

# Archbishop Jordan Catholic High School

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Dear parents / guardians:

Archbishop Jordan Catholic High School is committed to providing the best assessment conditions to show what the students understand and know in relation to the curricular outcomes. We are sending this letter home to inform you about the recent changes outlined by Alberta Education in relation to Provincial Achievement Tests and Diploma Examinations.

All students will now have up to double the amount of time to write the provincial achievement tests and diploma exams, according to the new rules set by Alberta Education, in January and June sittings without an application process.

Students who are currently supported by an Individual Support Plan (ISP) will continue to receive the accommodations that are outlined in their plan and accessed throughout the school year. In addition, other accommodations are available without an application process, however, school teams will need to show that the student is using accommodations throughout the school year as documented by the classroom teacher.

Teachers will continue to provide quality assessments throughout the school year and monitor appropriate accommodations to ensure success for all students.

If you would like further information on our Assessment, Reporting and Evaluation policy, please refer to our online administrative procedure.

Sincerely,

Brett Cox  
Principal  
Archbishop Jordan Catholic School



*"I know in whom I place my trust" 2 Tim 1:12*