Important Dates

Challenge Information Night: January 15th, 2025 at 7:00pm at Mount Douglas High School

Parents and students are invited to attend an information evening regarding the 4C Challenge programs offered by Esquimalt and Mount Doug respectively. The evening will provide parents and students an opportunity to further understand the 4 C Challenge program. The evening will include: a presentation from both school's challenge coordinators; student testimony; opportunity to engage with Challenge teachers and students; and a question and answer session with the challenge coordinators.

Part One of Application Form Due: January 24th, 2025

Application Forms can be found on this website, and must be filled out and returned to Esquimalt High School by January 26th, 2024. This form will indicate your intention to apply to the Esquimalt High Challenge Program. Further details about the application process can be found in the application package on this website.

District Testing: January 29th, 2025

Testing will occur at Esquimalt High in our library. The District Challenge Testing process makes use of the OLSTAT Lennon, and CCAT tests and includes a small written component. Testing usually takes 2 hours.

Portfolios Due: January 29th, 2025

Portfolios may be submitted in hard copy (in a binder), or digitally via email or USB drive. Applicants may also submit their portfolios at the District Testing Session. Portfolios should include a letter of intent from the applicant, that outlines the reasons they have for applying to the program, a copy of their most recent report card, examples of schoolwork they may be proud of (1 or 2 items), and any artifact that connects to/demonstrates their passion(s).