

Parent Update – June 3

1. I want to thank every student who attended prom last Friday. Students (and their guests) had a great time, took a lot of pictures, and most stayed until the last song was played at 10:00! Congratulations on a fantastic evening and it was so nice to see everyone having such a good time. A special thank you to all staff who helped make it happen for our students – and to Ms. Osterback and Mrs. Saini who organized the event.
2. We completed our three semester two fire drills this week and know that, just like our Code Red/Lockdown drill, these were done exceptionally well. The entire school was safely evacuated in under 4 minutes and students and staff did very well.
3. Next Friday – June 10 – our Student’s Council will be running an extended lunch hour in order to have a free BBQ, games and ‘fun time’ before the end-of-school rush. More details are coming next week and we will have all four classes on that day, but know that our lunch hour will be longer and we hope that all students come out and enjoy some fun on the back field.
4. As mentioned last week – NOW is the time to complete and submit all work to your teacher. With no final exams, every piece of work counts and with only 14 teaching days of school left, be sure to earn the mark you deserve!
5. AVSS has started an after-school tutoring program to help at risk students meet the requirements of their courses. The tutors are qualified educators and are available after school Tuesdays and Thursdays, in room 134, from 2:40pm - 3:40 pm. This additional support will complement the numerous regular supports already offered at AVSS.

Please reach out to your child's teachers if you wish to discuss your child's progress. At that time, please indicate to them if you and your child are interested in taking part in the **After School Tutoring Program**. Their teacher and a tutor will coordinate work and attendance expectations, based on your student's needs.

If you have any further questions, please call the school, 519-631-3770 extension: 66740 to speak with Ms. Osterback or Mrs. Saini.

6. Don't forget our homework help room every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at lunch time in room 134. It's a great time for students to get some help on work with direct teacher support.

Have a great weekend!
M. Moore