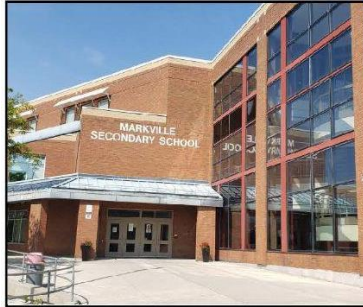


# Parent/Guardian Community E-Bulletin



## Markville Secondary School E-Bulletin

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**April 14th, 2022**

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## PEAC Regional Symposium

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### Annual PEAC Regional Symposium "Parent Voice Matters!"

**Wednesday May 3, 2023**

**6:50-9:00pm**

The theme for 2023 will focus on successful strategies for improved parent engagement.

This year's Parent, Family and Community Engagement Advisory Committee (PEAC) Regional Symposium will be guided by the [Director's Action Plan \(DAP\)](#) and its fourth goal which commits the YRDSB to build trust and collaborative relationships with students, families and staff through respectful and responsive communication focused on shared solutions.

Please register by accessing the [PEAC Regional Symposium webpage](#) where you will find the registration form as well as more information about the PEAC Regional Symposium.

Questions: [nina.saini@yrdsb.ca](mailto:nina.saini@yrdsb.ca)

## Message from Guidance

### SUMMER SCHOOL IS OPEN

Hello Markville Families;

Just a quick note to let you know that Summer School is now open for students to register. Students will use their **MyPathway Planner accounts in order to sign up**. They also must fill out a **Google Form available on the Guidance Google classroom**. The Google Form will act as confirmation of Guardian approval. Students **do not** have to hand in a printed copy of the registration. The student's registration will not be approved until the Google Form is completed and the Summer School Course is selected in myBlueprint.

There are two choices for summer school. **Acceleration courses** allow a student to complete an entire course in a **4 week** period. **Reinforcement courses** are **2 week** courses that allow a student who has been unsuccessful at receiving a credit to recover that credit. However, they **must have been granted permission** by the Principal to take this 2 week selection.

### Registration is now open for ACCELERATION COURSES ONLY.

If you want to sign up for a **REINFORCEMENT COURSE**, you must wait until registration for these courses opens, which should occur soon.

Acceleration courses (4 weeks) are run **In-Person at area schools, as well as Online (Asynchronous)**.

**Reinforcement courses** will run **Remotely (Synchronously)**.

All Summer School In-Person and Remote courses run from **8:45-3:33pm, with two 15 min breaks and a 40 min lunch**. **Full attendance is required** to attain the credit.

Summer School **In-Person Acceleration Courses** run from **JULY 5 to JULY 28**.

**Online Learning Acceleration courses** run from **JULY 4 to JULY 27**.

Students taking **Reinforcement Courses** have a choice of **two 2 week sessions**.

Session 1 will begin July 6 to July 17

Session 2 will begin July 18 to July 28

Summer School in-person **course choices and locations** can be viewed on the YRDSB website, as well as on MyBlueprint by clicking Continuing Education in the left Tab and 'Explore Courses.' Students will choose the school location that is convenient to them.

Example: **Sec – Summer School In-Person Milliken Mills HS**

The closest schools to Markville are **Milliken Mills, Markham District and Pierre Elliott Trudeau.**

Online courses, can be viewed in myBlueprint by selecting **Sec – Summer Online Learning (Asynchronous)**

International Languages courses are viewed under **Sec – Summer Remote Learning (Synchronous)**



## MSS Mental Health Resource

This is a mental health resource that will appear in the E-Bulletin weekly that was created by past and present Markville students.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zxvp0ngpV22ikM7Fow2FNIMxX2wErCF5/view?usp=sharing>

Markville Guidance Website Wellness Page:

<https://sites.google.com/gapps.yrdsb.ca/markvilleguidance/wellness>

# School Notices

## IMPORTANT REMINDER:

Students who are writing the OSSLT on **EITHER** Tuesday April 18th or Thursday April 20th are reminded to come to school on time and proceed directly to the **LIBRARY** where they will write the test. Students can check either the email sent to them and parents or the hard copy letter they received to be reminded of which day they are scheduled to write the literacy test. The main office also has a copy of the schedule, and if you have any questions, you may contact Ms. Mitrevski at [angie.mitrevski@yrdsb.ca](mailto:angie.mitrevski@yrdsb.ca)

## Upcoming Dates

Apr 17	Class of 2023 Grad Photo for the Yearbook (Beginning of Period 5)
Apr 18 and 20	OSSLT
Apr 19	YRPH Immunization Clinic (Large Gym)
Apr 19	Canadian National Film Day
Apr 20	Term 2 begins
Apr 22	Earth Day
May 3-5	Electronic Distribution of Midterm Reports



## Community Events

### Markham Celebrates Earth Day Event

- Presented by: City of Markham
- Date: Saturday, April 22nd, 2023
- Time: 10:00 am to 3:00 pm
- Location: Downtown Markham, 179 Enterprise Blvd, Markham
- Register: Drop in event, no registration necessary
- About: The City of Markham is celebrating Earth Day inside the Downtown Markham building complex! The event will provide Markham residents with a fun and educational take on environmental issues. Markham's Earth Day Celebration draws over 300 residents to the event annually. This year's event will be the first in-person celebration since the pandemic started. We have an exciting array of attractions including wildlife conservation animal booths, free electric vehicle test drives, and a sustainability fair. Listen in on our Children's Story Time to learn about energy conservation and pollination, ride the Pride of the Carousel, and complete our passport activity to enter a raffle for a prize!
- Questions: [sustainability@markham.ca](mailto:sustainability@markham.ca)

### Annual Earth Week Community Tree Planting

- Presented by: 10000 Trees
- Date: Saturday, April 29th, 2023 and Sunday, April 30th, 2023
- Time: 8:00 am to 1:30 pm and 9:00 am to 1:30 pm
- Location: Hillmount Park, 93 Hillmount rd.
- Register: [10000trees.com/](https://10000trees.com/)
- About: Join us at Hillmount Park, Markham – April 29 - 30, 2023 for our Annual Earth Week Community Planting to plant 3200 trees and shrubs. We are looking for 1000 volunteers! Please Note: April 29th is a Set-up Day – we will be moving plants and shovels into the field and setting up tents. April 30th will be the primary tree planting day.