

MacNeill Open House and Grade 7 Parent Night

Thursday, January 22, 2026.

Tonight, is our Open House and Grade 7 Parent Information Night. We welcome you to become familiar with all the great things MacNeill has to offer and see the fantastic work produced by our talented students!

The evening will progress as follows:

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| 6:00 PM | Grade 7 Parent Programming Information Session (Large Gym) |
| 7:00 PM | Start of the Open House |
| 8:15 PM | Closure of the Open House |

Open House Passports:

Pick up a passport from the Ask Me Booth in the Lounge and collect as many stamps as you can while visiting the rest of our open house. Drop by the Ask Me Booth at the end for a small prize if your passport is completed and to enter a draw for some MacNeill Swag if you collect them all!

Location: Visit all the booths and offerings for a stamp in your passport!

Welcome table & Tell Me About... Booth:

Talk to a student and get information about MacNeill. Hosted by our Recreational Leadership class and Ms. Tan

Location: at Front Doors

Fine Arts - Visual Arts

Please join MacNeill's art department in celebrating the creative compositions from our students. They have explored a variety of themes, media and materials to create original pieces from their perspective. Students will be creating art and sketchbooks will be on display in the art rooms.

Location: Room 151,153 & Hallway

Fine Arts - Music

There will be ongoing music performances in the music room; come by and give your ears a feast! The MacNeill musicians will be sharing their favourite tunes with you in the lounge and in the music room. There will be interactive djembe and guitar sessions that give a sneak peek of what Grade 8 music wheel offers.

Location: Room 152 & Lounge

Fine Arts - Theatre

Theatre company students will host a drop-in session of Drama games starting at 7:00pm. At 7:45pm there will be a performance of the short, One Act play "The Naming of Things" which was one of the plays featured in our recent Production "Pieces of Mind." Come check out our Theatre, participate in some games and see our Theatre company in action!

Location: Theatre (Rm 154)

Fine Arts – Dance

Members of the MacNeill Dance Team and Dance Club will host an open practice in the dance room so participants can drop in and see what a practice looks like.

Location: Room 155 (Dance Room)

Board Games Club

Students will be hosting a variety of games for you to come and play. Challenge the chess team to a game?

Location: Lounge

Learning Services

Come by and learn about how the learning centre can support your student, its Hybrid model and the supports that we can offer students at MacNeill.

Location: Room 242

MacNeill Incentive Outdoor Education Program

Come and learn more about our program at our booth located in the lounge. The Incentive students will be decorating and showing slideshows and asking parent questions in the B WING Upstairs.

Location: (Rooms 224 – 226)

MacNeill Student Council

Drop by and learn more about MacNeill's Student Council. See what events we've done this year, what we have coming up.

Location: Lounge

Home Economics

Student have prepared some samples for individuals to pop by to get a tasty sample.

Location: Room 134

Modern Languages

Modern Languages Café! Come on by and sample the cuisine of Japan and France and hear about MacNeill's exciting language programs. We will be cooking Okonomiyaki: savoury crepes. Also, come by and check out work from all our Modern Languages students!

Location: Lounge by Cafeteria

Buzz Art Club

Come by and check out the cool and exciting activities that you can see are happening with the MacNeill Buzz Club and our recent Art-a-thon.

Location: Room 151 & Lounge

Counsellors

Counselling department is here to support student social emotional needs, mental health, academic and career needs. We also work with district and community organizations to provide robust supports for students. Please come see us for more questions and information.

Location: Counselling Office

Social Studies

Come by and see our Industrial Revolution Museum exhibit and meet our social Studies teachers.

Location: Room 210 – Ravens Nest

Humanities

Come by and see a collaborative group short story project that have been created by students in Humanities 8.

Location: Outside of Room 265

Technology Education

Come by and see the projects that students are working on and take a shop tour with Mr. Read.

Location: Room 162

Physical Education

Come by and participate in some activities in the gyms. There will activities for individuals to try and see your abilities shine.

Location: Small Gym

Athletics

Come by learn about the sports that MacNeill offers for students. There will be a table and some information shared about opportunities at MacNeill.

Location: Gym Hallway