

"If everyone is thinking alike then somebody isn't thinking."

George S. Patton

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Last Tuesday, the grade 7 students completed the English/Language Arts Long Composition component of the MCAS. Thanks to the efforts of Margi Tessier, Kelli McSweeney, Janet Rodero, and our own MCAS guru Lori Siegal, everything went off without a hitch. Those grade 7 students who were absent last Tuesday will be able to take the make-up test on May 13th. Grade 7 and 8 students will take the remaining sections of the MCAS over a two week period beginning May 17th.

As I sit here on Sunday evening anticipating the depressing possibility of more snow, I am amazed that the school year is ? completed. Let me highlight a few of key events that show how close we are the end of the year. Last week, our grade 8 students began the registration process for high school. This Monday, April 5th, marks the beginning of the 4th term. Our goal is to send out report cards the week of the 13th. In two weeks, we start the 6th to 7th grade transition by meeting with the 6th graders at each of the 6 sending schools. It is amazing how quickly this year has passed!

Whether you celebrate Passover, Easter, or are simply enjoying the shortened week, I hope everyone takes this opportunity to spend time with your loved ones. Have a great holiday.