

Friday, January 22, 2021

Dear Eastdale Families;

As we approach the end of our second Quadmester, I wanted to ensure that you had the following information:

Important Dates:

January 22	Timetables available on the Parent Portal
January 25	Students DO NOT return to in-person learning – continue with daily synchronous learning
January 29	Last Day of Classes for Quadmester 2
February 1	Credit Completion Day – only students required by their teachers to complete work need to be working on this day
February 2	First Day of Quadmester 3
February 11	Quadmester 2 Report Cards emailed to Parents/Guardians

Cohorts for Quadmester 3:

Please note that cohort assignments are being updated as timetables are being finalized. Cohorts will be available late next week. Communication will be sent out to confirm.

In-Person Learning:

As issued by the government, in person learning will not continue until at least February 10th at this time. Please continue to watch for announcement from the government for any updates.

Timetable Changes:

Guidance will be opening their timetable appointment form <https://sites.google.com/ddsb.ca/eastdale-guidance/timetable-changes> later today. The Guidance team will be available next week to try and make shifts in a student's timetable during appointments. Please be aware that the timetable has very limited options due to restraints that have occurred as a result of the pandemic as students decided to join virtual schooling.

Material/Textbook Dropoff & Pick-up:

Beginning on Monday, bins will be at the main entrance for anyone to drop off textbooks or other learning materials that are no longer needed. Specific communication will be shared by classroom teachers and via next week's newsletter regarding the distribution of required learning materials for Quadmester 3.

As we wrap up another quadmester, please encourage your child to double check with their teachers to ensure that all of their work has been completed. If they require additional support, encourage them to connect with either their teacher or the virtual learning hub to get assistance. If you have any concerns or questions about your child's progress, please reach out directly to their teacher. Teacher emails are available on our school website in the staff directory.

Sincerely,
Michelle Monk
Principal