WJ MOUAT GRAD 2026

THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ARE BEING ORGANIZED AND PUT ON BY THE STAFF AND YOUR SCHOOL GRAD COUNCIL.

HAVE YOU JOINED THE GRAD TEAMS CLASSROOM? THIS IS ESSENTIAL FOR ALL INFORMAITON RELATED TO GRAD AND GRAD-RELATED EVENTS. Find the link to join on wimouat.abbyschools.ca

GRAD CRUISE

When: Thursday, October 9th, 2025

Where: Vancouver Harbour

Time: Busses leave WJM at 3:45 pm, and arrive back around 10:00pm (busses are mandatory)

Cost: \$110.00.

Description: Come dress up and enjoy a cruise around Vancouver Harbour with your fellow grads. Cruise includes bussing, dinner, and dancing.

GRAD PHOTOS

Grad Photos from Vibrant Photos will be separate from the regular school photos and will occur **January 5-14, 2026**. Grad Photo appointments will be made online. **Retakes are available February 17.** You MUST have your picture taken to be on the grad composite and in the yearbook – this is a FREE service. There is a \$40 sitting fee if you wish to purchase grad picture packages.

CONVOCATION ELIGIBILITY

To be considered "eligible for graduation" each student must

- complete their numeracy and literacy assessments
- be no less than 80% completed your online course work by May 6th
- have or be currently in the process of completing all required credit classes by May 6th
- show your counsellor proof of registration in Summer School for one final course by June 5th.

If you are not sure if you have completed the requirements, please see your counselor. There will be several opportunities to check and review transcripts prior to the June 5th deadline.

GRAD FEE: \$60 (cap/gown/2 tickets /composite/grad folder and picture.)

VALEDICTORIAN

A Valedictorian is a representative of the graduating class who speaks on behalf of the graduates at the Grad Ceremony. This recognizes outstanding honour an representative of the graduating class who has attended Mouat for at least the past two years, has a high academic standing, demonstrates Mouat spirit, has an ability to communicate well, demonstrates leadership ability, excels in a variety of curricular and extra-curricular activities and is overall a "well-rounded" student. Teacher nominated students will be reviewed by a committee of staff members who will present a short list of candidates to the Grade 12 students for their vote.

CONVOCATION QUOTE

Create a 20-word phrase that will be read as you cross the stage during convocation. Forms will be provided online in March. Keep an eye on your Grad Teams Classroom.

CONVOCATION

When: TBA

Where: Abbotsford Entertainment Centre

Time: TBA

Cost: 2 tickets included in your \$60

graduation fee. Extra tickets will be available

for purchase for additional guests.

Description: All grade 12 students with the required graduation credits will walk across the stage adorned in Graduation Cap and Gown to receive their School Leaving Certificate and recognition for their achievement of graduation status.

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

When: TBA Where: WJM Time: TBA Cost: TBA

A Night to Remember is a parent organized event. More info will be released when parents decide on the format for this year.

HAWK WALK

When: Wednesday, June 24, 2026

Where: WJM

Time: 3:30pm – 4:30pm

Cost: Free

Description: An opportunity for grads, friends, and family to enjoy a photo-taking opportunity prior to the grads boarding the buses for prom.

PROM

When: Wednesday, June 24th, 2026 Where: Newlands Golf & Country Club Time: Buses depart the school at 4:45pm

Buses depart Newlands at 11:30pm

(busses are mandatory)

Cost: TBA

- * Tickets will be available for purchase on school cash online.
- * GUEST PASSES: Required for non-WJM students. See the office for forms in May. If your Prom date is not attending another high school, or a grad from WJM within one (1) year, they may be required to provide a Criminal Record Search. These can be purchased from the Abbotsford Police Department at your own expense.
- * Prom includes a formal dinner. Table sign-up will be done in May.
- * ALL school fees and grad fees must be paid to purchase prom tickets and be assigned a table at prom.

NO REFUNDS AFTER May 30/26 ON TICKETS. Tickets are non-transferable unless authorized.

GRAD CLOTHING

All grad wear purchases are made on SchoolCashOnline. The following are the dates for upcoming grad wear orders:

GRAD PAYMENTS

If you choose to participate in grad activities, please be aware of the fees associated with each event. We advise you to divide up the payments throughout the school year. If you do not make

the deadlines, you may not be able to attend. If you need financial assistance, we advise you to create a plan now and talk to an administrator, counsellor or grad coordinator. All Payments can be made using the school cash online system.

NOTE: Students must pay all fees (this includes unpaid fees from previous years, textbook fees, sports fees, library fees, grad fees etc.) Your account needs to be clear. We advise you to begin making payments as soon as possible so it is not a burden in May for parents/guardians.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have any questions, please contact:

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Check the Grad Teams Classroom frequently, listen to daily announcements and check the school's website for the most up to date information.

For Scholarships, Bursaries, and Post Secondary Information, please see the grad handbook in teams or on wjmouat.abbyschools.ca

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Grad 2026 Information