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# PETHS Weekly Newsletter

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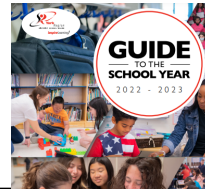
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### Guide to the 2022-2023 School Year

Click on the link to read the [Guide to the 2022-2023 School Year](#)



### PETHS 2022-2023 Student Handbook

Click on the link to read the [Student Handbook and Startup Package](#)

### [School Cash Online \(SCO\)](#)



# School Information

## THIS WEEK @ TRUDEAU

### Monday, June 5

→ Co-Op Career Fair

### Tuesday, June 6

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### Wednesday, June 7

→ Mobyss Bus @ Trudeau

### Thursday, June 8

→ Athletic Banquet

### Friday, June 9

→ Blazer's Bash - modified school day

→ Grad Tea and Package pick up.



Period 1	Time
1	8:10 - 8:45
Homeroom	8:45 - 8:50
2	8:55 - 9:30
5	9:35 - 10:10
3	10:15 - 10:50
4	10:55 - 11:30
Blazers Bash	11:30 to 2:50

## Coming Up...

**June 12** - Music Banquet

**June 12** - Grade 12 Assessment Moratorium

**June 13 - 14** - Grade 9 Math EQAO

**June 14** - Grades 9-11 Assessment Moratorium

**June 15** - Locker clean out

**June 16 - June 22** - Grade 12 Exams

**June 21 - June 27** - Grade 9 - 11 Exams

**June 26** - Graduation - 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

**June 29** - Eid al-Adha (SFD)

**June 30** - PA Day (No School)

## Important School Information links

- [Staff Directory](#)
- [Guidance](#)

## Daily Schedule 2022-23

Period	Time
1 HOMEROOM	8:10 AM – 9:25 AM 9:25 AM – 9:30 AM
2	9:35 AM – 10:50 AM
3 LUNCH ( grade 9 + 11)	10:55 AM – 12:10 PM
4 LUNCH (grade 10 + 12)	12:15 PM – 1:30 PM
5	1:35 PM – 2:50 PM

## Attendance

To report an absence or for questions about your child's attendance, please call 905-887-2216 ext. 190 or send an email to [pierre.elliott.trudeau.hs.attendance@yrdsb.ca](mailto:pierre.elliott.trudeau.hs.attendance@yrdsb.ca)

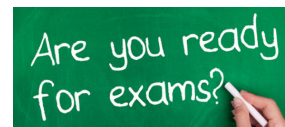
If you receive notification that your child has been marked absent and you believe this to be incorrect, please have your child ask the teacher to notify the office to make the correction. All attendance corrections must be verified by the classroom teacher.



# School Updates/News

## Exams

The Semester 2 exam schedule has been posted on our website. Students will write one exam per day corresponding to the subject in that specific period. All exams will begin at 8:30 a.m. The exam schedule is as follows:



Day	Grade 12	Grade 9-11
June 16	Period 1 Exams	Regular classes
June 19	Period 2 Exams	Regular classes
June 20	Period 3 Exams	Regular classes
June 21	Period 5 Exams - all grades	
June 22	Period 4 Exams - all grades	
June 23		Period 1 Exams
June 26		Period 2 Exams
June 27		Period 3 Exams
June 28	Exam Review Day	
June 29	Regular School Day	
June 30	PA Day - No School	

Once a student's exam is completed, students have the remainder of each day to study at home for upcoming exams. View these links for: Exam Schedule: [Exam Schedule - June 2023](#) Exam Guidelines: [Exam Guideline - June 2023](#)

## University Pathways Program for Black Students

The University Pathways Program is a collaboration between three Canadian business schools -- Ivey Business School at Western University, Schulich School of Business at York University, and Smith School of Business at Queen's University. It is designed to support self-identified Black students in their post-secondary academic journeys, as a way to address the significant under-representation of Black students in Canadian university enrolment, including in business schools. The first cohort of the program started in January 2023 with 55 students from across the Greater Toronto Area (GTA).



### Some key facts:

- The program is no-cost to participants;
- Mentoring by current Black university students is a key element;
- Enrollment is by student application and approval. Applications for the fall 2023 start will open at the end of May;
- Students begin the program while in grade 11;
- Content includes insights on the university experience from current Black undergraduate students, and learning about prerequisites and requirements for programs so high school students have the time, experiential learning opportunities, and support networks to prepare for post-secondary education;
- The program is primarily delivered online via Zoom sessions outside of school hours. There are occasional in-person activities that provide a chance to visit the campuses of participating universities;
- The Program offers *significant financial support options* to reduce the financial barrier to post-secondary education;
- The program is currently only available to Black students based in the GTA.

For more information - [university-pathways-program.com](http://university-pathways-program.com).

Dates: Monday June 5 or Monday June 12 or Sunday, June 18 - Each information session will cover the same content.  
Time: 5:00 PM

[Zoom Link](#)

# Graduation Updates

## Graduation Information

As we approach spring, we want to update you on our planning for the year-end celebration of the graduating class of 2023. This is an important milestone, and we look forward to recognizing the achievements of our students.

### Scheduling and Format:

Our graduation ceremony will still take place on **Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup>** at Pierre Elliott Trudeau High School, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

Each graduate will be allotted 2 guest tickets (Grads do not need a ticket). Tickets will be distributed in early June.



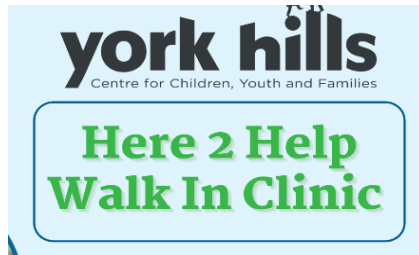
## Grad Tea - June 9

Graduating students are invited to a Grad Tea on June 9 in room 151/152. Enjoy some snacks and share memories with your classmates. Your graduation tickets and grad package will be available for pick up beginning at 12:45 in room 149. Please plan to attend as this will be your only opportunity to pick your grad package. Yearbooks will also be available for pick up.

## Resources for Families

### The Here 2 Help Walk In Clinic

York Hills offers free immediate access to single session counselling from a mental health professional. Click the link below for more information. [Here 2 Help Walk In Clinic](#)



### Promoting Racial Literacy in Schools

Monday June 19, 2023-7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Virtual Event

Parents/guardians and students are invited to attend a virtual workshop with Dr. Howard C. Stevenson, author of *Promoting Racial Literacy in Schools: Differences That Make a Difference*. Click the [link](#) for more info and to register



**PARENTING STRATEGIES  
FOR A SUCCESSFUL SUMMER BREAK!**

June 13, 2023 10:00 to 11:30 am

This session will focus on how to ensure a safe and engaging environment for children

[Parenting Strategies for Summer Break](#)

THE CENTRE FOR  
BLACK STUDENT EXCELLENCE

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[Centre for Black Excellence Newsletter - June 2023](#)

## Poetry Slam Finals

Monday, June 5 at Glen Shields PS. Click the [link](#) to RSVP



## Mental Health and Addictions Newsletter

[Mental Health and Addictions Newsletter - June](#)



## BFCN Scholarship Application Workshop for Black Students - June 2 - virtual

An interactive workshop to show Black students and their families how to search, prepare, and apply for scholarships & bursaries. Click on the link below for more information and to register [BFCN Scholarship Application Workshop](#)

Learn more about

# One Stop Talk

## One Stop Health

One Stop Talk offers children, youth (within 18 years of age) and their families immediate access to free mental health support. [One Stop Talk](#)



## Explore Multiculturalism with TCCSA

Join TCCSA for an afternoon to celebrate Multiculturalism on June 24 at 12:00 PM

Click this [Link](#) for more information. Scan the QR code to register in [advancescan](#)



## YRDSB Information

