



BURNABY CENTRAL secondary school

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Dear Parents/ Guardians:

**Re: Numeracy 10 Assessment
January 25 & 26, 2023**

All students in Grade 10 must complete the Numeracy 10 Assessment. All Grade 12 students who did not complete the Numeracy 10 Assessment will be registered at one of the sittings on Jan 25 or Jan 26. This assessment is prepared by the BC Ministry of Education and must be written by all students as a part of their graduation requirements.

Here are some important things to know about this assessment:

- The Numeracy 10 Assessment is required for graduation.
- Students are assessed on a four-point proficiency scale: Emerging, Developing, Proficient and Extending
- There is no “pass” or “fail” – students must write the assessments in order to meet the BC graduation requirements.
- Assessment results are not blended with any subject mark as was the case with past provincial examinations. The results stand alone on the student’s transcript.
- The Numeracy 10 Assessment is not tied to a specific Math course. Instead, it evaluates a student’s numeracy skills developed over the course of their education.

Students and families are encouraged to explore the following link for some Numeracy Assessment preparation resources, including videos on the assessments themselves.

Grade 10 numeracy

<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/provincial/grade-10-numeracy-assessment>

The Grade 10 students will be registered at one of the following sittings in January 2023. Students are asked to arrive 15-20 minutes prior to scheduled assessment time.

Wednesday, January 25	1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Thursday, January 26	9:00 am – 12:00pm
Thursday, January 26	1:00pm – 4:00pm

[Students can find out the exact date, time and computer lab they are scheduled to write this assessment by checking the information page posted outside of Student Services and the Main Office the week of January 11, 2023.](#)

Instructions for Numeracy 10 Assessment on January 25 & 26, 2023.

ARRIVAL TIME:

Students are asked to arrive for their assessment 15-20 minutes prior to their scheduled assessment time.

For example:

Morning Assessments: Please arrive at 8:45am, assessment will begin at 9am sharp.

Afternoon Assessments: Please arrive at 12:45pm, assessment will begin at 1pm sharp.

ASSESSMENT TIME:

The Numeracy 10 Assessment is a 2-hour exam; however, students can receive an extra hour for a total of 3 hours. Students will receive one 1 piece of scrap paper to use during assessment. All scrap paper must be handed in to the teacher once student is finished. Please note that for the Numeracy Assessment students must bring a dark pen or dark HB pencil, an eraser/white-out, and a calculator.

CELL PHONES, SMART WATCHES & BAGS:

Upon entering, students should turn off their phones, AND smart watches all to be stored in their bags or lockers. All bags and coats will be put in the front of the room. Only pencils, pens and eraser should be on desk. NO FOOD ALLOWED IN COMPUTER LABS.

CHEATING

Cheating on an examination will result in a mark of zero.

Please contact Ms Basran if you have any questions.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Angela Basran
Vice-Principal