

TECH CORNER

Have questions? Your guidance counsellors are still available to help you! Get in touch with us through email!

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GUIDANCE NEWS

MAY 11TH – MAY 15TH 2020

PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

UNITY 10-WEEKS ONLINE WORKSHOP

A new 10-week series of free online-workshops for youth led by Unity. The courses will teach Hip Hop art forms (Spoken Word, Emceeing, DJing, Street Dance, Breaking, and Beatboxing), all through the lens of mental wellness and resilience.

UNITY LIVE SCHEDULE

FREE WEEKLY ONLINE WORKSHOPS AND CONTENT FOR YOUTH (AGES 12-29*)

ON ZOOM AND INSTAGRAM LIVE

APRIL 20 TO JUNE 26

MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS
MINDFUL MONDAYS HOST: REDDIE 3 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 794-785-562	INTRO TO BEATBOXING HOST: SPARK 3 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 138-915-679	LETTERING & HANDSTYLES HOST: ADRIAN 3 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 172-281-912
INTRO TO BREAKING HOST: CLINTON / ADRIAN 7 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 792-225-615	INTRO TO SPOKEN WORD HOST: DAVID / REDDIE 7 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 239-369-282	STREET DANCE HOST: CAT / MEL 7 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 659-654-345
THURSDAYS LIVE Q&A FEAT. UNITY ARTISTS 3 PM Instagram Live unitysharex	FRIDAYS INTRO TO EMCEEING HOST: SWITCH B 3 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 951-040-708	SATURDAYS INTRO TO DJING HOST: ANDEL / ADRIAN 3 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 569-627-659
	INTERMEDIATE BREAKING HOST: BOB / MCK 7 PM Zoom Link Zoom ID: 455-515-518	

Ontario Trillium Foundation, Fondation Trillium de l'Ontario, Sun Life, MACKENZIE Investments, FLOURISH, TORONTO, UNITY

LEARNING AT HOME...

If you are in need of a device to help with remote learning, then the TDSB is here to help! Fill out the form [here](#) to request a device.

EVENT OPPORTUNITIES

VIRTUAL TOURS: THE CANADIAN STUDENT GUIDE FOR VIEWING SCHOOLS DURING COVID-19

Need help deciding where to go for college/university next year? Take a virtual tour! Here's the link:

<https://blog.studentlifenet.com/2020/03/25/virtual-tours-campus-student-guide/>

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES

TDSB ELearning Summer School

Registration for TDSB ELearning Summer School has started! If you want to take a course, you can register [here](#):

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/elearning/e-Summer-School>

Contact your guidance counsellor if you have any questions!

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

GRADUATE AWARDS

The deadline for the Earl Haig graduate awards has been extended to May 15. Check out our guidance site at <http://www.earlhaig.ca/guidance> for more information or to apply. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Low at darren.low@tdsb.on.ca

The Jean Lumb

The Jean Lumb awards are presented to students of Chinese heritage who have achieved excellence in Academics, Athletics, the Arts, Community Services, Defence of the Environment, Dignity of Life, and Innovation. To apply, or for more information, visit: www.jeanlumbfoundation.ca.

Deadline: May 18, 2020

The Rotary Club of Toronto's scholarship

The Rotary Club of Toronto's scholarship opportunity for students. Due date for students to apply is **June 1, 2020**. To Apply, or for more information, please contact Mr. Low at Darren.low@tdsb.on.ca

- Visit website for more information: www.forum.ca
- If you have questions you can also contact: lberg@forum.ca or 613-233-4086 ext. 1

Bill 7 Award

The Bill 7 Award Scholarship application is now open for students who are currently enrolled in, or will be starting their FIRST post-secondary program at an Ontario institution. Full details and the application form are available at www.bill7award.ca. Application deadline is Friday, August 7, 2020 @ 5 p.m. Please note that a reference letter is required, so if necessary, please connect with school staff as soon as possible if you are considering an application.

**Scholarships
Made Simple.**

ScholarTree is the #1 place to
**Find Scholarships or
Start a Scholarship in Canada!** 

Check out <http://www.scholarlartree.ca> for an easy-to-use scholarship database. The majority of scholarships will be awarded over the next 2 months so apply soon

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

At this time it is important to check in on each other, it is great to send a DM, send a snap, or post a pic, but sometimes you need to make sure hear their voice. We know you are on your gadgets more than ever, so here are some sites that can assist you to support a friend in need.

<https://bethere.org/Home>

<https://mindyourmind.ca/>

<http://teenmentalhealth.org/toolbox/>

<https://www.stressedteens.com/covid-19-tool-kit>

Kids Help Phone.ca


Call: 1-800-668-6868

Text: CONNECT to 686868




COVID-19 Youth Mental Health Resource Hub

<https://jack.org/covid>



**Come out and
Run/walk a 5k
for Mental
Health During
this period of
Stress and
Uncertainty**



#unbreakablechallenge
Instructions: Run by
yourself while following
physical distancing
measures. Record your 5km
finishing time.

Date of this Virtual Race
To be Announced in the
near future.

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PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

ONLINE SERVICES



**NEW TO CANADA? IN HIGH SCHOOL?
THINKING ABOUT
A FUTURE CAREER?**

Newcomer Youth: Connections for Success (NYCS) is the program for you!

- Online workshops
- Explore possible career directions
- Learn about colleges and universities in Canada
- Understand educational financial planning options
- Gain valuable workplace skills
- Access volunteer opportunities related to potential careers
- Connect with mentors
- Meet new friends and grow your social circle

Joining NYCS is easy!
Contact
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ACADEMIC RESOURCES



Math Help During COVID-19

<https://www.khanacademy.org/math/high-school-math>

JVS Newcomer Youth Connections for Success
Free customer service certificate for 14-18 year-old newcomers to Canada. Lunch is on us - eGift card!
Join a workshop and get a food eGift card for your favourite meal.

Website: www.jvs.toronto.org/workshop-calendar.

Email michael.slabodnik@jvs.toronto.org or yahav.barnea@jvs.toronto.org

ONLINE WORKSHOPS

**NEWCOMER YOUTH
EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOPS**

NYCS: Newcomer Youth Connections for Success



Service Excellence - Ontario Tourism Education Corporation

Looking for a job in retail & sales? This certification will take you one step closer to your goal! Go beyond basic customer service and explore service experiences from the perspective of the customer. Delve into the many factors that affect your customers' needs and expectations and create your own action plan for providing exceptional service.

May 28, 10-3:00

Open to youth ages 14 to 18 with a permanent residents card or convention refugees. A computer and internet access are required. Link and instructions provided upon registration.

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To register, email michal.slabodnik@jvs.toronto.org or Yahav.Barnea@jvs.toronto.org
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