

Welcome to our new Grade 9 Bengals!





Introductions

The Administrative Team

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Stacey Sadacharan (Vice-Principal: S-Z)

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



We are ALL **treaty** people. Bayview SS is specifically located on Treaty #13 land signed by certain Mississauga peoples. We honour this agreement by **respecting** First Nations peoples **traditions**, **knowledge** and **inherent rights**.

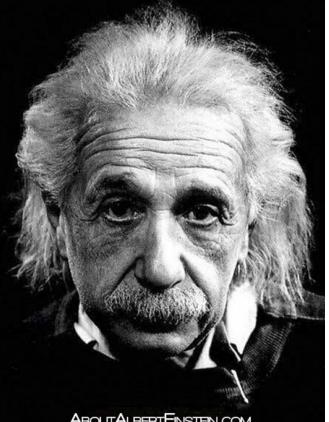
We respect our **connection** to the **land** and recognize and realize it is made possible through our **continued relationship** with First Nations people. Shared responsibility to care for this land for future generations.

We acknowledge the Chippewas of Georgina Island, our closest indigenous partners in education.

IMAGINE...

MAGINATION IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN KNOWLEDGE. KNOWLEDGE IS LIMITED. MAGINATION ENCIRCLES THE WORLD.

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IF we believe Einstein, then, what conditions at Bayview SS would help create this environment?



CARING SCHOOL COMMUNITY

One where you can feel safe.

One where you feel you belong

Where it's "okay" to not feel "okay" sometimes.

We've got this!



WEARE HERE TO HELP

Whenever you need to talk, we're open.

- Text 686868
- 🖵 KidsHelpPhone.ca
- 🜭 Call 1-800-668-6868
- Message at Facebook.com/
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Kids Help Phone is a 24/7 service that offers professional counselling, information and referrals and volunteer-led, text-based support to young people. If you or a friend needs help because of an unhealthy releationship, is being abused, or is being sex trafficked staff can help.



Canadian Human Trafficking Hotline I-833-900-1010 (24/7)



360 kids provides food, offers a place to stay and other supports for youth. ALL STUDENTS have the right to learn in an environment where they feel safe, welcome and respected

EVERYONE has a role to play in creating our school environment.

A CARING AND SAFE SCHOOL environment is based on the development of healthy, positive and respectful relationships.



WE have the ability to create a caring, safe and inclusive school culture...



YOUR VOICE, YOUR THOUGHTS

What does a caring, safe, inclusive learning environment...

	look like,	Learning resources that reflect and value the identities and experience of our students, families, and staff as well as and the broader community
\mathbf{C}	feel like,	Opportunities to learn about and take action on issues of social justice, equity, and anti-discrimination
		Safe spaces to take risks in learning
୧	sound like	Mistakes are seen as learning experiences
U		Respectful communication and actions

....at Bayview Secondary School?

Standing up for each other



Discrimination &

Racism



Discrimination is when someone is treated unfairly based on their age, class, colour, creed, ability, ethnicity, familial status, gender, gender identity, language, political or other opinion, race, religion or faith belief, sex, or sexual orientation.

Racism any individual action or institutional practice that treats people differently because of their skin colour or ethnicity. This distinction is often used to justify discrimination.





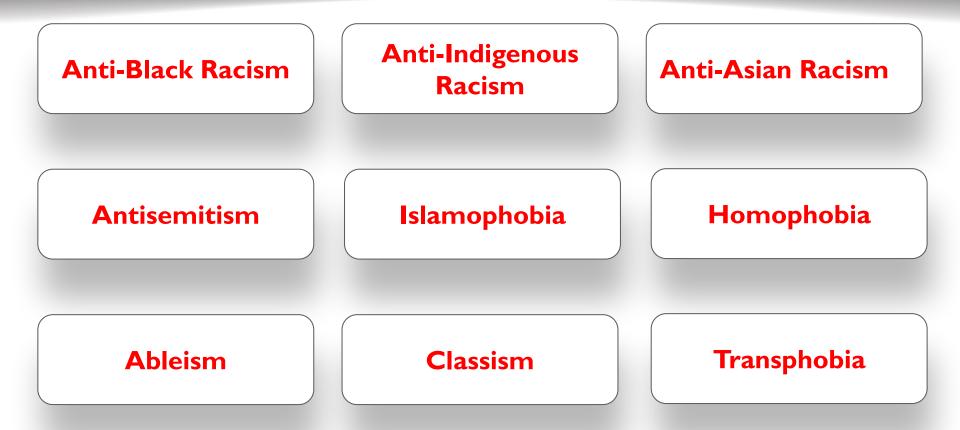
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MICROAGGRESSIONS

Microaggressions are small actions or words that show unkindness toward an oppressed or targeted groups.



FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION & RACISM



We stand against anti-Black racism.

Hate incidents, anti-Black racism will not be tolerated in YRDSB schools.





Protocol for Addressing Incidents of Hate and/or Discrimination

Staff Expectations for Student Incidents Stopping, Interrupting, and Addressing the Behaviour

Naming the Behaviour

Reporting the Behaviour

Documenting the Behaviour

Supporting the Targeted Student or Employee

Conducting an Investigation

Education

Ensuring Accountability

As a community, we will create a safe, caring, and inclusive school together.



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Healthy Relationships and Behaviours



Healthy Relationships* are characterized by:

- mutual respect;
- safety;
- boundaries/ autonomy;
- trust;
- caring;
- communication; and
- fun.

These are all very important aspects of healthy relationships and **mutual respect** is the foundation of healthy relationships.

*whether it's online, over the phone, or in-person



UNHEALTHY RELATIONSHIP: BULLYING

- A form of repeated and aggressive behaviour that is intended to cause (or should be known to cause) fear, distress and/or harm to another person's body, feelings, self-esteem, or reputation.
- Bullying occurs in a context where there is a real or perceived power imbalance and may be a symptom of racism, classism, homophobia, sexism, religious discrimination, ethnic discrimination or other forms of bias and discrimination.

Bullying can also happen off school property and online

(evening and weekends but still have a negative impact on the school community)



Examples of cyber-bullying include:

- sharing hateful, insulting, offensive, and/or intimidating electronic communication or images via text messages, emails, direct messages;
- revealing information considered to be personal, private, and sensitive without consent including the non-consensual sharing of intimate images;
- creating fake accounts on social networking sites to impersonate, humiliate and/or exclude others; and
- excluding a student on purpose from online chat groups, access to accounts and/or during digital gaming session.





Activities that happen off school property including social media (i.e., instagram, snapchat, tiktok) may have consequences at school if they affect school climate.

Everyone deserves to feel like they belong and feel safe.





UNWANTED SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR

Univited sexual comments or actions can be considered sexual harassment.

Unwanted touching of sexual body parts or acts is sexual assault.

Examples of unwanted sexual behaviour:

- demanding hugs
- unwanted touching
- leering or inappropriate staring
- sexual jokes, including circulating written sexual jokes (e.g. social media)

- gender-related comment about a person's physical characteristics
- demanding dates or sexual favours
- someone under the influence cannot consent to sexual activity



Consent is a voluntary, sober, enthusiastic, creative, wanted, mutual, honest and clear agreement to engage in specific sexual activity.

Silence does not mean yes.



Smoking and/or vaping (including cannabis) is not permitted at our school or any other school.

This includes:

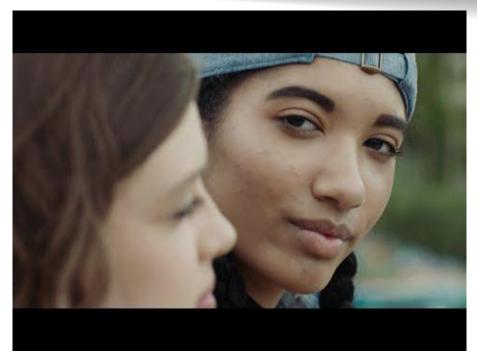
- any indoor space;
- any school sponsored activities including field trips
- outdoor grounds, including playgrounds and sports fields; and
- public areas within 20 metres of the school's grounds.



SMOKING & VAPING: HEALTHY SCHOOLS

Vaping is not harmless:

- Vaping can increase your exposure to harmful chemicals;
- Vaping can lead to nicotine addiction;
- The long-term consequences of vaping are unknown; and
- It's rare, but defective vaping products (especially batteries) may catch fire or explode, leading to burns and injuries.





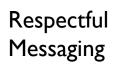
REMINDERS: HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS & BEHAVIOURS

Activities for healthy interactions



Active listening







Smoke-Free school

Activities that are not acceptable



Spreading Hate



Spreading Rumors



Sharing inappropriate images & recording others without consent



Non consensual touching



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WHAT I CAN BRING...

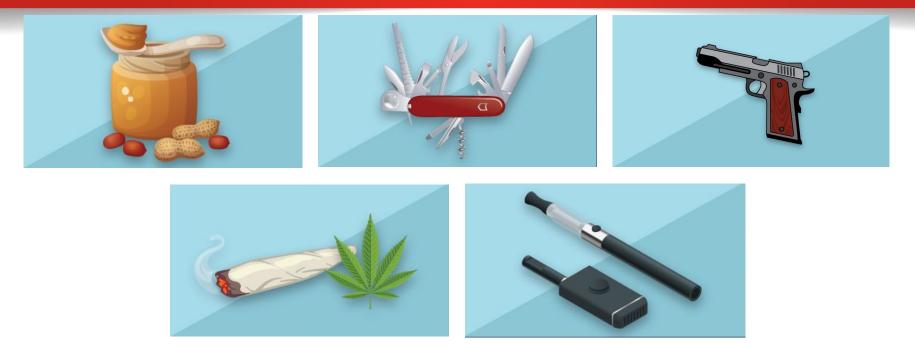
Bring to school only what you need for class. This includes:

- Materials for class (e.g., pens, change of clothes for phys. ed)
- Appropriate footwear for safety
- Electronic devices (you are responsible for them)





WHAT I CANNOT BRING...





Be sure to complete your Covid screening and self-assessment prior to coming to school.

Vaping is not permitted on school property.

Visitors are not permitted on school property. Any visitor must make an appointment with the main office by calling 905-884-4453.



Progressive Discipline



PROGRESSIVE DISCIPLINE



What is it?

Appropriate consequences and/or supports to help students improve their behaviour, while taking into account individual circumstances.

The goal is to help prevent inappropriate student behaviour from happening again.



A range of options to determine the most appropriate way to respond to each situation and help students learn from every incident.

Supports could include:

- a conversation with the student
- a review of expectations for the student's behaviour
- counselling
- an assignment
- restorative conversation

Consequences could include:

- an assignment
- a detention
- a suspension or an expulsion



WHAT YOU SHOULD EXPECT

You should expect:

- to be taken seriously and heard
- to be respected and supported
- that your voice and the voices of your families will be valued

WE - the caring adults in your school, your community - are here to help and are here to stand up to support caring, safe and inclusive environments



SUSPENSION IS CONSIDERED FOR...

- 1. uttering a threat *
- 2. possessing alcohol or illegal drugs
- 3. being under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs
- 4. swearing at a teacher or at another adult *
- 5. vandalism
- 6. bullying or cyberbullying *

* Activities that could happen online



SUSPENSION IS CONSIDERED FOR...

- 7. ongoing **neglect of duty** (with Superintendent of Schools approval only)
- 8. opposition to authority *
- 9. an act that is harmful to the moral tone of the school *
- 10. an act **that is harmful to the physical or mental well-being** of others, * and/or
- 11. any act that breaks the Board or school code of conduct
- * Activities that could happen online



EXPULSION IS CONSIDERED FOR...

- 1. possessing a weapon or replica weapon*
- 2. using a **weapon** to threaten *
- 3. committing physical assault
- 4. committing sexual assault
- 5. trafficking in weapons or in illegal drugs
- 6. committing robbery
- 7. giving **alcohol** to a minor
- * Activities that could happen online



EXPULSION IS CONSIDERED FOR...

8. **bullying or cyberbullying**, * if:

- a. the student has **previously been suspended** for it, and
- b. the student creates an unacceptable risk to safety
- 9. any infraction that is **motivated by** bias, prejudice or hate based on race, national or ethnic origin, language, colour, religion, sex, age, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or any other similar factor *
- 10. student's presence is injurious to others, and/or
- 11. ongoing **neglect of duty, truancy or opposition to authority** that he/she cannot or will not change

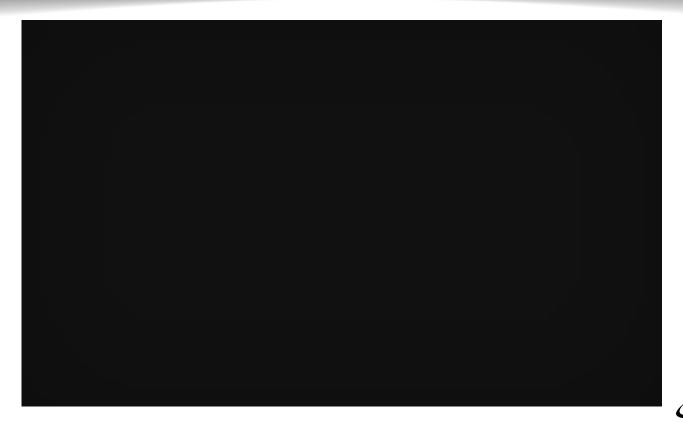
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Reporting



Policy Review: Student Leadership and Voice and Student Dress Code



York Region District school board

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HOW DOYOU HELP?

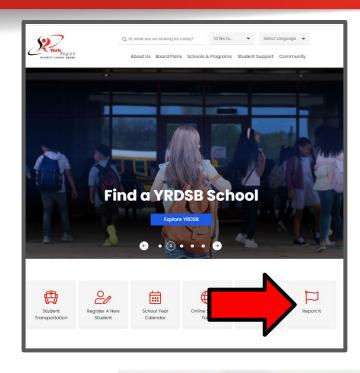
If you see or hear something happening:

- If you feel safe, tell the other person to stop
- Tell a trusted adult (educators, principal, family)
- Use YRDSB Report It Tool





WHERE TO FIND REPORT IT BUTTON

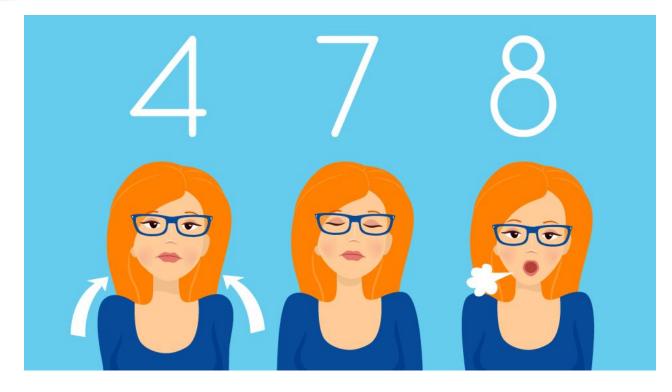














School Procedures



Respect for Self & Others

- School Expectations
- Dress Code: Appropriate, Hats
- Attendance & Absences
- Punctuality
- Student Identification
- Trespassing & Trespassers



Classroom Community

- Anaphylaxis/No nuts in classrooms
- Personal Electronic Devices
- Appropriate Use of Technology
- Access to Wi-Fi
- Exams
- Academic honesty
- Videotaping



School & Community At Large

- Good Neighbour Policy (plaza)
- Bikes & Skateboards
- No Smoking
- Cafeteria & Lunch Rooms
- Parking Lot



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COVID-19 Fall 2022 Secondary Student Presentation

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Daily Screening

On a daily basis, students and their parents are responsible to review and adhere to the COVID-19 School Screening Tool. Symptoms of COVID-19 include:

- Fever
- New or Worsening Cough
- Shortness of Breath
- Sore Throat or Difficulty Swallowing
- Altered Taste or Smell
- Nausea, Vomiting, Diarrhea, Abdominal Pain
- Runny Nose, Nasal Congestion

If you are feeling unwell or if you have any of the symptoms of COVID-19, please do not come to school, inform the school and get a test.

The use of a mask is not an acceptable measure to attend or remain at school for those who are symptomatic.

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Daily Screening

Does your child or someone in your home have COVID-19 or symptoms of COVID-19?

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Students and staff MUST stay home it-

- . They are sick even if symptoms are mild
- They are not fully varianted and a heavehold member is sick with a symptom on the screening tool
- They are not fully vaccinated and a household member is COVID-19 positive or waiting for text results

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If you Feel Sick at School...

- Immediately let a staff member know that you are not feeling well
- If you are not with a teacher please go to the office and let them know
- There will be a space in the school (Isolation Room) where you can stay until someone can pick you up.





Face Coverings

If you are choosing to wear a mask:

- Students are expected to provide their own face covering
- Masks are not to be shared
- Masks can be non-medical or cloth.
- The use of a mask is not an acceptable measure to attend or remain at school for those who are symptomatic



HOW TO PUT ON A FACE MASK

Cloth or non-medical face coverings are required inside all commercial establishments in York Region. Just as you cover your mouth when you cough or sneeze, wearing a mask provides an extra layer of protection to others. Medical and surgical masks, including N95 respirators, should be saved for our front-line health professionals.





Perform Hand Hygiene



Secure the elastic loops of the mask around your ears



Cover your mouth and nose with the mask



Do not touch the front of the mask while you wear it

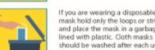
Remove the elastic loops of the mask from

around your ears or untie the strings from

HOW TO REMOVE YOUR MASK Do not touch the front of your mask to remove it



Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use akohol-based hand sanitizer.



If you are wearing a disposable mask hold only the loops or strings and place the mask in a garbage bin

should be washed after each use.



behind your head.



Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use alcohol-based hand sanitizer after taking the mask off and disposing of it or throwing in the laundry.

A few tips to keep in mind

- · Ensure the right side of the mask is facing outwards
- · Do not share masks. Do not reuse single-use masks
- · Do not use masks on children under the age of 2, anyone who has trouble breathing or is unable to remove the mask. without assistance
- · Replace a disposable mask once it becomes damp or soiled. Wash a cloth mask in the laundry after each use

For more information, visit vork.ca/COVID19

- · Do not leave any discarded masks in places where others can come in contact with them such as shopping carts. bus stops, or on the ground
- · Wearing a non-medical mask is NOT a replacement for physical distancing. Keep a 2-metre distance whenever possible to help stop the spread of COVID-19

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Hand Washing/Sanitizing

Students are to wash hands using soap and water or use hand sanitizer immediately before:

- leaving home,
- leaving the classroom,
- eating, touching one's face
- leaving school.

Students are to wash hands or use hand sanitizer immediately after:

- arriving at school/entering the classroom,
- finishing lunch,
- touching shared objects,
- using the bathroom,
- coughing, sneezing, and blowing one's nose,
- arriving at home.

A hand sanitizing station will be placed in the front lobby of the school and in classrooms. It is recommended that students not bring their own hand sanitizer to school for issues of quality, fragrance and management of potential hazards.



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Correct Handwashing Procedures Procédure correcte de lavage des mains





How to correctly use hand sanitizer



Important Tips:

- · Use hand sanitizer when:
 - · soap and running water are not available
 - · hands are not visibly soiled
- Use moistened towelettes followed by hand sanitizer when hands are visibly dirty and soap and water are not available
- Choose an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains between 60% and 90% alcohol
- · Children should be supervised when using hand sanitizer product
- · Do not apply hand sanitizer near an open flame

Note: alcohol-based hand sanitizer dispensers must not be placed within 15cm (six inches) of a source of ignition (e.g., electrical outlet, light switch).







Main Office

To reduce crowding in the main office, students and permitted visitors are requested to wait in the hall to be called into the office.

Visitors (including parents/guardians) are asked to make an appointment first and sign-in/sign-out in the main office.





Questions and Answers?

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WHAT IS STUCO?

- We are a group of student leaders in Bayview who are responsible for:
 - creating and organizing initiatives
 - encouraging student participation in the school community
 - raising morale and promoting inclusivity



Our ultimate goal is to make sure you feel like you matter and belong!



EXECUTIVE TEAM

PresidentVice-PresidentVice-PresidentSecretaryEthan DecenaEsther FuSarina ChengMariam Jawad



OUTREACH TEAM

Social ConvenorPublic RelationsPublic RelationsWebmasterAlex WangOfficerOfficerFiona CaiLiam RutherfordAmelie HuFiona Cai



GRADE REPRESENTATIVES

Grade 12 Reps	Grade II Reps	Grade 10 Reps	Grade 9 Reps
Liam Chan	Owyn Giggey	Noah Bryan	???
Alex Chou	Nathan Leung	Jessica Yan	???



OUR MESSAGE: ONWARDS





HOW CAN YOU GET INVOLVED?

Why not start getting involved by joining Student Council?

Run for Grade 9 Representative!

Work with a fellow grade 9 student to represent your grade!



Grade 9 Reps ??? YOU



THE ELECTION PROCESS

- I. Fill out written application to apply for candidacy
- 2. If accepted, create and submit a short speech the form of a video as well as a campaign poster
- 3. Campaign!
 - No social media is allowed with the exception of direct messages
- 4. Wait for voting results





There are so many ways to get involved at Bayview!

- We have over <u>60 different clubs and teams</u> be sure to sign up on Club & Team Sign-Up Day (end of September)
- Be part of Student Council Grade 9 Rep.
- Parents/Guardians are welcome to be part of School Council
- Volunteer opportunities get started on your 40 hours of community service
- Attend field trips
- Attend school activities (dances, team-building activities, etc.)



Today's Schedule:

- See the <u>Schedule for the Day</u>
- Each period* will be 35 mins.
- 15 mins. Intro./Getting to know each other/team building activities
- 20 mins. Seminar by LEAPP mentors

*If you have an incomplete timetable (no class during any period), please go to the <u>library</u>.





Grade 9 Parent/Guardian Information Session

- Please join us in the library from 9:55 10:30 a.m. for the parent/guardian information session
- We will be hosting another parent/guardian (virtual) information session on **Monday September 12th at 7:00 p.m.**
- The link to the virtual session was sent via email last week to you and your child's email addresses





Thank you!



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