

PROSPECTS 2016 – 2017

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For Handsworth senior students and parents

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ISSUE TWO

Prospects will inform you of upcoming events, deadlines, opportunities to explore post - secondary options, important 'things to do', and attempt to keep you in the loop regarding this important year.

UPCOMING DEADLINES

January 15 – UBC applications due

February 28 – SFU applications due

February 28 – UVic applications due

March 31 – Capilano applications due for most programs

- Double check application deadlines for any school to which you are applying

January

- Make sure that universities receive all the pertinent information about additional components such as online courses. Check the completion standards for online courses for the universities to which you are applying.
- **Specific to UBC:** remember that in order to use your mark for an online course as part of your admissions average to UBC, **the online course must be completed by February 1.**
- **SFU** – online courses must be completed by **April 30**
- **UVic** – online courses must be completed by **May 31**
- Ensure that you have completed the PSI form (Post-Secondary Institutions Selections Form) in order to give permission for your marks to be released from the BC Ministry of Education to the post-secondary institutions(s) of your choice. This was done in Planning 12 in the fall, but if for some reason you missed it, make sure that you see Mrs. Jecks to complete this important step.

February

- **HANDSWORTH SCHOLARSHIP PACKAGE** : Your Handsworth scholarship package will be reviewed and completed in your Planning 12 class in January. Ensure that this package is submitted to your Planning 12 teacher by January 23.
- Continue to check for scholarship and bursary opportunities
- Continue to check your email to be informed of important dates for supporting documents, auditions, portfolios, or interviews for some specific programs

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER I APPLY?

After you have submitted your post-secondary application, you will receive an email from the institution confirming that they have received your application. They will then advise you of the next steps you need to take.

UBC – You will be asked to upload your term 2 report card to UBC. You will receive your report card from Handsworth on March 10; you have until UBC’s **March 20** deadline to upload your report card.

SFU – Self reporting is from January 4 to April 30. SFU’s website indicates that if you are studying on a linear system (like Handsworth), you should report marks at the end of Term 1. If you have not received an offer of admission once Term 2 marks become available, you should self-report your Term 2 marks.

UVic – Self-report between February 15 and March 31. You will be able to submit marks only once, so be sure to wait until you know your midterm grades.

CAPILANO – Self-report grades between January 16 and March 31. Like UVic, you can only self-report your grades once.

TRANSCRIPTS

Transcripts are available by emailing Ms. Freyvogel. Ensure that you allow 1 – 2 days for processing. Completed transcripts will be available for pick up in the main office.

