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To advance student achievement and well-being through public education, which motivates learners, fosters inclusion, inspires innovation and builds community.

Vision

To be a leader in public education by empowering all students to become engaged and caring citizens of the world.

APS - Seven Values

Citizenship Empathy Inclusivity Innovation Relationships Self-Awareness Optimism

InspireLearning.

Aldergrove Public School Community Newsletter January 20, 2023, Vol.10

Message from the Office

We hope that 2023 is off to a great start for families in the community. These first weeks back have allowed scholars to reacquaint themselves with rules and expectations at the school. Scholars are remembering to dress according to the weather each day. They are interacting with each other in positive ways. The new year is a great time to reset and focus on goals. Our focus at Aldergrove is to create identity affirming spaces where scholars, staff and families feel like they matter and belong.

We acknowledge the Tamil celebration of Thai Pongal and hope that our Tamil families had a happy celebration. Thank you to our families who took the time and created a beautiful display in the foyer for us. We look forward to celebrating Lunar New Year next week.

As we approach the end of Term One, we remain committed to our learning goals for the year. We remind all parents of the importance of being involved in their child's school life and supporting them in setting achievable and attainable goals. We look forward to working together on these goals in partnership over the next few months. Both teachers and the administration look forward to your continued partnership.

Partners in education,

Ms. Jessa Mr. Pamayah Principal Vice Principal

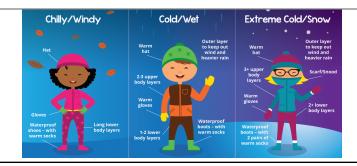
Resources for Families

Alliance of Educators for Black Students [AEBS] - January newsletter.

Student Mental Health And Addictions - January Newsletter.

Healthy Schools - January Newsletter.

<u>Screening Process: TO BE DONE DAILY</u> Every day students will need to screen for COVID-19. Follow the directions to ensure the safety of all the members of our school community.



Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration for September 2023 begins January 20 for the 2023-24 school year. Children who were born in 2019, live within the school boundary, and whose parents/guardians are public school tax supporters will be eligible to register for Kindergarten.

There are several ways you can register for Kindergarten:

- Online Families can access the online Kindergarten registration information at www.yrdsb.ca/kindergarten. It is recommended that families use a laptop or a desktop, rather than a mobile device to complete this registration.
- **By email** Families can download the <u>Elementary School Registration Form</u> at <u>www.yrdsb.ca/Kindergarten</u> and email the completed form to school email address aldergrove.ps@yrdsb.ca
- **By phone** Families can request support to complete the registration form on their behalf by collecting the required information by phone. Families can request an interpreter, if needed, during this phone conversation. <u>Call your local school</u>. (905) 470-2227
- **In-person at the school** Families may visit the school office to drop off or complete a registration form.

Once you have completed your application, the school will contact you to make an appointment to review and verify the <u>required documents</u>.

Our Kindergarten programs are caring and welcoming where children learn through exploration, play and inquiry. You can learn more at www.yrdsb.ca/Kindergarten. We look forward to welcoming our new students and families to the school.

Anti-Black Racism

Our priority of championing equity and inclusivity has a focus on creating Black affirming learning environments that prioritize the well-being of Black students and are free from anti-Black racism, harassment, and discrimination.

In response to continued evidence of anti-Black racism in Canadian institutions, including in education, the Board co-developed an anti-Black racism strategy, launched in 2021. The Dismantling Anti-Black Racism Strategy: Creating anti-racist and Black-affirming learning and working environments was co-developed by York Region Black community leaders, YRDSB staff and in consultation with students. The launch of the strategy marks a coordinated effort to address anti-Black racism at the Board.

The systemic nature of anti-Black racism requires that school boards act proactively to support equitable access to quality education and opportunities for all students and to challenge the marginalization of Black students, staff and families.

The Centre for Black Student Excellence is a space committed to the promotion of Dismantling Anti-Black racism and amplifying voices that have been historically marginalized. The Centre includes a new central hub of information on the Board website available at www.yrdsb.ca/blackexcellence.



The Snow Show

On Thursday, January 12, staff and scholars were able to enjoy the Snow Show. This performance was a fun and entertaining celebration that showcased our students' talents and skills in dramatic arts and music. Thank you to Ms. Gilbert, Ms. Koh, our caretakers, the student tech team and everyone else involved with this collaborative event.

Arrival

All scholars need to arrive on-time in the morning. The line-up bell rings at 8:25 and scholars are invited to come into the school at this time to begin announcements, the Land Acknowledgement and O Canada. Arriving late delays the start of the day and classroom room learning.



Grade 8 Transition to High School

Course selection is fast approaching for high school. Students will be choosing 2 elective courses in Grade 9. The other 6 classes are preselected by their high school. These classes are English, Math, Science, French, Geography & Physical Education.

On Wednesday, January 25, Milliken Mills High School will be meeting with all grade 8 students to share with them this process and answer questions. Course selection will be open from February 16 - 24, 2023. We will be checking in with all students to support them with course selection.

You can support your child by talking with them about what they might be interested in <u>selecting for courses</u> next year and about all of the <u>secondary school programs</u> available. Please reach out to Darren Berberick if you have any questions at <u>darren.berberick@yrdsb.ca</u>. This is an exciting time for Grade 8 students.

Tamil Heritage Month

The Canadian government has officially proclaimed January as Tamil Heritage Month in Canada. Tamil Heritage Month aims to celebrate the richness of the Tamil language and its literature and highlight Tamil Canadians' vibrant traditions, histories, arts, and cultures. In addition, it seeks to recognize the significant contributions of Tamil Canadians in key areas of social, cultural, economic, and political spheres. This year's focus is Tamils' contribution towards Economic growth - Past, Present, future.

January 14, 2023, begins the month of "Thai." On this day, people of Tamil heritage celebrate Thai Pongal, the Tamil harvest festival. Thai Pongal is the most important and widely-celebrated festival amongst Tamils around the globe. Thai Pongal is a time to give thanks for the previous year's blessings and a time to look forward to the New Year. The staff and scholars of Aldergrove P.S. look forward to recognizing Tamil Heritage Month with our Tamil community.



The Aldergrove Entripy Shop is OPEN!

Welcome to the official online shopping portal for Aldergrove Public School. Enjoy browsing a wide selection of products from a variety of brands that you can then customize with the approved logos and graphics found on the site. Here are a few of the many items you can purchase.









February is Black History Month

During the month of February, we deliberately reflect upon the legacy of African history in all its diversity, and we join all Canadians in celebrating Black History Month. During this month we are able to appreciate the significance of African people in world history by centering people of African, Caribbean, and Canadian heritage, famous and not so famous, who have influenced the nation and the world through their ideas, words and actions.

If you are interested in helping to celebrate Black History Month and share your culture with Aldergrove scholars and staff, please let us know in the office.

Up and Coming

February 3: PA day, no school

February 20: Family Day, no school

February 21: Report Cards distributed electronically February 23: School Council Meeting at 6:30pm

February 24: School Spirit Day-Twin Day



January 2023 Aldergrove Public School

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday			
1 New Year's Day	2 Winter Break No School	3 Winter Break No School	4 Winter Break No School	5 Winter Break No School	6 Winter Break No School	7			
8	9 Day 5 School Resumes	10 Day 1	11 Day 2	12 Day 3	13 Day 4 Pizza Lunch 🍕 (Make-up day for Nov. 4) Spirit Day: Pajama Day	14			
15 Thai Pongal	16 Day 5	17 Day 1 Sub Lunch ⊌	18 Day 2 Sushi Lunch 🍣	19 Day 3	20 Day 0 PA Day (No School)	21			
22 Lunar New Year	23 Day 4 Voices Team at McMichael Art Gallery	24 Day 5 Sub Lunch ⊌ 10:45 Lion Dance Assemblies	25 Day 1 Sushi Lunch 🍣 APS Let's Talk Day	26 Day 2 1:20 Milliken Mills H.S. Grade 8 Presentation	27 Day 3 Pizza Lunch Spirit Day: You Can Count on Me Day (Wear numbers) Holocaust Remembrance Day	28			
29	30 Day 4 Voices Team at Aldergrove	31 Day 5 Sub Lunch ⊌	February 1 Day 1 Sushi Lunch 🍣	2 Day 2 Groundhog Day Sweater Day	3 Day 0 PA Day (No School)				

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YRAACC / Sankofa Tutoring Program



We are committed to educational growth, success, and leadership of our students.



- Math and English Tutoring
- Grades 3-12 Students
- · Weekly on-line





The "YRAACC/Sankofa
Tutoring Program" is a
Covid-19 Recovery Program
that aims to "strengthen
Black students' Math, and
Literacy skills.



Click here to register https://forms.gle/EQHB5xdtfJtoeACQA





WELLNESS SERVICES

Are you a newcomer to Canada? Are you settling into a new country and adjusting to a new life? This can be an experience with mixed emotions, where you may feel excitement, nervousness, loneliness, and sadness. These are normal emotions as you adjust to your new home.

"The Wellness Oasis" is where you will have a chance to rest, re-energize, and improve overall well-being.

Available Services:

EDUCATIONAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL WORKSHOPS:

Focusing on self-care, family relationship, and mutual support in various creative approach.

INDIVIDUAL COUNSELLING:

Short-term counselling support for individuals with emotional distress and concerns.

Location of Services:

TCCSA York Centre

Metro Square 3636 Steeles Avenue East, Unit 213A Markham, Ontario, L3R 1K9 Telephone: (905) 948-1671 Fax: (905) 948-9997 Email: info@tccsa.org

TCCSA Scarborough Centre

325 Bamburgh Circle, Unit A107 Toronto, Ontario, M1W 3Y1 Telephone: (416) 502-9500 Fax: (416) 502-2900

TCCSA Toronto Centre

302 Spadina Avenue, Unit 206 Toronto, Ontario, M5T 2E7 Telephone: (416) 977-4026 Fax: (416) 351-0510

TCCSA Peel Centre

720 Burnhamthorpe Road West, Unit 2 Mississauga, Ontario, L5C 3G1 Telephone: (905) 615-9500 Fax: (905) 615-0622



CONTACT US

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Accessibility:

- Hybrid options available
- Chinese and Tagalog counselling sessions available
- Wheelchair accessible offices

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Happy 2023! Fai Chun is part of the Chinese tradition during the Lunar New Year to set goals and share blessings with each another. Come and learn the traditional handwritten Fai Chun with vour children.

Workshop #1

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Date: Thursday January 5th, 2023
Time: 10:00-11:30am
Language: English and Chinese
Location: Scarborough Centre
Participants: Newcomer parents & children

Workshop #2

Date: Friday January 6th, 2023 Time: 2:00-3:30pm Language: English and Chinese Location: York Centre Participants: Newcomer parents & children (ages 5+)



Have a Good Sleep



Learn about the benefits of essential oils in getting a good sleep. Learn different methods of relaxation that can help you sleep well.

Date: Tuesday January 17th, 2023 Time: 10:00-11:00am Language: English and Chinese Location: York Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome



Senior Wellness Series

A series of workshops where seniors can learn and discuss wellness topics such as expressing emotions in a healthy way, weather affecting our moods, loneliness, grief, guilt, homesickness, and many more

Group #1

Dates: Tuesdays January 10-February 14, 2023 Time: 10:00-11:00am Language: English and Chinese Location: Online Zoom Participants: Newcomer Seniors

Group #2

Dates: Tuesdays February 21-March 28, 2023 Time: 10:00-11:00am Language: English and Chinese Location: Online Zoom Participants: Newcomer Seniors



Wonder Women



A women's support group where participants can gain selfempowerment and self-confidence, expand social connections with other newcomer women, and learn essential career-building skills.

Date: Mondays January 16-March 27 Time: 6:00-7:00pm Language: English Location: Online Zoom Participants: Newcomer Women



Colouring Pages Workshop



Join us in creating TCCSA's Mindfulness Colouring Booklet to promote wellness. This program will show you the basic steps on creating your own colouring page

Date: Monday February 13th Time: 3:30-5:00pm Language: English and Chinese Location: Scarborough Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome



Chinese Tea Tasting



Date: TBD Time: TBD Language: English and Chinese Location: York Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome





Photography Contest

Submit a photo of what makes your day positive and a caption explaining why you chose that photo. Each participant can submit one photo. Winner will be announced at the TCCSA Art Exhibition. For more details, scan the QR code:





Start Date: Monday January 9th, 2023 at 12:00 noon End Date: Tuesday February 28th, 2023 at

11:59pm Submit via: Google Form or WeChat

Language: English Location: York Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome



How to Support your Child in a New **Environment**



Moving to a new country can significantly impact the wellness of a child. Parents can enhance their awareness on children adjustment issues.

Workshop #1

Date: Thursday February 9th, 2023 Time: 6:00-7:00pm Language: English and Chinese Location: York Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome

Workshop #2

Date: Wednesday February 22nd, 2023 Time: 10:30-11:30am Language: English and Chinese Location: York Centre Participants: All Newcomers Welcome

REGISTRATION

- Permanent Resident card or Landing paper are required for registration. --

Method #1:

Please select the program(s) that you are interested and kindly provide the below information. You can submit the filled form to any TCCSA center. The corresponding staff will be in contact with you for confirmation.

Full Name:
Email:
Phone:
Immigration Status:
Canadian Citizen
Permanent Resident
Convention Refugee
Other:
Programs you would like to join:
Getting a Good Start with Chinese Fai Chun
Senior Wellness Series
Have a Good Sleep
Wonder Women
Colouring Pages Workshop
Chinese Tea Tasting
Photography Contest
How to Support your Child in a New Environment
Other:
Method #2:
Scan the QR code and fill-in the required information. The corresponding staff will be in contact with you for confirmation.

TCCSA LOCATIONS

York Centre

Unit 213A, 3636 Steeles Avenue East, Markham L3R 1K9 Phone: (905) 948-1671 Fax: (905) 948-9997



Scarborough Centre Unit A107, 325 Bamburgh Circle, Toronto MIW 3Y1 Phone: (416) 502-9500 Fax: (416) 502-2900



Toronto Centre Unit 206,

502 Spadina Avenue, Toronto M5T 2E7 Phone: (416) 977-4026 Fax: (416) 351-0510



Peel Centre

Unit 2, 720 Burnhamthorpe Road W. Mississauga L5C 3G1 Phone: (905) 615-9500 Fax: (905) 615-0622



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THE WELLNESS OASIS **Holistic Wellness** Services

Program Brochure (January-March 2023)

Inquiry and Registration:

Karis Fung

Phone: (437) 329-1285 Email: kfung@tccsa.org

Rizette Catarroja Phone: (437) 329-1252 Email: rcatarroja@tccsa.org

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday | 9am to 5pm

Being a newcomer comes with various challenges in your daily life. You may experience mixed emotions such as excitement, nervousness, loneliness, and sadness. These are normal emotions as you adjust to a new place.

Since 1973, TCCSA has worked with numerous new immigrants. We well understand that new immigrants need not only tangible resources, but also emotional and familial support.

Hence, TCCSA launched THE WELLNESS OASIS. A series of holistic wellness services that new immigrants can join to have a chance to rest, reenergize, care for family members, and improve overall well-being. We are glad to be your "oasis" in this journey.



Services Include:

Educational and Developmental Workshops

Focusing on self-care, family relationships, and mutual support in various creative approaches.

Individual Counselling

Newcomer mental health specialist provides short-term counseling support for individuals with emotional distress and

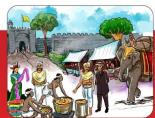
Referral Services

Refer to the specialized agency for follow-up, if appropriate.

Fee: All services are free of charge

Tamil Heritage Month 2023













2023 Theme:
Tamils In Trade and Commerce:
Past, Present and Future



The Official Poster for Tamil Heritage Month 2023

This official poster for Tamil Heritage Month 2023, released by Tamil Heritage Month Council, celebrates the histories and the accomplishments of Tamils in the field of trade and commerce. From many centuries ago to the present day, Tamils have contributed greatly to the economic growth of the world. The artifacts and sites shown in the poster through drawings and photos are a few significant examples of the growth and achievements of Tamils in our homelands and around the world. The poster illustrates coins used by Tamils many centuries ago, Bank of Tamil Eelam passbook, ports from Kaveripattanam used centuries ago to Port in Chennai being used today. Finally, the statue honouring workers is included to honour all the workers who have contributed to the economic growth worldwide.

info@tamilcivicaction.com | www.tamilheritagemonth.com

Artwork: Artist Karuna (Centre Image) and Artist Jeeva Poster Design: Acmeprint



Inclusive School and Community Services in Partnership With





Supporting your Children with Special Needs Information Series Part One: Understanding Autism Spectrum Disorder

支持有特殊需求孩子的中文讲座系列之一: 了解自闭症

சிறப்புத் தேவைகளைக் கொண்ட உங்கள் குழந்தைகளுக்கான ஆதரவளித்தல் ஆட்டிசத்தைப் புரிந்துகொள்வது

This session will be delivered in English, Chinese and Tamil on different dates to help parents, guardians and caregivers learn:

- What is Autism?
- Diagnosis process
- Common characteristics
- At-home strategies
- Resources available in the community

Presenter: Winny Ho, Community Support Coordinator at Community Living York South

When: March 2, 2023, 6:30-8:00pm

Register this event now!

English Session Virtual

https://bit.ly/3XI8CTo



For more information, please contact Community and Partnership Developer Shani Blake - shani.blake@yrdsb.ca



Inclusive School and Community Services in Partnership With





Autism என்பதை எவ்வாறு புரிந்து கொள்ளுதல் மெய்நிகர்(Virtual) தமிழ் பட்டறை

பெற்றோர்கள்,பாதுகாவலர்கள்,மற்றும்,பராமரிப்பாளர்கள் கலந்துகொள்ளுங்கள்

- ஆட்டிசம் என்றால் என்ன?
- அதனை எவ்வாறு கண்டறிதல்,
- அதன் பொதுவான பண்புகள் என்ன,
- வீட்டில் பயன்படுத்தும் உத்திகள் எவை
- சமூகத்தில் கிடைக்கும் வளங்கள்.

Presenter: Winny Ho, Community Support Coordinator at Community Living York South

When: February 23, 2023, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

எப்போது: மாசி,23, 2023 பி :ப 6:30 - 8 மணி வரை

Tamil Session Virtual

https://bit.ly/3GosAVU

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For more information, please contact Community and Partnership Developer Nageswary Srikumaraguru - nageswary.srikumaraguru@yrdsb.ca

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TVO Learn Mathify offers seamless school-to-home math learning with an interactive classroom tool, and free one-on-one, online afterschool math tutoring. Transform where and how Grade 4-12 students in Ontario learn math.



Interactive learning

- Share whiteboards with students, and enable students to submit their whiteboard links for feedback or evaluation
- Create lessons and activities to demonstrate to small groups or the entire class
- Explore the Question Bank to access nearly over 600 whiteboards with ready-to-use math questions from Grades 4-12



Seamless learning

- Personalized math portfolio to store math learning; easily transition school to home learning; and enable sharing between teachers, students and tutors
- Savable interactive whiteboard with ability to import or upload images or screenshots of math questions or problems to work through



Free live after school tutoring

 Live 1:1 tutoring with Ontario Certified Teachers, two-way audio, integrated text, recorded sessions and ability to choose your own tutors

9am - 9pm ET | Monday to Friday 3pm - 9pm ET | Saturday and Sunday

Registration requirements:

- Students require an OEN
- · Educators require a district email address



Register today to learn more and get started!

TVOMathify.com



Families and Schools Together (F&ST)



Families and Schools Together is a play and art therapy based program that allows families to come together. A program that will help reduce caregiver isolation by connecting with other families in the 2SLGBTQI+ community.

Sing, dance, draw, paint, and enjoy fun family time. Supplies are dropped off each week at no cost.

These sessions are for families with 2SLGBTQI+ caregivers or children, as well as families who are allies. The current focus is for families with children in grade 4-8. Please connect with us if your child does not fall in the age criteria, exceptions can be made.

Date: Start mid-January 2023 for eight weeks. Final dates to be confirmed.

Time: Once a week for 1.5 hours each week.

Location: Virtual (link to be provided after registration)

Registration: Email Praanee Chandrasegaram (She/They) at pchandrasegaram@fsyr.ca or Kenzie Wass (They/Them) at kenzie.wass@vrdsb.ca









2023 Camper Application Information

What is Arts Camp?

Celebrating over 30 years on the shores of a private lake in the Haliburton Highlands, Camp White Pine is host to a unique yearly camp for Grades 7-12 York Region District School Board students. Arts Camp is an intensive week-long immersion in visual, studio and performance art programs and experiences. At camp, each camper is encouraged to discover and explore their identity through supported risk-taking and positive collaboration with peers, staff artists and camp leaders through intensive and extended opportunities to explore and discover new and creative talents. Arts Camp fosters rich opportunities to gain self-awareness, self-confidence and a distinct identity, while supporting the growth, individuality and potential of all participants.

Camper Application Information

When is it?

May 27th to June 3rd, 2023

Where is it held?

Camp White Pine, Haliburton, ON (Optional transportation is offered for a fee.)

Who can apply?

Students in Grades 7 - 12 who are registered in a York Region District School Board school.

There is no limit to the number of student applications submitted from an individual school provided that each student applicant has met the following criteria:

- Student demonstrates positive character in the school;
- Student does not show significant behavioural concerns in the school;
- Student would positively contribute to and benefit from an arts program in an inclusive community;
- Student is prepared, mature and well enough to spend a week away from home and school;
- Student has parental/guardian consent, and
- Student has their school administrator's support and the endorsement of a teacher at the school.

For Elementary Students:

Up to 130 students are randomly selected from each elementary school that applies, with the intention to have a gender balance of campers.

For Secondary Students:

First time applicants will be given priority to attend. Secondary students can apply for additional years at camp, and will be accepted only after first time applicants have been considered. Students are selected through a random lottery process

How do I apply?

Carefully review the information in this package and then use the provided link (at the end) to access the 2023 Camper Application Form. Applications will be accepted starting Thursday, January 19th, 2023

What is the deadline for applying?

Friday, February 17th, 2023. Late applications will not be accepted.

How long will it take to complete the application?

Completing the required fields will take approximately 15-20 minutes. The application form must be completed in one sitting as there is no option to save and return to your application.

How do I apply for a Leadership (Counsellor or Counsellor-in-Training) Position?

The Counsellor application process is now closed and the CIT application process is open until January 27th, 2023. This process is now complete and all Counsellors and Counsellors-in-Training have been selected. CIT applicants are strongly encouraged to complete a Camper application if they wish to be selected as a Camper if no CIT positions are available.

What else do I need to know about applying?

Applications must be completed in their entirety in one session. There is no option to save and return to your application.

Your application does not guarantee acceptance into the program. All complete applications will be considered during the phased lottery selection system. The confirmation email you receive after applying is not an acceptance to the program; it is a confirmation of your application only.

Offers of acceptance will be emailed to families (using the address provided in the online application form) by mid-March. Please take care to enter the email address correctly. Please note: It is not advisable to use a Hotmail, Outlook, YAHOO or LIVE email account as the Board experiences regular delivery issues with these providers. Gmail accounts are recommended. Families of students who have been waitlisted will also be emailed by mid-March.

All payment of camp fees will be completed through School Cash Online – the board's secure, online payment system. A link to online payment will be sent to all accepted campers and their families.

Payment deadline is April 7th, 2023 Failure to provide payment by this deadline will result in the camper being removed from the camper list and their space being offered to a camper on the waitlist.

How much does it cost?

Camper Fee

(includes t-shirt & cinch sack backpack) \$750.00

Counsellor-in-Training (CIT) Fee

(includes t-shirt & cinch sack backpack) \$650.00

Transportation (optional)

Return: \$100.00 One Way: \$50.00

Clothing (optional)

Additional clothing options are still being finalized. Options will include heavyweight hoodie sweatshirt, beanie and buff. Prices will be available to accepted campers on School Cash Online. Any purchased clothing will be distributed at camp.

How do I pay?

- All accepted campers will receive a secure link to the Arts Camp School Cash Online payment page.
- Payments using this system may be made by debit or credit card. This is the same system used in all YRDSB schools
- If you have already registered to use School Cash Online for any of your children, you will have easy access to
 the Arts Camp payment page. Other users will need to register using a valid email account. Instructions will be
 provided.
- Payment DEADLINE is April 7, 2023. Late payments will not be accepted.

When will I find out if I've been accepted?

The application deadline is Friday, February 17th, 2023. Acceptance/WaitList notification emails will be sent by mid-March. All accepted campers will then receive a link to access the payment page using School CashOnline. Payment deadline is April 7th, 2023.



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戓就和身心健康发展

理念

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Inspire Learning!

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Translation from here: 从这里翻译:

来自办公室的消息 ……

我们希望 2023 年对社区的家庭来说是一个良好的开端。 回来上课的最初几周让学者们重新熟悉了学校的规则和期望。 学者们每天都记得根据天气着装。 他们以积极的方式相互影响。 新的一年是重新设定和专注于目标的好时机。 我们在Aldergrove的重点是创造认同身份的空间,让学者、教职员工和家庭感到自己很重要并有归属感。

我们祝福泰米尔人庆祝泰蓬节,并希望我们的泰米尔家庭庆祝愉快。 感谢我们的家长花时间为学校门厅展示精美的布置。 我们期待下周庆祝农历新年。

随着第一学期即将结束,我们仍然致力于实现今年的学习目标。 我们提醒所有家长参与孩子的学校生活并支持他们设定可实现的目标的重要性。 我们期待在接下来的几个月中携手合作,共同实现这些目标。 老师和行政部门都期待您的继续支持。

感謝您的合作。

Ms. Jessa 校长 Mr. Pamayah 副校长

家庭可用资源

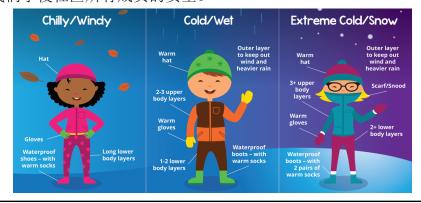
黑人学生教育者联盟 [AEBS] - 一月时事通讯。

学生心理健康和成瘾 - 一月通讯。

健康学校 - 一月通讯。

自我筛选过程

<u>自我筛查过程:每天进行</u>学生每天都需要筛查 COVID-19。 按照指示确保我们学校社区所有成员的安全。



幼儿园注册

2023 年 9 月入学的幼儿园注册将于 1 月 20 日开始。 2019 年出生、居住在学校范围内且父母/ 监护人是公立学校税收支持者的儿童将有资格注册幼儿园。

您可以通过多种方式注册幼儿园:

- **网上**——家庭可以上 <u>www. yrdsb. ca/kindergarten</u> 获取在线幼儿园注册信息。 建议家庭使用笔记本电脑或台式机,而不是移动设备手机来完成此注册。
- **通过电子邮件** 家庭可以在 <u>www. yrdsb. ca/Kindergarten</u> 下载小学注册表格,然后将填写好的表格通过电子邮件发送到学校电子邮件地址 Aldergrove. ps@yrdsb. ca 。
- **通过电话**——家庭可以请求支持,通过电话收集所需信息来代表他们完成注册表。 如果需要,家人可以在此电话交谈中请求翻译员。 打电话给您的学校。(905) 470-2227
- **亲自到校**——家庭可以到学校办公室送孩子或填写登记表。

完成申请后, 学校将与您联系以预约审核和验证所需文件。

我们的幼儿园课程充满关爱和热情,孩子们通过探索、玩耍和探究来学习。 您可以参访www.yrdsb.ca/Kindergarten 了解更多信息。 我们期待着欢迎我们的新学生和家庭来到学校。

反黑人种族主义

我们倡导公平和包容性的首要任务是创造黑人肯定学习环境,优先考虑黑人学生的福祉,并且没有反黑人种族主义、骚扰和歧视。

为了应对加拿大机构(包括教育机构)中反黑人种族主义的持续证据,教育局共同制定了一项反黑人种族主义战略,该战略于 2021 年启动。拆除反黑人种族主义战略:建立反种族主义和肯定黑人学习和工作环境由约克地区黑人社区领袖、YRDSB 工作人员共同开发,并与学生协商。 该战略的启动标志着教育局为解决反黑人种族主义问题而做出的协调努力。

反黑人种族主义的系统性要求学校教育局采取积极行动,支持所有学生公平获得优质教育和机会,并 挑战黑人学生、教职员工和家庭的边缘化。

黑人学生卓越中心是一个致力于促进消除反黑人种族主义和扩大历史上被边缘化的声音的空间。 该中心在教育局网站上包括新的中央信息中心,网址为 www. vrdsb. ca/blackexcellence 。



雪花秀

1月12日星期四,工作人员和学者们能够欣赏舞台雪花秀。 这场表演是一次有趣并有娱乐的庆祝 活动,展示了我们学生在戏剧艺术和音乐方面的才能和技能。 感谢 Ms. Gilbert、Ms. Koh、我们 的校工、学生技术团队以及参与此次合作活动的所有所有人。

到校

我們鼓勵所有學者在早上準時到達。 排隊鈴在 8:25 響起,此時邀請學者進入學校 開始广播、土地確認和 0 Canada国歌。 遲到會延遲一天的開始和教室學習。



8 年级过渡到高中

高中的课程选择很快就到了。 学生将选择 9 年级的2 门选修科目。其他 6 门课由高中预选科目。 这些科目是英语、数学、科学、法语、地理和体育。

1 月 25 日星期三,Milliken Mills 高中将与所有 8 年级学生会面,与他们分享这个过程并回答问题。 课程选择将于 2023 年 2 月 16 日至 24 日开放。我们将与所有学生联系,以帮助他们选择课程。

您可以通过与您的孩子讨论他们明年可能有兴趣<u>选修的课程</u>以及所有可用的<u>中学课程</u>来帮助他们。如果您有任何问题,请通过 darren. berberick@yrdsb. ca 联系老师 Mr. Darren Berberick。对于8 年级的学生来说,这是一个激动人心的时刻。

泰米尔传统月

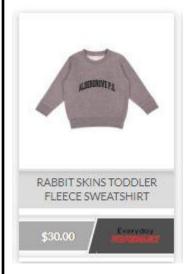
加拿大政府已正式宣布 1 月为加拿大的泰米尔传统月。 泰 米尔传统月旨在庆祝泰米尔语及其文学的丰富性,并突出泰 米尔加拿大人充满活力的传统、历史、艺术和文化。 此外 ,它还寻求承认泰米尔加拿大人在社会、文化、经济和政治 领域的关键领域做出的重大贡献。 今年的重点是泰米尔人 对经济增长的贡献——过去、现在和未来。

2023 年 1 月 14 日,开始"泰国"月。 在这一天,泰米尔人会庆祝泰米尔丰收节 Thai Pongal。 Thai Pongal 是全球泰米尔人中最重要和最广泛庆祝的节日。 Thai Pongal 是感谢前一年的祝福和期待新的一年的时间。 Aldergrove P. S. 的工作人员和学者 期待与我们的泰米尔社区一起庆祝泰米尔传统月。



Aldergrove Entripy 商店开张了!

欢迎来到 Aldergrove 公立学校的官方在线购物门户。 享受浏览来自各种品牌的各种产品,然后您可以使用网站上的认可徽标和图形对其进行定作。 展示您对完全由您定制的精美服装自豪。 我们的网站让学生、家长、粉丝和工作人员从认可的商品中进行选择,以满足他们 24/7 的需求,没有最低订购量。 以下是您可以购买的众多商品中的一些。









二月是黑人历史月

在二月份,我们刻意反思非洲历史遗产的多样性,并与所有加拿大人一起庆祝黑人历史月。 在这个月里,我们能够通过以非洲、加勒比和加拿大遗产为中心的人们来了解非洲人民在世界历史上的重要性,这些人有名的和不那么有名的,他们通过他们的思想、言论和行动影响了国家和世界。

如果您有兴趣帮助庆祝黑人历史月并与 Aldergrove 学者和员工分享您的文化,请在办公室告知我们。

即将到来

- 2月3日: PA日, 不上学
- 2月20日:家庭日,不上学
- 2 月 21 日: 以电子方式分发成绩单
- 2 月 23 日: 下午 6:30 举行学校家长会会议
- 2月24日:校风日-双胞胎日



January 2023 Aldergrove Public School

☞ 🥛 🥞 学生早餐每天上午 8:00 - 8:25 開放								
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
1 New Year's Day	2 Winter Break No School	3 Winter Break No School	4 Winter Break No School	5 Winter Break No School	6 Winter Break No School	7		
8	9 Day 5 School Resumes	10 Day 1	11 Day 2	12 Day 3	13 Day 4 Pizza Lunch € (Make-up day for Nov. 4) Spirit Day: Pajama Day	14		
15 Thai Pongal	16 Day 5	17 Day 1 Sub Lunch ⊌	18 Day 2 Sushi Lunch 🍣	19 Day 3	20 Day 0 PA Day (No School)	21		
22 Lunar New Year	23 Day 4 Voices Team at McMichael Art Gallery	24 Day 5 Sub Lunch 10:45 Lion Dance Assemblies	25 Day 1 Sushi Lunch \$ APS Let's Talk Day	26 Day 2 1:20 Milliken Mills H.S. Grade 8 Presentation	27 Day 3 Pizza Lunch Spirit Day: You Can Count on Me Day (Wear numbers) Holocaust Remembrance Day	28		
29	30 Day 4 Voices Team at Aldergrove	31 Day 5 Sub Lunch ⊌	February 1 Day 1 Sushi Lunch 🍣	2 Day 2 Groundhog Day Sweater Day	3 Day 0 PA Day (No School)			

****Phone: (905) 470-2227

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Twitter: @aldergroveps



親子活動:

2023年快樂!揮春是傳統中國文化,寄意新 一年的願望。 新一年,不妨訂立目標,為親 友送上祝福。

與孩子一同來製作獨一無二的揮春吧!

活動一

日期 2023年1月5 日(星期四) 時間: 上午 10:00 至11:30 對象: 新移民家長及其5歲以上孩子 地點:多華會士嘉堡中心



活動二

日期: 2023年1月6日(星期五) 時間: 下午 2:00至 3:30 對象: 新移民家長及其5歳以上孩子 地點:多華會約克中心

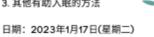




純精油由大量植物萃取而成,不同精油有 不同功效。是大自然送給人類的禮物 讓我們從認識大自然,學習更愛錫自己。

內容:

- 1. 使用精油的注意事項
- 2. 介紹有助放鬆, 入眠的精油
- 3. 其他有助入眠的方法



時間: 上午10 -11:15 地點:多華會約克中心

#免責發売多華會學訓的香業治療基礎工作功提供的內容管供參考。 不應作為醫療建議。多華會對不正確使用信息或產品不幸損任何責任。

長青組活動: 说出好心情



線上講座 @ Zoom

将提供中文翻译

討論主題包括:

- 以健康的方式表达情绪
- 影响我们情绪的天气
- 孤独
- 悲伤
- 内疚感 思乡之情等等

日期: 2023年1月10日至2月14日(逢星期二) 時間: 上午 10:00-11:00

活動二

日期: 2023年2月21日至3月28日(逢星期二) 時間: 上午 10:00-11:00





神奇女俠

-婦女互助小組

線上講座 @ Zoom 将提供中文翻译

- 增强自信及提升自我充權
- 拓展社交網絡,認識其他新移民婦女
- 學習就業相關技能
- 討論心理健康題目以及如何照顧自己
- 如何達致工作與個人生活的平衡

日期: 2023年1月18日至3月29日 (逢星期一)

時間:晚上6:00-7:00

對象: 新移民婦女 (18-64歳)





加入我们一起製作一本静观 (mindfulness)涂 色书! 您的作品将发表在 TCCSA 涂色书中, 以促进心理健康。 *提供中文翻译*

日期:2023年2月13日(星期一) 時間: 下午 3:30 至下午 5:00 地點: 士嘉堡中心



「以茶會友」 - 品茶會

線上講座 @ Zoom

合辦機構 多元茶文化協會

內容:

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 在茶道專家指導下認識茶道,它對a 於身心健康的效益

日期: 2023年2月3日(星期五)

時間: 下午2.00-3.00 形式:線上ZOOM

對象: 55歲以上的新移民人士

*出席家庭有機會獲贈茶具與茶葉一套



填妥資料後, 職員會聯絡你 確實





「影出好心情」攝影比賽



捕捉令你喜悦、滿足、安慰 的一刻,按下快門



寫下你的所思所想



把作品透過電郵或微信給我

接受減交日期及時間 2023年1月9日 (星期一)

加東時間中午12時



截止日期及時間:

2023年2月28日 (星期二) 加東時間晚上11:59分

參賽細則.

结损二维惩

合資格作品须要于合所有參賽要求
 比賽結果將於三月中公報

毎人只可述交一張參賽作品

將公開投票評選





線上講座 @ Zoom



你可能察覺孩子到了新地方後,變得內向,膽小。 甚或對生活很多焦慮。讓我們來學習如何幫助 孩子適應新環境。歡迎參加以下其中一場網上 活動。

活動 一

日期: 2023年2月9日 (星期四) 時間:(加東時間)晚上6:00-7:00 形式:線上 Zoom

活動二

日期:2023年2月23日(星期三) 時間: (加東時間)早上10:30-11:30 形式:線上Zoom

報名方法

-- 報名時需提供楓葉卡號碼或移民紙登紀 --

方法一:

請剔選你有興趣的活動,然後填寫以下 個人資料,把整份活動巡禮交給任何一 間中心,職員會盡快聯絡你確實報名。

姓名:
聯絡電話:
移民身份:
加拿大公民
永久居民
公約難民
其他:
你有興趣的活動:
親子活動: 一年之計寫揮春
有覺好眠 - 香薰工作坊
長青組活動: 說出好心情
神奇女俠- 婿女互助小組
以茶會友- 品茶會
「影出好心情」攝影比賽
如何幫助孩子適應新環境

方法二:

掃瞄二維碼,填妥資料,職員會聯絡你 確實報名。

多華會中心

約克中心

Unit 213A, 5636 Steeles Avenue East, Markham L3R 1K9 電話: (905) 948-1671 傳真: (905) 948-9997



士嘉堡中心

Unit A107, 325 Bamburgh Circle, Toronto MIW 3Y1 電話: (416) 502-9500 傳真: (416) 502-2900



多倫多中心

Unit 206, 302 Spadina Avenue, Toronto M5T 2E7 電話: (416) 977-4026 傳真: (416) 351-0510



皮爾中心

Unit 2, 720 Burnhamthorpe Road W., Mississauga L5C 3G1 電話: (905) 615-9500 傳真: (905) 615-0622





Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada Immigration, Réfugiés et Citoyenneté Canada



心靈綠洲-身心靈健康服務

活動巡禮 (2023年1月-3月)

查詢及報名:

Karis Fung 馮姑娘 (安居服務) 電話: (437) 329-1285 Email:kfung@tccsa.org

Rizette Catarroja(安居服務) 聯絡電話: (437) 329-1252 Email: rcatarroja@tccsa.org

辦公時間: 星期一至五 上午九時至下午五時 踏足新地方,開展新生活, 既興奮又會遇上各式各樣的挑戰, 難免會有心靈疲累的時候。

多華會自1973年起, 於多倫多服務新移民多年, 深感明白新移民除了安居服務外, 情緒和家庭支援的重要性。

有見及此,多華會開展 「心靈綠洲」身心靈健康服務, 目的是讓新移民擁有心靈休息的 時間和機會,關心自己和家人, 重新得力,再向前行。



服務內容

教育性和發展性活動

以自我關懷、家庭為本和互助同行 為主題,配合藝術、大自然等不同 手法進行。

個人輔導

由社工為情緒困擾人士,提供短期個人支援服務。

轉介服務

經社工評估後,可以轉介到 合適的專責服務單位。

費用:所有服務全免



Inclusive School and Community Services in Partnership With

Community Living York South



欢迎家长,监护人或照顾者参加这个中文讲座来了解什么是:

- 自闭症谱系障碍
- 诊断过程
- 普遍特征
- 在家干预技能
- 社区帮助资源

讲座嘉宾: Winny Ho, Community Support Coordinator at Community Living York South

Mandarin/Cantonese Session In-Person 中文线下讲座

When:Friday, February, 17 2023, 9:30 am -11:00 am Where:Aldergrove Public School

时间:2月17号周五上午9:30-11点 地点∶Aldergrove Public School

报名请点击

https://bit.ly/3i8VOA2

或扫码



Mandarin/Cantonese Session Virtual 中文线上讲座

Friday, February, 24 2023, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm Mandarin/Cantonese online

时间: 2月24号周五晚上6:30-8点

报名请点击

http://bit.ly/3GcNE1I

or scan



For more information, please contact Community and Partnership Developer Cynthia Liu - cynthia.liu@yrdsb.ca, Pauline Guo - pauline.guo@yrdsb.ca

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TVO Learn Mathify 通过交互式课堂工具提供从学校到家庭的无缝数学学习 以及免费的一对一在线课后数学辅导 改变安大略省四年级学生学习数学的地点和方式

安大略省的学生学习数学。



互动学习

- ·与学生共享白板,并允许学生提交他们的白板链接以获得反馈或评估
- · 创建课程和活动以向小组或全班展示
- 浏览问题库以探索近 600 多个带有 4- 12 年级的现成数学问题



无缝学习

- ·个性化的数学档案袋,用于存储数学学习;轻松将学校过渡到家庭学习;并实现教师、学生和导师之间的共享
- ·可保存的交互式白板 能够导入或上传图像或 要解决的数学问题或问题的屏幕截图



免费直播课后辅导

· 与安大略省认证教师进行一对一现场辅导,双向音频,集成 文本 录制的会话和选择自己的导师的能力

东部时间上午9点至晚上9点|周一至周五 东部时间下午3点至晚上9点|周六和周日

- 学生需要 OEN号码
- ·教育工作者需要学区电子邮件地址





家庭和学校一起(F&ST)



Families and Schools Together 是一个基于游戏和艺术治疗的项目,让家庭能够聚在一起。 该计划将通过与 2SLGBTQI+ 社区中的其他家庭联系来帮助减少看护者的孤立。

唱欢, 跳舞, 绘画, 画画, 享受有趣的家庭时光。每周都免费。

这些课程适用于有 2SLGBTQI+ 看护人或孩子的家庭,以及有同盟关系的家庭。目前的重点是有 4- 8 年级孩子的家庭。如果您的孩子不符合年龄标准,请与我们联系,可以例外。

日期: 2023年1月中旬开始, 为期八周。最终日期待定。

时间:每周一次,每次 1.5 小时。

位置: 虚似(注册后提供链接)

注册: 发送电子邮件给 Praanee Chandrasegaram (她/他们) pchandrasegaram@fsyr.ca或 Kenzie Wass (他们/他们): kenzie.wass@yrdsb.ca









2023 约克区艺术营申请信息

什么是艺术营?

白松营地位于哈利伯顿高地的私人湖畔,庆祝成立30多年,每年为约克地区教育局7-12年级的学生举办独特的营地活动。艺术营是为期一周的密集沉浸式视觉、工作室和表演艺术项目和体验。在营地,鼓励每个营员通过强化和扩展的机会来探索和发现新的创造性人才,通过支持冒险和与同伴、工作人员艺术家和营地负责人的积极合作来发现和探索他们的身份。艺术营培养丰富的机会来获得自我意识、自信和独特的身份,同时支持所有参与者的成长、个性和潜力。

营员申请资料

什么时候?

2023年5月27日至6月3日

它在哪里举行?

Camp White Pine, Haliburton, ON(可选交通工具需付费。)

谁可以申请?

在约克地区教育局学校注册的7至12年级学生。

如果每个学生申请者都满足以下标准,则单个学校提交的学生申请的数量没有限制: ·学生在学校表现出积极的品格; ·学生在学校没有表现出明显的行为问题; ·学生将积极参与包容性社区的艺术项目并从中受益; ·学生已准备好、成熟并且身体状况良好,可以离开家和学校度过一周; · 学生有父母/监护人的同意;以及 · 学生得到学校行政人员的支持和学校老师的认可。

对于小学生:从申请的每所小学中随机选择最多130名学生,目的是让营员的性别平衡。

对于中学生:首次申请者将优先

参加。中学生可以在夏令营申请额外的年限,并且只有在考虑了第一次申请后才会被接受。学生是通过随机抽签过程选出的。

我该如何申请?

仔细查看此包中的信息,然后使用提供的链接(最后)访问 2023 年露营者申请表。申请将于 1 月19日星期四开始接受 2023年

申请的截止日期是什么时候?

2023年2月17日,星期五。逾期申请将不被接受。

完成申请需要多长时间?

完成必填字段大约需要 15-20 分钟。申请表必须一次性完成,因为没有保存和返回申请的选项。

我如何申请领导(辅导员或培训辅导员) 位置?

辅导员申请流程现已结束,CIT 申请流程将开放至 2023 年 1 月 27 日。此流程现已完成,所有辅导员和正在培训的辅导员均已选出。如果 CIT 申请者希望在没有可用的 CIT 职位的情况下被选为露营者,我们强烈建议他们完成露营者申请。

关于申请,我还需要了解什么?

应用程序必须在一个会话中完整完成。没有保存并返回到您的应用程序的选项。

您的申请不保证会被该计划接受。在分阶段抽签选择系统期间,将考虑所有完整的申请。您在申请后收到的确认电子邮件不是对该计划的接受;这只是对您申请的确认。

录取通知书将在3月中旬之前通过电子邮件发送给家庭(使用在线申请表中提供的地址)。

请注意正确输入电子邮件地址。请注意:不建议使用 Hotmail、Outlook、YAHOO 或 LIVE 电子邮件帐户,因为 Board 会遇到与这些提供商的定期交付问题。建议使用 Gmail 帐户。被列入候补名单的学生家庭也将在 3 月中旬之前收到电子邮件。

所有营地费用的支付都将通过 School Cash Online 完成 董事会的安全在线支付系统。在线支付链接将发送给所有接受的营员及其家人。

付款截止日期为2023年4月7日如果未能在此截止日期前付款,将导致营员被从营员名单中删除,他们的空间将提供给候补名单上的营员。

它要多少钱?

露营费(包括 T

恤和束带袋背包) 750.00 元

培训顾问 (CIT) 费用(包括 T 恤和束带袋背包)

650.00元

运输 (可选)

返回: 100.00 元 单程: 50.00 元

服装 (可选)

其他服装选择仍在最后确定中。选项包括重量级连帽运动衫、帽子和浅黄色。

价格将在 School Cash Online 上提供给接受的露营者。任何购买的衣服都将在营地分发。

我如何付款?

- · 所有接受的营员都将收到一个安全链接,指向艺术营学校现金在线支付页面。 · 使用该系统的付款可以通过借记卡或信用卡进行。这是所有 YRDSB 中使用的相同系统 学校。
- ·如果您已经为您的任何孩子注册使用 School Cash Online,您将可以轻松访问 Arts Camp 付款页面。其他用户将需要使用有效的电子邮件帐户进行注册。将提供说明。
- · 付款截止日期为2023 年4 月7 日。逾期付款将不被接受。

我什么时候可以知道我是否被录取了?

申请截止日期为 2023 年 2 月 17 日,星期五。接受/等候名单通知电子邮件将在 3 月中旬之前发送。然后,所有接受的营员都会收到一个链接,可以使用 School CashOnline 访问付款页面。

付款截止日期为2023年4月7日。