

# King City SS e-Newsletter



[2001 King Road, King City, ON L7B 1K2](#)

October 2, 2020

## 2019-2020 Yearbooks for Sale



Did you miss out on buying a 2019/20 Yearbook? There is a limited stock available for sale. If interested please email [Helene.burmeister@yrdsb.ca](mailto:Helene.burmeister@yrdsb.ca), she will add it to your School Cash online account for payment. Once payment has been confirmed arrangements will be made to get it to the student.

## Thank You



We want to extend our gratitude to our students for their diligence in following our Public Health protocols. Daily we see students coming to school with masks, performing hand hygiene and physical distancing. We appreciate everyone's continued efforts as well as our community's support and understanding of the public health guidelines in place at our school. We know that these guidelines will continue to be important throughout the semester.

## Contact Us

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Phone 905.833.5332

Extensions

Reception 150

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## Online

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[School website](#)

## Administration

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Principal

[Joe D'Amico](#)

Vice Principals

[Pina Viscomi](#) (A-K)

[Tim Wesson](#) (L-Z)

## School Council

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[Luisa Gale](#)

[Harpal Panesar](#)

## Superintendent

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Neil Gunathunge

## Trustee

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Bob McRoberts



## School News

### Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (Accelerated OYAP) Information Session



If your child is interested in pursuing a career in the Skilled Trades, we invite you to have a look at the [Accelerated OYAP Information website](#) and our [YRDSB OYAP Video](#) to find out more information about the exciting apprenticeship opportunities available through YRDSB and our College and Training Center partners. The Skilled Trades offer excellent employment opportunities, training in state of the art facilities and higher than average career satisfaction. We hope to hear from you.

Please see information about OYAP Open Houses on page 3.

### Toonies for Turkeys - Reminder

The ESP (Empowering Student Partnership) Team would like your help to raise funds for families in need here in King Township with Toonie for Turkeys. Your donation will go to the King Township Food Bank so that they can provide residents with much needed food items to get them through these trying times.

Due to Covid we are not permitted to have donations of non-perishable food items here at the school as we have done in the past. So, we have set up a KCSS Toonies for Turkeys [School Cash Online](#) account that will be open on Monday Sept 28<sup>th</sup> until Friday October 9<sup>th</sup> 2020

Please give generously for those who need it most.

### Important Dates

To view our entire school calendar online click [here](#).

#### Monday, October 12th

- ☐ Thanksgiving

#### Tuesday, October 13th

- ☐ Rotation #3 Begins: Cohort A - in person Cohort B - online

#### Thursday, October 15th

- ☐ Spirit Day - Wear Purple!

#### Monday, October 19th

- ☐ Interim Report Cards distributed (digitally)

#### Tuesday, October 27th

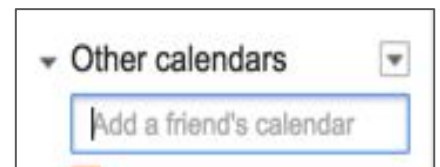
- ☐ Rotation #4 Begins: Cohort A - in person Cohort B - online

#### Thursday, October 29th

- ☐ Teacher Interview Night (virtual - details to follow)

### Do you use Google Calendar?

Add our email address to add our calendar to your calendar, and never miss an event again!



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## School News



### Accelerated OYAP Programs York Region District School Board



Program	Tentative Program Start Date	Mode / Restrictions	College Location
<b>NEW !!! Motorcycle Technician</b> Level 1 App: Motorcycle Technician 310G	April 2021	Unsure of Face to Face or Online	<b>Centennial College- Ashtonbee Campus</b> 75 Ashtonbee Road, Scarborough, M1L 4N4
<b>Automotive Service Technician</b> Level 1 App: Automotive Service Technician 310S	April 26 – June 18, 2021	Planned Face to Face	<b>Centennial College- Ashtonbee Campus</b> 75 Ashtonbee Road, Scarborough, M1L 4N4
<b>Cook / Baker</b> Level 1 App: Cook 415A Level 1 App: Baker 423A/C	February 2021	Planned Face to Face Maximum 12/class	<b>Humber College - North Campus</b> 205 Humber College Blvd., Toronto, M9W 5L7
<b>Child Development Practitioner Apprenticeship Program 620C</b> (Early Childhood Education)	March 2021	Online – No contact with children Maximum 12/class	<b>Seneca College – Newnham Campus</b> 1750 Finch Ave E. Toronto, M2J 2X5
<b>Electrical</b> Level 1 App: Electrician: Construction & Maintenance 309A	T.B.D	Online	<b>Humber College Centre for Trades and Technology</b> 110 Carrier Drive, Toronto, M9V 5R1
<b>General Carpenter</b> 403A <b>Drywall/Acoustic</b> 451A <b>Floor Covering</b> 448A Level 1 App:	March 1, 2021	Carpentry – Max 10/class	<b>College of Carpenters and Allied Trades</b> 222 Rowntree Dairy Road, Woodbridge, <b>Interior Finishing Systems Training Centre</b> 60 Sharer Road, Woodbridge, L4L 8P4
<b>Plumbing</b> Level 1 App: Plumber 306A	T.B.D.	Online	<b>Humber College Centre for Trades and Technology</b> 110 Carrier Drive, Toronto, M9V 5R1
<b>Refrigeration &amp; Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic</b> Level 1 App: Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Systems Mechanics 313A	March/April 2021	Planned Face to Face Class size restrictions	<b>George Brown College-Casa Loma Campus</b> 146 Kendal Avenue, Toronto, M5T 2T9
<b>Truck and Coach Technician</b> Level 1 App: Truck and Coach Technician 310T	February or April 2021	Planned Face to Face	<b>Centennial College at Bramalea Secondary School</b> 510 Balmoral Dr, Brampton, L6T 1W4

**Important:** Information is subject to change.  
**Teachers:** Refer to the specific program information sheets for details and student application requirements. Teachers, please send **FULLY COMPLETED** student application packages to **David Lovisa, Richmond Green Secondary School**, by **Friday November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020** deadline.  
**Questions?:** Please contact David Lovisa at [david.lovisa@yrdsb.ca](mailto:david.lovisa@yrdsb.ca)





## School News

### Ongoing Open Registration for 2020-2021 Adult ESL, LINC & LBS Programs

#### English as a Second Language (ESL); Language Instruction for New Comers (LINC); and Literacy and Basic Skills (LBS) Classes

YRDSB offers Adult **English as a Second Language (ESL)** programs for those who want to develop effective language skills in speaking, listening, reading, and writing for daily life in Canada. We also offer specialized classes in *Citizenship* and *Conversation*.

#### Adult ESL Program Registration – In person and online options available!

- Email [uplands@yrdsb.ca](mailto:uplands@yrdsb.ca) or call **905-731-9557** with the following information:
  - your first and last name
  - your telephone number
  - CLARS identification number (those without a CLARS number will require an assessment, please contact us for further assistance).
- Our office will contact you if additional documentation is required.
- Visitors to Canada may also register and attend for a fee of \$10 per day, per class.

**For an assessment or to register, please call: 905-731-9557**



If you are interested in improving your digital skills, want to work on your resume or interview skills, or prepare to take your GED exam, our Literacy and Basic Skills (LBS) program is for you!

#### Literacy and Basic Skill Assessment – In person and online options available!

- Email [uplands@yrdsb.ca](mailto:uplands@yrdsb.ca) or call **905-731-9557 Ext. 307** with the following information:
  - your first and last name
  - your telephone number
  - tell us that you are *“interested in the LBS program”*

**NOTE: Due to the high volume of inquires, it may take a few days to receive a reply communication from our office. We appreciate your patience.**

Thank you for your interest in our programs. We look forward to serving you.



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### FREE ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES FOR ADULTS



**Adult English as a Second Language & Citizenship Classes**  
 Improve your listening, speaking, reading and writing skills  
 Communicate with confidence in English

Sem 1: September 11, 2019-January 22, 2021

Sem 2: January 27, 2021-June 12, 2021

MARKHAM & UNIONVILLE	DAY	TIME
Milliken Gospel Church 8 Elson Street (East of McCowan, North of Steeles) L3S 2C4	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm
Unionville Alliance Church 4898 16th Avenue (North Side, Between Kennedy Road & McCowan) L3R 0K6	Monday to Friday	8:30-11:45 pm 12:45-4:00 pm
NEWMARKET & AURORA	DAY	TIME
Bethel Church 333 Davis Drive, (East of Yonge) L3Y 2N6	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm
RICHMOND HILL	DAY	TIME
Community Education Center Central 317 Centre St, Richmond Hill (West of Bayview, North of Major Mackenzie Dr) L4C1B3	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm
Richmond Hill United Church 10201 Yonge St (North of Major Mackenzie Drive) L4C 3D2	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm
STOUFFVILLE & GEORGINA	DAY	TIME
EastRidge Evangelical Missionary Church 12485 Tenth Line (North of Main Street) L4A 7X3	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm
THORNHILL	DAY	TIME
Uplands Community Learning Centre 8210 Yonge Street (South of Hwy #7, west side of Yonge Street) L4J 1W6	Monday to Friday	9:00-12:00 pm 12:30-3:30 pm
	Monday to Thursday	7:00-9:00 pm
DISTANCE LEARNING CLASSES /ON LINE CLASSES		
ALL CANADIAN LANGUAGE BENCHMARK LEVELS	Monday to Friday	9-12:00 pm
		12:30-3:30 pm
	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	9-2:30 pm
		4-7:00 pm
		6-9:00 pm
Monday to Thursday	12:30-3:30 pm	
Saturday	6:30-9:00 pm	
		9-12 pm

For more information  
 Call 905-731-9557 or 905-305-4122 or email [Uplands@yrdsb.ca](mailto:Uplands@yrdsb.ca)