

June 8, 2017

Dear Students, Staff, Parents & Guardians of Winston Churchill Collegiate Institute,

On behalf of the Toronto District School Board, we wish to inform you that on Wednesday, June 7, 2017, the Board approved a series of Principal and Vice-Principal Promotions and Transfers within the system. These approvals will result in an administrative change for your school.

The current Vice-Principal, Ken Mulgrew, has been transferred to the position of Vice-Principal at Sir Oliver Mowat Collegiate Institute. We wish to thank Ken for his dedication to the Winston Churchill school community over a number of years. Under his leadership, the school has undergone many positive changes, which will continue into the future. We wish him all the best as he continues his administrative role at his new school.

It is our pleasure to welcome Claudine Tyrell as the new Vice-Principal of Winston Churchill Collegiate Institute. Claudine is currently the Program Co-Ordinator - Guidance, Career & Adolescent Development at the Toronto District School Board. Claudine has played an instrumental role in championing Equity across the system by investing in Student Leadership activities that have empowered all students, but particularly those students, who have been marginalized. Claudine has been primarily responsible for organizing the African Diaspora Conference at the University of Windsor, the Student leadership Conference at Harvard University, as well as numerous Student Success Initiatives.

Previous to her role as Program Co-Ordinator, Claudine had served successfully as a Curriculum Leader of Guidance in a school, as well as a centrally assigned Instructional Leader in Guidance, Career and Adolescent Development. Claudine brings a wealth of leadership experience to Winston Churchill. In addition to her educational leadership, Claudine is a tireless advocate for students and demonstrates an unwavering commitment to increase student achievement. She values open communication and has worked collaboratively with staff, students, parents and community partners to support and ensure student success. We are certain you will enjoy working with Claudine and that the students and staff will benefit from her leadership.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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