



## DATES AT A GLANCE

May 1	Deadline accept OCAS
May 3	Mid-term Reports e-distributed
May 3	The Big Picture Event
May 5	P.A. Day - No Classes
May 12	Full Disclosure
May 22	Victoria Day - No School
May 23	School Council Event Mental Health & Resilience
May 29	School Immunization
June 8	Prom
June 14 & 15	EQAO - Math
June 26	Graduation
June 30	P.A. Day No Classes

## MESSAGE FROM ADMINISTRATION

Earlier in the week the re-imagining team met to go through the submissions for the new ECSS mascot and narrowed down the submissions. We narrowed it down to 4 options (Coyotes, Blue Jays, Cardinals, Thunder / Lightning). Today, our students voted and our students have spoken...as of September 2023, our new mascot will be the **ECSS Coyotes**.

Also, this Wednesday, May 03, 2023, our Cafeteria will be transformed into an art studio for our Big Picture Event @ ECSS! We will be working with a team from Eventology to create "pieces" of "The Big Picture" on a canvas that all ECSS staff and students will be able to paint. Ultimately, the many canvases will join together to create a "Big Picture". Below as an attachment, you will find a Consent Form that has also been sent home with your child. **Please complete the Consent Form and have your child return it to their teacher by Tuesday, May 02, 2023.**

Our modified schedule for Wednesday, May 03, 2023:

Homeroom and Announcements	8:00 a.m. - 8:05 a.m.
Period 01	8:05 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Travel Time	9:30 a.m. - 9:35 a.m.
Period 02	9:35 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
<b>** LUNCH Period 03</b>	<b>11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. (45 minutes) **</b>
Period 04	11:45 a.m. - 1:10 p.m.
Travel Time	1:10 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.
Period 05	1:15 p.m. - 2:40 p.m.

## YOUTH GALLERY LAUNCH - TUESDAY, MAY 02, 2023 @ 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

[Vaughan Public Libraries](#) would like to cordially invite you and your families to the [Youth Gallery Launch](#) at [Pierre Berton Resource Library](#), VPL's official opening of our beautiful teen art gallery, featuring the stunning artistic creations of students from [Emily Carr Secondary School](#).

This family-friendly evening will feature live music from the E.C.S.S. jazz band, guided tours, and mixed media art creation stations. Instructors from [McMichael CAC](#) will be hosting an oil and chalk pastel art competition with prizes. Please feel free to share this invitation!



## PROM 2023

This year's Prom will take place on June 8th 2023 at the Terrace Banquet Centre. In order for grade 12 students to attend, the **attached** permission forms must be filled out and returned to the dropbox on the Google Classroom by **May 5th**. Any student under 18 years of age must have a parent or guardian sign their permission form. If a student is 18, they can Sign for themselves.



## SCHOOL COUNCIL

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## HELPFUL LINKS:

[ECSS Calendar](#)

[ECSS Website](#)

[YRDSB Website](#)

[ECSS Twitter](#)

[ECSS Instagram](#)

[York Region Public Health](#)

[Tips For Speaking With Your Child - COVID-19](#)

[Mental Health Supports](#)

[School Mental Health](#)

[Ontario](#)

## NEW: YEARBOOK GRAD QUOTES - DUE FRIDAY, MAY 05, 2023

Your Yearbook Grad Quotes Google Form is now available! Please complete the hyperlinked [Google Form](#) for your Yearbook Grad Quote. It will be featured beside your Grad Portrait.

Carefully read each question as there are guidelines that need to be followed. Consider using something inspirational. A reminder, that any inappropriate language and/or inside jokes/references will be removed. "REACH FOR THE STARS" will be used in its place.

This information has also been updated on ECSS Grad Information PDF below, added to the Potential Grad Google Classroom and emailed to student YRDSB gapps account.

Thank you and Congratulations Graduates!!

## OCAS and OUAC SEMESTER 2 MIDTERM DATA TRANSMISSION FOR POTENTIAL GRADUATES

The data transmission to OCAS and OUAC for semester 2 midterm grades is now complete. Students must review their academic information to ensure that all courses and grades have been captured. If a student is taking a course privately or in another school board, students are asked to review those as well.

## VAUGHAN PUBLIC LIBRARIES:

- [Teen Virtual Reality Club](#) - Monday, May 1st from 3-5:00 p.m.
- [The Pierre Berton Youth Gallery Launch](#) - Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 6-8:00 p.m. to celebrate the art of Emily Carr's students. Join us to enjoy live music and refreshments and to join art competitions hosted by the McMichael Gallery, with the chance to win prizes.
- [Make a Cool Box with the Glowforge Laser Cutter](#) - Wednesday, May 3 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Register on Eventbrite.
- [Tabletop Games for Teens](#) - Thursday, May 4 @ Ainsley Grove Branch from 3-4:00p.m.
- [The Marvel Movie Marathon](#) - Friday, May 5 @ Dufferin Clark Branch - in preparation for *Guardians of the Galaxy Volume 3*, screen all of the *Guardians of the Galaxy* movies from 1-5:00 p.m.
- A [Henna Design Workshop](#) @ Civic Center Branch - Saturday, May 6 from 2-3:30pm. Register on Eventbrite.
- [Learn How to be a Video Game Designer](#) - Sunday, May 7 @ Civic Center Branch from 1-4:00 p.m. Register on Eventbrite
- [D&D Club](#) every other Saturday - Spots are filling up fast so reserve yours on Eventbrite.
- [Explore Artificial Intelligence](#) and learn how to use it to create art, music and more. Every Wednesday from May 10 to 24 at 7-8:00p.m. Register on Eventbrite
- [Debate Club](#) starts on Tuesday, May 30 and continues every week until June 27<sup>th</sup>. Former world champion debaters will provide workshops and opportunities to practice debating on a wide range of topics in politics, philosophy, economics and more. Register on Eventbrite.
- [STEAM for Pride Month](#) will make gear and décor to celebrate Pride Month on Thursday, June 1 from 3:30-4:30pm.
- Join our [Study and Chill](#) session on Wed. June 21 from 6-8:00 p.m. to enjoy snacks and relaxing activities to get ready for exams.



### FEARLESSLY BLACK: RACIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP

*Learn how to manage racial incidents and encounters without fear!*

The Centre for Black Student Excellence (CBSE) invites Black YRDSB students accompanied by their parents/guardians to attend a Black Excellence Program Master Class with a special guest, Dr. Howard C. Stevenson, Professor of Africana Studies and Director of the Racial Empowerment Collaborative at the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Stevenson's racial literacy work offers Black

families effective strategies to address anti-Black racism when it occurs. His approach to resolving racial stress offers healthy and viable ways to support the mental health and well-being of those impacted by anti-Black racism, while increasing their awareness and agency. ***Student registrants MUST attend this workshop with a parent, guardian or caring adult.***

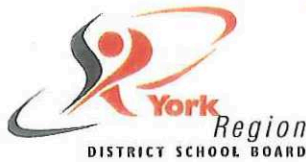
This event is **FREE** and includes a light meal (assorted sandwich wraps, salads, and dessert)

**Date:** May 8, 2023

**Time:** 5:00 - 8:30 p.m./ (The Racial Literacy Workshop will begin at 6:30 p.m.)

**Location:** The Venue Event Space (2800 Hwy 7, Woodbridge)

**Registration:** [Google Form](#) (Spaces are limited)



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March 3, 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian or Adult Student,

**RE: Consent for A YRDSB Story featuring Emily Carr Secondary School's Journey**

In May and possibly June 2023, York Region District School Board ("YRDSB") would like to photograph, make an audio and/or video recording of you/your child and/or your/your child's work ("media files") during the story featuring Emily Carr Secondary School's journey ("Event") for the purpose(s) of sharing, highlighting and celebrating the journey of Emily Carr Secondary School.

All or portions of the media files referred to above will become the property of the YRDSB and may be further used for, including but not limited to, other YRDSB educational productions, publications, exhibitions, reproduction, broadcast and/or distribution through various media platforms, which may include the YRDSB-managed internal and public websites, schools, social media platforms; and/or shared with the public media for broadcast on other media platforms belonging to the public media, such as a local municipality's public website or newsletter.

You understand that you will not receive payment nor should you expect payment or reimbursement of any kind now or in the future.

By signing in the space indicated below, you have read and understand the information provided on this form.

- ☐ I consent to have my or my child's work, voice and/or image recorded during the Event and its use as described above.
- ☐ I **do not** consent to have my or my child's work, voice and/or image recorded during the Event and its use as described above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Student (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian or Adult Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Project Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of YRDSB Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Personal information is collected under the authority of the Education Act and will be used to manage the disclosure of student information. Contact the school principal for more information.*



# Emily Carr Secondary School

## Important Dates and Timelines for the Graduating Class of 2023

We are very excited to be celebrating with the **Class of 2023!**

The ECSS staff are working very hard to organize some of our traditional events to celebrate our Grade 12 students. We would like to provide a "one-stop shop" document for our Grade 12 students and parents/guardians. Please keep this information until the end of our school year as a reference. If there are any updates, we will post them in the Potential Grad Google Classroom and in our ECSS Family e-bulletin.

Reminder that all Grade 12s should be in the **2022/2023 ECSS Potential Graduates Classroom (Code: a7xhtpm)** to receive important information, updates and announcements. Below is a table with important dates to be aware of and some information regarding each item. For some items, more detailed information will be shared closer to the date of the respective item.

### IMPORTANT DATES:

Thursday, April 20	<b>Community Involvement Hours DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Email <a href="mailto:daniela.sosa@yrdsb.ca">daniela.sosa@yrdsb.ca</a> OR drop off to the Guidance Office</li> <li>Included in Post Secondary Institutions uploads</li> <li>40 hours - Ministry Requirement for Class of 2023</li> <li>can also earn a maximum of 10 hours for paid employment - must complete a reflection exercise through myBlueprint.ca OR in the Potential Graduate Google Classroom</li> </ul>
Thursday, April 27	<b>Midterm Marks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uploaded to OCAS and OUAC</li> <li>Non-YRDSB school (i.e. private, YCDSB) must submit mark</li> </ul>
Friday, April 28	<b>Graduation Award Nominations DUE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Email <a href="mailto:daniela.sosa@yrdsb.ca">daniela.sosa@yrdsb.ca</a> OR drop off to the Guidance Office</li> </ul>
Friday, April 28	<b>ECSS Graduation Package order DEADLINE - <a href="#">School Cash Online</a></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Graduation Gown, Cap &amp; Tassel, V-Stole &amp; 2 Guest Tickets</li> </ul>
Friday, April 28	<b>Yearbook</b> - last day to purchase
Monday, May 01	<b>College Offers - Acceptance DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check all college correspondence for important dates</li> </ul>
Friday, May 05	<b>Yearbook Grad Quote DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Google Form</a></li> <li>Consider something inspirational</li> </ul>
Friday, May 05	<b>Prom Ticket(s)</b> - last day to purchase <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>"Prom Letter of Understanding" required</li> <li>If applicable, Guest Form must be completed and submitted</li> </ul>
Friday, May 12	<b>Full Disclosure/Mark Maintain Date</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you wish to drop a Grade 11 or 12 course and it does not appear on your transcript - must be done before May 12th</li> </ul>
Thursday, May 18	<b>Grade 12 Graduation Assembly</b> - Period 02 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formal Graduation Invitation</li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Graduation Information: Before, During &amp; After</li> <li>● Valedictorian Process &amp; email to Grade 12s yrdsb gapps account</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday, May 23</b>	<b>ECSS Valedictorian Nomination, 2023 DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Information provided at Graduation Assembly &amp; email to Gr. 12s</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday, June 01</b>	<b>University Offers - Acceptance DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Check all university correspondence for important dates</li> </ul>
<b>Friday, June 02</b>	<b>Valedictorian Nominee Package (Google Form) DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Information provided at Graduation Assembly</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday, June 07</b>	<b>Valedictorian Teacher References (Google Form) DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Information provided at Graduation Assembly</li> </ul>
<b>Thursday, June 08</b>	<b>Prom - The Terrace Banquet Hall , 5:45p.m. - 9:45p.m.</b>
<b>Tuesday, June 13</b>	<b>Valedictorian VOTING DAY - Period 02</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Information provided at Graduation Assembly &amp; email to Gr. 12s</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday, June 13 - Wednesday, June 14</b>	<b>Graduation Package Pick-up - Room 101 @ Lunch</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Gown, Cap &amp; Tassel, V-Stole, Guest Wristbands, Grad Composite</li> <li>● No extras at Graduation - keep in a safe place</li> <li>● All guests must wear their wristband in order to enter venue</li> </ul>
<b>Friday, June 16</b>	<b>Private School or non-YRDSB Final Marks DEADLINE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Submit original report card to Ms Sosa (Guidance Office)</li> </ul>
<b>Monday, June 19 - Thursday, June 22</b>	<b>Grade 12 Exams - All exams start promptly at 8:30 a.m.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Detailed schedule with locations will be provided at a later date <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Monday June 19th - Period 4 Classes</li> <li>○ Tuesday, June 20th - Period 5 Classes</li> <li>○ Wednesday, June 21st - Period 1 Classes</li> <li>○ Thursday, June 22nd - Period 2 Classes</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Monday, June 26</b>	<b>Graduation Ceremony</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Embassy Grand Convention Centre - 8800 The Gore Rd., Brampton</li> <li>● Graduates arrive at 5:45 p.m.</li> <li>● Ceremony begins promptly at 6:30p.m.</li> <li>● More information will be sent to Grade 12s yrdsb gapps accounts</li> </ul>
<b>July 01</b>	<b>YRDSB GAPPS Accounts Disabled - Grade 12s not returning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Before July 01st, more information regarding how to backup/save documents will be sent to Grade 12s yrdsb gapps account</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday, July 04 - Thursday, July 06</b>	<b>Diploma/Transcript Pick Up - Main Office</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● borrowed materials i.e. textbooks, novels, musical instruments, electronics, etc. must be returned.</li> </ul>

Kind regards,  
Emily Carr Secondary School Graduation Committee



# YOUTH GALLERY LAUNCH

GUIDED TOURS • LIVE MUSIC  
ART CREATION

TUESDAY, MAY 2  
2023

6:00-8:00 pm

PIERRE BERTON RESOURCE LIBRARY  
4921 RUTHERFORD ROAD.  
WOODBRIIDGE, ON

All are welcome!





# South Asian and Tamil Youth Conference

## Grades 7 to 12

To honour South Asian Heritage Month, the York Region District School Board in partnership with [The South Asian and Tamil Women's Collective](#) invites self-identifying South Asian and Tamil, female and gender non-binary, grades 7 to 12 students to attend our **2023 South Asian & Tamil Well-Being Conference**.

Students will participate in a day of culturally responsive, identity affirming mentorship and learning in support of their agency, health and well-being.

### When

Saturday, May 6, 2023 from 8:30am – 2:30 pm

### Where

[Pierre Elliott Trudeau Secondary School](#)  
90 Bur Oak Ave, Markham, ON L6C 2E6

### Registration

Students are to register through this [Conference Google Form](#).  
Students should also bring the completed [consent](#) for filming form to submit at the conference.

### Contact

For more information, please contact:  
[nusrat.sacranie@yrdsb.ca](mailto:nusrat.sacranie@yrdsb.ca) or [hshah@ccsyr.org](mailto:hshah@ccsyr.org) or  
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# Student Conference & Career Expo

May 24, 2023

9:00 AM - 2:30 PM

Sheraton Parkway North Conference Centre



If you are in Grade 12 and you are:

Graduating AND

Interested in Skilled Trades & Apprenticeship OR

Starting a Business OR

Interested in getting started in the workforce...

Join us!



**DANIEL  
LEWIS**

KEY NOTE SPEAKER

## AGENDA

- 9:00 Registration
- 9:30 Opening Remarks
- 9:40 Keynote Speaker
- 10:00 Panel Discussion: Pathway Experiences
- 11:00 Employment Ontario Workshops
- 11:45 Lunch
- 12: 30 **Pathway & Career Expo Opens**
- 2;30 Conference closes



<https://youtu.be/LTVx-ZjDtFM>

**Speak to your Guidance, Co-op/ALEP, Technology or Student Success teacher on how to register for this exciting event!**





# WHO ARE *the Jews?*

## TRAVELING EXHIBITION

## COMING WESTMOUNT C.I.

MAY 11, 2023

### *What is it?*

This interactive travelling experience leads participants through different exhibits, designed to educate Canadians about the Jewish people, who they are, what they believe, their traditions and the historical & modern forms of persecution they've faced (antisemitism). Participants have the opportunity to touch and explore Jewish artifacts, texts, and traditional objects, and to ask questions of Jewish facilitators.

### *Guided Tours*

La'ad staff and volunteers will be at Westmount C.I. on Thursday May 11th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm. We would like to invite all members of the community to join a guided tour and ask questions. Tours will start at 6:30 pm, 7:00 pm, 7:30 pm and 8:00 pm.

### *About La'ad*

La'ad Canada is a Canadian Jewish advocacy organization founded in 2017 with the mission to combat antisemitism, educate Canadians about Jews and Judaism, explore the history and contemporary place of Jews as an indigenous people, and to empower Jews to live a rich and meaningful Jewish life.



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CANADA

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# Fearlessly Black

## Master Class #3



presented by

THE CENTRE FOR  
BLACK STUDENT EXCELLENCE

**Monday May 8, 2023**

**5:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

**@ The Venu Event Space**

2800 Highway 7, Woodbridge, ON

The Black Excellence Program invites you to the last  
Master Class for 2022 - 2023 featuring

Dr. Howard Stevenson.

*Have you ever been racially profiled and froze  
because you didn't know what to say?*

*Worried about how to confront racial tension at school?*

Well, Dr. Howard Stevenson has perfected the art of  
how to respond in these uncomfortable situations!

Dinner is available at no cost. Register for this FREE  
workshop with a parent, guardian or caring adult using  
the link below.



Dr Howard C. Stevenson

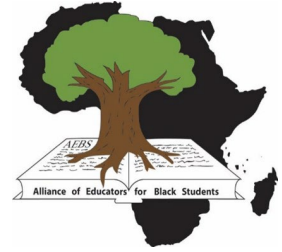
**BLACK**  
**EXCELLENCE**

5:00 p.m.	Doors open
5:15 - 5:30 p.m.	Dinner & mingle with community partners
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	Interactive workshop



[Register here](#)

**Note: All YRDSB student participants must  
be accompanied by a parent, guardian or adult family member.**



## **AEBS 2023 Scholarships for Black Students Graduating from York Region District School Board High Schools**

AEBS invites Black students who are graduating from a high school in the York Region District School Board to apply for 2023 AEBS Scholarships.

Please note that the link below is for graduating students applying for scholarships. It is not the form to nominate Grades 4-12 students for recognition at the Annual Achievement Awards Ceremony.

Students should [CLICK HERE](#) to learn more about the 2023 scholarships and to apply. (Having problems accessing the information? Search using Google Chrome.) Students are required to sign into their YRDSB Google Accounts to access the application form.

**The deadline to apply is Monday, May 22nd, 2023 before 11:55 p.m.**

For further information contact:

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Jaymyi Lesmond: [jaymyi.lesmond@yrdsb.ca](mailto:jaymyi.lesmond@yrdsb.ca)

Charlotte Reid: [charlottereid60@gmail.com](mailto:charlottereid60@gmail.com) or (416) 540-1005



**Alliance of Educators for Black Students (AEBS)**  
invites you to

## **Family Engagement Conference 2023:** ***Creating Dynamic Futures***

*Please join us to learn about mental health, special education, and ways to navigate the education system with appearances from children's authors Amaya James and Erica London.*

***Keynote Speaker: Dwayne Morgan***

### **When**

Saturday, May 13, 2023

10:30am - 2:30pm

Light refreshments will be served

### **Where**

Richmond Green High School  
1 William F. Bell Pkwy in Richmond Hill

### **Registration**

Please register [here](#).

Follow Us On Twitter [@AEBSyrdsb](#)

For additional information please contact [aebasca@gmail.com](mailto:aebasca@gmail.com)



# **Stay Informed!**

## **Sex Trafficking and Youth Exploitation**

### **DID YOU KNOW...?**

**Instances of sex trafficking and sexual exploitation  
are a growing concern for youth and families in York Region**

**Would you notice and be aware of it if you saw it?  
What might you do to get help and necessary resources?**

**Parents, guardians, caregivers, educators, staff and community  
members are invited to attend one of the information sessions being  
offered.**

**Register today!**

**When:** May 18, 2023

**Session A:** 10:00am – 11:30am

**OR Session B:** 6:30pm – 8:00pm

In a collaborative partnership with Women's Support Network, the York Region District School Board is hosting a virtual information session about sex trafficking and sexual exploitation.

This session will provide awareness and information about:

- What is sex trafficking?
- How to identify signs of someone who may be in the process of being recruited or is already being trafficked?
- Who is at risk?
- Available resources and supports in the school and community

**For more information:**

**Oksana Majaski, Community & Partnership Developer, YRDSB at [Oksana.majaski@yrdsb.ca](mailto:Oksana.majaski@yrdsb.ca)**



# Navigating Secondary School and Beyond

## 2023 Summer Program

### Program overview

**The Come Up** summer program is a unique in-person course offered to self-identifying Black students in the York Region District School Board. It also includes guest speakers, field trips, lunch and swag.

**Students entering grade 9** will earn a Civics and Careers (GLC2O/CHV2O) credit.

**Students entering Grade 10** will earn a Black History (CHE3O) credit. This credit can be used to fulfill the grade 10 compulsory history credit.

### Eligibility (must meet all criteria)

- Are you entering Grade 9 or 10 in September 2023?
- Do you self-identify as Black?
- Are you a YRDSB Student?
- Are you interested in earning a high school credit?

### Dates

**July 5 - July 28, 2023 (Monday-Friday)\***

\*Attendance is mandatory for the duration of the program.  
Please note: Lunch will only be provided on Mondays and Wednesdays.

**8:45 a.m. - 3:35 p.m.**

**Choice of Tommy Douglas SS or Milliken Mills HS**

Registration opens April 11, 2023

**Register by May 26, 2023**



# Virtual Black Parent/Guardian Workshop Series

2023 Summer Program

Is your child a YRDSB student?

Is your child transitioning to Grade 9 or 10?

Is your child registered in the Come Up Program?

Does your child self-identify as Black?

**Join us for a workshop series  
on navigating the secondary  
school system.**

## **Session # 1 - Tuesday, June 27, 2023, 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Understanding the Secondary System

(Structure, Rights, Policies, Attendance, Credit Recovery, IEPs and more)

## **Session # 2 - Tuesday, July 11, 2023, 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.**

Supporting your Child (Mental Health Supports, Tips and Strategies)

Families of all students for the summer school program will receive registration information for the Black Parent/ Guardian Workshop Series via email once student registration is complete.



For more information email: [TheComeUP@yrdsb.ca](mailto:TheComeUP@yrdsb.ca)