



AGRHS Parent Bulletin - December 2024

Water-Line Break: Thank you for your understanding during the school cancellation due to a break in our main water line into the school. Bottled water was available for students, staff and visitors during the duration of our temporary alternate water supply. I am very happy to report that as of this week we have fully returned to normal, hooked to our regular water supply that is safe for consumption. Thank you very much for your understanding throughout this experience.

Workshops for Parents: ETSB is pleased to offer the following online workshops to parents:

- **January 23:** Nature's Answer to Immaturity: Helping Children Grow Up, Deborah MacNamara
- **April 9, 7 p.m.:** Cellphones: What's Healthy, What's Not, and How We Can Support Our Kids, Hannah Beach

More details available through the ETSB communication tools, *Connections* and Social Media.

January Supplemental Exams: Students who need to re-write supplemental exams in January can consult the official schedule [here](#). If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Mr. Kelso at KelsoK@etsb.qc.ca (819-563-0770 Ext. 22005) or Ms. Thibault at ThibaultM@etsb.qc.ca (819-563-0770 Ext. 22073).

Concentration 2025 - 2026 Applications: Admissions to our concentration programs are reviewed annually. If you wish for your child to be considered for entry or continuation in a concentration program for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year, please thoroughly read the [AGRHS Concentrations Handbook](#) and complete the registration form prior to **December 13, 2024**.

AGRHS PPO: The establishment of the Alexander Galt PPO was approved at the General Assembly on September 30, 2024. The PPO is a vital group of dedicated parents ready to support and to assist in the education and growth of our students. The PPO offers valuable support in assisting with school activities and representing parent views. The PPO is always looking for new members and all parents are welcome. If you are interested in joining the PPO, please reach out to Pam Gougeon, (psgoup67@gmail.com), or Mr. Ghilarducci (ghilarduccim@etsb.qc.ca).

School Closures: School closure communications, due to inclement weather, will be disseminated by the school board via the [ETSB website](#) and [ETSB Facebook Page](#). For more information, please visit the following [link](#).



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Grad Photos: Graduation Photo Proofs are available to view online. To view proofs, visit www.grantsimeonphoto.com and from the home page click the green “view your proofs” button in the top right corner. Enter the seven digit student ID number. The available proofs will come on to the screen. If you would like to place an order, click the red button above the proofs “download Galt order forms” to download the order form and PRINT to complete. Pre-printed order form copies are also available with Danica in O-201. Forms and payments should be made directly to the photography studio. For questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Danica, montgomeryd@edu.etsb.qc.ca .

Citrus Fundraiser: Thank you to all who participated in this year’s Citrus Fundraiser. We nearly doubled our participation from last year. Delivery of the fruit took place this week and we thank everyone for their cooperation in making it a smooth process. For any questions or concerns, please contact Danica Montgomery, montgomeryd@edu.etsb.qc.ca

Virgin Hill Coffee Fundraiser: The decision was made to bump up the start of our Virgin Hill Coffee Fundraiser so students can have the information and order forms before leaving on Christmas Break. The information meeting for all students who would like to be involved in this fundraiser is Monday, December 16th at 12:30PM, location to be announced. Deadline for order forms and payments is January 15, 2025.

School Fees: Please note that school fees are now overdue. Thank you for paying any outstanding fees. If you require a payment plan, please contact Ms. George in our Business Office. (Extension 22056) All unpaid school fees are sent to a collection agency at the end of the school year. Thank you for your collaboration in this matter.

Please note that applications for a concentration program for the upcoming school year will only be accepted where all prior fees have been paid. Those who have not respected the payment schedule will not be granted another payment plan arrangement for the upcoming year and will be required to pay the fees in full prior to admission to the program. Currently the government provides a credit of up to \$300 at the end of the school year for fees paid to a concentration program. This credit is applied to the student account where applicable, generally in the month of June, and can be applied toward future expenses. In the case of students who are not returning to Galt the following year, a refund is issued unless the parent requests a transfer to another child’s account.





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Dates to Remember:

December 3	Defi des recrues
December 6	PD Day - No Classes for Students
December 9	Beaver Tails - Yummy!
December 11	Online Parent Workshop: Fostering Positive & Constructive Home-School Communication, Carol Marriott
December 13	Deadline to apply to a concentration program
December 21-Jan 5	Christmas Holidays - School Closed
December 16	Virgin Hill Coffee Fundraiser (profit student accounts) Meeting & Form Distribution
December 20	Christmas Activities- Block 4
January 6	PD Day - No Classes for Students
January 23	Online Parent Workshop: Nature's Answer to Immaturity: Helping Children Grow Up, Deborah MacNamara
February 6	Winter Carnival Day!
February 7	PD Day - No Classes for Students
March	Coaticook Cheese Fundraiser (profit student accounts)
March 3-7	March Break - No Classes for Students
March 10	PD Day - No Classes for Students
March 28	1st Convertible PD Day - No Classes for Students
April 9	Online Parent Workshop: Cellphones: What's Healthy, What's Not, and How We Can Support Our Kids, Hannah Beach

2024 - 2025 School Calendar Links:

[AGRHS 9 Day Cycle Calendar 2024 - 2025](#) Regular & Concentration Programs

[AGRHS 10 Day Cycle Calendar 2024 - 2025](#) WOTP & 15+ Programs

