

# BROOKLIN HIGH SCHOOL

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## School Community Council - Agenda

Tuesday September 24, 2024

6:00 pm **via**

Google Meet

- Welcome and Land Acknowledgment J. MacKenzie

### **Acknowledgement of Traditional Lands**

*The Durham District School Board acknowledges that many Indigenous Nations have long standing relationships, both historic and modern, with the territories upon which our school board and schools are located. Today, this area is home to many Indigenous peoples from across Turtle Island. We acknowledge that the Durham Region forms a part of the traditional and treaty territory of the Mississaugas of Scugog Island First Nation, the Mississauga Peoples and the treaty territory of the Chippewas of Georgina Island First Nation. It is on these ancestral and treaty lands that we teach, learn and live.*

### **Indigenous Inherent Rights:**

*The Durham District School Board recognizes Indigenous rights are distinct. In the exercise of those rights, Indigenous staff and students shall not be subjected to actions with the aim or effect of depriving these distinct rights.*

### **Human Rights and Equity Statement:**

*The Durham District School Board is committed to learning and working environments that centre human rights and equity, and are **safe**, welcoming, respectful, equitable, **accessible**, inclusive, and free from discrimination*

- Introductions J. MacKenzie
- Elections J. MacKenzie
- Constitution J. MacKenzie
- Administration Introductions and Portfolios J. MacKenzie
- Student Parliament Update R. Bureau
- Principal's Report J. MacKenzie
- Literacy Updates F. Aziz
- Emergency Procedures F. Aziz
- Mark Reporting and Parent Teacher Interviews J. Demaray
- Positive School Climate Update J. Demaray
- January Exams J. Demaray
- Breakfast club J. Demaray

- **Guidance Updates**

Sept 19th was our Grade 12 Post-Secondary Planning Presentation. A hyperlink version of the presentation is posted on Mr. Knowles' google classroom, the school website and was emailed out to all grade 12 Parents on School Messenger last week

**Upcoming events:**



**Brooklin High School**  
**Grade 12: Important Dates 2024 - 2025**

- Grade 12 Parent Night** Sept 19th, 2024
  - Virtual - registration required, recorded presentation posted on website and google classroom
- BHS College Fair** Oct 2nd, 2024
- BHS University Fair** Oct 9th, 2024
- Grad Photos** Nov 25th - Dec 6th Retakes in February
  - Details will be communicated through Remind & Google Classroom
- University Application OUAC Deadline** January 15th, 2025
  - Apply on [www.ouac.on.ca](http://www.ouac.on.ca) as early as September
  - No PIN required to apply, only your OEN
- College Application OCAS Deadline** February 1st, 2025
  - Apply on [www.ontariocolleges.ca](http://www.ontariocolleges.ca) starting October 1st
  - No PIN required to apply, only your OEN
- Community Service Hours (40 total)** Due by May 1st, 2025
  - Will not be able to purchase a Prom ticket until Community Service Hours are handed in
  - Students will upload the Community Involvement Hours Log Sheet to my Google Classroom
- Grad Fees** Due by May 1st, 2025
  - Purchased on School Cash Online ONLY
  - Grad related fees, grad composite, grad gown
- Prom Ticket Sales** TBD
  - Purchased on School Cash Online ONLY
  - Grad Fees and volunteer hours completed before purchase of prom ticket
- Valedictorian Nominations** April 28 - May 2nd, 2025
  - Nomination Google Form sent out via Grade 12 Guidance Remind and GC & Social Media
- Valedictorian Voting (two rounds of voting)** May 5th - May 9th, 2025
  - Voting online through a link on google classroom and Remind
- Prom** June 5th, 2025
  - DeerCreek Golf Course
- Graduation** June 26th, 2025
  - All graduation requirements must be met in order to graduate (30 credits, 40 Volunteer Hours, and TWO eLearning asynchronous credit OR the opt out form signed and returned to guidance)
  - <https://www.ddsbc.ca/en/programs-and-learning/online-learning-graduation-requirements.aspx#Opting-Out-of-the-eLearning-Graduation-Requirement>

**Brooklin High School Grade 12 Important Dates**

- BHS COLLEGE FAIR** OCT 2ND
  - All grade 11s and 12s invited
  - 7:45 am - 10:15 am BHS Library
- TORONTO COLLEGE FAIR** OCT 16TH + 17TH
  - <https://ontariocollegefair.ca/>
  - Enercare Centre - Hall B, Exhibition Place, Toronto
- TORONTO UNIVERSITY FAIR** OCT 5TH + 6TH
  - <https://www.ouevents.ca/>
  - Metro Toronto Convention Centre
- BHS UNIVERSITY FAIR** OCT 9TH
  - All grade 11s and 12s invited
  - 7:45 am - 10:15 am BHS Cafeteria

<https://levelupontario.ca/>

October 22nd to 24th  
Tribute Communities Centre  
99 Athol St E, Oshawa, ON L1H 1J8  
Evening Open House 3 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

**Connect with our youth**

Join our lineup of 2024 Level Up! exhibitors to help our youth realize their potential and discover rewarding opportunities in the skilled trades.

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Bear Wear (staff, students and grads!) - store closes October 4th

<https://shop.vintageapparelco.com/>

- Other
- Adjournment and Action Items



# Life Beyond High School Event

**Have you wondered about resources available for students with special education needs?**

Let us assist in connecting you with programs, supports and services across the Durham Region.

**Wednesday, October 23, 2024 • 6:00 - 8:30pm**

Durham District School Board Education Centre 400 Taunton Rd. E. Whitby, ON

**Meet and greet with community agencies such as**

Developmental Services Ontario, Ontario Disability Support Program, Canopy Support Services and more!



**For more information, please contact:**

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PRESENTED BY:

Transition Coordinators, Superintendent & System Leads—  
Inclusive Student Services



Next Meeting:

**Tuesday November 5, 2024, 6:00 pm**