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ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Parents/Guardians are reminded to report all late or absent notices to the Attendance Office by calling 905-294-1886, option 1 **or** emailing markham.dhs@yrdsb.ca. Should your student be absent for 3 or more days, an extended absence form must be signed by each subject teacher, Parent/Guardian and the Vice-Principal prior-to leaving for the absence. Forms are available from the attendance secretary or main office.

<u>Week of Jan 23rd-27th, 2023</u>	
Monday, Jan 23rd	
Tuesday, Jan 24th	Social Justice Convention in the Blue zone during 2nd half of period 2 and lunch-Mr. Morris
Wednesday, Jan 25th	
Thursday, Jan 26th	Exams Period 1 Classes
Friday, Jan 27th	Exams Period 2 Classes

Message from Guidance-Semester 2 Night School

Attention students who want to register for Night School in Semester 2. Winter registration is now open using My Pathway Planner Students are encouraged to register early as course offerings are not guaranteed and are subject to sufficient enrollment https://www2.yrdsb.ca/night-school-credit-courses-Mr. Buie

Social Justice Convention

Come on down to the Blue Zone Tuesday January 24th during the 2nd half of Period 2 and/or lunch to witness Social Justice in action. Visit any of the booths to learn about how some of our grade 12 students are supporting vulnerable members of our community. Check out the posters, social media feeds and/or announcements to find out how you can contribute to your "cause" of choice.-Mr. Morris

The LOST has been FOUND!

Please remind your student to check the Lost & Found box in the office. Items such as jewellery, watches, glasses and electronics (including lots of air pods and cases) can be retrieved at the reception desk.

<u>Student Trustee</u>

Students in Grades 5-12 will have an opportunity January 23-30 to participate in voting for the student trustee candidate who will represent our area of the board.

Student trustees play an important role representing students in the school board. They network with students, staff and the Board of Trustees to share information that gives students a meaningful voice.

All students in Grades 5-12 will receive an email in their GAPPS account. The email will include a link to site where they will find information about candidates in our area, and a link to a form where they can submit their vote. One candidate will be selected by students to represent each of the four areas of the school board in the final vote. Later in February, students can vote for the final two candidates who will represent them during the next school year.

