



January 9, 2025

Dear Graduates and Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

To celebrate the academic and community milestones of our 2025 Graduates, Monsignor Doyle's Convocation Committee is planning a number of festivities to honour the students and their accomplishments, including a brunch and graduation liturgy. The information collected in the student and parent surveys from last spring was used to inform the Convocation Committee in their preparation and planning. For your planning purposes, this letter will provide you with important information below regarding the Convocation Ceremony.

The 2025 Grade 12 Convocation Ceremony will be held at Forward Baptist Church, located at 55 Franklin Blvd, Cambridge on **Tuesday, June 17, 2025**. Doors will be open at 6:00 pm for guest seating and the ceremony will commence at 6:30 pm. **Students are to arrive at 5:30 pm.** Seating is on a first come, first serve basis. Due to capacity limits and a large graduating class each graduate will receive **(3) guest tickets** each (Graduates do not require a ticket).

Please note that a Convocation celebration allows for all students who were born in 2007 to walk the stage. No diplomas will be distributed this evening. In order to cover the costs associated with the celebrations, this year's Convocation fee will be \$70.

This includes:

- A memento cap, tassel, and gown in school colours, with a v-stole;
- A convocation brunch at the school;
- The cost of renting the venue ;
- Light refreshments that will be served following the ceremony.

All students who are participating in the Convocation are invited to take part in all aspects of the festivities and therefore pay all fees associated. Payments are to be made to School Cash Online by **Friday, February 28, 2025** and are **non refundable**. **Students will choose their grad gown size when paying the fee online.**

Any additional questions or concerns can be directed to the Convocation Committee co-chairs, Amanda Loras (amanda.loraso@wcdsb.ca)
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Sincerely,

The Convocation Committee