

Frederick Douglass Academy

For Young Men


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Weekly Notes November 3, 2014

M	T	W	H	F
11/3/14	11/4/14	11/5/14	11/6/14	11/7/14
7:45 a.m. Lesson plans due	Professional Development		Scholastic reps visit	Scholastic reps visit
	Vote!	PLC 4 th Hour		
<i>Word of the Week:</i>	<i>Word of the Week:</i>	<i>Word of the Week:</i>	<i>Word of the Week:</i>	<i>Word of the Week:</i>
exiguous	exiguous	exiguous	exiguous	exiguous
Strict enforcement of uniform policy begins today!	No students today.	Senior Dues payment #1 due. See Mrs. Morris		JROTC Veteran Parade in Downtown Detroit tomorrow.

News & Reminders:

- We will be strictly enforcing the uniform policy beginning Monday, November 3. Staff, please check students each hour for compliance – top to bottom.
- 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 by 1 p.m. on Fridays to be included in the coming week's issue.
- Photo collage on page 2 features last week's school store grand opening, Gallaudet University visit, basketball try-outs, and ballroom dancing. Corn maze field trip photos were unavailable.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

November

- 4** Professional Development
- 6+7** Scholastic reps visit selected classes
- 5** Senior Dues Payment Day #1
- 8** JROTC Veteran Parade Downtown Detroit
- 11** 5 Community Colleges visit (setting TBD)
- 11** JROTC Elmwood Cemetery Parade
- 11** Veteran's Day ½ day
- 14** Report Cards issued
- 14** MS Harvest Dance at DIA (rescheduled)
- 15** Professional Dev: Writing Across Curriculum
- 19** Arts Institute of America 10 a.m. G11+12 (loc. TBD)
- 19** Madonna Tour/UMD Gear Up G10
- 26** Honor's Assembly 9 a.m.
- 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



exiguous

/ik-SIG-yoo-uhs/

- (adj.) *scanty, meager, small, slender; small in amount*

"With my exiguous income, I could not afford to stay in Beverly Hills."

