

Delburne Centralized School

Weekly Update

January 17, 2025

HOT LUNCH

February hot lunch, donut day and milk orders for February/March are online! **Deadline** for February 5th and 7th hot lunches is **Thursday, January 30th** at midnight.

<https://www.studentquickpay.com/chinook/>

COUNSELLOR'S CORNER

Here are some local scholarships for grade 12 students. In particular, check out the Bernard and Mary B. Dixon scholarship and the Trey Purdie Memorial Scholarship.

- **BERNARD & MARY B. DIXON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
- **TREY PURDIE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
- **SMILES THRU LINDSEY WOMEN IN AVIATION AWARD**
- **CENTRAL ALBERTA HUMAN RESOURCES SCHOLARSHIP**
- **MURRAY FAMILY CAREER OPPORTUNITY AWARD**
- **RED DEER GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB CENTENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility details, required documents, and application instructions are available on our website and scholarship portal. Deadlines vary, with all applications closing at 4:30 pm unless otherwise stated. **You can find more information here:** <https://rddcf.ca/donor/financialawards/>

REPORT CARDS

Just a reminder that report cards will be going home on Wednesday, January 29. A printed copy of the report card will be sent home for all students in Kindergarten-Grade 6 and report cards for Grades 7-12 can be found online through Powerschool. If you have any questions regarding report cards, please do not hesitate to connect with your child's classroom teacher or the office.

FINAL EXAMS AND LAST DAY OF CLASSES

- Diploma exams continue this week
- The last day of classes for our grade 9 - 12 students is January 22. This means that students are only required to be at the school for the writing of their exams. There will be no scheduled classes from January 23 - 29.
- The final exam schedule is posted below.
- Please note that the first day of semester 2 is Feb. 3.

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VALENTINE'S DAY: CRUSH AND CARNATIONS

The High School Leadership group will be selling Crush pops (\$2) and carnation flowers (\$2) leading up to Valentine's Day. Students will have an opportunity to buy one or both of the options for a friend of their choice (they are also welcome to purchase more than one). Crush and carnation orders must be in by **February 3rd** and they will be delivered on **February 14th**. Students will be given forms from their homeroom teacher on Monday and there will be additional copies available at the office.

2025-2026 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is open. Students must be 5 years old as of December 31, 2025. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Page.

<https://www.cesd73.ca/programs/early-childhood-services>

DIPLOMA PREP COURSES

Diploma Exams are approaching quickly. There are several review sessions available to grade 12 students. The first is Rock the Diploma. This is a three-day 15 hour review session in person at Lindsay Thurber in Red Deer. The cost for this is \$135 per course. The second is a program called Excelerator. This review is provided online and is around 20 hours. The cost is \$100 per course. Chinook's Edge School Division will reimburse students \$50 per course. If your child signs up for either option please let Ms. Ray know so she can send your information to the division office for a reimbursement.

Here are the links for registration and information:

Excelerator

<https://castlerockresearch.com/excelerator/p/excelerator-course-math-30-1-diploma-preparation>

Rock the Diploma

<https://www.rdpsd.ab.ca/lindsaythurber/page/6620/rock-the-diploma>

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ON THE CALENDAR

| MONDAY January 20 | TUESDAY January 21 | WEDNESDAY January 22 | THURSDAY January 23 | FRIDAY January 24 |
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| English 30-1, 30-2 Part B | Social 30-1, 30-2 Diploma Part B | Last Day of Classes for Grades 9-12 | Grade 9 Science PAT | Sr Girls Basketball Practice 7:00 a.m. -8:30 a.m. |
| English 10-2 Final Part A | Grade 9 Math PAT Part A | Grade 9 Math PAT Part B | Chemistry 20 Final | KFC Hot Lunch |
| Social 10-1 - Final Part A | BGC Kids Club 3:10 -5:00 | Hot Dog Day | English 10-1 Final Part B | Kindergarten Friday |
| Science 9 In Class Final | Youth Keystone 5:30-7:30 | Jr. Girls Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:30 | Social 10-2 Final Part B | Physics 30 Diploma |
| Jr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:00 | Sr. Girls Basketball Practice 3:30-5:30 | Jr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 | Sr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30 - 5:30 | Math 20-1 Final |
| Jr. Girls Basketball Practice 5:00 - 7:00 | Sr. Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5:00 | | Jr Girls Basketball Game VS IHS 4:00-6:00 | Math 20-2 Final |
| | | | Jr Boys Basketball Game VS IHS 6:00-8:00 | Math 20-3 Final |
| | | | | English 10-2 Final Part B |
| | | | | Social 10-1 Final Part B |
| | | | | Jr Girls Home Basketball Tournament |
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UPDATED Final Exam Schedule

| Date | Exam | Room # |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Mon, Jan 20, 2025 | English 30-1 DIPLOMA Part B | Library |
| | English 30-2 DIPLOMA Part B | Library |
| | English 10-2 Final Part A | Classroom |
| | Social 10-1 Final Part A | Classroom |
| | Science 9 In-Class Final | Classroom |
| EXAM WEEK January 23 - 29, 2025 | | |
| Tues, Jan 21, 2025 | Social 30-1 DIPLOMA Part B | Library |
| | Social 30-2 DIPLOMA Part B | Library |
| | Math 9 PAT Part A | 170 |
| Wednesday, January 22, 2025 - LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR HIGH SCHOOL | | |
| Wed, Jan 22, 2025 | Math 9 PAT Part B | 170 |
| EXAM WEEK January 23 - 29, 2025 | | |
| Thurs, Jan 23, 2025 | Science 9 PAT | 170 |
| | Chemistry 20 Final | Classroom |
| | English 10 - 1 Final Part B | Classroom |
| | Social 10 - 2 Final Part B | Classroom |
| EXAM WEEK January 23 - 29, 2025 | | |
| Fri. Jan. 24 | Physics 30 DIPLOMA | Library |
| | Math 20-1 Final | Classroom |
| | Math 20-2 Final | Classroom |
| | Math 20-3 Final | Classroom |
| | English 10 - 2 Final Part B | Classroom |
| | Social 10 - 1 Final Part B | Classroom |
| EXAM WEEK January 23 - 29, 2025 | | |
| Mon, Jan 27, 2025 | Biology 20 Final | Classroom |
| Thursday, January 30, 2025 SEMESTER BREAK/ Friday, Jan 31, 2025 - Non-Instructional Day - NO SCHOOL | | |

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MONDAY, JANUARY 20

JR. BOYS PRACTICE 3:30-5:00 LG
JR. GIRLS PRACTICE 5:00-7:00 LG

TUESDAY, JANUARY 21

SR. GIRLS PRACTICE 3:30-5:30 LG
SR. BOYS PRACTICE 3:30-5:00 SG

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22

JR. BOYS PRACTICE 3:30-5:00 SG
JR. GIRLS PRACTICE 3:30-5:30 LG

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23

SR. BOYS PRACTICE 3:30-5:00 LG
JR. GIRLS GAME VS IHS 4:00
JR. BOYS GAME VS IHS 6:00

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24

SR. GIRLS PRACTICE 7:00AM-8:30AM LG
JR. GIRLS HOME TOURNAMENT

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Dear Chinook's Edge School Division Students, Parents & Guardians,

We've partnered with Castle Rock Research to offer discounted Exceleator Diploma Preparation Courses to help students excel in diploma exams. Chinook's Edge School Division will fund \$50/student/course and families will pay the remaining \$50/student/course. Led by top educators on the SOLARO platform, these courses provide interactive learning, immediate feedback, and essential test-taking strategies. Each 20-hour course, delivered over 5 days, is fully aligned with Alberta's Program of Studies, offering device compatibility and interactive Q&A options. Click the button below to sign up or learn more.

Exceleator Diploma Preparation Course Chinook's Edge School Division Price \$100.00

Mathematics 30-1



- Mathematics 30-1 focuses on algebra, functions, trigonometry, and problem-solving using graphing calculators. This course builds confidence and enhances exam readiness.

Mathematics 30-2



- Mathematics 30-2 emphasizes logical reasoning, probability, and practical applications. It equips students with strategies for exams without requiring calculus knowledge.

Chemistry 30



- Covers thermochemical, electrochemical, and organic reactions. Hands-on practice and feedback enable students to grasp complex concepts and perform well on their exams.

Biology 30



- Explores biological systems, genetics, and population dynamics. The course strengthens students' scientific understanding and exam skills, emphasizing scientific literacy.

Physics 30



- Focuses on momentum, forces, and atomic physics. Interactive lessons build problem-solving and critical thinking skills essential for diploma exams.

English 30-1



- Enhances skills in analysis, comprehension, and communication. Includes practice for written responses and exam strategies, helping students construct strong, clear arguments

Social Studies 30-1



- Covers citizenship, identity, and ideologies, developing analytical and essay-writing skills. This course equips students with strategies to manage time effectively on exams.

Place Order

<https://castlerockresearch.com/exceleator-for-cesd>