



# MARYMOUNT ACADEMY

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Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome back to another school year! We sincerely hope you had a relaxing, restful and recharging summer. As you know, our first day of school will be upon us soon and there are many important details that we must all be aware of to ensure a safe and smooth return to school life. Details about health and safety protocols are coming to us on a continual basis, and we want to be sure to share the most complete and accurate information possible. As such, here are the important things to take note of, for the beginning of the school year:

## First day of school - August 31<sup>st</sup>.

- **This will be an Orientation Day only.** Students must report to school according to this schedule:

### Returning Students:

9:00 Secondary 2  
9:45 Secondary 3  
10:30 Secondary 4  
11:15 Secondary 5

All returning students report to the cafeteria. Students receive their schedule, have their school picture taken, and then their Day 1, Period 1 teacher will collect them and bring them to class, where they will review the agenda and safety protocols. Students are then **dismissed**.

### New Students:

1:00 Secondary 1 students will report to the cafeteria  
1:00 Secondary 2-5 – New Registrations will report to the Upper Gym

All new students will receive an **Orientation Session** from the staff and a tour of the building. Students will receive their schedule and agenda, and then be dismissed by 2:00PM.

**Wednesday, September 1<sup>st</sup> is the first regular school day (Day 1). Students are dismissed at 12:55, as it is a mini-day schedule (every Wednesday).**



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Please take note that the daily schedule has changed slightly this year. Students begin class at 9:00AM and are dismissed at 3:30 PM. The revised daily schedule is as follows:

## Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Period 1: 9:00 to 10:20

Period 2: 10:25 to 11:50

Lunch: 11:50 to 12:40

Period 3: 12:45 to 2:05

Period 4: 2:10 to 3:30

## Wednesday – Mini-Day (Dismissal at 12:55)

Period 1: 9:00 to 9:55

Period 2: 10:00 to 10:55

Period 3: 11:00 to 11:55

Period 4: 12:00 to 12:55

Note that we will not be opening the breakfast program in the cafeteria, due to COVID restrictions. Breakfast snacks will be offered by the Period 1 teacher for those students who request it.

## Safety Protocols – COVID-19

- All students must wear a mask at school, at all times. Like last year, masks will be provided to students in the morning, and after lunch. Students must enter the school wearing a mask. There is no physical distancing protocol, so all students will be in school, full time.
- All entrances, washrooms, corridors, and classrooms will have hand sanitizer available. Students are asked to sanitize their hands upon entry, and regularly throughout the day.
- Junior (Secondary 1 and 2) students will use the west entrance to enter and exit the building. Senior (Secondary 3-5) students will use the main student backyard entrance to enter and exit the building.
- In order to participate in extracurricular activities (i.e. sports, clubs, outings, etc...) students will need to demonstrate proof of having received both 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> doses of the COVID-19 vaccine.
- Students will be assigned a specific lunch room, according to level and section. Cafeteria services will be available as of Sept 2<sup>nd</sup>. Note that only Secondary 1 and 2 students will eat in the cafeteria. Secondary 3-5 students will be assigned classrooms where they can eat their lunch. Secondary 3-5 students may also leave school grounds to buy their lunch elsewhere.



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## Second Vaccine Campaign at School

- Marymount will host another vaccine campaign at the school on September 7<sup>th</sup>, for students. Students wishing to receive their 2<sup>nd</sup> (or even 1<sup>st</sup>) dose of the vaccine may do so on that day. **Registration will be online through Clic-Sante.** Note that **students under 14 must fill out a permission form (which requires parental signature), which will be distributed on Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>.** Another notice, specifically on this, will be sent out shortly.

## School Fees

Please note that the balance of school fees will be payable as of September 3<sup>rd</sup>. School fees for this year are as follows:

Regular Program:	Sec 1 to 4 - \$70	IB Program	Sec 1 to 4 - \$170
	Sec 5 - \$110		Sec 5 - \$210

These fees can be paid by parents/students at the main office. We accept cash, debit cards, and credits. No personal cheques are accepted.

Remember that all money collected in school fees goes directly back to students, and are necessary for us to offer some of the activities and services that exist at Marymount. The school fees have dropped significantly from previous years, and we hope this is an aid to all our families. Please note however, that an invoice for student workbooks (not included in school fees) will be sent later in the fall.

Finally, here are a few important dates to remember in September:

- **Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup>** - Labour Day (no school)
- **Wednesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>** – Welcome Back BBQ
- **Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** – Parent Info Night/General Assembly to elect Governing Board Parent Representatives
- **Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup>** – School Ped Day (no school)
- **Friday, Sept 24<sup>th</sup>** - OPUS Photo day
- **Tuesday, Sept 25<sup>th</sup>** – Open House (more info to come)

We look forward to seeing you on Opening Day!

Sincerely,

*James Fequet*  
J. Fequet  
Principal

*Laura Fiumidinisi*  
L. Fiumidinisi  
Vice-Principal