

APRIL 8 – 12, 2024

Monday Apr 8	Tuesday Apr 9	Wednesday Apr 10	Thursday Apr 11	Friday Apr 12
Day 2	Day 1 <i>Ramadan Ends/ Eid-al-Fitr (Islam-Apr 9 or 10)</i> <i>Chaitra Navratri (Hinduism-Apr 9-17)</i>	Day 2	Day 1 Numeracy 10 Assessment Prep Session (Flex – Theatre)	Day 2 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">April 13 Vaisakhi (Sikhism)</div>

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

Grade 10 Numeracy Assessment Prep (Apr 11)

Grade 10 students are asked to attend an important session in the Theatre that will review the structure and expectations of the Numeracy Assessment that they will be writing on Apr 18. Information regarding this assessment was emailed home earlier this week and can also be found [on our website](#).

Core Competency Reflections (Due Apr 17)

The British Columbia K-12 curriculum requires that students pause to reflect on their Core Competency development and set goals three times each year. All McNair students must now complete one of these reflections. This reflection assignment will take approximately 10-15 minutes and must be completed no later than April 17th. To complete their reflections, students should follow [this link](#). Students will be required to log in using their SD38/Microsoft account. If students are having difficulty logging in, they should contact the office to reset their password.

Parent-Organized Dry After Grad

Congratulations to L. Friesen for winning the Dry Grad 50/50 draw on March 27th and thank you to all who participated in this fundraiser!

All parents are invited to participate in an online meeting for the upcoming Dry Grad event. Please see below for details.

You're invited to the McNair Dry Grad Meeting

Tuesday, April 9, 2024

8:00pm

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Apr 14	<i>International Day of Pink</i>
Apr 14-20	<i>Bangla Heritage Week</i>
Apr 17	<i>Ram Navani (Hinduism)</i>
Apr 18	Grade 10 Numeracy Assessment (8:30-11:30)
Apr 22-30	<i>Pesach (Judaism)</i>
Apr 23	<i>Hanuman Jayanti (Hinduism)</i>
Apr 24	Learning Update (Report Cards) Published on MyEdBC Parent-Teacher Conference Bookings Open
May	<i>Asian Heritage Month</i> <i>Canadian Jewish Heritage Month</i>
May 1 & 2	Parent Teacher Conferences
May 3	<i>Good Friday (Orthodox Christianity)</i>
May 5	<i>Easter (Orthodox Christianity)</i> <i>Cinco-de-Mayo</i> <i>Dutch Heritage Day</i> <i>Red Dress Day</i> <i>Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day - Judaism) May 5-6</i>
May 7-10	Juan de Fuca Mini 11 Field Trip
May 10	<i>Bear Witness Day</i>

Eid-al-Fitr (Islam – Apr 9 or 10)

Many Muslims in Canada celebrate Eid al-Fitr on the first day of Shawwal in the Islamic calendar. It marks the end of the month-long fast of Ramadan and the start of a feast that lasts up to three days in some countries.

Chaitra Navratri (Hinduism – Apr 9-17)

A Hindu nine-day festival to celebrate the first day of the Hindu calendar.

Baisakhi or Vaisakhi (Apr 13)

A harvest festival celebrated in India, mainly by the Sikh community.

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