

DATES AT A GLANCE

Oct. 1/2	Ontario Universities' Fair
Oct. 1	Women's History Month
Oct. 1	Mental Illness Awareness Week
Oct. 1	2SLGBTQ+ History Month
Oct. 4	ECSS Club's Fair
Oct. 5	Yom Kippur(DD)
Oct. 6	Terry Fox Event (9:45 a.m.)
Oct. 10 - Oct. 16	Sukkot (FD)
Oct. 10	Thanksgiving Day - No School
Oct. 11	Grade 9 Thundercamp
Oct. 12	Photo Retake Day
Oct. 19	Interim Reports e-Distributed Ontario College Information Fair

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

We encourage our students to drop by and join us at our ECSS Library. Here are some of the wonderful things happening:

Upcoming Events:

- Autumn Light Up Cards - October 07, 2022
- Movie Screening - October 28, 2022

Every Lunch:

- Space for studying, board games, word searches, mindfulness colouring, book study
- Club Meetings, robotics,



GOOD NEIGHBOUR RELATIONSHIPS

The students of E.C.S.S. have a shared responsibility with our community partners to ensure an inviting and clean environment for our neighbours and our community. Students are asked to respect the property and privacy of our neighbours. Although the Al Palladini Community Center, the Pierre Berton Resource Library and the Business establishments at the Plaza are public facilities, they are to be treated as private property by our students.

We would like to remind our students that they are discouraged from "hanging out" in these different areas between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. During lunch students are welcome to workout at Al Palladini C.C. must have a current Fitness membership to be attending a recreation program. The City of Vaughan has a 'Safe Community Centres Policy Code of Conduct'. The Centre promotes safety, respect, and civility for all users of City-operated facilities and will take appropriate steps to deal with unacceptable behavior.



SCHOOL COUNCIL

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Meeting Dates:

Monday, Nov. 21, 2022
Tuesday Feb. 21, 2023
Wednesday, Apr. 19, 2023

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HELPFUL LINKS:

[ECSS Website](#)
[YRDSB Website](#)
[ECSS Twitter](#)
[ECSS Calendar](#)
[ECSS Instagram](#)
[York Region Public Health](#)
[Tips For Speaking With Your Child - COVID-19](#)
[Mental Health Supports](#)
[School Mental Health Ontario](#)

INTERIM MARK & INTERVIEW NIGHT:

In semester one, families will receive three reports including the Interim Report, Mid-Semester Report and Semester End Report. Our reports provide you information about your child's achievement throughout the first semester.

Interim reports are part of the ongoing communication from our school to support student achievement and well-being. We hope that this report will provide valuable feedback for your child while supporting conversations about learning at home. Distribution of your child's interim report card for the first semester will begin on October 19, 2022. These reports will be distributed using the same process used for Mid-Semester and Final Reports via student GAPPs accounts.

Interview Night is Thursday, October 27, 2022 from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Information on how to book time for an interview with a teacher will be provided at a later date.

GAPPs PROFILE IMAGES

Between October 11-14, 2022, students may customize their YRDSB Google Apps (GAPPs) profile pictures [within parameters established by the YRDSB](#). This will enable students to express or represent themselves in their profile images, while prioritizing safe and inclusive learning and working environments for all of our students and staff.

What does this mean for my child?

- Students will have an opportunity to select a customized profile picture that meets [YRDSB guidelines](#).
- Students will receive guidelines and considerations based on their grade level to support them in selecting and/or creating an appropriate profile picture.
- This is optional. Students who do not select an image will continue to have their first initial as their GAPPs profile image.
- Students will have two opportunities each year, during the fall and again in the spring, to change their images.

YRDSB does not tolerate any forms of hate or discrimination. In the past, it came to the Board's attention that YRDSB Google Apps (GAPPs) profile pictures were being used to spread online hate through racist imagery shared and uploaded to GAPPs accounts. These images cause pain and can make other students and staff members feel unsafe, marginalized and unwelcome in our learning environments.

Appropriate actions were taken to address this issue, including a mandatory learning series for all students, mandatory training for all YRDSB staff, and temporarily removing access to customizing profile images. YRDSB will be continuing to implement measures that support student safety over the course of this school year. These measures include providing teachers with ongoing access to resources and support for addressing issues of hate.

Students are also encouraged to report problematic images that perpetuate hate or cause harm by speaking with a caring adult or by making use of the YRDSB's [ReportIT tool](#).

More information about GAPPs profile images is [available on the Board website](#).



ANTI-ASIAN RACISM FOCUS GROUP INVITATION

YRDSB is researching the experiences of Asian students, staff and community members to dismantle anti-Asian racism and foster belonging and safer spaces. Asian identifying (East Asian, South Asian, South East Asian) members are invited to a focus group. If interested, please see attachment for more information.

CALL FOR COMMUNITY MEMBERSHIP ON EQUITY AND INCLUSIVITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The York Region District School Board invites applications from community volunteers for membership on the Board's Equity and Inclusivity Advisory Committee (EIAC).

The committee advises and supports the Board in fulfilling its commitment to ensuring that YRDSB schools and workplaces are equitable and inclusive places to learn and to work.

Membership requires a commitment to attend meetings six times a year. The deadline to apply is **November 1, 2022**. More information about this volunteer opportunity, including how to apply, is available on the Board [website](#).

Additional information about the Equity and Inclusivity Advisory Committee is contained in the Committee's Operational By-Law, included as Appendix D of the York Region District School Board [Operational By-Law](#).

RESOURCES FOR FAMILIES AND STUDENTS

There are a number of resources on the York Region District School Board website (www.yrdsb.ca) that families and students may find helpful.

Translation

- There is a built-in translation tool on the website that translates website content into over 100 languages.
- The [translation page](#) has tips on using translation options in other tools, such as Google, Edsby and YouTube. The page also includes videos in 13 languages about how to use the translation tool on the website.

Family Resources

The Family Resources page (www.yrdsb.ca/familyresources) offers families quick access to:

- Helpful resources, including tech support, privacy tips, translation information and more.
- Online tools and resources, including Edsby, School Cash Online, Google. You can also find tips and supports in using these tools. Click "need help" under each tool or link for more.
- Links to information about family engagement, student supports, elementary and secondary school programs and more.

Online Student Tools

Online Student Tools (www.yrdsb.ca/students) offers students quick access to:

- Online learning platforms and tools, such as Google and My Pathway Planner, as well as tips and supports in using these tools. Click "need help" under each tool or link for more.



- Learning resources and databases to help with homework .
- Quick links to information about student supports and tips.

Community Supports

There are community organizations who can provide support finding food, clothing, housing, financial assistance, mental health support, legal or employment support, and more. Identity-specific supports are also available. Learn more about the supports and resources available in your community at www.yrdsb.ca/communitysupports.

RENEWED COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY

As part of a partnership between YRDSB and Renewed Computer Technology (RCT), families with children enrolled in our Board have the opportunity to purchase quality refurbished computers at a reduced cost. Applicants must live in Ontario, have a student enrolled at the school and either receive government assistance payments or qualify as a limited income earner under the limited income cut-off standards*.

Below is a limited income grid for your reference.

Family size	Annual income*
2 people	\$30,286
3 people	\$37,234
4 people	\$45,206
5 people	\$51,272
6 people	\$57,286
7 people +	\$64,381

This year, there are different packages available for purchase. Please reference the RCT flyer for the current available package offerings. Please note that there are three options for delivery.

1. If you would like for the computer to be delivered directly to your home, there is a \$40 charge for laptops and a \$50 charge for desktops. Families who choose this delivery option will have their order shipped when it is ready, roughly 3 weeks from date of order.
2. If you would like the device shipped to your child's school there is a \$20 delivery charge. If you choose this shipping option, the computer will be delivered to your child's school **after** the end of the promotion period. Please indicate the name of the school on the form when selecting this option.



3. You may choose to pick up the computer from the RCT Mississauga Warehouse, for free, located at **945 Meyerside Drive, Mississauga**. Families who choose this option will have their order ready for pick up roughly 3 weeks after the date of order.

Parents and legal guardians may apply for one computer per student, with a limit of two per household. Please see below for a full list of device specifications.

If you are interested in applying, please complete an online application at <https://form.jotform.com/210054491659255> using the group code on the attached program flyer. The application period is from September 30, 2022 - November 18, 2022 with delivery to schools taking place prior to the end of the school year.

Please note - There are sections in the RCT Online Application that are no longer applicable:

- Requirement of Proof or Documentation of Income
- Requirement to participate in training prior to receiving your computer/laptop

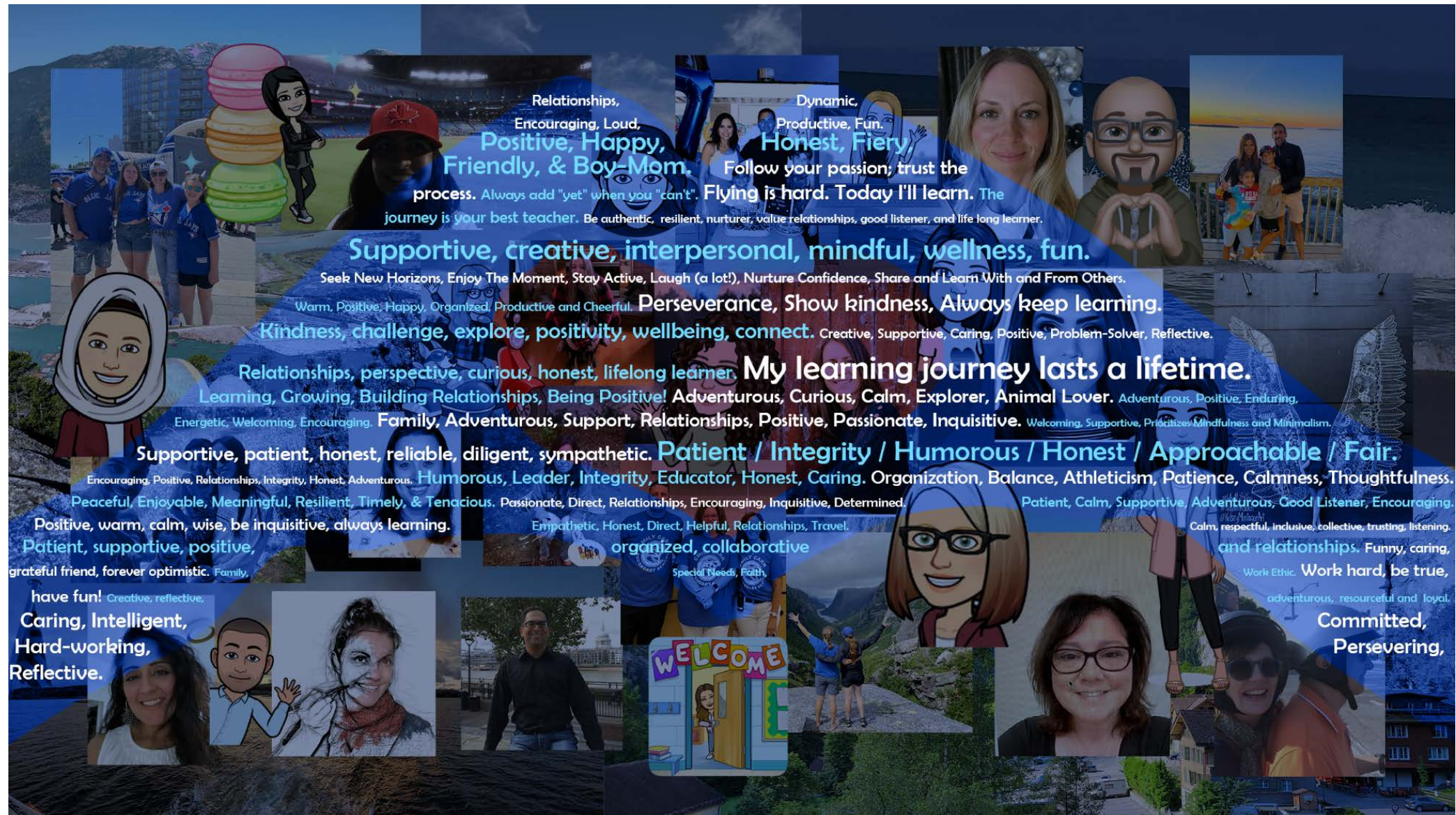
The Section on Course of Study can pertain to elementary or secondary. If you do not have access to a computer or the Internet, please contact the administration team at your school for assistance.

For inquiries related to the RCT application process, devices and delivery, please contact Alexander Oliver (Aoliver@rcto.ca) and for inquiries related to support from YRDSB, please contact Yvonne Kelly (yvonne.kelly@yrdsb.ca)

For more information, including complete application and payment instructions, please refer to the attached program flyer and checklist.

Emily Carr Secondary School Staff Profile

In an effort to support collaboration and understanding within our school community, we asked our staff to create a "Six Word Story" that describes their philosophy in life and as an educator. We know that when you send your children to us every day, there is trust, and we take that very seriously. We wanted to share a little about the adults caring for your children every day. Below you will find our ECSS staff profile.



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Select Language for Details

[English](#)

[Simplified Chinese](#)

[Hindi](#)

[Urdu](#)

[Tamil](#)

[Vietnamese](#)

[Korean](#)

[Punjabi](#)

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Anti-Asian Racism Research Project

York Region District School Board (YRDSB) is conducting research on the experiences of Asian students, educators, staff, and community members, in an effort to dismantle anti-Asian racism and to foster belonging and create safer spaces for Asian members of the YRDSB organization.

If you are an Asian identifying member (East Asian, South Asian, South East Asian) of the YRDSB, then you are invited to participate in a virtual focus group (small discussion group) to talk about your experiences within the YRDSB institution. For your participation, you will receive a small gift.

If you are interested, please RSVP by deadline.

Who	Session Date	Time	RSVP Deadline	Link
Community Members	Thursday October 6	5 to 7 pm	October 3	Community Registration
Students (G 7-12)	Tuesday October 11	5 to 7 pm	October 3	Student Registration
Teachers	Monday October 17	5 to 7 pm	October 11	Teacher Registration
Administrators	Wednesday October 19	5 to 7 pm	October 11	Administrator Registration
Non-teaching Staff	Wednesday November 2	5 to 7 pm	October 26	Non-Teaching Staff Registration

约克校区教育局 – 反亚裔种族歧视研究项目

为了消除反亚裔种族歧视问题，且为约克校区的每位亚洲成员创造一个更有归属感和更安全的环境，约克校区教育局正在展开对亚洲学生，教育从业者，行政人员，和社区成员的研究调查。

如果您是在约克校区工作/上学的亚洲人（东亚，南亚，东南亚），我们诚挚邀请您参加一个线上小组访谈/小组讨论。在此访谈与讨论中，您可以与大家分享您做为一个亚洲人在约克校区的经历。以表感激，您将会收到一份小礼物。

如果您对此访谈感兴趣，请在以下日期前注册参与此讨论会。

您的身份	讨论会日期	讨论会时间	在此日期前注册	链接
社区成员	周四，10月6日	下午5-7点	10月3日	社区成员注册链接
学生（7-12年级）	周二，10月11日	下午5-7点	10月3日	学生注册链接
教师	周一，10月17日	下午5-7点	10月11日	教师注册链接
行政管理人员	周三，10月19日	下午5-7点	10月11日	行政管理人员注册链接
非教职人员	周三，11月2日	下午5-7点	10月26日	非教职人员注册链接

YRDSB एशियाई जातिवाद विरोधी अनुसंधान परियोजना

यॉर्क रीजन डिस्ट्रिक्ट स्कूल बोर्ड (YRDSB) एशियाई छात्रों, शिक्षकों, कर्मचारियों और समुदाय के सदस्यों के अनुभवों पर शोध कर रहा है, ताकि एशियाई विरोधी नस्लवाद को खत्म किया जा सके और YRDSB संगठन में एशियाई सदस्यों के लिए अपनेपन को बढ़ावा दिया जा सके और उसे एक सुरक्षित स्थान बनाया जा सके।

यदि आप YRDSB के एशियाई पहचान वाले सदस्य हैं (पूर्व एशियाई, दक्षिण एशियाई, दक्षिण पूर्व एशियाई), तो आपको YRDSB में अपने अनुभवों के बारे में बात करने के लिए वर्चुअल फोकस समूह (छोटे चर्चा समूह) में भाग लेने के लिए आमंत्रित किया जाता है। आपकी भागीदारी के लिए आपको एक छोटा सा उपहार दिया जाएगा।

यदि आप इस चर्चा में भाग लेना चाहते हैं, तो कृपया समय सीमा तक RSVP करें।

कौन	सत्र/ सभा की तिथि	समय	RSVP की समस सीमा	लिंक
समुदाय के सदस्य	गुरुवार 6 अक्टूबर	5 to 7 pm	अक्टूबर 3	समुदाय के सदस्यों का पंजीकरण
छात्र (G 7-12)	मंगलवार 11 अक्टूबर	5 to 7 pm	अक्टूबर 3	छात्रों का पंजीकरण
शिक्षक	सोमवार 17 अक्टूबर	5 to 7 pm	अक्टूबर 11	शिक्षकों पंजीकरण
व्यवस्थापक	बुधवार 19 अक्टूबर	5 to 7 pm	अक्टूबर 11	व्यवस्थापकों का पंजीकरण
गैर-शिक्षण कर्मचारी	बुधवार 2 नवंबर	5 to 7 pm	अक्टूबर 26	गैर-शिक्षण कर्मचारियों का पंजीकरण

وائے آر ڈی ایس بی ایشیائی افراد کے ساتھ نسلی تعصب کے خلاف ایک تحقیقی منصوبہ

یورک ریجن ڈسٹرکٹ اسکول بورڈ (وائے آر ڈی ایس بی) اپنے ایشیائی طالب علموں، اساتذہ، دیگر دفتری عملے اور کمیونٹی ممبران کے تجربات کے متعلق ایک تحقیق کر رہا ہے جس کے ذریعے یہ کاوش کی جائے گی کہ ایشیائی افراد کے خلاف نسل پرستی کا تدارک کیا جا سکے اور وائے آر ڈی ایس بی سے منسلک ایشیائی کارکنان کے لیے ہمارے ادارے میں اپنائیت سے بھرپور محفوظ ماحول مرتب کیا جا سکے۔

اگر وائے آر ڈی ایس بی میں آپ کی شناخت ایشیا سے ہے (مشرقی ایشیائی، جنوبی ایشیائی، شمال مشرقی ایشیائی) تو ہم آپ کو ایک ورچول فوکس گروپ (ایک چھوٹا سا مباحثہ گروپ) میں مدعو کرتے ہیں جہاں آپ وائے آر ڈی ایس بی میں اپنے تجربات کے متعلق گفتگو کر سکتے ہیں۔ اس میں حصہ لینے کے صلے میں آپ کو ایک چھوٹا سا تحفہ دیا جائے گا۔

اگر آپ اس تحقیق میں دلچسپی رکھتی / رکھتے ہیں تو آخری تاریخوں سے پہلے ہم سے رابطہ کیجئے۔

لنک	رابطے کی آخری تاریخ	اوقات	سیشن کی تاریخ	کون
کمیونٹی رجسٹریشن	۳ - اکتوبر	۵ سے ۷ بجے شام	جمعرات - ۶ اکتوبر	کمیونٹی کے افراد
طلبا کی رجسٹریشن	۳ - اکتوبر	۵ سے ۷ بجے شام	منگل - ۱۱ اکتوبر	طلبا (۷ تا ۱۲ گریڈ)
اساتذہ کی رجسٹریشن	۱۱ - اکتوبر	۵ سے ۷ بجے شام	پیر - ۱۷ اکتوبر	اساتذہ
انتظامیہ کی رجسٹریشن	۱۱ - اکتوبر	۵ سے ۷ بجے شام	بدھ - ۱۹ اکتوبر	انتظامیہ
غیر اساتذہ کی رجسٹریشن	۲۶ - اکتوبر	۵ سے ۷ بجے شام	بدھ - ۲ نومبر	غیر اساتذہ

யோக் பிராந்திய பாடசாலை சபையில் ஆசிய இனவெறிக்கு எதிரான ஆராய்ச்சித் திட்டம்

யோக் பிராந்திய கல்விச் சபையில் ஆசிய மாணவர்கள், கல்வியாளர்கள், ஊழியர்கள் மற்றும் சமூக உறுப்பினர்களின் அனுபவங்களை ஆய்வு செய்து, ஆசிய விரோத இனவெறியைத் தகர்த்தெறிந்து யோக் பிராந்திய கல்விச்சபை அமைப்பு ஆசிய உறுப்பினர்களுக்குப் பாதுகாப்பான இடங்களை உருவாக்குகிறது.

நீங்கள் யோக் பிராந்திய கல்விச்சபையின் அடையாளம் காணும் ஆசிய உறுப்பினராக இருந்தால்(கிழக்கு ஆசியன், தெற்காசிய, தென்கிழக்கு ஆசியன்) யோக் பிராந்திய கல்விச் சபையில் உங்கள் அனுபவங்களைப் மெய்நிகர் மூலம் பேச அழைக்கப்படுகிறீர்கள். பங்குபற்றும் போது ஒரு சிறிய பரிசு பெறுவீர்கள்.

நீங்கள் ஆர்வமாக இருந்தால் முடிவுத் திகதிக்குள் பதிவு செய்யவும்

யார்	அமர்வுத் திகதி	திகதி	முடிவுத் திகதி	இணைப்பு
சமூக உறுப்பினர்	ஒக்டோபர் வியாழன் 6	பி ப 5-7	ஒக்டோபர் 3	சமூகப் பதிவு
மாணவர்கள் (தரம் 7-12)	ஒக்டோபர் செவ்வாய் 11	பி ப 5-7	ஒக்டோபர் 3	மாணவர் பதிவு
ஆசிரியர்கள்	ஒக்டோபர் திங்கள் 17	பி ப 5 - 7	ஒக்டோபர் 11	ஆசிரியர் பதிவு
நிர்வாகிகள்	ஒக்டோபர் புதன் 19	பி ப 5 - 7	ஒக்டோபர் 11	நிர்வாகிகள் பதிவு
ஆசிரியர்கள் அல்லாதவர்கள்	செப்டம்பர் புதன் 2	பி ப 5-7	ஒக்டோபர் 26	ஆசிரியர் அல்லாதோர் பதிவு

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DỰ ÁN NGHIÊN CỨU CHỐNG PHÂN BIỆT CHỦNG TỘC CHÂU Á

Hội đồng trường học khu vực York (YRDSB) đang tiến hành nghiên cứu kinh nghiệm của học sinh châu Á, nhà giáo dục, nhân viên và các thành viên cộng đồng, trong nỗ lực xóa bỏ phân biệt chủng tộc chống người châu Á, đồng thời bồi dưỡng và tạo không gian an toàn hơn cho các thành viên châu Á của tổ chức YRDSB.

Nếu bạn được nhận diện là người Châu Á (Đông Á, Nam Á, Đông Nam Á) của Hội đồng trường học khu vực York (YRDSB), xin mời bạn tham dự vào nhóm virtual focus group (nhóm thảo luận nhỏ) để cùng trò chuyện trao đổi kinh nghiệm. Chúng tôi có món quà nhỏ khi bạn tham dự.

Nếu bạn muốn tham dự, xin ghi tên trước khi hết hạn.

Người tham dự	Ngày thảo luận	Thời gian	Hạn chót ghi tên	Đường dẫn liên kết
Thành viên cộng đồng	Thứ Năm 06 tháng 10	5 - 7 pm	3 tháng 10	Thành viên cộng đồng đăng ký
Học sinh (lớp 7-12)	Thứ Ba 11 tháng 10	5 - 7 pm	3 tháng 10	Học sinh đăng ký
Giáo viên	Thứ Hai 17 tháng 10	5 - 7 pm	11 tháng 10	Giáo viên đăng ký
Nhân viên hành chính	Thứ Tư 19 tháng 10	5 - 7 pm	11 tháng 10	Nhân viên hành chính đăng ký
Nhân viên	Thứ Tư 02 tháng 11	5 - 7 pm	26 tháng 10	Nhân viên đăng ký

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대상	날짜	시간	신청 데드라인	구성원 신청
지역사회 구성원	목요일, 10월6일	5-7시	10월3일	지역사회 구성원 신청
학생 (7학년-12학년)	화요일 10월11일	5-7시	10월3일	학생 신청
교사	월요일 10월17일	5-7시	10월11일	교사 신청
학교장/교감	수요일 10월19일	5-7시	10월11일	학교장/교감 신청
교직원	수요일 11월2일	5-7시	10월26일	교직원 신청

ਯੌਰਕ ਰੀਜਨ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਐਂਟੀ-ਏਸ਼ੀਅਨ ਨਸਲਵਾਦ ਖੋਜ ਪ੍ਰੋਜੈਕਟ

ਯੌਰਕ ਰੀਜਨ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਏਸ਼ੀਅਨ ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀਆਂ, ਸਿੱਖਿਅਕਾਂ, ਸਟਾਫ਼, ਅਤੇ ਕਮਿਊਨਿਟੀ ਮੈਂਬਰਾਂ ਦੇ ਤਜਰਬਿਆਂ 'ਤੇ ਖੋਜ ਕਰ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈ, ਜੋ ਕਿ ਏਸ਼ੀਅਨ ਵਿਰੋਧੀ ਨਸਲਵਾਦ ਨੂੰ ਖਤਮ ਕਰਨ ਅਤੇ ਯੌਰਕ ਰੀਜਨ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਸੰਗਠਨ ਦੇ ਏਸ਼ੀਅਨ ਮੈਂਬਰਾਂ ਲਈ ਸੁਰੱਖਿਅਤ ਸਥਾਨ ਬਣਾਉਣ ਦੇ ਯਤਨਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਹੈ।

ਜੇਕਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਯੌਰਕ ਰੀਜਨ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਦੇ ਏਸ਼ੀਅਨ ਪਛਾਣ ਮੈਂਬਰ (ਪੂਰਬੀ ਏਸ਼ੀਆਈ, ਦੱਖਣੀ ਏਸ਼ੀਆਈ, ਦੱਖਣ ਪੂਰਬੀ ਏਸ਼ੀਆਈ) ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਯੌਰਕ ਰੀਜਨ ਡਿਸਟ੍ਰਿਕਟ ਸਕੂਲ ਬੋਰਡ ਸੰਸਥਾ ਦੇ ਅੰਦਰ ਆਪਣੇ ਅਨੁਭਵਾਂ ਬਾਰੇ ਗੱਲ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਇੱਕ ਵਰਚੁਅਲ ਫੋਕਸ ਗਰੁੱਪ (ਛੋਟਾ ਚਰਚਾ ਸਮੂਹ) ਵਿੱਚ ਹਿੱਸਾ ਲੈਣ ਲਈ ਸੱਦਾ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ। ਤੁਹਾਡੀ ਭਾਗੀਦਾਰੀ ਲਈ, ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਇੱਕ ਛੋਟਾ ਤੋਹਫ਼ਾ ਮਿਲੇਗਾ।

ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਦਿਲਚਸਪੀ ਰੱਖਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰਕੇ ਅੰਤਮ ਤਾਰੀਖ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਜਵਾਬ ਦਿਓ।

ਕੌਣ ਭਾਗ ਲੈ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈ	ਸੈਸ਼ਨ ਦੀ ਮਿਤੀ	ਸਮਾਂ	ਜਵਾਬ ਦੇਣ ਦੀ ਅੰਤਮ ਤਾਰੀਖ	ਲਿੰਕ
ਭਾਈਚਾਰੇ ਦੇ ਮੈਂਬਰ	ਵੀਰਵਾਰ 6 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	5 to 7 pm	3 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	ਕਮਿਊਨਿਟੀ ਰਜਿਸਟ੍ਰੇਸ਼ਨ
ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ (G 7-12)	ਮੰਗਲਵਾਰ 11 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	5 to 7 pm	3 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	ਵਿਦਿਆਰਥੀ ਰਜਿਸਟ੍ਰੇਸ਼ਨ
ਅਧਿਆਪਕ	ਸੋਮਵਾਰ 17 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	5 to 7 pm	11 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	ਅਧਿਆਪਕ ਰਜਿਸਟ੍ਰੇਸ਼ਨ
ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਾਸਕ	ਬੁੱਧਵਾਰ 19 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	5 to 7 pm	11 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	ਪ੍ਰਸ਼ਾਸਕ ਰਜਿਸਟ੍ਰੇਸ਼ਨ
ਨਾਨ-ਟੀਚਿੰਗ ਸਟਾਫ਼	ਬੁੱਧਵਾਰ 2 ਨਵੰਬਰ	5 to 7 pm	26 ਅਕਤੂਬਰ	ਨਾਨ-ਟੀਚਿੰਗ ਸਟਾਫ਼ ਰਜਿਸਟ੍ਰੇਸ਼ਨ

YORK REGION DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

MEMORANDUM TO: Elementary Administrators
Secondary Administrators

FROM: Heather Sears, Coordinating Superintendent of Curriculum & Instructional Services and Continuing Education
Wendy Howes, Superintendent of Programs

DATE: September 29, 2022

REFERENCE: **After-School Programs (Gr 7-12)**

Funding for After-School Programming is available to support students requiring literacy and/or numeracy remediation. Based on feedback from staff we have updated the school processes to access this funding support.

Program Requirements:

- principal recommendation is required for all students enrolling in the program;
- the minimum number of students required to run the program is 12;
- programs may run at any point during the school year (October - May);
- schools may run concurrent programs and/or multiple programs over the school year;
- programs for elementary schools are required to run a minimum of 10 hours; and,
- programs for secondary schools are required to run a minimum of 15 hours.

School Process:

- school administration will identify and hire the program teacher;
- an [After-School Programming Request](#) must be completed for each class being offered;
- once the program request has been submitted, Continuing Education Services (CES) will share an attendance sheet with the program teacher and the school administrator contact;
- the program attendance sheet must be maintained throughout the course of the program; and,
- upon completion of the program, schools will notify asp@yrdsb.ca.

International Student Costs

A non-residential fee of \$108 (secondary) or \$72 (elementary) will apply to International Students for each program, funds should be transferred to budget number 070240 5 846 502, this fee cannot be waived.

Teacher Compensation and Coverage:

CES will complete the Teacher Acceptance of Permission form after the program has concluded and the student attendance sheet and international student costs are verified. Teachers will be compensated at the CES teacher hourly rate and paid in a lump sum.

Information and supporting documents can be found on the BWW [After-School Programs Page](#).
For further information, please contact: asp@yrdsb.ca.

Let's Get Walking

Celebrate active modes of transportation like walking and wheeling along with other students and staff across Ontario during **IWALK Month**, which officially kicks off **Oct 5**.

International Walk to School Month (IWALK) is an annual celebration of active transportation that takes place around the world throughout the month of October.

When walking to school, here are some important safety tips to remember

- Look all ways before you cross the street. Always STOP, LOOK and LISTEN before crossing.
- Cross at intersections and crosswalks, when possible.
- Always make eye contact with drivers before you cross the street.
- Obey traffic signals and signs.
- Use a sidewalk if there is one.
- Do not wear distracting equipment such as headphones.

For anyone who can't walk or cycle to school every day, we encourage you to try choosing an active mode of travel two or three times a week, or consider parking and walking a block to decrease the pollution and improve safety around your school.

If you choose to drive, please be mindful of students who walk and cycle, drive slowly and be highly vigilant of your surroundings.



Benefits of Active School Travel

- Improves student academic performance by making students more alert and better prepared to learn.
- Improves both physical and mental health.
- Reduces traffic congestion and improves safety for everyone in school zones and around our school community.
- Improves air quality.
- Encourages social interaction and improves social skills.
- Promotes life-long habits that foster independence and active lifestyles, preparing children for their future.
- **It's fun!**

For more information about IWALK Month and resources please visit:

[Ontario Active School Travel IWALK Month](#)

Do you need a computer?

Renewed Computer Technology (RCT) is a not-for-profit, charitable organization that empowers learners, educators and not-for-profit organizations with increased access to information and communications technology (ICT), skill development and learning opportunities, in a socially and environmentally responsible manner.

Working with **York Region District School Board** we are offering affordable, renewed computer packages.



1. Open camera on phone
2. Hold camera up to QR code above
3. Click link that appears on your screen

You can apply for this program if you are:

A resident of Ontario and you are an individual with limited income.

Parents or legal guardians may apply on behalf of a child or youth under the age of 18.

We offer 1 computer, per family, with a limit of 2 per household per year.

For more information, please contact:

Alexander Oliver
RCT Community Engagement Lead
AOliver@rcto.ca

All systems include our
STANDARD 1 YEAR DEPOT WARRANTY

*batteries not covered by warranty

We have Desktop Packages from \$60.00 to \$250.00.
Plus \$50.00 to ship the computer to your home.



You get - a desktop complete with Windows 10 and MS Office 2019 - Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook and OneNote plus learning software, monitor, keyboard and mouse

We have Laptop Packages from \$200.00 to \$350.00.
Plus \$40.00 to ship the computer to your home.



You get - a laptop complete with Windows 10 and MS Office 2019 - Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook and OneNote plus learning software

*Computers may not appear exactly as shown

Application Check-List



You can begin to apply for a computer on: September 30th, 2022
Application deadline: November 18th, 2022

Group Name: YRDSB | **Group Code:** G-YRDSB22

1. Open camera on phone
2. Hold camera up to QR code above
3. Click link that appears on your screen

How to fill out your application

Scan QR code OR access application using the link your organization provided

Section A

Group Name: YRDSB

Group Code: G-YRDSB22

Name of School: *Please enter the name of the student's school*

Section B

This section does not apply to you.

Section C

I would like to pick up my computer in Mississauga RCT Warehouse (\$0.00 Shipping fee)
OR

I would like to order a laptop, please ship my computer to my home (\$40.00 shipping fee)
OR

I would like to order a desktop, please ship my computer to my home (\$50.00 shipping fee)
OR

I am part of the York Region District School Board Group order (\$20.00)

Section D

Pick your computer package and method of payment.

Our partner organization will need proof of eligibility (one of the following) before you can apply for a computer.

Proof of Financial Status (one of the following)

- Canada Revenue Agency Notice of Assessment (most recent)
- Ontario Works Statement (Social Assistance)
- OSAP Statement of Funding
- Refugee Payment Received from government
- Letter from school supporting the application
- EI Benefit Statement
- ODSP (Disability Benefits)
- Second Career

Payment

You will have the following online payment options when completing your order:

- Credit/Debit Card
- Money Order or Certified Cheque
- A Third Party will be Paying (Ex. Ontario Works)

Certified Cheques should be made to: Renewed Computer Technology
The applicant's name must be added in the memo field. When you come to pick up your computer, please bring a government photo ID.



RAISING RESILIENT CHILDREN

Let's talk about it!

Kids don't come with an instruction manual! Many familiar parenting problems have very simple solutions that can be applied with some effort and focus. Triple P's easy-to-understand and practical strategies have been shown to help families in all types of situations.

October 6, 2022 | 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

We welcome parents, guardians, caregivers and community members to attend this virtual session!

Register Today!

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

- Recognize and accept feelings
- Express their feelings appropriately
- Build positive feelings
- Deal with negative feelings
- Deal with upsetting or stressful life events

Facilitator: Uma Bhatt, R.S.W. York Hills Centre for Children, Youth and Families



This free parent presentation is brought to you in a collaborative partnership with York Region District School Board and York Hills Centre for Children, Youth and families.

More Information:

Oksana Majaski, Community & Partnership Developer, YRDSB

Oksana.majaski@yrdsb.ca