

# Frederick Douglass Academy

## For Young Men

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Weekly Notes October 20, 2014

M	T	W	H	F
10/20/14	10/21/14	10/22/14	10/23/14	10/24/14
7:45 a.m. Lesson plans due				College Fair at WSU
		PLC 4 <sup>th</sup> Hour		
Word of the Week:	Word of the Week:	Word of the Week:	Word of the Week:	Word of the Week:
mythomane	mythomane	mythomane	mythomane	mythomane
				Corn Maze Field Trip

### News & Reminders:

- College Fair on October 24 is open to all juniors and seniors. It will be held at WSU, departing at 9:30 a.m. and returning at 11:30 a.m. The event features 15 Michigan colleges and universities.
- Teachers should contact Subfinder and AP McMurtry to report all absences.
- Remember to mark attendance each hour within the first 15 minutes of class. This helps counselors and office staff with enrollment and scheduling and is required by law.
- Items for weekly notes must be sent to [Michael.walters@detroitk12.org](mailto:Michael.walters@detroitk12.org) by 1 p.m. on Fridays to be included in the coming week's issue.

## CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

### October

- **6-24** MAP Grades 6-11
- **24** **WSU College Fair – juniors & seniors**
- **24** **Corn Maze Field Trip – school-wide**
- **28** Gear Up Madonna Tour 7:30 a.m. 10<sup>th</sup> graders
- **28** 1:00 p.m. Giant Step Teen Conference
- **29** Parent/Teacher Conference 3:30-5:30 pm in rooms

### November

- **4** Professional Development
- **5** Senior Dues Payment Day #1
- **8** JROTC Veteran Parade Downtown Detroit
- **11** JROTC Elmwood Cemetery Parade
- **11** Veteran's Day ½ day
- **14** Report Cards issued
- **15** Writing Across Curriculum
- **27+28** School closed for Thanksgiving

### December

- **2** Senior Dues Payment Day #2
- **15** Annual JROTC Military Ball
- **22** School closed for Christmas break

### January

- **5** School reopens
- **5-23** STAR testing
- **6** Senior Dues Payment Day #3
- **19** School closed MLK Day
- **23** Report cards issued

### February

- **3** Senior Dues Payment Day #4
- **11** Membership Count Day
- **16-20** School closed for winter break

### March

- **3+4** Testing – no high school classes
- **5** Senior Dues Payment #5
- **17+18** Professional Development
- **27** Senior Pinning Breakfast at Gazebo 9 a.m. - noon

### April

- **3** Good Friday – Easter break begins
- **13** School reopens
- **15** Senior Dues: Late fees assessed for nonpayment
- **17** Report cards issued
- **?** Senior Class Barbeque

### May

- **22** Prom with DIA, tickets \$75, location TBD
- **25** Memorial Day – school closed
- **27+28** Senior finals

### June

- **3** Graduation rehearsal 10 am - noon
- **5** Graduation @ FDA auditorium 10 a.m.
- **11** report cards issued (tentative)



## Word of the Week

By Dennis Donald



## mythomane

/mith-uh-meyn/

- **(noun)** *A person with a strong or irresistible propensity for fantasizing, lying, or exaggerating.*

"Having lived with a mythomane, I know they believe everything they say. They are not conscious liars."