





JG WORKMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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February 26th to March 1, 2024 Vol. 24

Monday Feb 26 Day 3	Tuesday Feb 27 Day 4	Wednesday Feb 28 Day 5	Thursday Feb 29 Day 1	Friday March 1 Day 2
	 1:30 PM – Grade 8 Ball Hockey @ SATEC	<div style="background-color: #FF00FF; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> PINK SHIRT DAY </div>		 March 1 – 12:45 PM – Assembly

Upcoming Dates:

March 11 – 15 – Mid Winter Break – No school for students & staff

March 12 – Ramadan Begins

March 21 – Pizza Day

PINK SHIRT DAY – Wednesday, February 28, 2027:

Pink Shirt Day falls on the last Wednesday of February every year; the mission is to create a more kind, inclusive world by raising awareness against bullying.

Here is a snippet of an article detailing the original incident:

"David Shepherd, Travis Price and their teenage friends organized a high-school protest to wear pink in sympathy with a Grade 9 boy who was being bullied [for wearing a pink shirt]...[They] took a stand against bullying when they protested against the harassment of a new Grade 9 student by distributing pink T-shirts to all the boys in their school. 'I learned that two people can come up with an idea, run with it, and it can do wonders,' says Mr. Price, 17, who organized the pink protest. 'Finally, someone stood up for a weaker kid.' So Mr. Shepherd and some other headed off to a discount store and bought 50 pink tank tops. They sent out message to schoolmates that night, and the next morning they hauled the shirts to school in a plastic bag. As they stood in the foyer handing out the shirts, the bullied boy walked in. His face spoke volumes. 'It looked like a huge weight was lifted off his shoulders,' Mr. Price recalled. The bullies were never heard from again."

– GLOBE & MAIL

Thanks to Sia, Lina, Nadia & Ms. Kirby for Celebrating African Heritage Month by creating this beautiful display .



Ms. Telky's grade 3/4 created this quilt of 20 influential Black personalities in Canada's history



Inviting all **tdsb** K-Gr.8
parents and caregivers to

BUILDING MATHEMATICAL MINDS (PART 2)

Supporting Your Child in Acquiring
Math Skills For Success

**Wednesday, March 6
6:30-8:00pm (on Zoom)**

Session Overview:

Join us for Part 2 of Building Mathematical Minds as we delve deeper into math strategies to support your child's learning at home. We will also have an opportunity to engage in an interactive Q&A session with the presenters. Let's continue to work together to enhance your child's math journey.

Presenters:

Jason To (Co-ordinator, Secondary Mathematics and Academic Pathways), Onika Brown (Principal), Simon Mgaya (Principal), Jamile Lewis (Math Learning Partner), Gail Bedeau, Uloma Onyido, Mubarak Baker (School Improvement Process Coaches), Lisa O'Dell (Former K-12 Coach)



3 Ways to Register

1. CLICK HERE TO REGISTER

2. VISIT bit.ly/part2mathminds2024

3. Scan QR Code



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