



Thank you for attending Exhibition Night!



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Up next:

Presentations of Learning (POLs)

December 7—15

8am to 12pm (most) / 12pm to 4pm (some)

Presentations of Learning (POLs) are the students' final presentation of the semester in which they use their project work to demonstrate their mastery of essential skills to their teachers, showing them what they have learned and how they have grown.

Please note the school hours change during POLs. Students who need to make up work from classes will be held to complete their work in the afternoons as well. We encourage all parents to come see their students' final presentation and see what they have learned and created this semester.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Nathan:
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Fall 2016 Exhibition



Thank you for being a part of Da Vinci Communications' fall Exhibition! We are proud of what our students have accomplished this semester, and are grateful for your presence here and support of their learning. Exhibition is a wonderful chance for our students to show off their work to an audience beyond their classmates and teachers—thank you for making that public display possible!

Nathan Barrymore
Principal, Da Vinci Communications

Upcoming important dates and school involvement opportunities

- November 19—27: Thanksgiving Break. Classes resume Monday 11/28.
- December 1: 5pm School Site Council; 5:30pm Family Association Meeting, including: Test prep & anxiety with UCLA and DVX info session
- December 6: Breakfast with the counselors, 8:15am
- December 7—14: POLs. Students have half day schedules. Most students will be in school from 8am to 12pm.
- December 15: Last day of 1st semester. Minimum day schedule, school runs from 9:00am to 1:30pm. Report cards will be mailed out around 12/19.
- January 9: First day of second semester
- January 26, 5:30pm: Freshman college night. All freshmen parents and students are encouraged to attend.
- February 7, 5:30pm: Sophomore college night. All sophomore parents and students are encouraged to attend.

Grade 9



English 9 and Communications

Do you remember the 80's of Retro Arcades and roller blades? Come explore our 80's Retro Arcade and play games with a twist while learning how we incorporated ethos, pathos and logos into our Ted Talks.



Physics and Engineering

Explore the road to palm springs and see student created windmills. Learn how engineers test hypothesis to develop windmills and renewable energy.



Math and Intro to Computer Science

Come explore what the tropical Wilson Island has to offer for a vacation and plan your trip to visit! You will be exposed to ways statistics are used to influence your decisions, how you can become aware of these tricks, and how you can use Google Sheets to budget your expenses.

Grade 11

Non-Profits (English/History)

The junior class will showcase their nonprofit organizations for disenfranchised groups that were created from scratch. They will strive to attract mock investors in order to assist their target communities in achieving the American Dream.



FUTURES and SAI

Listen to inspirational writing and join us for a flight into space as we explore the planets!

Music

Music pathway students will be showing off their music and media projects, and student performers will be on stage!



Grade 10

Math and Computer Science

Come see the coding behind our Choose-Your-Own-Adventure storytelling websites. We will show you all the steps behind our murder mystery games as well as teach you some HTML coding.



Chemistry

Let DVC's top forensic scientists teach you how to analyze ransom notes, blood samples, and chemical fires to reveal the murderer in DVC's most wanted!



English 10 and Cinematic Arts

Visit Noel's exhibition class to experience the many themes of Hamlet through intriguing video essays while experiencing fascinating tidbits of the sophomore class's past with their memoirs and student interviews.



Grade 12

Computer Science



Come see student built and coded robots complete an obstacle course, race and dance in the computer science pathway!



Strategic Communications

Students have developed public awareness campaigns centered around local, national and international social justice causes, and are ready to convince you to take action.



Government and Journalism

The U.S. Government and the Journalism classes are collaborating to present their Supreme Court cases and DVC's new digital newspaper *The Virtruivian Post*. Come learn about the Supreme Court, civil liberties, and journalism as these students showcase what they have learned and produced this year.