



Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute

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Carol Richards-Sauer, Principal

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Dear Parent/Guardians:

Welcome to Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute! We offer a solid academic experience to students. Our learning environment is defined by conscientious and respectful students, caring and specialist teachers, and an unwavering respect for close partnership with parents. We are a semestered school which offers grade 9 students the added benefit of managing their transition to high school in a supportive, responsive and structured environment. Students take **four** courses each semester for a total of **eight** courses for the entire year. We set high expectations for our students which allow them to focus on success and build leadership skills through a variety of co-curricular experiences.

At Albert Campbell, we value student voice and choice because we see these as important aspects of student success. We have the structure, experience and commitment to support students entering grade 9 in all the pathways they may choose. We believe students should be supported according to their needs and be provided with enrichment according to their aspirations.

All students scheduled to attend Albert Campbell for the 2017/2018 school year are eligible to be considered for our Enriched Grade 9 English, Math and Science courses. Space is limited to 30 students per course. To decide final enrolment, consideration will be given to the grade 8 teachers' recommendation, an information form and attendance at an orientation session **which will include a written Math, Science and English component** for interested students to demonstrate level of **numeracy, literacy and problem solving** skills. This session will be on **Friday, January 20, 2017 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Albert Campbell C.I.** Please see the second page for materials needed for you to be prepared for the written component.

All students who wish to be considered for enriched courses must complete the information form and bring it with them to the orientation session on January 20. The form will be available from your grade 8 guidance counselor. Please **register for the Orientation** by phoning the guidance secretary, Ms. Cynthia Lou at 416-396-6684 ext. 20041, or by emailing our Curriculum Leader of Guidance, Mr. Qaiser Ahmad (qaiser.ahmad@tdsb.on.ca) by **January 13**. If, after registering, you wish to **cancel your registration** for the orientation, please email Mr. Qaiser Ahmad by **January 16**.

Please see timelines and additional information on the next page.

We look forward to seeing you at the orientation for enriched learning. Please visit our website or phone our Curriculum Leader of Guidance, Mr. Ahmad, if you have further questions.

Sincerely,

Carol Richards-Sauer

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ENRICHED LEARNING @ ALBERT CAMPBELL

Registration for 2017/ 2018

January 20, 2017

Orientation for Enriched Learning

- Session will be from **10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** at Albert Campbell C.I. in the library.
- The following items are required to be brought to the Orientation:
 - I. Completed (signed) **Information Form for Enrichment Courses**
 - II. Pencil, pen, eraser, and a scientific non-graphing calculator

By February 17, 2017

- Student and parents/guardians will receive our recommendations
- The number of students accepted into our enriched courses will depend upon our projected enrolment. Students may be placed on a waiting list. We will accept 30 students per course.

By February 24, 2017

- Parents are required to confirm acceptance of our recommendation for enrolment in enriched course(s)
- Submit a completed Grade 9 Course Selection Sheet to your elementary guidance counselor (or earlier as required by your school)

Please indicate the appropriate enriched level course(s) on your grade 9 course selection sheet to indicate acceptance. For additional information, please phone Albert Campbell's Guidance secretary, Ms. Lou, at **416-396-6684 ext. 20041**, or email Mr. Qaiser Ahmad: (qaiser.ahmad@tdsb.on.ca).

Final registration in any enriched course is conditional upon successful completion of Grade 8.

Please speak to your grade 8 guidance counsellor for additional information, or call the Student Services department at Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute.



Information Form for Enriched Learning

Please print clearly.

| Personal Information | | | |
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| Last Name | | Given Name | Student Number |
| Date of Birth (yyyy/mm/dd) | Gender | Current School | Home Phone Number |
| Address | | | City |
| Province | Postal Code | Student Email Address | |
| Parent/Guardian Name | | Parent/Guardian Email Address | |

Enriched courses at the Grade 9 level are offered in English, Mathematics and Science. Please indicate () which courses you would like to enroll in (you may select 1, 2, or all 3 courses):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> English – ENG1D3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics – MPM1D3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Science – SNC1D3 |
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| Enriched Learning Reflection |
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| Please share any experiences, interests, and/or skills you have that will prepare you for grade 9 enriched learning. |
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Your signature indicates your interest to register your child in the enriched courses selected above at Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute for the 2017-2018 school year. Conditional acceptance to Enriched Learning will be communicated to you by February 17, 2017.

I understand that final acceptance in our Enriched Learning courses for September is conditional upon the successful completion of the students' Grade 8 program.

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| _____ Parent Signature | _____ Student Signature | _____ Date |
| _____ Elementary School Counsellor/Designate | _____ Signature | _____ Date |