BAYVIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL

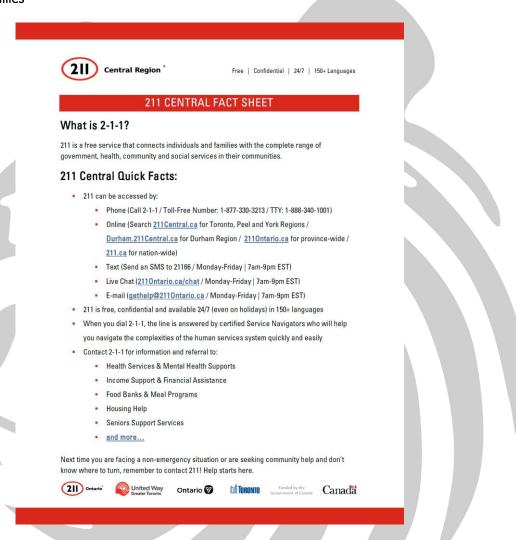
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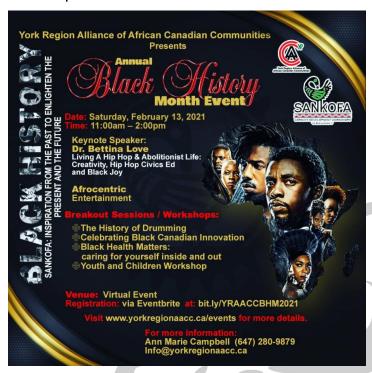
Returning Learning Materials from Semester 1

We are continuing to ask our students to return any outstanding textbooks, learning materials and/or musical instruments from Semester 1. They can return all items to the main office. The office is open from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (Monday – Friday). If they have a musical instrument to drop off, they are to contact Dr. Neceski at chesky.neceski@yrdsb.ca. Thank you for your support with this!

STEM Information Session Poster

The YRDSB invites you to an information session on STEM, The Roots of Skilled Trades and Technology on Tuesday February 9, 2021 7-8pm. Please see this <u>link</u> for more information.

YRAACC - presentation



York Region Opens COVID-19 Voluntary Isolation Centre

On January 25, 2021, the Regional Municipality of York opened a Voluntary Isolation Centre to make self-isolation easier for residents who may be facing complex barriers. By providing residents with a free and comfortable place to voluntarily and safely self-isolate, the risk of spreading COVID-19 is reduced. Please see this <u>link</u> for more information.

Understanding Gaming - Parent workshop



时间: 上午10:30 -下午12点或7:00 pm至8:30 pm 時間: 上午10:30 -下午12:00 或 晚上7:00-8:30 தேரம்: காலை 10:30 - மதியம் 12 அல்லது இரவு 7:00 முதல் இரவு 8:30 வரை

Registration

Building Social Skills Guide

Social skills like taking turns, decision making, greeting, self-regulation and more, can help prepare students for success in many areas of their lives. There are many ways children can learn these skills, and many ways adults can help to develop and nurture them.

York Region District School Board has developed a user-friendly guide full of tips, resources and ideas to help caregivers and other adults:

- Determine what social skills to teach
- How to teach them
- How to support any child who many benefit from direct instruction and practice in learning social skills.

<u>Play. Talk. Think. Feel: A User-Friendly Guide for Building Social Skills in Children</u> covers a wide variety of skills and includes a number of activities, games, resources and more that can be used by family members, caregivers, educators and others to support social skill development.

NACCA - Black History Month Poster



Bayview Student Tutorials to Navigate Online Learning

Parents, please freely share the following tutorials done by our very own Bayview Student Council, to help guide Bayview students through online learning. The link is available here: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCiCdad-uRRaBZKScErpSaPQ?pbjreload=102

Get Support for Learners

Learn about one-time funding to support children, youth and students during the 2020-2021 school year. Find out if you are eligible and how to apply. The deadline to apply is **February 8, 2021**. https://www.ontario.ca/page/get-support-learners

Non-Credit Adult ESL, LINC and Literacy and Basic Skills Programs – see information in the translations following English, Farsi, Mandarin, Russian, Tamil

Practical Assistance Program for Vulnerable & at Risk Youth during Covid-19



Greetings Community Partners,

The Women's Support Network is launching a New Practical Assistance Program for Vulnerable & At-Risk Youth during Covid-19

Our Practical Assistance Program is designed to assist youth and individuals who have been impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.

WSN can provide the following types of practical assistance to relieve some stress associated with accessing goods and supports during Covid-19.

- Food bank resources (pre-packaged for quick takeaway by clients)
- · Packaged fresh produce
- · Essential needs store vouchers (e.g. grocery store gift card)

If you would currently have clients that need this type of assistance please email us at practicalassistance@womenssupportnetwork.ca



CONTACT US @ 905.895.3646. practicalassistance@womenssupportnetwork.c

Islamic Heritage Month Student Art Call for Entry

YRDSB and the Alliance of Educators for Muslim Students are holding a student artwork contest. Please see this <u>link</u> for further details. Entries must be received by **Mar 1, 2021**

Guidance Message – Feb 5th

Note: All guidance messages can be found on the <u>Guidance page</u> of the Bayview SS website.

Semester 2 Guidance Counsellors: NEW for Semester 2

Guidance Counsellor	Student <u>last</u> name starts with:	Extensions	Email
Ms. Garito	A to F	412	Maureen.Garito@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Jarrett	G to Lim	410	Keri.jarrett@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Shah	Lin to Sh	413	<u>Sheila. Shah@yrdsb.ca</u>
Ms. Won	Si to Z	411	Joon.Won@yrdsb.ca
Ms. Chen	Guidance Secretary	409	<u>Iris.chen@yrdsb.ca</u>

Guidance will be open for appointments starting next week. Please use Teach Assist to book an appointment with your alpha guidance counsellor. Appointments are **NOT** for course changes. We are eager to support you with Course Selection and pathways planning.

Course Selection for 2021-2022 School Year Update

Visit the <u>Guidance webpage</u> on the school website for the Course Selection Grade 9-12 presentations. Students must submit their course selection between the dates of **February 16 at 9 am to February 24 at 4 pm**. Students use <u>My Pathway Planner</u> to login into MyBlueprint to submit their course selection. There are two types of presentations:

- 1) Regular Stream OSSD (available in PDF & Video Recording with captions)
- 2) Bayview's Pre-IB and IB Diploma (available in PDF & Video Recording with captions)

Guidance will be hosting lunch presentations by grade. Both student and parent/guardian welcome. Please note we are presenting from home. If a technical issue occurs, we will reschedule. Cameras must be off and questions will be addressed in the chat box. Graduating students or any students not attending Bayview in September must go on their course selection and select NOT RETURNING.

Grade 9: Tuesday, February 9 from 11:30-12:30

https://yrdsb-ca.zoom.us/j/95760676374?pwd=bUllMkVySVVHenIrYmtqWkkxRDIxQT09

Meeting ID: 957 6067 6374

Passcode: 560322

Grade 10: Wednesday, February 10 from 11:30-12:30

https://yrdsb-ca.zoom.us/j/94192216101?pwd=bldObk9COXZLZG54MWs0WHM4YkYxZz09

Meeting ID: 941 9221 6101

Passcode: 619162

Grade 11 & Grade 12's Returning: Thursday, February 11 from 11:30-12:30

https://yrdsb-ca.zoom.us/j/94976333792?pwd=bm1Lb0poMUJVZTFaQm5ZcGNUQjFLQT09

Meeting ID: 949 7633 3792

Passcode: 491980

Q&A for all Grades: Tuesday, February 16 from 11:30-12:30

https://yrdsb-ca.zoom.us/j/99446970123?pwd=aXFNRSt5NFhpU3NMOXQ3ekV2UFpWdz09

Meeting ID: 994 4697 0123

Passcode: 616424

Community Resources and Mental Health

Visit the Guidance webpage for a list of Mental Health and Wellness resources for both students and families. Here is the link.

Course Change Request for Semester 2

Please do not email Guidance requesting a course change. Here is the <u>link</u> to the *Course Change Request* Google form for both adaptive (face-to-face) and SVS. The last day to submit the form is **Friday, February 5th** at 3:15pm. If a change has been made, please be patient with classroom invites, as it takes a couple of days to update class lists. Please avoid emailing guidance or the main office. Guidance is still working through the many course change requests.

2020-2021 Night School Credit Classes for Grades 11 & 12 Only

Please be advised that the Night School Courses that were normally run (pre-covid) face-to-face twice a week in the evenings will move to a remote learning delivery model. The program will be delivered virtually and synchronously (real-time). Before the start of the program, students will receive an email with instructions on how to join the class on the first day. YRDSB students will login with their gapps accounts. Here is a link for more information.

Semester Two - Winter 2021 February 18, 2021 to June 22, 2021 - Registration is now open

Course Offerings - Please review our list of Courses Offered for night school credit.

How to register: Register on-line using My Pathway Planner

You can only register for classes that are not offered or full at Bayview SS,

- ***Once you register then make sure you send the sign off to your alpha counselor. ***
- ***WE NEED TO APPROVE IT FOR YOU TO BE FULLY REGISTETRED***

Night School e-Learning Registration for Grades 11 & 12 only

Registration for Night School e-Learning opened on December 7. Here is the link.

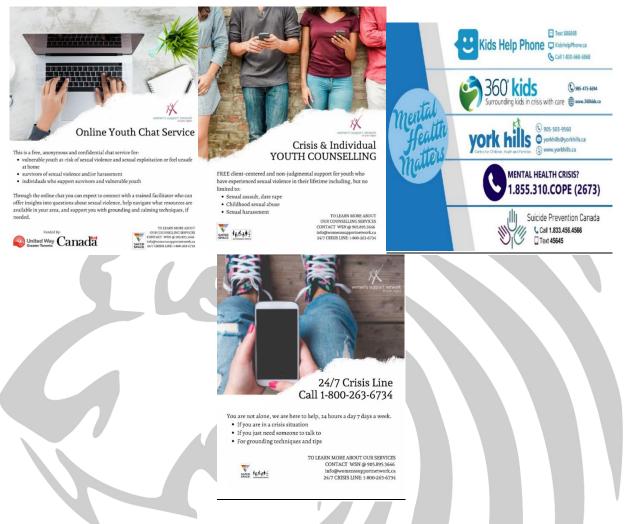
- Review the Course Catalog, Important Dates Calendar,
- Applicants who are enrolled in 3 credits in a semester at the day school, may be eligible to take Night School e-Learning at YRDSB.
- Night School e-Learning + Day School credits cannot exceed a total of 8 credits in a school year.
- If you are interested in registering, please contact your alpha counselor
- The counselor will approve your request.
- Do not choose a course already on your timetable.

Volunteer Opportunities

Here is a link to other opportunities listed on the **Guidance webpage**.

Mental Health Supports

Parents for Children's Mental Health's virtual meeting will be held Feb. 22nd from 6:30-8pm. Please see this <u>link</u> for more information



Volunteer Opportunity

Here are some search engines you can use to find volunteer opportunities

- 1. www.volunteermatch.org
- 2. www.sparkontario.ca
- 3. www.neighbourhoodnetwork.org
- 4. Write Cards to the Elderly

HOW IT WORKS





Online Start-up Forms

One completed form is required for each student attending Bayview Secondary School.

For parents and students who have not yet filled out the start-up forms that were sent out at the beginning of the school year, please ensure you fill out the forms here:

- Families and Students 18 and Over: https://startupforms.yrdsb.ca/.
- Secondary school students (Under 18): https://startupforms.yrdsb.ca/students..

Serious Student Medical Concerns

As a reminder, if your child does not have a health care plan at school and has a serious medical condition, please contact the office. The different categories for medical consideration include: Anaphylaxis, asthma, diabetes, epilepsy, other serious medical conditions.

Visitors to Bayview S.S.

All visitors will be entered into our electronic Visitor Log This includes, but is not limited to:

- Parents/Guardians and other caregivers
- Students who are not expected to be in attendance (e.g. Cohort A coming on the wrong day)
- New Registrations (by appointment only)
- School authorized service providers
- Contractors
- Delivery and mail service workers
- Board couriers
- Virtual School Teachers who need to access materials

Parents and students are reminded to not walk into the building without an appointment. Please call the school at 905-884-4453 to make an appointment.

All permitted visitors must:

- 1. self-screen
- 2. sanitize their hands
- 3. wear a face covering at all times
- 4. maintain a two-metre physical distance as they enter, move through and exit the building.

If a visitor does not have a mask, they will be provided with one from the main office