

WELCOME TO
HARBOUR VIEW
HIGH SCHOOL



MEET OUR TEAM



Mr. Patrick McDade

Principal

Mr. Nick McCaustlin

Vice Principal

Student with the last names starting with A-F



Mrs. Nancy Lyons

Vice Principal

Students with the last name starting with G-M



Mrs. Chissy Dumont

Vice Principal

Students with the last name starting with N-Z



Mrs. Heather Malco

Guidance

Students with the last name starting with A-K



Mrs. Cynthia Smith

Guidance

Students with the last name starting with L-Z

V BELL SCHEDULE V

Almost every day we follow this bell schedule:	Some days we have EXTENDED HOME ROOM TIME . If so, the morning will look like this:	Some days we have a One hour delay to start of regular classes. This can happen in the winter when there is a snow storm or if there are traffic delays.
Period 1: 8:50 – 9:55	Period 1: 8:50 – 9:45	Homeroom/Viking Time 8:50 – 9:40
Period 2: 10:00 – 11:00	Period 2: 9:50 – 10:40	Period 1: 9:45 – 10:40
Homeroom/Viking Time: 11:05 – 11:25	Homeroom/Viking Time: 10:45 – 11:30	Period 2: 10:45 – 11:35
Period 3: 11:30 – 12:30	Period 3: 11:35 – 12:30	Period 3: 11:40 – 12:30pm
LUNCH: 12:30 – 1:20	LUNCH and the afternoon will remain the same	LUNCH and the afternoon will remain the same
Period 4: 1:20 – 2:20		
Period 5: 2:25-3:25		
Announcements: 3:25-3:30		

Note: On Tuesday and Thursday are FLIP DAYS. This means that on those days after lunch will be period 5 followed by period 4.

Tardy (Late) Policy

You must be on time for classes. There are 5 minutes between classes. This is enough time to get to your next class or maybe check your phone or go to the washroom. If you need to see a teacher or go to your locker, you should probably save that until lunch or after school. We have a tardy (late) policy. It is very important to be on time. If you are late to class your teacher will require you to get a tardy slip to get into class.

HVHS Bell Schedules

2025 –2026

	REGULAR	EXTENDED		1 HOUR DELAY
Period 1	8:50 – 9:55	8:50–9:45	Viking Time	8:50 – 9:40
Transition	9:55 -10:00	9:45-9:50	Transition	9:40 – 9:45
Period 2	10:00 – 11:00	9:50–10:40	Period 1	9:45 – 10:40
Transition	11:00 – 11:05	10:40–10:45	Transition	10:40 – 10:45
Viking Time	11:05 – 11:25	10:45–11:30	Period 2	10:45 – 11:35
Transition	11:25 – 11:30	11:30–11:35	Transition	11:35 – 11:40
Period 3	11:30 – 12:30	11:35–12:30	Period 3	11:40 – 12:30
Lunch	12:30 – 1:20	12:30–1:20	Lunch	12:30 – 1:20
Period 4	1:20 – 2:20	1:20–2:20	Period 4	1:20 – 2:20
Transition	2:20 – 2:25	2:20–2:25	Transition	2:20 – 2:25
Period 5	2:25 – 3:25	2:25–3:25	Period 5	2:25 – 3:25
Announcements	3:25 – 3:30	3:25–3:30	Announcements	3:25 – 3:30

❖ **Flip Days:** On Tuesdays and Thursdays, Periods 4 and 5 flip.

QUESTIONS

There are some classes that I don't like. Can I change them to other classes?

- Course changes can be made only during the first week or two of each semester, however, it is important to remember that many of the courses that students are registered in are required for graduation. Please refer to the “Credit Roadmap” that you will find in your welcome packet.

What do I do at Lunch Time?

- Lunch is from 12:30-1:20 each day. Students can leave the school and walk home if they live close enough. They can also stay at school and buy a lunch in the cafeteria or bring a lunch from home. Some clubs occur during lunchtime. The gym and fitness room are often open for students to use at this time. The EAL support room (room 301) is open during many lunches for you to eat lunch, hang out and meet friends. If you do not have the resources to bring or buy a lunch, see the EAL support room (room 301) or the resources room (room 315)- we can help.

How do I find out what bus I should take?

- The Anglophone School District (ASD-S) Parent Portal can help! Create an account here: <https://asdsbp.nbed.nb.ca/> You will also find lots of other information here.

What is Viking Time/Homeroom? Do I need to attend?

- There is Viking Time with your homeroom teacher each morning. It is required that you attend, and a mark will be given based on work completed.

Do I need a laptop?

- Yes, all students are required to have a laptop. Laptop subsidy forms are available at the main office or at the guidance office or on their website: Laptop Subsidy Program (gnb.ca). It is recommended that you do not use an apple product as they are not always compatible with the programs used in the school.

MORE INFORMATION

Join us on Social Meida:



Harbour View High School



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How to get more information:

O1 **Annoucments**

Listen to the daily announcements at school.

O2 **PowerSchool**

You will need to log into PowerSchool. You can get your username and password from your homeroom teacher or vice principal. This is where you will see your marks, absences and tardies.

O3 **Teams**

Use the same log in for Teams as PowerSchool. Each course you have will have a Teams page. Teachers will post notes and some assignments and tests on Teams. There is also a Team called Multi Language Learners. Here you will find some information sent just to the EAL students about things you need to know at school.



If you need to contact a teacher or the school, you can call the school at 506-658-5359 or email teachers directly.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Harbour View High School is part of a new pilot program. This means that the school calendar varies a little from other schools. You will see a copy of the calendar attached in this packet so that you know when holidays and other special days are.

How do I find out if school is cancelled? (Often called a “snow day”):

School is sometimes cancelled when the weather is particularly bad (snowstorms). Sometimes school is not cancelled but buses are on a one-hour delay or buses are cancelled.

1. Follow Anglophone South School District on Twitter (X) for cancellation updates.
2. Follow Harbour View High School on Facebook- cancellation notices are posted there
3. Go to the Anglophone South website. Cancellations are posted there near the bottom of the page.



Anglophone South School District

PILOT SCHOOL CALENDAR 2025-2026



MONTH	DATES	EVENTS
September	1	Labour Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	2	First Day for Grades 1-5
	2	Transition Day – First Day for Grade 6 and Grade 9 (Schools with combined levels [Elementary/Middle, Middle/High, K-12] will communicate their transition plan)
	2/3	Transition Days – First Day for Kindergarten (half of students attend on either day. Schools will communicate plan)
	3	First Day for Grades 7-8; 10-12
	19	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	26	Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
	30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation – NO CLASSES
October	10	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	13	Thanksgiving Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	14-17	Registration for Students Entering Kindergarten in 2026-2027
	24	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
November	10	School Improvement Planning – NO CLASSES
	11	Remembrance Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	21	K-8 – Report Cards Preparation – NO CLASSES
	21	9-12 – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
December	1	K-8 – Reports Cards Issued
	5	K-8 – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
	12	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	19	K-12 – Last Day of Classes
	22-31	Holidays – NO CLASSES
January	1-2	Holidays – NO CLASSES
	5	First Day of Classes
	16	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	19-23	9-12 – English Language Proficiency Assessment /Demonstration of Learning/Course Recovery
	26	K-8 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	26-27	9-12 – Turnaround Days – NO CLASSES
	28	9-12 – Semester 2 Begins and Report Cards Issued
		K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
February	13	Family Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	16	March Break – NO CLASSES
March	2-6	K-8 – Report Cards Preparation – NO CLASSES
	13	9-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	13	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	27	K-8 – Reports Cards Issued
	30	K-12 – Full Day – Parent/Teacher Interviews/Professional Learning – NO CLASSES
April	2	Good Friday – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	3	Easter Monday – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	6	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	17	NBTA Council Day – Provincial – NO CLASSES
May	1	NBTA Branch Meeting Day – NO CLASSES
	4	Victoria Day – Statutory Holiday – NO CLASSES
	18	K-12 – Professional Learning Day (PILOT) – NO CLASSES
	29	9-12 – Assessment/Demonstration of Learning/Course Recovery
	8-12	K-12 – Last Dayof Classes – Final Report Card Day (FULL DAY)
June	19	

Pilot Schools: Sir James Dunn Academy; Vincent Massey Elementary; Harbour View High School; Saint John High School; St. Malachy's Memorial High School; Simonds High School; Fairvale Elementary School; Rothesay High School; Kennebecasis Valley High School; Quispamsis Middle School

FOR ENGLISH LEARNERS



EAL (English as an additional language) classes are scheduled for students who are English language learners. The other classes are scheduled according to the student's grade and course availability.

Will I get extra English lessons?

- We have language support teacher that will meet with some student in small groups each week to help them improve their English Language skills.

What if I don't understand my class?

- Each student whose home language is not English is assessed for their English language skills when they arrive at Harbour View High School. Based on that you are scheduled into an EAL class as well as additional English times with the EAL tutors. If you are a new English language learner (at the beginning or A1 level) it is possible that you will not receive marks in your classes, but that you will “audit” the class. This means that you will focus on learning the language and possibly take the course or a similar course again to achieve the credit. It is okay if you don't understand everything that your teacher is saying. We want to first focus on you learning the language.
- It is important to give as much effort as possible because we want to see you be successful in your courses and get as many credits as possible when you are able.



QUESTIONS



Is there a question that you have that is not answered here? Please contact me!

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We are so happy to have you with us at Harbour View! We are looking forward to a great year together!

New Brunswick School Year Calendar

Holidays and Other Events



New Year's Eve and New Year's Day

DECEMBER 31 / JANUARY 1



Students are on the winter/Christmas break during this holiday. It is the celebration of a new calendar year. It is celebrated with family and friends. Sometimes there are fireworks.

Turnaround Days

TWO DAYS IN HIGH SCHOOL THAT HAPPEN AT THE END OF JANUARY, WHEN SEMESTER 1 IS ENDING



Students do not attend school on these days. The teachers work on student needs from the first semester and prepare for the next semester.

Valentine's Day

FEBRUARY 14



In elementary school, students may celebrate by having a Valentine's Day party. Students often give Valentine's day cards to their friends and classmates.

In high school, students may be able to purchase chocolates or Valentines for their friends.

New Brunswick Family Day

3 MONDAY IN FEBRUARY



This is a day off school to spend with your family.

Pink Shirt Day

NEAR THE END OF FEBRUARY



This is a day when students and teachers wear pink shirts to raise awareness about the problem of bullying.

March Break

THE FIRST FULL WEEK OF MARCH



During this week students have a break from school. Some families go on vacation. There are usually programs running at your local YMCA or Multicultural Centre.

March Break does not happen at the same time across Canada.

St. Patrick's Day

MARCH 17



Some students wear the colour green to school to celebrate this day, which honors Irish culture. You do not have to be Irish to participate.

In elementary school, students may do lessons or crafts based on Irish themes or symbols (leprechauns, pot of gold, or shamrocks).

Easter

DIFFERENT EVERY YEAR, BUT HAPPENS IN MARCH OR APRIL



Students have a 4-day weekend (Friday and Monday). It is a Christian holiday.

In elementary school, students might make crafts or talk about the Easter bunny who brings treats and presents to them on Easter Sunday. This holiday is not really celebrated in middle and high school. They might organize an Easter egg hunt.

Victoria Day

THE LAST MONDAY BEFORE MAY 25TH

This is a holiday that was put in place to celebrate the Queen of England.

There is no school on this Monday, so students have a 3-day weekend.

Exams, Prom, and Graduation (High School)

MIDDLE TO END OF JUNE



Exam week usually happens during the second week of January and June.

Prom happens after exams, but each school is different. Students wear suits and fancy dresses to this event/dance. It is expected that students take a date with them if they wish to do so. Graduation is the very last event

to happen. Each school has a different date for this event. Most schools have robes and caps that students wear. Middle

schools often have proms at the end of Grade 8, as well. Students may wear dresses, shirts and ties, or something more casual. It is not as fancy as high school prom.

Mother's Day and Father's Day

MOTHER'S DAY- THE SECOND SUNDAY OF MAY

FATHER'S DAY- THE THIRD SUNDAY OF JUNE



In schools, students might prepare cards or gifts for their parents.

Canada Day

JULY 1ST



This holiday occurs during summer vacation. It is a celebration of Canada. There are different activities that go on in every community. There are usually fireworks.

New Brunswick Day

THE FIRST MONDAY IN AUGUST



This holiday occurs during summer vacation. It is a celebration of New Brunswick. There are different activities that go on in every community.

Labour Day

THE FIRST MONDAY IN
SEPTEMBER

This is a holiday that always happens on the day before school begins every year.

Orange Shirt Day

END OF SEPTEMBER



This is a day to learn about and recognize the impact of the residential school system in Canada. Students and teachers wear orange shirts to raise awareness and honour residential school survivors and their families.

Thanksgiving Day

THE SECOND MONDAY OF
OCTOBER EVERY YEAR



Students have a holiday from school on this day. Many families eat a big dinner together. Traditionally, families will eat turkey or ham for this meal.

In school, students might talk about what they are thankful for in their class lessons.

Halloween

OCTOBER 31



There will likely be decorations in both schools and neighbourhoods in the days leading up to Halloween. Decorations include black cats, skeletons, mummies, jack-o'-lanterns, witches and more. Students might be allowed to wear costumes at school or during a school Halloween night.

Outside of school, children wear costumes and collect candy from the houses in their neighbourhood on the evening of October 31st. Most children walk through the neighbourhood with parents and some friends and their parents. Houses in busy neighbourhoods can receive more than 100 "trick or treaters" (children in costumes asking for candy) on the evening of October 31st. Some children "trick or treat" at the mall, especially if it is raining or snowing. Children usually stop going "trick or treating" around the ages of 12-14.

Picture Day

USUALLY DURING THE FIRST
TWO MONTHS OF SCHOOL. IT
IS DIFFERENT FOR EACH
SCHOOL



Students have their class photos taken in elementary and middle schools. In high schools, they have individual photos taken for the yearbook and school ID cards. If parents want to have copies of the photos, they can send money into the school and fill out an order form.

Take Our Kids to Work

BEGINNING OF NOVEMBER



This is Canada's longest- running, highest-profile career exploration event. Students have the opportunity to attend the workplace for the day with a family member, a friend or another adult they know.

Remembrance Day

NOVEMBER 11TH



This is a holiday to remember war veterans. There is no school on this day. On the days leading up to the holiday, students will attend a ceremony at their school. It is solemn and there is often music. Students wear poppies on this day and the days leading up to this event.

Christmas

DECEMBER 25TH. THE HOLIDAY IS DIFFERENT EVERY YEAR BUT IS TWO FULL WEEKS LONG AND COVERS NEW YEAR'S DAY AS WELL



Christmas is a Christian holiday, but also a cultural celebration.

In school, students might have a Christmas or winter concert or assembly where they will perform songs or dances. Families will receive a notice from the school inviting them to attend the concert. Children usually wear a dress or a shirt and tie, and families take pictures.

Some schools may have a Christmas dinner for the students. Sometimes, parents will send gifts or cards for teachers, especially in elementary or middle school.

Parent/Teacher Interviews

VARIOUS TIMES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR



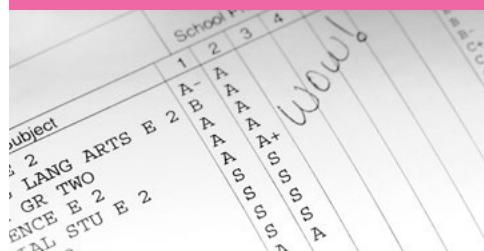
Some schools ask you to book a time slot for an interview with the teacher. Other schools have you stop in during the interview time. If you need a translator, contact your local multicultural or ethnocultural association (www.nb-mc.ca/members/). You should book a translator in advance because they are very busy around the times of these meetings.

Teachers will talk about student marks and progress. Students do not usually attend the meeting.

Consult the school calendar for your district to find the dates.

Report Cards

VARIOUS TIMES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR



Schools send report cards home to update parents about student progress and marks. The report cards look different depending on the grade level. You can discuss these results at the parent/teacher interviews.

In elementary and middle schools, parents need to sign the report card and send it back to the teacher.

Professional Learning Days and NBTA Days

VARIOUS TIMES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR



Professional learning and NBTA days are for teacher training and collaboration. On these days, students stay home from school so teachers can meet together. Consult your district's website to find out the dates for the year.



Credit Roadmap

HVHS Summary of Credits (Class of 2026 and beyond)

CORE CLUSTER OPTIONS	
Creative Arts 110, Dramatic Arts 110/120, Graphic Art and Design 110, Music 10, Music 111/2, Music 120, Music 122, Visual Arts 10, Visual Arts 110/120, Approved AP/IB Creative Arts courses	Fashion Technology and Design 110/120, Media Studies 120 (updated version - 2023), Digital Production
Career and Occupational	Health Care 110 Nutrition for Healthy Living 120 Outdoor Education 110 Physical Education 10 Psychology 110/120 Wellness through Physical Education 110 Sport and Recreation Leadership 120 Principles 120
Career and Occupational	Housing and Interior Design 120 Hospitality and Tourism 110 Intro to Accounting 120 Marketing 110 Develop and Lead 110
Skilled Trades	Information and Communication Technology
Automotive Electrical Systems 120, Culinary Technology 110/120, Electrical Wiring 110/120, Framing and Sheathing 110, Internal Combustion Engines 110, Tune-up and Emissions 120, Approved AP/IB Science Courses	Media Fabrication/Welding 110/120, Media Processing 110/120, Mill and Cabinet Work 120, Power Train and Chassis 110, Residential Finish 120, Robotics and Automation Processing 120
Well-Being Electives	Computer Aided Design 110, Computer Science 110/120, Cybersecurity and Technology Support
Well-Being Electives can be any courses selected from the following clusters:	Cybersecurity 120, Digital Production 120, Information Technology 120, Robotics and Automation Processing 120
Well-Being Electives	Flexible Core Cluster Electives (Any Course from Core Clusters)
Well-Being Electives	Language and Literacies
Well-Being Electives	Math
Well-Being Electives	Science
Well-Being Electives	Wellness and PE
Well-Being Electives	Career-Connected Humanities

Student Name: _____

Viking Athletics



Athletic Director: Ryan Van Snick

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Classroom 226 Office 171 (By the gym)



HVHS Athletics



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Viking Sports

Fall Sports

Sports	Tryouts	Season Timeframe
Boys Baseball	Last Week of August	3-4 weeks in September
Cross Country	No Tryout-Run on your own	3-4 meets in September October Regional Provincials in October
Field Hockey (Girls)	Mid- August	September/October
Football (Boys)	Mid-August	September/October /November



Viking Athletics

Sports	Tryouts	Season Timeframe
Golf (Boys and Girls)	No Tryouts- Based on Handicap	October
Soccer (Boys and Girls)	Last Week of August	September/October
Softball (Girls)	Last week of August	September/October
Swimming (Boys and Girls)	2 nd Week of September	October/December
Cheerleading (Boys and Girls)	1 st Week of September	September-February

Winter Sports

Basketball (Boys and Girls)	3 rd week of October	November-February
Hockey (Boys and Girls)	September 20th	November- March



Viking Athletics

Spring

Sports	Tryouts	Season Timeframe
Volleyball (Boys and Girls)	February	April-May
Track and Field (Boys and Girls)	None	May
Rugby (Boys and Girls)	March (indoors)	April- May
Badminton (Boys and Girls)	Last week of March	April-May
Rowing (Boys and Girls)	April	April-May
Ball Hockey (Boys)	April	April-May

HVHS COMMUNICATION DEVICE POLICY



WHY?

Research shows that reducing social media consumption and communication device use will help build strong social connections and support mental wellness. By minimizing distractions caused by devices, this policy will help students be present in the lesson and engaged in their learning.

WHAT?

The use of communication devices (cell phones, SMART watches, headphones/earbuds etc.) will be permitted before and after school, between classes, and during lunch. The use of communication devices will not be permitted during periods 1-5 in the classroom, including Viking Time and washroom breaks.



Communication devices must be put in backpacks or designated storage area during class time.



If a student needs to leave the room, communication devices must remain in the classroom.



School staff are not responsible for the loss or damage to students' devices.

If a student needs to place an emergency phone call during class time, they may do so in the main office with permission from their teacher.



If parents/guardians need to contact their child, in case of an emergency, they should contact the school's main office: (506) 658-5359



SMART watches may be worn in class; however, they must be placed on airplane or do not disturb mode.



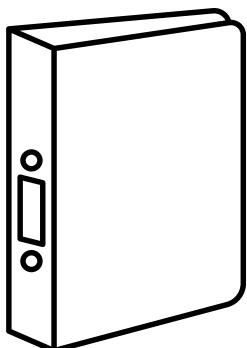


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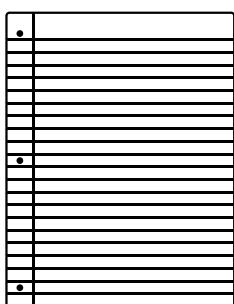
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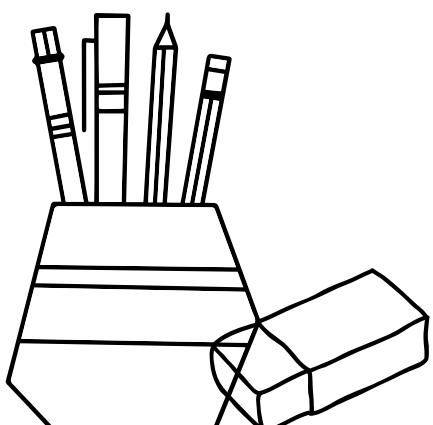
**Backpack &
water bottle**



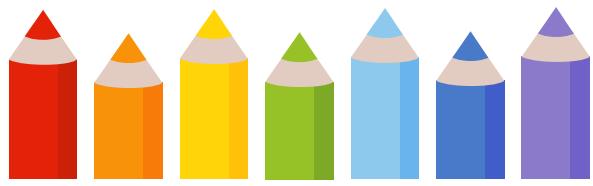
**Binder with
dividers**



**Looseleaf
Paper**



**Pencils, pens,
eraser & pencil
sharpener**



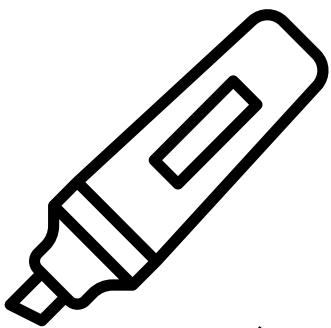
**Colour Pencils or
Markers**



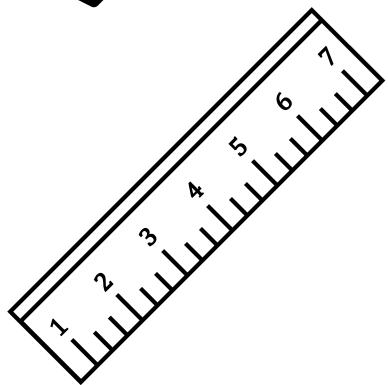
Glue Sticks



Scissors



Highlighters

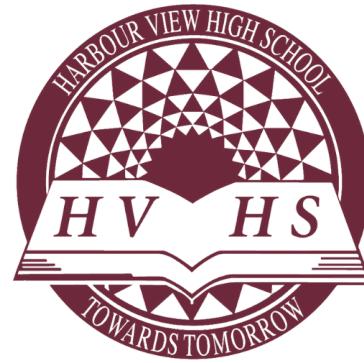


Ruler

Advanced Placements

Contact AP Coordinator: Jennifer McCaustlin

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What is AP: Advanced Placement is really two programs:

- A program of advanced studies intended to allow high school students to work at a university entrance level, and
- An international program offering standardized exams that allow students, if successful on the exams, to obtain university credits.

The advantages of AP include:

- The opportunity to participate in a challenging program of studies;
- Placement with highly motivated students with common interests, both in terms of the subject and in their desire for excellence;
- The opportunity to write exams that could provide university credits, advanced standing and considerable tuition savings. Exams are written in May.

We offer AP programs in:

AP English Program:

Grade 11	AP English Language and Composition (Full year program in conjunction with 111 English)
Grade 12	AP Literature and Composition

AP French Program:

Grade 12	AP French Language and Culture
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AP History & Social Science Program:

Grade 10	AP Seminar (Full year program)
Grade 11/12	AP Research (Full year program) AP European History

AP Math Program:

Grade 11/12	AP Statistics	AP Calculus
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AP Science Program:

Grade 11/12	AP Biology (Full year)	AP Physics I	AP Chemistry (Full year)
AP Psychology			

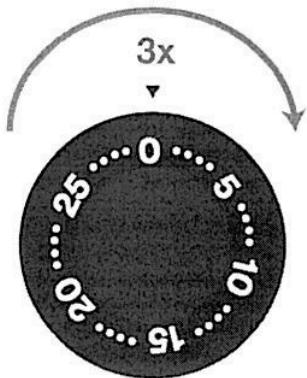
AP Art Program:

Grade 12	AP Art and Design
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AP Technology Program:

Grade 10	Computer Science Principles
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How to Open a Combination Lock

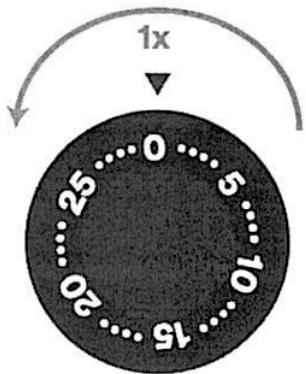


Step 1:

Turn the dial **3 full turns to the RIGHT**, so you pass "0" three times. This resets the lock.

Turn the dial to the right and stop at _____. (This is the first number in your combination.)

Stop when the number lines up with the triangle at the top of the lock.



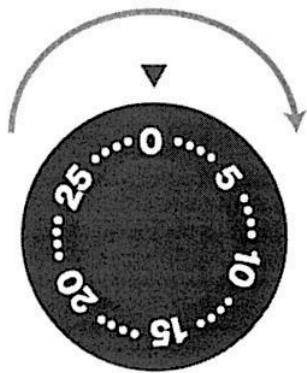
Step 2:

Turn the dial **1 full turn to the LEFT**

Be sure to pass the first number in your combination.

Then stop at _____. (This is the second number in your combination.)

Again, stop when it lines up with the triangle at the top of the lock.



Step 3:

Turn the dial to the **RIGHT** slowly and then stop the first time _____ lines up with the triangle. (This is the last number in your combination.)

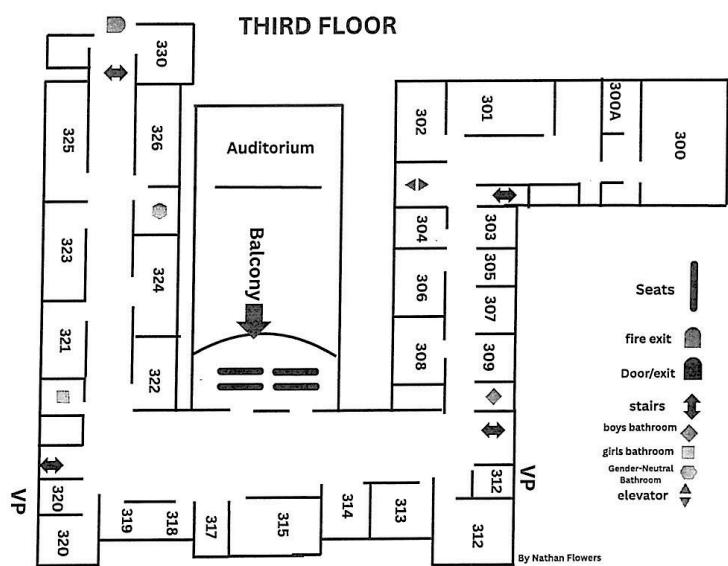
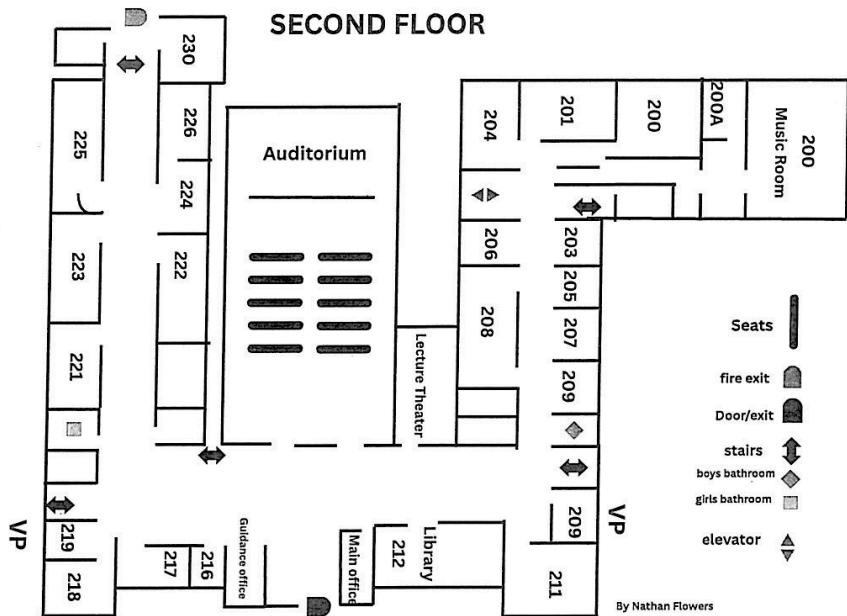
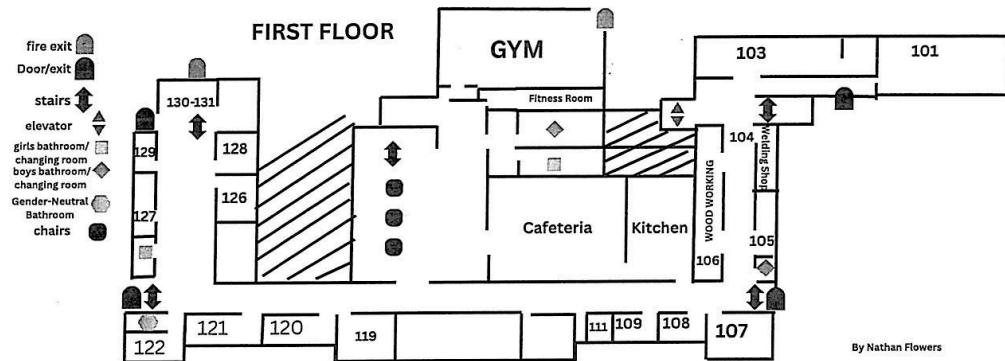
Open the lock.

If the lock doesn't open at **Step 3**, go back to **Step 1** and try again.

If you make a mistake, start again at **Step 1**.

REMEMBER: Slow down. Take a deep breath. Take your time.
You can always ask a teacher for help.

Find your way



Internet Information

Name: _____

School: _____

Wifi Network: mNB

Phone

Username: @nbss.nbed.nb.ca

Password:

Computer

Username: @nbss.nbed.nb.ca

Password:

PowerSchool App

Code: DCJH

Username:

Password:

