ ] Jazz Band 35G
[ ] Physics 30S
[ ] Robotics 30S
[ ] Spanish 30S
[ ] Web Design: Int 35S, Design 35S
[ ] Woodwork Technology 30G
[ ] Vocal Jazz 35G
[ ] YBK: Graphic Comm Tech 30S
[ ] _____
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Grade 12
[ ] Accounting Systems 40S
[ ] Art 40S
[ ] Band 40S
[ ] Biology 40S
[ ] Cinema Witness Mod Hist 40S
[ ] Community Service 41G
[ ] Computer Science 40S
[ ] Chamber Choir 40S
[ ] Chemistry 40S
[ ] Choir 40S
[ ] Drama 40S
[ ] Français Langue: Imm 40S
[ ] French 40S
[ ] Global Issues 40S
[ ] Intro to Calc & Adv. Math 1 40S
[ ] Law 40S
[ ] Life Work Transition 40S
[ ] Physics 40S
[ ] Spanish 40S
[ ] YBK: Graphic Comm Tech 40S
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Vocational and Apprenticeship credits

Vocational:

Grade 10: Program Name: _____ Credits Earned: [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
Grade 11: Program Name: _____ Credits Earned: [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
Grade 12: Program Name: _____ Credits Earned: [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]

Apprenticeship:

Trade: _____ Credits Earned: [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]
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- MB graduation requires **one** optional 30 level credit and **two** optional 40 level credits
- A Provincial Diploma requires **30 credits** and a W.C. Miller Diploma requires **34 credits**

- Credits requirements for graduation
  - 34 W.C. Miller Diploma
  - 30 Provincial Diploma

- Staff complete grad checks, important for students to do it as well. Important for students to know what is required.
- Credit check forms are available in the main office and on our website.
- If students have questions about their graduation plan, they should see Mrs. Zacharias (until October 27), Ms. Tonna (after October 27).

Awards: Scholarships & Bursaries

Award information will be posted to WCMC Post Secondary Squad on Teams and on the Guidance webpage

Three Types of Awards

1. School Specific
   - awarded by university or college directly
   - check specific schools for application process and timelines

2. Local Awards
   - W.C. Miller offers awards based on local donations
   - application process begins in May

3. External
   - Non school specific awards, applications available throughout Grade 12 year

Transcript requests can be made through the office and may need a few days to process.

Students requesting reference letters should give staff 2 weeks notice.

Sept/Oct	Grad Student Meeting
October	Grad Parent Meeting
March 5-7	Grad Pictures
April 24	Grad Picture Retakes
June 7	Grad vs Staff Ball Game
June 26	Grad Breakfast 10am
June 26	Grad Rehearsal 1pm
June 27	Graduation Ceremony 10am

School Initiated Graduation Events

How to Keep Up to Date

Ensure you have signed in and indicated your preferred methods for communication.

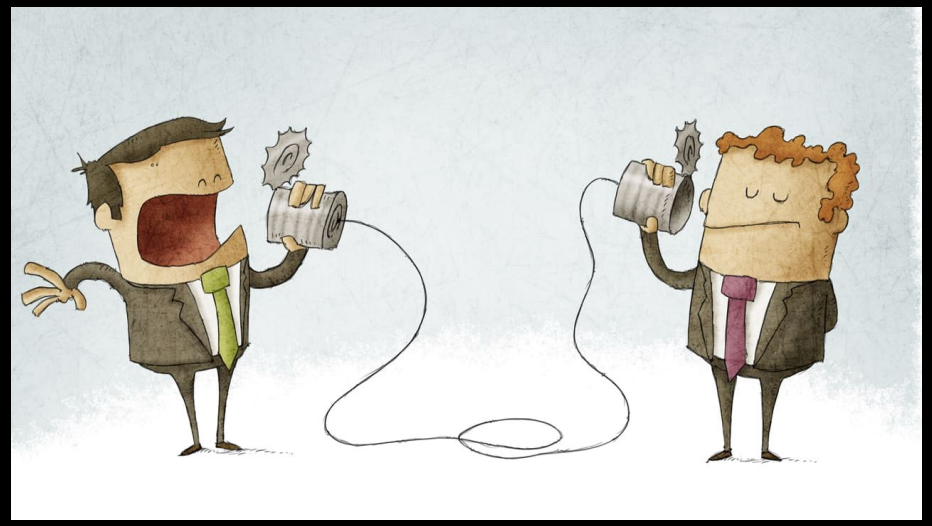
- This ensures you will receive the updates from the grad committee

Check the Grad 2024 webpage

- wcm.blsd.ca/students_parents/grad_information

Teams – *Students only*

- Student updates on grad information and awards – WCMC Class of 2024 & WCMC Post Secondary Squad



Non-Sanctioned Grad Activities

While we are aware that these events often happen, the school does not support them:

- Grad Skip
- Grad Camping

Student Initiated Grad Activities

GRAD CHAIRS:

3 co- chairs to be finalized this week.

With potential for additional sub committee chairs to be determined

Grad Hoodies

Grad Theme

Grad Song

Grad Quote

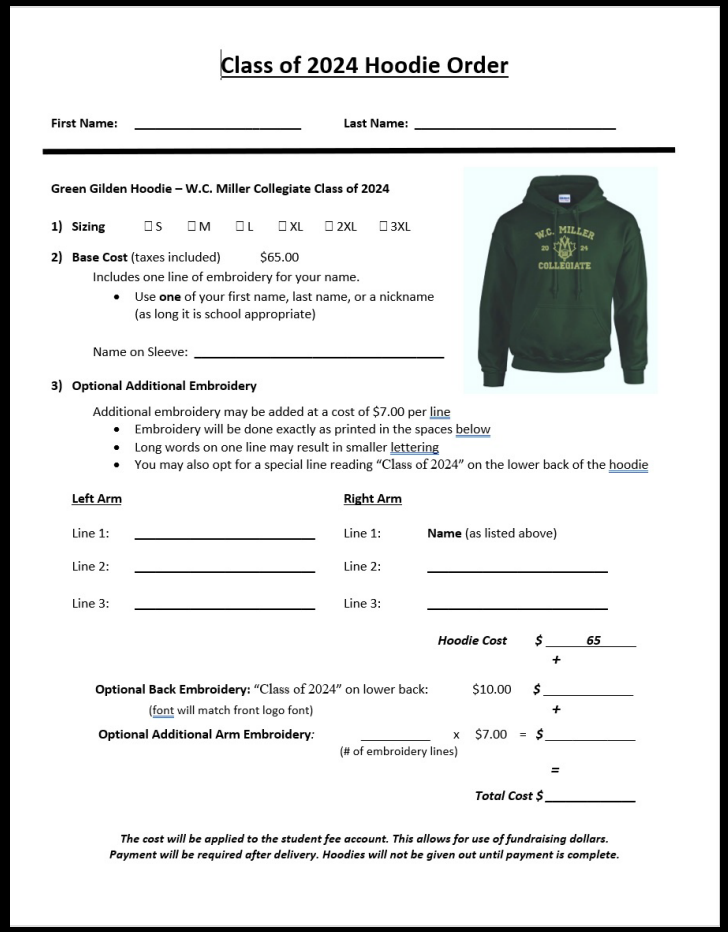
Grad Painting

Safe Grad Planning

Student Initiated Grad Activities

Grad Hoodie Committee

A team of 15 students met with admin to design the hoodie and manage the order process.



Class of 2024 Hoodie Order

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

Green Gilden Hoodie – W.C. Miller Collegiate Class of 2024

1) Sizing ☐ S ☐ M ☐ L ☐ XL ☐ 2XL ☐ 3XL

2) Base Cost (taxes included) $65.00

Includes one line of embroidery for your name.

- Use **one** of your first name, last name, or a nickname (as long it is school appropriate)

Name on Sleeve: _____

3) Optional Additional Embroidery

Additional embroidery may be added at a cost of $7.00 per line

- Embroidery will be done exactly as printed in the spaces below
- Long words on one line may result in smaller lettering
- You may also opt for a special line reading "Class of 2024" on the lower back of the hoodie

Left Arm		Right Arm	
Line 1:	_____	Line 1:	**Name** (as listed above)
Line 2:	_____	Line 2:	_____
Line 3:	_____	Line 3:	_____

Hoodie Cost ***$ 65***

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Optional Back Embroidery: "Class of 2024" on lower back: $10.00 ***$ _____***

(font will match front logo font)

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Optional Additional Arm Embroidery: _____ x $7.00 = ***$ _____***

(# of embroidery lines)

=

Total Cost $ _____

The cost will be applied to the student fee account. This allows for use of fundraising dollars. Payment will be required after delivery. Hoodies will not be given out until payment is complete.

Parent & Student Organized Grad Activities

Parent & Student Organized Grad Activities

- Determine Graduation Celebration(s) Format and Date(s)
- Organize student and parent volunteers to assist with event planning
- Fundraise

Past Roles/Committees – will depend on format (* Parents only)

Grad Chair(s)	Secretary/Treasurer	Fundraising
Decorating	Banquet	AfterGrad
Bar *	Clean Up*	Security *
Transportation*		

Volunteer Opportunities

Safe Grad Executive Positions – usually filled tonight

Safe Grad Parent Committee Chair(s)

Safe Grad Secretary/Treasurer

SAFE GRAD SEMINAR NOVEMBER 18 – WINNIPEG

This informative half-day seminar equips schools and graduation committees with pertinent information to plan and host an enjoyable and incident free graduation celebration. Presentations offered at the seminar include planning a Safe Grad, an overview of the committee's responsibilities under the *Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Authority of Manitoba's Control Act* and a review of the Liability Insurance Coverage and Application process required of every school hosting a Safe Grad celebration. Details will be sent to schools in the fall.

Thank you for your willingness to help plan the

grad celebration for the class of 2024!