

Royal West Academy Student Bulletin

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We would like to acknowledge that Royal West Academy is located on unceded Indigenous lands. The Kanien'kehá:ka* Nation is recognized as the traditional custodians of Tiohtià:ke/Montréal*, which has long been a site of meeting and exchange for many First Nations and is currently home to diverse groups of Indigenous and other peoples. We are grateful to live, work, and learn here and recognize the important role of education in reconciliation. (and in maintaining connections between the past, present, and future.)



Upcoming events

- ❖ Nov. 18 – 21 -MindPOP Science
- ❖ Nov. 19 - 21 – RWA Theatre
- ❖ Nov. 20 - Pièce de théâtre Sec 4
- ❖ Nov. 21 – RWA Spirit Day
- ❖ Nov. 21 – RWA Theatre Matinée P5 & 6
- ❖ Nov. 22 – Ped Day
- ❖ Nov. 25 – Arts Rotation 1 Ends
- ❖ Nov. 26 – Arts Rotation 2 Begins
- ❖ Nov. 26 – Sec. 2 Westmount Park Reading Day
- ❖ Nov. 26 – Grad Photos (A – Ci + All museum students)
- ❖ Nov. 27 – Grad Photos (Co-Z)
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NEW!

Holiday Bake Sale

Come by the school store on December 11, 2024 and support our annual holiday bake sale.

NEW!

Grade 10 Ski Trip

We are at 93 students registered!! We only need 7 more registrations to make this trip a GO!! Please register at www.rodroy.com/rwa10.

NEW!

Join the Wellness Committee!

Are you passionate about creating a healthier, happier school environment? The wellness committee is looking for students who want to promote well-being and positive change in our school community. Meetings will take place once a week during lunch on Tuesday. Please email Ms. Di Pietro if interested at sdipietro@emsb.qc.ca or come see Ms. Di Pietro or Ms. Wineberg to sign up (room 225 and 226). Session starts Tuesday November 26th.

NEW!

Ateliers de français avec Mme LeBlanc. Cette semaine les ateliers auront lieu MARDI 19 novembre au lieu de mercredi. Consultez l'affiche sur le babillard près du local 111. Au plaisir de vous voir en grand nombre !

- Mme LeBlanc

TOILETRIES AND COLD WEATHER ACCESSORIES DRIVE

In collaboration with local non-profit The Crown Project and youth entrepreneur & philanthropist Kyra Milan Brown, RWA will be collecting travel size toiletries and cold weather essentials for people that are unhoused in Montreal. All donations will go to The Open Door, emergency shelter and drop-in center.

Please bring your donations to your respective homerooms between Monday November 18 until Thursday November 28.

Accepted donations

Cold weather accessories

- Tuques
- Gloves
- Scarves
- Hand warmers
- Socks

Travel size toiletries

Deodorant
Toothbrush
Toothpaste
Mouth wash
Bodywash
Comb
Lip balm
Wipes

We are also looking for some student volunteers to help with this initiative. If you are interested please put your name on the sign up sheet outside of room 112B- Ms Mikaella's office (Personal Development and Community Involvement Animator).

Cadet Boys Futsal

There is an emergency meeting, at the start of recess, in the Foundation Gym, for all cadet boys (grade 9 & 10) interested in playing futsal this season. This is not to say that there will be a team, but it is imperative that all who are interested are present. Thank you. Mr. Aiken

What Is Junk Journaling?

Junk journaling is a mixed media art form that mixes paint, drawing, collage, writing and bookbinding techniques, using



found/recycled materials like junk mail, old books, personal ephemera, packaging, gift wrap and whatever else brings you joy. This relaxing hobby is for all skill levels and is much more about the process of discovery than the end product. Our first session is on Monday at lunch in Room 211 and will continue every lunch on Day 3. Cultural or environmental credit offered. Come check out what it's all about! Junk journaling can be messy, so a smock is recommended! -Ms. Holloway 211

Secondary 1 Arts Rotation

The last day of the first Arts Rotation ends Monday Nov 25. As of **Nov 26th**, your Arts class will be at the same time in your schedule, but you will go to a **different classroom** to do a **different subject** with a **different teacher**. Follow the rotation below (if you don't know which section you are in, please ask your current teacher).

Group 01 leaving Visual Arts with C. Suarez and **going to Music with S. Macleod in room 118**
Group 02 leaving Drama with S. Amro and **going to Visual Arts with C. Suarez in room 113**
Group 03 leaving Music with S. Macleod and **going to Drama with S. Amro in the PAC**
Group 04 leaving Visual Arts with C. Suarez and **going to Music with S. Macleod in room 118**
Group 05 leaving Drama with E. Kuch and **going to Visual Arts with C. Suarez in room 113**
Group 06 leaving Music with S. Macleod and **going to Drama with E. Kuch in room 216**

Lost Trumpet

If anyone knows the whereabouts of a trumpet with the case number Y3011, please contact Ms. Macleod or Ms. Purdy ASAP. Thank you.

- Mme. Belina

Bantam girls volleyball

Friday is the last day to place your order for a team hoodie. Please see Mrs. O'Neil if you want to order one.

EMSB LEADERSHIP CAMP: Open to students in grades 7-11

Are you interested in improving your leadership skills? Would you enjoy participating in an overnight leadership camp with similarly minded people from other EMSB schools? This year, the EMSB Leadership camp is taking place at Camp Papillon from April 23rd-25th, 2025. Royal West students have been guaranteed at least 14 spots and the opportunity to participate as either delegates, animators or organizers. If you would like to know more, please see Ms Macleod or send a message via Teams or email at smacleod2@emsb.qc.ca.