

## Major Dates for 2011-2012 School Year

### FIRST SEMESTER

Sept. 6.....	First day of classes
Sept.16.....	P.A. Day
Sept.20.....	Photo Day
Sept.29.....	Terry Fox Run ( new date – previously Sept 21 )
Oct. 1.....	<b>College Application Process begins</b>
Oct. 10.....	Thanksgiving Day
Oct 12.....	Early Progress Report Card Distribution
Oct. 13.....	Photo Retake Day
Oct. 14.....	Girls' Night In
Oct. 14.....	<b>Ontario Universities' Fair</b>
Oct. 20.....	Parent Teacher Interviews
Oct. 25.....	<b>Ontario College Fair</b>
Nov. 1.....	<b>University Application Process begins</b>
Nov 8 .....	Last day for ½ Credit courses
Nov 9.....	New ½ Credit courses begin
Nov. 16.....	Mid Term Report Card Distribution
Nov. 22.....	Canadian Senior Math Contest
Nov. 18.....	P.A. Day
Nov. 28.....	Advent Week Celebration
Nov 21–Dec. 2.....	Grad Photos ( appointments required)
Dec. 16.....	<b>Iona Postsecondary Admission Deadline</b>
Dec. 23 .....	Last day of classes before Christmas Break
Dec. 26 .....	Christmas Break begins
Jan. 6.....	Christmas Break ends
Jan. 7.....	Classes resume after Christmas Break
Jan 7–27 .....	EQAO ASSESSMENT OF MATHEMATICS (Gr. 9)
Jan. 11.....	<b>OUAC deadline</b>
Jan. 12.....	Sr. Student Choreography Showcase
Jan 24.....	Last day of Semester 1 classes
Jan. 25 -31.....	Semester 1 Exams
Feb. 1.....	Exam Review Day

### SECOND SEMESTER

Feb. 1.....	<b>College Application Deadline</b>
Feb. 2.....	P.A. Day
Feb. 3.....	First day of Semester 2 classes
Feb. 6.....	Semester 1 Report Card Distribution
Feb. 20.....	Family Day
Feb. 22.....	Ash Wednesday
Feb. 23.....	Grade 9 Pascal Math Contest
Feb. 23.....	Grade 10 Cayley Math Contest
Feb. 23.....	Grade 11 Fermat Math Contest
Mar. 9.....	Early Progress Report Card Distribution
Mar 9.....	Last day of classes before March Break
Mar. 12.....	March Break begins
Mar. 16.....	March Break ends
Mar. 19.....	Classes resume after March Break
Mar. 22.....	Parent Teacher Interviews .
Mar. 29.....	OSSLT LITERACY TEST
Apr 2.....	Holy Week Observances
Apr 6.....	Good Friday
Apr. 8.....	Easter Sunday

Apr 9.....Easter Monday  
 Apr 11.....Euclid Gr. 12 Math Contest  
 Apr 16.....Last day for ½ Credit courses  
 April 17.....New ½ Credit courses begin  
 April 24.....Mid Term Report Card Distribution  
 May 1..... **College Offer Acceptance Deadline**  
 May 14.....Dance Spring Showcase  
 May 14 - 18.....Gr. 12 Final Drama performance  
 May 21..... Victoria Day Monday,  
 May 25.....Prom  
 May 29.....**University Offers Communicated**  
 May 31-June 15.....EQA0 ASSESSMENT OF MATHEMATICS (GR. 9)  
 June 1..... **University Offer Acceptance Deadline**  
 June 9.....Feast of St. Columba (Iona's Patron Saint)  
 June 15..... **College payment for the fall**  
 June 18.....Last Day of Semester 2 classes  
 June 19 - 25 .....Semester 2 Exams  
 June 26.....Exam Review Day  
 June 27.....P.A. Day  
 June 28.....P.A. Day (Graduation Mass and Ceremony)  
 June 29 .....P.A. Day (Semester 2 Report Card Distribution)

## **RELIGION RETREATS**

### ***Grade 9 Retreats- Attended by Homeroom***

**Theme:** Discovering God's Presence  
@ St Christopher's Parish

**Retreat leader:** Guest Leader: Carolyn Burles  
Sept. 23, 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25, Dec. 9

### ***Grade 10 Retreats- Attended by Homeroom***

**Theme:** How Can I Make a Difference in the World ?  
@ Dr Simone's food warehouse

**Retreat leader:** Iona Chaplain Scott Gasparini  
Oct 17, 18, 20, 24, 25, 27, Feb 27, 28, Mar 1, 5, 6, 7

### ***Grade 11 Retreats- Attended by Homeroom***

**Theme:** How is Faith Relevant in Our World Today

@ Sikh & Buddhist temples, Jewish synagogues, Muslim mosques and Orthodox churches

**Retreat leader:** Iona Chaplain Scott Gasparini

Grade 11 Religion teachers

Dates: To be determined

***Grade 12 Retreats- Attended by Homeroom***

**Theme:** Celebrating God love for us

@ Queen of Apostles Retreat Centre

**Retreat leader:** Guest Facilitator: John Devine,

Gr. 12 Religion teachers

Sept. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Oct 6, Apr 10, 11, 12, 16, 23, 25