

Email January 19, 2018

### **Director's Visit**

We had the great fortune to host a visit from Dr. John Malloy, Director of Education for the TDSB and Leila Girdhar-Hill, our Superintendent of Education for Learning Network 1. We had the opportunity to discuss the professional learning that is happening in the school and advancing equity work that underpins the school improvement plan.

Dr. Malloy invests a great amount of time in visiting the various schools in the board, and this was his first visit to Forest Hill Collegiate. He was impressed by the beautiful, clean facility and the warm and welcoming reception by students and staff. We visited 3 different learning environments where he was able to speak with students about their learning and their experiences at FHCI. We look forward to having him return in the future.

### **Joint Ward (8, 11 & 13) Forum – January 23<sup>rd</sup> at Deer Park PS (7:00 -9:00 p.m.)**

All community members are invited to the joint Ward Forum. In addition to the meeting with our Trustee, Shelley Laskin, Dr. John Malloy will be speaking about the TDSB's accomplishments, challenges and opportunities. Refreshments and childcare will be provided.

### **Exams**

- Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> is the last regular day of classes.
- Tuesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, teachers are available from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. for tutorial support.
- Attached is another copy of the Final Exam Schedule. Please review the dates and times of your child's exams and ensure that this schedule is somewhere visible in your home.
- Students must bring textbooks for return at the time of their exam. Any students that have lost their textbooks should be paying the replacement in the Main Office prior to the exam.
- Students missing an exam will receive a mark of 0 unless medical documentation (Missed Evaluation Form) is provided, stating that the student was too ill to write their exam.

Here is a link to a great student blog about effective strategies for exam preparation: [Big Ideas SUNY](#)

### **End of Course Evaluation Review – Wednesday, January 31**

1:15 - 1:35 p.m.	Period 1 (A)
1:40 - 2:00 p.m.	Period 2 (B)
2:05 - 2:25 p.m.	Period 3 (C)
2:30 – 2:50 p.m.	Period 4 (D)

***This is the opportunity for students to review their exams and marked culminating activities and receive their final marks prior to receiving their Semester 1 Final Report Card.***

Students should alert their teacher if an arithmetic error has been made on their exam.

Exam papers will not be remarked at this time.

If a student wishes to have a question reviewed, they must speak to their Vice Principal.

### **Semester 2**

Semester 2 classes begin on Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>. It is a regular full day schedule. Students have already received a copy of their timetable. Any changes must be made prior to 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Tuesday January 30.

Important dates and upcoming events can always be found on the school website and follow us on Twitter @foresthilci

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