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To the parents/guardians of «First_Name» «Last_Name»

INFORMATION ITEMS

This e-bulletin contains important school information. If you have any comments or feedback, please email our school at sutton.dhs@yrdsb.ca

Budget Consultation Process for Staff, Families and Community Members

Between April 6 and April 25, 2022, York Region District School is inviting staff, families and community members to participate in the annual budget consultation process. Please select [HERE](#) for more information and to be a part of the consultation process.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT)

The OSSLT is a graduation requirement for all students. All Grade 10 students and any grade 11 and 12 students who have not yet successfully completed the test will write the test on April 28th.

Wed., April 20 – Morning – All students who are to write the test will participate in writing a practice version of the test.

Thursday, April 28 – All Day – Students will Write Session 1 in the morning. Once students complete session one they will move to the cafeteria to be supervised where they may choose to work on items for their courses. Students will write session 2 in the afternoon. Once students have completed session 2 they will move to the cafeteria for independent supervised learning activities.

SUTTON NEWS

The SDHS Eco Team is hosting a Clothing and Textiles Drive in coordination with Diabetes Canada. Any unwanted clothing and other textiles in good or bad condition can be taken to the main office from now until April 22 for the SDHS Clothing Drive. All donations are required to be brought in the plastic bag. Let's keep clothes out of the landfill!

SCHOOL COUNCIL

School Council will meet virtually at 7:00pm on Monday, April 25, 2022.

SUPPORTS FOR COMMUNITY MEMBERS WITH FAMILY AND LOVED ONES IMPACTED BY EVENTS IN UKRAINE

Supports for Community Members with Family and Loved Ones Impacted by Events in Ukraine can be found [HERE](#).

In solidarity with all of those in our community with family and loved ones impacted by the conflict in Ukraine.

GUIDANCE NEWS

Bursary and Scholarship Opportunities

BURSARY/SCHOLARSHIP	ACCESSING THE APPLICATION	APPLICATION DUE DATE
<p><u>CFUW Aurora/Newmarket Award</u> Scholarships are awarded to female secondary graduates for post-secondary studies.</p>	<p>Contact your guidance counselor OR Charitable Trust of CFUW A/N website www.charitabletrustcfuwaورانewmarket.com</p> <p>For selection criteria and application package, please visit: http://www.charitabletrustcfuwaورانewmarket.com/secondary-school-Awards.html</p>	<p>Saturday, April 30, 2022 11:59pm</p>
<p>The Alliance of Educators for Black Students (AEBS) 2022 Scholarships for Black Students Graduating from York Region District School Board High Schools</p>	<p>To learn more about scholarships, and to apply, students should visit: AEBS Scholarships 2022</p> <p>Students are required to sign into their YRDSB Google Account</p>	<div data-bbox="948 2085 1166 2354" data-label="Image"></div> <p>Application deadline is Monday, May 16, 2022</p>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Summer Pathway Opportunities (including Summer CO-OP)

Please click [YRDSB summer programs](#) Questions? Please contact your Guidance or Co-op department at your school

Summer Student Job Opportunities

During each summer the Board provides a limited number of employment opportunities for students currently enrolled in secondary school, college and/or university programs. Applications submitted by students will only be considered for summer student opportunities. If you seeking summer employment, please see the [YRDSB website](#) to view job postings and look for Summer Student Opportunities.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

To view our School Calendar with important upcoming dates, please select [here](#).

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT HOURS

For a complete guide to community involvement hours, please see the following [Student Guide to Community Hours](#)

- Students are required to get school approval and provide a copy of the form **prior** to completing their activities
- As a general rule, students **can not** complete hours in a for-profit-business
- Students who **graduate** within the 2021-2022 school year (prior to June 30, 2022) will need **20** community hours - the requirement for graduation after this date remains at 40 hours

For more information on Community Involvement and acceptable activities, please visit the [Community Involvement webpage](#) or the guidance office.

Community Involvement Hours Opportunities

New opportunities become available throughout the year. Please check Community Involvement Hours board in Guidance

«First_Name» «Last_Name» has completed «Community_Servi» hours of community volunteer hours. Community volunteer hour forms can be found in the Guidance Office. Please be advised the completed forms are processed periodically, the hours submitted to the office may not appear for up to four weeks. Please contact the Guidance Office to follow up should community service hours not appear after that time

ATTENDANCE REPORT

Please review the following attendance report. The report includes all lates and absences for your student for the week of April 11– April 14, 2022 inclusive. Classes with zero lates and zero absences may not appear on the report.

Course	Period	Teacher	Total Absences	Total Lates
«Course_A»	«Period_A»	«Teacher_Last_A»	«Absence_A»	«Lates_A»
«Course_B»	«Period_B»	«Teacher_Last_B»	«Absence_B»	«Lates_B»
«Course_C»	«Period_C»	«Teacher_Last_C»	«Absence_C»	«Lates_C»
«Course_D»	«Period_D»	«Teacher_Last_D»	«Absence_D»	«Lates_D»
Totals			«Total_Abs»	«Total_Lates»

ATTENDANCE

Student attendance is directly related to student success. It is very important that students are at school on time and in class daily. At Sutton District High School, when a student misses a class without a valid reason, our automated attendance program will phone home and email in the evening stating what grade the student is in and what class(es) were missed that day. If parents have any questions regarding the reported absence, they should check with their child and their child's teacher.

VALID ABSENCES

Only absences due to illness, medical/dental/legal appointments, bereavement, and school-sponsored activities are valid. All other absences, including missed buses and oversleeping are invalid. When a student is absent, it is the student's responsibility to ensure that the parent(s)/guardian(s) confirm knowledge of the validity of the absence.

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) are asked to call or email the attendance office at 722-3267 or sutton.dhs@yrdsb.ca (accessible 24 hours daily) on the morning of each day their child will be absent. Informing of the absence prior to the day or on the day of the absence will allow the information to be entered and will prevent the need for a phone call home or for the student to obtain an admit slip upon return. In certain instances, medical documentation may be required. Students are responsible for informing teachers in advance of an anticipated absence. **Students are responsible for all missed work (tests, assignments, class notes) when absent and are encouraged to obtain this work from their teacher beforehand when possible.**

Thank you,
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