

Newsletter #13 Friday November 6, 2020

DMCI hosted its first Virtual Graduation ceremony last night. We want to congratulate all graduates on their accomplishments and we are excited for your future endeavours! On Wednesday, students in Grade 9 participated in Take Your Kids to Work Day to see the world of work and explore careers.

2020-2021 DMCI Parent Council ***NEW**: Please note that at the October DMCI Parent Council Meeting the following Executive was established. A number of voting members were also determined at the meeting. If you have questions about the DMCI Parent Council, please feel free to contact these executive members at the contact information below. We had an excellent turnout at the last online meeting and look forward to having you join us for the next meeting on **Tuesday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m.** The link will follow closer to the meeting date.

Chair	Andrew MacKay	Andrew.MacKay@tdsb.on.ca
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Staff Meeting Dates: ***REMINDER** The next staff meeting is **Tuesday November 10.** On Staff Meeting days, the daily schedule will be adjusted to the following:

- **Period 1 (in-person learning) 8:45am – 12:05pm**
- **Period 2 (virtual learning) 1:35pm – 2:35pm**

Semester 2 Night School ***NEW**: Registration for Semester 2 Night School will **open on January 4, 2021.** Courses will be offered virtually on Mon/Wed evenings or Tues/Thurs evenings from 6:30 – 9:30 pm. Visit: www.creditprograms.ca for course offering, program details and more registration information. Space fills up fast so plan to register early.

Students Not Feeling Well ***REMINDER**: Families and students are reminded that if students are feeling unwell then they **MUST** stay home and follow the COVID protocol. Please ensure you take the time to look at the REVISED [Student Screening Poster](#). If students will be missing tests, assignments or other evaluations then they should reach out by email to their teachers and alternate arrangements will be made. **On no account should students attend school if they are feeling unwell / have symptoms.** In this situation, students will be immediately isolated and families will be called to come pick up the student. Families should have a 'pick-up' plan ready in the event this happens. **If a student is sent home because they are showing symptoms a “[Return to School Form](#)” needs to be filled out and signed.** This form will be given to the student and family. If a student is ill off-site we can scan/send the form.

Upcoming Dates:

November 10 – Early Closing Schedule (Staff Meeting)

November 17 – Last Day of Quad 1

November 18/19 – Schedule to follow (Credit Rescue and Course Check-ins)

November 20 – PA Day

November 23 – First Day of Quad 2