

Sir William Mulock Secondary School



WEEKLY E-BULLETIN: THE RAVEN'S CALL

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Final June Edition

Home of the Ravens

Developing students of character, who are literate and numerate, is our main priority



Summer Communication

- The Board will be communicating any information as necessary to parents and families in a variety of ways
- There is much that needs to be planned given the timelines provided to the Board
- Once decisions around the teaching & learning model to be used in September is made by the Board (as approved by Ministry and Public Health) information will be shared by email, websites & social media.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As you know York Region District School Board will once again be offering acceleration and credit recovery/reinforcement courses during the summer.

- Acceleration courses start Monday, July 6 and ends Wednesday, July 29.
- Session 1 for credit recovery/reinforcement courses start Monday, July 6 and ends Thursday, July 16.
- Session 2 for credit recovery/reinforcement courses start Friday, July 17 and ends Thursday, July 29

Each day starts at the 8:45 am and ends at 3:33 pm. School buildings remain closed and the program will be delivered virtually from home. In some cases, course registrations have been moved to another summer school location to accommodate our learners. Students will be contacted if the course they registered in is cancelled. As an alternative, students can check the [course offerings](#) the day before the first class.

Before the start of the program, students will receive an introductory email from the site administrators sharing important information about summer school remote learning. The classroom teacher will also email with instructions on how to join the class on the first day. YRDSB students will login with their gapps accounts and Non-YRDSB students will be provided with different instructions that will be sent to the email address provided on their registration form.

Students are responsible for attending regularly scheduled classes and submitting work on a daily basis. There are two 15 minute breaks and a 40 minute lunch. Attendance will be taken.

Maria Maiato

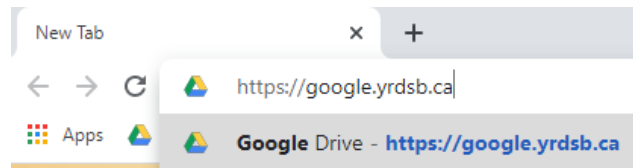
Secondary Summer School Remote Learning Coordinator

Electronic Report Card

How to Sign in to Your Student YRDSB Google Account and Access Gmail

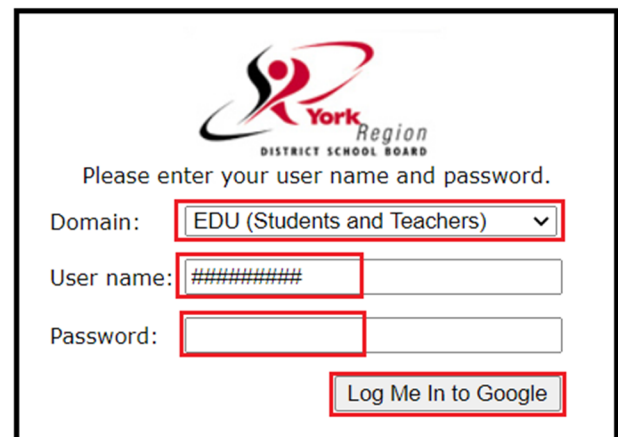
1. On a computer, via a web browser, go to the following web address: <https://google.yrdsb.ca>.

NOTE: These steps may not be successful using a smart phone or tablet.



2. Select **EDU (Students and Teachers)** in the *Domain* drop-down.
3. Enter your 9-digit student number in the *User name* field.
4. Enter your student YRDSB password in the *Password* field.

NOTE: If you require assistance with a student password, please contact your school directly. OR for other technical support, fill out the Google Apps form located at: <https://forms.gle/g25FtPmdkgPXUCMF8>

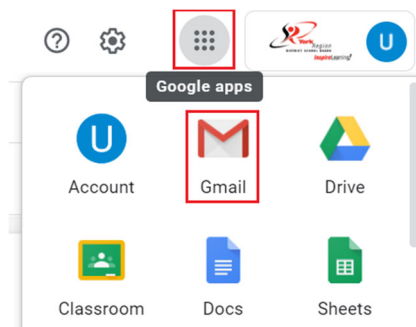


5. Once everything is entered, click **Log Me in to Google**.

NOTE: If it is the first time logging into your Student Google account, you will be prompted to accept the Usage Agreement.

6. Click the **Google apps** launcher icon in the upper right corner and select **Gmail**.

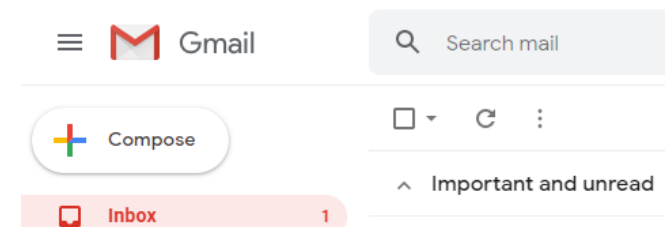
NOTE: Click **Next** and then click **OK** on the Tour Screen if this is the first time launching Gmail on the student's account.



7. Locate the email message with the subject **YRDSB**

Electronic Report Card to access the link to your Report Card.

Further instructions on use of the link is included in the email itself.





During the summer break of July and August, your school community is still here to provide supports.

If you are facing difficulties or challenges (i.e. access to food, shelter, services or locating community resources) contact:

Inclusive School & Community Services York Region
District School Board

Email: iscs@yrdsb.ca

Phone: 905-884-2046 Ext. 284

You will be contacted by one of our Community and Partnership Developers:

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Mental Health and Well Being Resources

Crisis Mental Health Supports for Students:

310-COPE: 905-310-COPE (2673) or 1-855-310-COPE (2673) - available 24/7

KidsHelpPhone: 1-800-668-6868, text 686868 - available 24/7

York Hills Help Phone Line: 905-503-9561 Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:30-4:00 p.m. for children and youth (0-18 years) and their parents, caregivers or adult supporters.

Black Youth Helpline: 1-833-294-8650

Taibu Community Health Centre: 416-644-3536

Tropicana Community Services: 416-439-9009

Newmarket Food Pantry Phone Number 905-895-6823 ext. 120

Click **Food Banks Information** for more information YRDSB website: www.yrdsb.ca



TO: All Students and Families
FROM: Community and Partnership Developer Team
DATE: Wednesday June 24, 2020
RE: Online Summer Program Opportunities for Children, Youth and Families

With the cancellation of many in-person programs and camps this summer, we are happy to provide you with a list of on-line opportunities for your children and youth. These are being provided by several of our YRDSB community partner organizations. Please right click on the link below to find a list of summer programs organized by category and age group.

[Summer 2020 Online Program Opportunities for Children, Youth and Families](#)

For information that you might require throughout the summer months, about community resources, financial benefits, food programs and mental health supports, please take the [Novel Coronavirus Update](#) link on the YRDSB website to access additional and up to date information.

Please check these links regularly as we will be making weekly updates to available programs and resources. For more information, you can also reach our department by emailing iscs@yrdsb.ca

We wish all of you a safe and healthy summer.

Sincerely,

Our Inclusive School and Community Services, Community and Partnership Developer Team.

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International and Indigenous Languages Fall Registration

Elementary School Programs

Students in Senior Kindergarten to Grade 8 can learn to read, write and speak a new language or maintain their heritage language. More than 20 different language courses are available. Registration for the 2020-2021 school year will begin in early July 2020. For locations, times and dates, please see the list of [Elementary courses](#).

Research shows that speaking more than one language has many cognitive benefits and may:

- improve how the brain functions such as improving memory and concentration
- enhance decision-making and multi-tasking skills
- open future employment opportunities

Please check our [website](#) in July for the most up to date information on registration and program delivery. Due to space limitations, registration will take place on a first come first served basis.

Secondary School Credit Programs

The Credit International and Indigenous Languages program, offering 15 different languages, is available to students from Grades 9 to 12. Registration is now open for the [upcoming 2020-2021 school course offerings](#), and closes on September 9, 2020.

Did you know there are many benefits to taking credit language courses?

Students can take one International Languages Course as a Group 1- Compulsory or as an Elective Credit towards their Ontario Secondary Diploma. Students can also earn up to three credits towards graduation. If students successfully complete the Level D - University course, it can be used as one of their top six (6) marks for post-secondary entry.

Please visit our [website](#) for more information about our courses, program delivery and registration information.

For More Information

Thank you for your interest in our programs. Please do not hesitate to e-mail us if you have any questions international.languages@yrdsb.ca

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Guidance News

The guidance department would like to wish everyone a great summer. Please note that the guidance office is closed for the summer.

Timetables for 2020-2021 will be distributed prior to the beginning of school in the fall. ***Students wishing to request a timetable change will have an opportunity to do so once the timetables have been distributed.***

Graduate Information

Since graduation is going to be in the fall this year and schools are closed we want to collect contact information from students so that we can send you info about graduation. Please complete the following [form](#) .

Summer School

Students who have signed up for summer school should check their GAPPS emails for instructions as to how to access their course.

Late Applications to University (through OUAC)

The Admission Information Service allows applicants to determine which universities may have places remaining in specific programs. This service will open June 5, 2020.

Please see the link below for further information: <https://www.ouac.on.ca/ouac-101/ais/>

Arts and Culture Jamaica Scholarship Fund - due July 1, 2020

This scholarship is for a Jamaican student pursuing post-secondary studies in the arts at an accredited Canadian University or College on a full-time basis. Fields of study include fine arts, performing arts, design, literature and other cultural forms. This scholarship has a value of up to \$1000

http://www.nubianbookclub.com/files/scholarship_flyer1.pdf

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DCCI Scholarship for Canadian Students with Disabilities

All applicants must submit essay & required documents no later than 6PM EST, July 31, 2020.

<https://disabilitycreditcanada.com/dcci-scholarship-for-canadian-students-with-disabilities/>

The annual scholarship winner will be awarded \$1,000 towards their tuition to an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution.

The scholarship will be awarded to a Canadian high school student with a documented disability who is pursuing post-secondary education in the field of study in health care, criminal justice or community & social services at an accredited Canadian institution for the upcoming academic year 2020/2021.



due Friday, August 7, 2020

The Bill 7 Award is a scholarship for individuals with demonstrated financial need after accessing available public financial supports. To be eligible to receive a Bill 7 Award scholarship, individuals must also meet ALL of the following three criteria:

- You are attending or accepted by a Post-Secondary Educational Institution in the Province of Ontario
- You are pursuing your **FIRST** post-secondary program of study
- You identify as lesbian, gay, bi-sexual, transgender, two-spirited or queer (LGBTQ)

How to Apply

Please complete the application form by clicking [HERE](#)

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Mon Sheong -Golden Jubilee Scholarship - due July 5, 2020

This year, MonSheong is selecting 2 recipients for the Golden Jubilee Scholarship. Each recipient will receive \$1000 per year for the duration of their studies, up to a maximum of 4 years (subject to renewal requirements).

To be eligible for the award, at least one of the applicant's high school or post secondary institution must be in Ontario. All applicants must be Canadian citizens or permanent residents.

[Application Details](#)



BFCN Annual Scholarships - due July 31, 2020

[Black Foundation of Community Networks \(BFCN\)](#)

These scholarships are for Black first time undergraduate students who demonstrate community involvement, leadership qualities, and financial need. Applicants must be accepted to or attending an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution on a full-time basis in September. See website for specific application details.

<http://bfcn.ca/scholarships>
info@bfcn.ca



Ms. Partridges' Grade 10 Food and Nutrition class Plating Challenge

