



GRADUATING CLASS

2025

IONA CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL



GRADUATION

Tuesday, June 24

Graduation Mass, 7 pm

St. Christopher's Parish

Gown Pick Up, After Mass

St. Christopher's Parish

Thursday, June
26

Graduation Ceremony, 10.30 am

Sixteen Mile Sports Complex

POTENTIAL GRAD LIST

30 Credits - 18 Compulsory

Successfully Completed
Literacy Requirement

40 Community Service Hours

CSH Due April 16

What do you need to graduate?

18 compulsory credits

Students must earn the following compulsory credits to obtain the Ontario Secondary School Diploma:

- 4 credits in English (1 credit per grade)*
- 3 credits in mathematics (1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
- 2 credits in science
- 1 credit in Canadian history
- 1 credit in Canadian geography
- 1 credit in the arts
- 1 credit in health and physical education
- 1 credit in French as a second language
- 0.5 credit in career studies
- 0.5 credit in civics

Plus one credit from each of the following groups:



New	1	group 1: additional credit in English, or French as a second language,** or a Native language, or a classical or an international language, or social sciences and the humanities, or Canadian and world studies, or guidance and career education, or cooperative education***
New	1	group 2: additional credit in health and physical education, or the arts, or business studies, or French as a second language,** or cooperative education***
New	1	group 3: additional credit in science (Grade 11 or 12), or technological education, or French as a second language,** or computer studies, or cooperative education***

In addition, students must complete:

- ✓ 12 optional credits†
- ✓ 40 hours of community involvement activities
- ✓ the provincial literacy requirement

*A maximum of 3 credits in English as a second language (ESL) or English literacy development (ELD) may be counted towards the 4 compulsory credits in English, but the fourth must be a credit earned for a Grade 12 compulsory English course. **In groups 1, 2, and 3, a maximum of 2 credits in French as a second language can count as compulsory credits, one from group 1 and one from either group 2 or group 3. ***A maximum of 2 credits in cooperative education can count as compulsory credits. †The 12 optional credits may include up to 4 credits earned through approved dual credit courses.

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 reach every student 

GOWN ORDERING



Gown order form in
Grad Google Classroom

Gown Orders Due:
February 28

Absolute Closure Date:
March 7

GRADUATION FEES

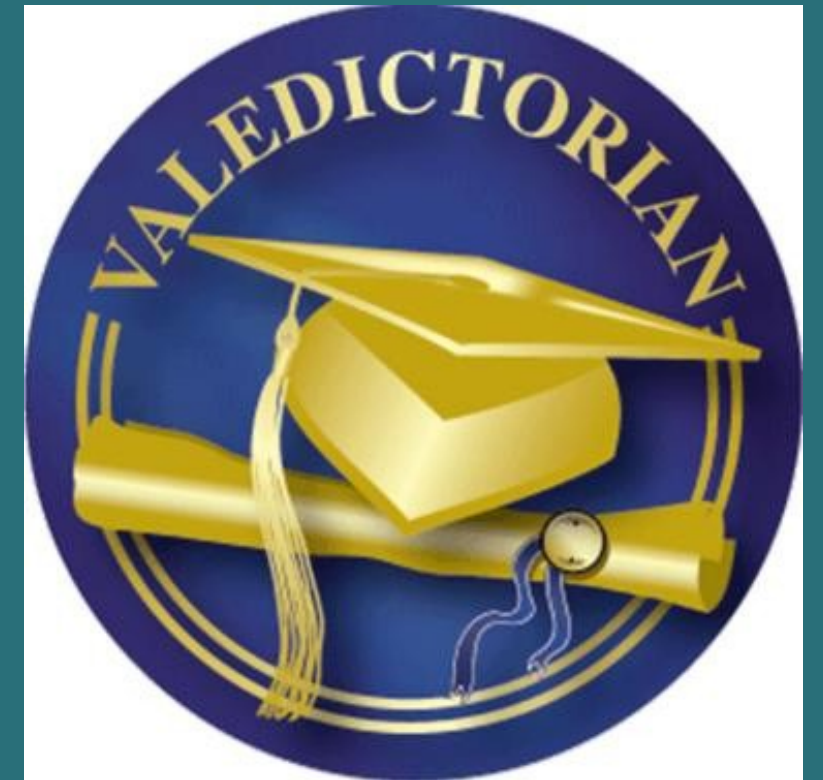
- Grad Fee \$115
- Grad Fee Collection March 3-28
- Fee to be Paid via SchoolCash Online
- Fee includes venue, cap, gown, portfolio, decor, etc.
- Gowns will be reserved, but only ordered for those who paid Grad Fee

VALEDICTORIAN

Who can be nominated?

Any graduating student who:

- a) has completed a nomination package
- b) will be obtaining their OSSD by June 27
- c) has a min. 75% overall average at Second Semester Mid-term



Nomination packages available April 2-11

- Valedictorian Assembly and Vote to take place April
- 14, period 2

GRAD AWARDS

- A variety of academic awards will be awarded at the Graduation Ceremony
- Students will be able to nominate themselves for certain awards
- Nomination Forms will be available April 22 - May 2
- Recipients selected by the Awards Committee



A vibrant sunset with orange and red clouds. In the foreground, there is a soccer field with a goal. In the background, there are several buildings, including a large one with a sign that says "Hyatt Place".

SENIOR SUNSET & GRADE 12 RETREAT: WEDNESDAY MAY 28

MONDAY, JUNE 23

LE TREPORT BANQUET HALL

TICKETS ~ \$100

TICKETS ON SALE April 28-

MAY 16

PROM GUIDELINES

- Iona C. S. S. Code of Conduct applies at ALL school events including Prom.
- All attendees must complete the Prom Waiver Form prior to purchasing their Prom ticket. These will be available in Google Classroom.
- Tickets are non-transferable and non-refundable.
- There will be no in and out privileges.
- Smoking/vaping is not permitted on the premises, inside and out.
- The premises will be patrolled by security.
- Admission will be refused to anyone arriving under the influence or in possession of alcohol or drugs.
- Guests must abide by Iona's Code of Conduct. You are responsible for your guest.

**Gown Orders
absolutely
Due**

Grad Fees Due

MARCH

**Valedictorian
Nominations
and Selection**

CSH Due

APRIL

**Grad
Awards
Nominations**

**Prom Tickets
on Sale**

**Grade 12 Retreat
& Senior Sunset**

MAY

Prom
Grad Mass
Graduation

JUNE

Calendar View - June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 Closing Mass	10 Exam Moratorium Gr 12	11 Exam Moratorium Grs 9-11	12	13
16	17 Exam Per 4 Gr 12	18 Exam Per 1 Grs 9-12	19 Exams Per 2 Grs 9-12	20 Exams Per 3 Grs 9-12
23 Exam Per 4 Grs 9-11 Prom	24 Alt Exam Day Grad Mass	25 Exam Return Day	26 PA Day Grad Ceremony 10:30 am	27 PA Day Last Day of School

*"Your legacy is every
life you've touched."*

**What's Your
Legacy?**

-Maya Angelou



TO DO

- **Meet with your Guidance Counsellor to ensure Grad eligibility**
- **Get your Community Service Hours to Guidance by the deadline**
- **Pay your fees on time**
- **Have fun in your final semester!**