



# Northview Heights S.S.



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April 20 to 24, 2026

CURRENT WEEK	NEXT WEEK
<b>Mon. April 20</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TDSB Creates, Pr. 1&amp;2</li> <li>Admin meeting, 9:30-11:00 a.m.</li> <li>TDSB Creates, Period 1&amp;2</li> <li>Ripley's Aquarium, Field Trip</li> <li>Fire Drill</li> <li>Ultimate Vs. WL Mackenzie/Sir John A. Macdonald, 3:00 p.m. &amp; 4:00 p.m. in Stadium</li> </ul>	<b>Mon. April 27</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Admin Meeting, 8:00 a.m.</li> <li>IPRC's, a.m.</li> <li>MADD Assemblies, Period 1&amp;2</li> <li>Girls Flag Football Vs. Weston Collegiate, 3:45 p.m. in Stadium</li> </ul>
<b>Tues. April 21</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Report Cards Distribution</li> <li>TDSB Creates, Pr. 1&amp;2</li> <li>OCAS Transmission</li> <li>OUAC Transmission</li> <li>Lunch-Developing Teacher Workshop, Lunch time in Room 233</li> <li>Downsview S.S, Field Trip</li> <li>Dr. Norman Bethune C.I., Field Trip</li> <li>IPRC's</li> </ul>	<b>Tues. April 28</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gr. 9 Math PD @ Northview</li> <li>Mark Maintain Date</li> <li>Girls Soccer Vs. CW Jefferys, 3:30 p.m. in Stadium</li> <li>IPRC's</li> </ul>
<b>Wed. April 22</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Late Start</b>, 9:55 a.m.</li> <li>PLC, 8:45 a.m.</li> <li>BMO, Field Trip</li> <li>Ultimate Vs. George Vanier, 3:30 p.m. in Stadium</li> <li>IPRC's</li> </ul> 	<b>Wed. April 29</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Late Start</b>, 9:55 a.m.</li> <li>Admin Meeting, 8:00 a.m.</li> <li>Staff Meeting OSSTF Survey, 8:45 a.m.</li> <li>Vietnamese Visitors Tour, 10 a.m.</li> <li>IPRC's, a.m.</li> <li>IST, p.m.</li> <li>All Gender Volleyball Vs. WL Mackenzie, 3:30 p.m. in Gym 1&amp;2</li> <li>Girls Flag Football Vs. North Albion, 3:34 p.m. in Stadium</li> </ul> 
<b>Thurs. April 23</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All Gender Volleyball Vs. Earl Haig, 3:30 p.m. in Gym 1&amp;2</li> <li>Hodgson M.S., Field Trip</li> <li>IPRC's</li> </ul>	<b>Thurs. April 30</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ripley's Aquarium, Field Trip</li> <li>IPRC's</li> <li>Girls Soccer Vs. WL Mackenzie, 3:30 in Stadium</li> </ul>
<b>Fri. April 24</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Full Disclosure</li> <li>DECA ICDC Atlanta Starts</li> <li>Staff Potluck, Lunchtime</li> <li>IPRC's</li> <li>Girls Soccer Vs. Downsview, 3:30 p.m. in Stadium</li> </ul>	<b>Fri. May 1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>SAC Election Assembly and Voting</li> <li>IPRC's</li> </ul>

## Long Range Planning:

- May 4-8 - Northview Cares
- May 05 - Leadership Team Meeting, 3:30 p.m.
- Red Dress Day
- School Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- Superintendent Visit
- May 6-7 - Court House, Field Trip
- May 07 - Caring and Safe School Meeting, Lunchtime
- Arts Night 2026, 6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
- May 12 - SST (a.m.)
- May 13 - Speak Out
- FOS Meeting, p.m. in Library

- May 14 - Challah Bake Event
- OSAP Information Evening
- May 15 - Grade 8 Tours
- May 18 - Victoria Day (Holiday)
- May 20 - Late Start, 9:55 a.m.
- PLC Meeting, 8:45 a.m.
- May 21 - Phoenix Fest
- Cyber Grad 5:30-8:30p.m.
- May 27 - Late Start 9:55 a.m.
- Staff Meeting 8:45 a.m.
- May 28 - Prom
- May 29 - Phoenix 5000

**Congratulations!**

Hi Northview,  
After a long day of competition, Northview placed second in the 4 Team House Build and will advance to the Ontario finals. Congratulations to:  
Patrick Duong, Danny Le Ngoc, Misha Ruzanov, Fernando Valencia Cruz

**Engineering excellence at Northview Heights**

**Team Overdrive**, our School's STEM Racing Team (Formerly F1 in schools) competed against 11 other Canadian high schools last weekend at the Canadore College Sportsplex in the country's first-ever STEM Racing Canadian National Championships in North Bay.

Teams designed CO2-powered race cars and created portfolios that were judged for engineering, design, and sponsorship development. The teams car clocked a remarkable and lightning-fast time of 1.236 seconds—trailing first place by a mere 0.0006 seconds.

Team Overdrive is seen here on CTV News:



<https://www.ctvnews.ca/northern-ontario/video/2026/04/13/canadas-first-stem-racing-champs-crowned/>

Team Photos and their Formula One "Pit Display" are just below.

Kudos to our admin team for supporting our students, and to the students for their commitment to experiential STEM education at Northview.

**Innovate. Accelerate. Team Overdrive!**



**Free Afternoon Snacks**

Beginning on Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup> hungry students will be able to pick up fruit and other snacks in the front foyer at the end of the day. Many thanks to the [Toronto Foundation for Student Success](#) for their continued generous support of Northview's Nutrition Program.



### **Guidance News:**

#### **Potential Graduates Volunteer Hour Deadline- April 17, 2026:**

As posted in the grade 12 Guidance Google Classroom, potential graduates must submit the remainder of their volunteer hours, whether it be to fulfill the 40 hours minimum requirement or, for additional hours to be entered, by April 17, 2026. Please submit your hours to Ms. Snider, in the guidance office.

#### **Next Automatic OCAS/OUAC Transmission date, April 21, 2026:**

All potential graduates who currently have an OUAC and/or OCAS account are asked to check the academics section of their accounts the following week to ensure that all information is accurate. Students must see their guidance counsellor immediately if there notice any inaccuracies.

#### **Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP) Information Evening:**

**Date:** Thursday May 14, 2026

**Time:** 6:30-7:30

**Location:** Northview Heights S.S library

#### **Know Your Worth Scholarship Opportunities for Students of African Heritage:**

The African Heritage Month Planning Volunteer Committee and TDSB are committed to encouraging and supporting students of African heritage to further their post-secondary education. The African Heritage Month Volunteer Planning Committee is pleased to announce that students of African heritage who are graduating from a TDSB secondary school can now apply for the Know Your Worth Scholarships.

##### ***The scholarship offers three categories:***

- Know Your Worth Umoja Leadership Award – Deadline is April 24 at 7 p.m.
- Know Your Worth Kujichagulia Academic Award – Deadline is May 8 at 7 p.m.

Each award has a prize of \$2,000. The information package below explains the scholarship's eligibility, conditions, criteria, and submission requirements.

Click link [2025 Know Your Worth Scholarship Package](#) for all three Know Your Worth Scholarships

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### **MADD CANADA ASSEMBLIES**

On Monday, April 27th, we are hosting a MADD Canada Presentation for senior students (Grade 11 and 12). The presentation, including powerful video dramatization, will address the dangers of driving under the influence and risks involved with substance abuse. Grade 11 classes will be attending the assembly during period 1, and grade 12 classes will be attending the assembly during period 2.

MADD stands for Mothers Against Drunk Driving, and staff are asked to watch the preview video in advance found [here](#). A promotional video for the assembly is also available [here](#). If teachers are interested in further discussions with their classes, there is also an Educator's Guide that can be accessed [here](#).

Once we have established how many seats are taken up by senior students in each assembly, a sign up list will go out to grade 9 and 10 classes if space is available.

We know this is an interruption at a busy time of the year, but the messaging is very relevant and important for our youth. As always, thanks for your support!

#### **Presentation Information:**

Youth and school programming have been a key component of MADD Canada's youth services, education and awareness initiatives since 1994. The programs are designed to communicate directly with young people on their level and in their language and encourage them to take a closer look at their values and perceptions. MADD Canada's School Presentation is a powerful dramatization about the tragic consequences of impaired driving. The video ends with testimonials from real-life victims who share their heartbreaking stories with the audience. MADD Canada's School Presentation targets students in grades 7 through 12.

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## SAC ELECTIONS

The SAC Election process is underway. This year, there are 25 nominees for positions and it's great to see so many students interested in these leadership positions.

As the Student Activity Council is a democratically elected student group, there will be a campaign period from April 23rd through May 1st. On May 1st, all nominees will be making speeches at SAC Election assemblies so our voting population (grade 9, 10 and 11 students) can hear directly from candidates. Voting by paper ballots will also take place on May 1st.

## TELUS WISE Presentation

As part of our Northview Cares week promoting positive mental health and well-being from May 4th to 8th, it is important to address the impact of the digital world on the lives of adolescents. Guided by PPM 170 and TDSB PR 589, which emphasize student well-being and responsible technology use, we are excited to be hosting a TelusWISE Presentation on Monday, May 4th during Period 1 for approximately 20 classes. Julie Moran-Illes, a TelusWISE Ambassador, will be engaging teens in a conversation about building and maintaining a healthy relationship with technology, and she will be offering tips on ensuring resiliency and well-being in our connected world. TelusWISE is a TDSB Educational Partner, and further resources for students, parents and staff can be found online at <https://www.telus.com/en/wise>.



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Northview student **Emme Doan**, a distinguished current member of the Youth Advisory Squad (YAS), has been selected to participate in the upcoming **AST Symposium** taking place on **Monday May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. EST**. This Sex Trafficking Awareness and Prevention Symposium is a collaborative initiative organized by Covenant House, bringing together community organizations such as OneChild, Aura Freedom International, Toronto Police Service (TPS) ICE, TPS Human Trafficking Unit, BOOST Child & Youth Advocacy Centre, White Ribbon, Mary Ward Centre, and Victim Services Toronto, in collaboration with the Toronto District School Board (TDSB).

At this prestigious event, Emme will be taking the stage to address an audience of around 300 students, her peers, where she will share the importance and power of youth-led action in the fight against child sexual exploitation. Her participation will inspire her audience with her passion and commitment to creating meaningful change in the community.

### Social Media & Safety, The Last Event for the School Year

A Parents' Roadmap is an engaging evening for parents and caregivers to better understand the digital world young people are navigating every day. We will talk openly about online exploitation, sextortion and AI, and harmful digital behaviours, while keeping the focus on practical, realistic ways to support children's safety and well-being online.

This session is about building confidence, not fear. You will leave with clear strategies, conversation starters, and tools to help your child make safer choices, set healthy boundaries, and know when and how to ask for help. To Register for the event, please click here:

[Registration Link](#)

Food will be served, childcare is available, and community partners will be present. We hope you will join us for an evening of learning, connection, and shared care.

For any further questions, please contact [mentalhealthandwellbeing@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:mentalhealthandwellbeing@tdsb.on.ca).



## JOIN US Social Media and Safety: A Parents' Roadmap



**PRESENTATIONS BY  
Aubrey Noronha, Hello Hope & TDSB Partner,  
Toronto Police Services and Community Partners**

**Learn about:**

-  **The risks of online exploitation**
-  **Sextortion and AI**
-  **Harmful digital behaviours**
-  **Gain practical strategies to keep your children safe in the digital world.**

-  **Food will be served**
-  **Childcare is available**



**DATE: Thursday, April 23, 2026**



**LOCATION: Weston CI**

**100 Pine Street, Toronto ON M9M 2Y9**



**TIME: 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.**

**FOR FURTHER INQUIRIES: Shameen Sandhu, Ph.D., RSW.  
System Leader Mental Health & Professional Support Services**



**[mentalhealthandwellbeing@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:mentalhealthandwellbeing@tdsb.on.ca)**





# KERNELS POPCORN!

**PRESALE IS AVAILABLE ON  
SCHOOL CASH ONLINE:  
APRIL 17<sup>TH</sup> - 22<sup>ND</sup>**

**\$3**

Want to send to a friend?  
Visit the **prom booth at lunch**  
(front foyer) April 14-16, 21 & 22

Write the **recipient's name,**  
**period 2 class & include**  
**a note!**

 **FLAVOURS:**  
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BUTTERSALT  
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SALT & VINEGAR  
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WHITE CHEDDAR  
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LOW FAT CARAMEL





**Sensory Board**

Mrs. Brand's HPW3C class created Sensory Boards for the Northview Daycare kids to test/play with. Today we learned a lesson on durability and the strength of toddlers!





### Willowdale Youth Council Park Clean-Up (Volunteer Hours for Students)

Join the Willowdale Youth Council for a community park clean-up and help keep our neighbourhood green and welcoming for everyone!

We'll begin at Willowdale Park, make our way north to Lee Lifeson Park, and wrap up at Mitchell Field Community Centre. Along the route, we'll work together to collect litter and care for these shared spaces.

Garbage bags and gloves will be provided onsite—just bring yourself, comfortable clothing, and a positive attitude.

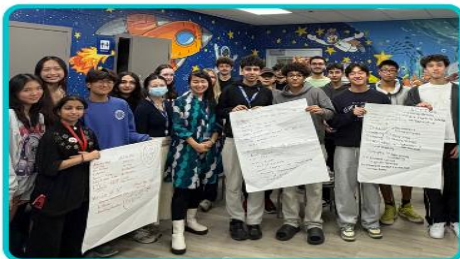
Whether you stay for the full route or drop in for part of it, every bit of help makes a difference. Come out, meet other young people in the community, and be part of a meaningful local initiative! 🌱 ✨

We encourage students under the age of 14 to be accompanied by parents.

# WILLOWDALE YOUTH COUNCIL COMMUNITY CLEAN UP AT WILLOWDALE PARK

Open to Willowdale students in gr 7-12

- 📅 | **FRI. APR 24, 5:30 - 7PM**
- 📍 | **START at WILLOWDALE PARK**  
75 Hollywood Ave, North York
- ✅ | **LILYCHENG.CA/EVENTS**



*Make friends, get volunteer hours and FREE food!*



**CITY COUNCILLOR**  
**LILY CHENG**

We will start our clean up at Willowdale Park, move up to Lee Lifeson Park, and end our clean up at Mitchell Field Community Centre.

Garbage bags and gloves will be provided onsite.

- 📱 @LilyChengTO
- 🌐 www.lilycheng.ca
- ☎ 416-392-0210
- 💬 willowdaleactionhub.ca
- ✉ councillor\_cheng@toronto.ca



# Summer School 2026

## eLearning July and August

**Registration opens Tuesday April 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 am and closes at June 2<sup>nd</sup> at noon.**

- All Grade 11 and 12 online Summer School credit courses will be delivered through the e-Summer Program.
- The program is primarily **asynchronous** (learning does not occur in real time) with direct teaching for about one hour/day and teachers available for the rest of the school day to hold office hours, small group sessions, individual tutorials and respond to student questions via email.
- Please note that although e-Summer courses are asynchronous, they are not self-paced courses. Assignments and evaluations are to be completed and submitted according to the due dates established in the course outline. Students are expected to log in and commit 6-7 hours daily to engage in and complete work independently.

[July Courses](#)

[August Courses](#)



# Summer School 2026

## Continuing Education In Person and Remote

**Registration opens April 28<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am and closes on June 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.**

- All Grade 9 and 10 **online** Summer School credit courses will be delivered **synchronously** through the Continuing Education Remote Summer Program.
  - Students are expected to attend both the AM and PM sessions WITH CAMERA'S ON
  - **In Person Grades 9 to 12 Courses are offered at:**
    - [David and Mary Thomson C.I. 125 Brockley Drive, Scarborough](#)
    - [Central Technical School 725 Bathurst Street, Toronto](#)
    - [Stephen Leacock C.I. 2450 Birchmount Road, Scarborough](#)
    - [Western Technical Commercial School 125 Evelyn Cres, Toronto](#)
    - [West Humber C.I. 1675 Martin Grove Road, Etobicoke](#)
    - [Westview Centennial S.S. 755 Oakdale Road, North York](#)

Class Schedule		
<b>Morning Classes</b> 8:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	<b>Lunch Break</b> 11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	<b>Afternoon Classes</b> 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

### **Course Offerings:**

[In Person Full Credit Courses](#)

[Remote Full Credit Courses \(Grade 9 and 10 only\)](#)

[Remote Credit Recovery](#)



### 2026 TDSB Summer School Registration is Coming Soon!

Attention all students! If you are looking to earn a new credit or retake a course this summer.

Whether you prefer learning online or in a classroom, there are several options available to fit your schedule.

\*\* Register as soon as registration opens as classes fill up quickly!

#### How to Register:

1. **Request:** Log via Registration link using your TDSB student number and network password to submit a course request.
2. **Consent:** Check your email for the confirmation and consent form. If you are under 18, it must be signed by a parent/guardian.
3. **Approval:** You are **not** officially enrolled until your Guidance Counsellor approves the request. Make an appointment with them as soon as you apply.

#### [e-Summer School Grade 11 & 12 Program](#) **(Asynchronous Online) Grade 11 and 12**

**courses Best for:** Students who want a flexible, independent learning schedule for grade 11 and 12 courses.

- **Registration Opens:** Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 10:00 AM.
- Registration Closes: a) July Session: June 2, 2026, at 12:00 PM. ([July Courses](#))  
b) August Session : July 9, 2026, at 12:00 PM. ([August Courses](#))
- **Format:** Asynchronous online (log in daily for 6–7 hours at your own pace, with one hour of direct teacher interaction).
- **Program Dates:** July 6 - 30th, August 4 - 28th
- **Register here:** [e-Summer Registration Link](#).

#### [Remote Summer](#) **(Synchronous Online) Grade 9 and 10 courses**

- **Best for:** Students who prefer a structured virtual classroom with live instruction for grade 9 and 10 courses.
- **Registration Opens:** April 28, 2026, at 10:00 AM. ([Course Offerings](#))
- **Registration Closes:** June 12, 2026, at 10:00 AM.
- **Format:** Entirely online and **synchronous** (live attendance required for both AM and PM sessions with cameras on).
- **Program Dates:** July 6 - July 30
- **Register here:** [Continuing Education Registration](#).

#### **In-Person Full Credit Summer School Grade 9 - 12 courses**

- **Best for:** Students who learn best, face-to-face, in a physical school environment. Grades 9-12
- **Registration Opens:** April 28, 2026, at 10:00 AM. ([Course Offerings](#))
- **Registration Closes:** June 12, 2026, at 10:00 AM.
- **Program Dates:** July 6 to July 30, 2026, from 8:45 AM to 3:30 PM.
- **Register here:** [Continuing Education Registration](#).

#### **Remote Credit Recovery Grade 9 - 12 courses - TDSB Student Only**

- **Best for:** Students to recover credits in courses where they were unsuccessful, meaning
- have received a mark below 50%, with morning and afternoon sessions
- **Registration Opens:** April 28, 2026, at 10:00 AM. ([Course Offerings](#))
- **Registration Closes:** June 26, 2026, at 10:00 AM.
- **Format:** Entirely online and **synchronous** (live attendance required with cameras on). Either AM or PM
- **Program Dates:** July 6 to July 30
- **Register here:** [Continuing Education Registration](#).



The Alliance of  
Jamaican Alumni  
Associations

## Graduates Program 2026

Applications are now open for the  
AJAA's Graduates Bursary

### Eligibility Criteria

- Be of Jamaican descent
- Maintain a minimum "B" average in the last 2 years of high school
- A graduate of an Ontario secondary school in 2026
- Provide letter of endorsement from school official
- Provide evidence of community service or involvement
- Provide proof of acceptance to a community college or university
- Bursaries will be disbursed upon proof of registration in a college or university

### About the Bursary

Open to all graduating Ontario High School students of Jamaican descent who are accepted into a post-secondary education program.

### Application Process

**Application deadline:**  
**May 15, 2026**

**Award ceremony:**  
**June 28, 2026**

@ 1pm to be held at the JCA

- Complete application form
- Attach all required documents
- Sign form
- Submit Application Form
- Visit us at: [www.ajaacanada.com/graduates](http://www.ajaacanada.com/graduates)





# JAZZ

PROM 2026

## HOUR

MAY 28, 2026 6-11PM

HAVE A DATE?

APPLICATION  
FORMS IN  
GUIDANCE AND  
PROM BOOTH

ANYONE NOT CURRENTLY  
IN GRADE 12 AT  
NORTHVIEW IS  
CONSIDERED A GUEST

FORMS SUBMITTED  
TO THE PROM  
BOOTH BY MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>



MORE INFO  
[nhss.prom26](http://nhss.prom26)

TICKET SALE:  
APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup> - MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>  
\$90 PER TICKET  
SCHOOL CASH ONLINE  
PARADISE  
BANQUET HALL  
7601 JANE ST



**Volunteering for Yorkview Annual Fun Fair**

It's that time of year again!

Yorkview Public School is excited to host their Annual Fun Fair on June 6th, 2026. This event is a wonderful example of our community coming together to create a fun and engaging experience for students and families, while also raising important funds to support school programs and initiatives.

We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers who are willing to contribute their time, skills, and energy to help make this year's Fun Fair a memorable success for everyone involved.

If you are interested, please sign up by clicking the link below.

<https://forms.gle/Da7nfgvxCU7nu1iTA>





### Streaming: Oscar-winning short film available on NFB.ca

Check out the Oscar-winning animated short film *The Girl Who Cried Pearls* on NFB.ca through the Virtual Library.

Film available in English and French:

[The Girl Who Cried Pearls](#)

[La jeune fille qui pleurait des perles](#)



### Student Absences

Families are reminded to inform the school of an excusal for their child when absent, in order for the attendance records of students to be accurate.

### Parking and Vehicle Safety

Student safety is our highest concern at Northview. Each year we observe risky driver behaviour when students are being dropped off and picked up from school. Families must note the following:

- The WEST side parking lot is designated for TDSB Staff parking only. Student drop-off or pick-up **should not be attempted in the West Parking lot. Use the Esther Shiner Stadium parking lot, Virgilwood Drive of the Ailsa Craig Parkette .**
- Student drop off on Finch Avenue is dangerous. Do not use the TTC lane or make U-turns on Finch Avenue when dropping off students.
- The NHSS “Kiss and Go” drop-off/pick-up loop is located in our EAST side parking lot and we ask that **ALL student drop-off and pick-up occur in the EAST side parking lot.**
- Please do not block the school bus drop off/pick up area in the northeast area of the school.
- Student parking will be limited to a small number of spaces in the rear of school - accessible via the east side parking lot on a first come, first served basis.

### Drop-Off & Pick-Up Zone



**DROP OFF**



Please use the drop off and pick-up zone at Northview to drop off and pick-up your child



# Northview Heights Library Services for Students

## Writing and grammar Lessons

Having trouble putting your thoughts to page? Can't seem to ace your grammar tests? The library is here to help! Whether you need help writing an assignment for class, or you are an ESL student looking for extra help, our teacher librarians will design lessons for your specific needs.


## IT Support

Is your technology not cooperating? Come by the library see if we can fix it. We offer IT support for chromebooks, laptops, desktops, phones, and printers, but we'll try our hand at fixing anything. We can also help you with your student account!



## Resource Selection

Having trouble finding good resources for your assignment? Come to the library and ask a teacher librarian for help. They are experts at finding reliable and relevant resources!



## Lesson Co-Planning


We would love to co-plan lessons with you! One of the goals of the library is to support the curriculum, and what better way to do than to collaborate with teachers. We're not just a room full of books, we can be an integral part of your students' education.

## Research Help

Need to research for an assignment and don't know where to start? Teacher librarians are here to support you! We promise we're much better at finding resources than AI!


## Space Bookings

Book a time in the courtyard, the commons, browser, or the seminar room. Just email the library and see what's available!



## Citation Help

Making citations can be boring, but it is a very important skill in academia! While there are a lot of helpful online resources, sometimes it's easier to ask a professional for help (especially since there are SO many editions and rules). We can also check any citations before you hand them in!



## Online Tool Workshops

As students, you have access to a lot of different software! We offer workshops for various online tools. Come learn how to use Notebook LM, Gemini, Microsoft Co-Pilot, and more!

## Supervision for Make-up Tests!

If you ever need to write a make-up test, the library is the perfect place to do it! We can supervise and provide you with a quiet environment to help you take your test to the best of your ability

## Makerspace

Have some free time before class? Check out our MakerSpace to see what you can craft. There are materials for drawing, crocheting, bracelet-making, and much more! It's also a great place to pick up a pencil if you've lost yours! There are also games like Uno, Twister, Jenga, and a puzzle of the month!



instagram

Phone number

email

### Library Hours

Mondays - Fridays: 8:30 - 4:00  
Listen to the announcements or check our doors for any changes!

### Reminder

Please no food or drinks in the library (except water)  
Help us protect our books and our space



### Virtual ASD Afterschool Skills Development Program - Spring 2026 Registration

The spring 2026 session of the Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Virtual Afterschool Skills Development Program will run from **March 24 to June 9**. The program is open to students in grades 4 to 10 with an ASD diagnosis.

Principals have been asked to share the [ASD Afterschool Skills Development Program letter](#), with parents and caregivers of eligible students.

Registration closes on March 6.



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### TDSB Outdoor Education Summer Camp Opportunities

Our Outdoor Education Centres are once again excited to offer overnight camps this summer at the Scarborough Outdoor Education School (SOES) in Kearney and at the Island Summer Camp at the Island Natural Science School. Feel free to share these [Camp Kearney](#) and [Island Summer Camp](#) posters and links with information with families.

For dates, rates, and information, visit the [TOES Summer Program Opportunities webpage](#). Please direct questions to:

- [CampKearney@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:CampKearney@tdsb.on.ca)
- [IslandSummerCamp@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:IslandSummerCamp@tdsb.on.ca)
- [TOES@tdsb.on.ca](mailto:TOES@tdsb.on.ca)
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## TDSB Student Job Opportunity



**Toronto District School** ...

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5h · 🌐

🔍 Looking for a summer job? We're **#hiring** students for various opportunities from May to September!

View openings:



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## TDSB Summer Jobs



Are you ready?

# VOLUNTEER FAIR

Looking for Volunteer Opportunities?

**JOIN US ON**  
APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2026  
THORNHILL COMMUNITY CENTRE  
2:30-4:00PM

Be sure to join us again for our Volunteer Fair on September 19th, 2026!

**Register Today!**

Discover ways to get involved and make an impact!

**NPO Sign-up!**

**Attendee Sign-up!**

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# Teaching & Learning AI Use Scale

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To support responsible and purposeful use of AI, learning activities must clearly state and communicate to students if, when, and how AI can be used. Use the following AI Use Scale to identify how might AI support students in the learning process connected to learning goals which are aligned to the curriculum. Adapted from Perkins M et al, (2024) and University of British Columbia AI in Teaching and Learning (2025)

Use	Learning Task Design	Assessment of Learning Task	Examples
<b>No AI</b>	Learning task is completed entirely without AI assistance.	Students can be assessed on knowledge/understanding, communication, thinking, and/or application.  AI must not be used at any point during the process of learning and in the final learning product.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conversations, oral presentations, read alouds, role play</li> <li>Developing transferable skills</li> <li>Writing tasks with a specific goal (sentences, metaphors, coding, journal writing etc.)</li> <li>Demonstration of a skill</li> <li>Quizzes, tests, exams</li> </ul>
<b>AI as a Study Tool</b>	AI can be used to prepare, review, and study.  Use AI to continue to develop skills and reinforce knowledge related to in-class learning and to prepare for assessments.	Assessment as learning, where students actively engage in their own learning by monitoring their progress, setting goals, and reflecting. Students develop their metacognition to be independent, autonomous learners.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explain topics with visuals or more examples</li> <li>Breaking down a complex task into simpler parts or a checklist</li> <li>Learn from mistakes by uploading and analyzing past assessments</li> <li>Create flashcards and practice quizzes</li> <li>Create vocabulary lists and study guides</li> <li>Practice conversations, conferences, or interviews</li> <li>Study schedules to support executive functioning</li> </ul>
<b>AI for Idea Generation</b>	AI can be used for brainstorming, creating structures/organizers, and generating ideas for improving work.	No AI content is permitted in the final learning product.  Student may be asked to document their thinking, idea generation and organization with respect to and distinct from AI. This may be submitted during the process or with the final learning product.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After initial research, generate for and against ideas to further refine topic for opinion essays or debates</li> <li>Starting with initial ideas or evidence, scaffold the writing process by generating a topic sentence or outline</li> <li>Generate ideas that can be created with a specific tool or student interest</li> <li>From identified real-world issues/challenges, generate inquiry questions or inquiry topics</li> <li>Input research notes to organize into succinct ideas</li> </ul>
<b>AI Assisted Editing</b>	AI can be used after the learning product is completed. AI is used to make improvements to the clarity or quality of student created work to improve the final output, but no new content can be created with AI.	AI content may be in the final learning product, but the original work drafts with no AI content must be provided.  Student may be asked to document AI-assistance and annotate if AI-assisted edits were rejected or accepted, and why.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Input draft of writing and ask for specific feedback on syntax, grammar, spelling only without changes to content or organization of ideas</li> <li>Input draft of cover letter or resume and ask for specific feedback related to job posting, tone, or audience</li> <li>Input image of learning product and ask for specific feedback</li> </ul>
<b>AI for Creation</b>	AI can be used to complete certain elements of the task as instructed.  Discussion or commentary on AI-generated content is required.  Explicit teaching has occurred with respect to prompting, and critical review of outputs.	AI is used to complete specific tasks in the final learning product. AI may not be permitted in other parts.  Student may be asked to provide documentation of gen-AI chat history.  AI is responsibly used, cited, and/or attributed.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create visuals (not evaluated) to support understanding (ie: picture dictionary, visual aids for presentation, music)</li> <li>Generate a final product as an example that can be assessed as a class to demonstrate the use of the rubric</li> <li>Generate procedural steps or recipes to follow</li> <li>Interact with a historical figure</li> <li>Generate an image to begin writing process</li> </ul>

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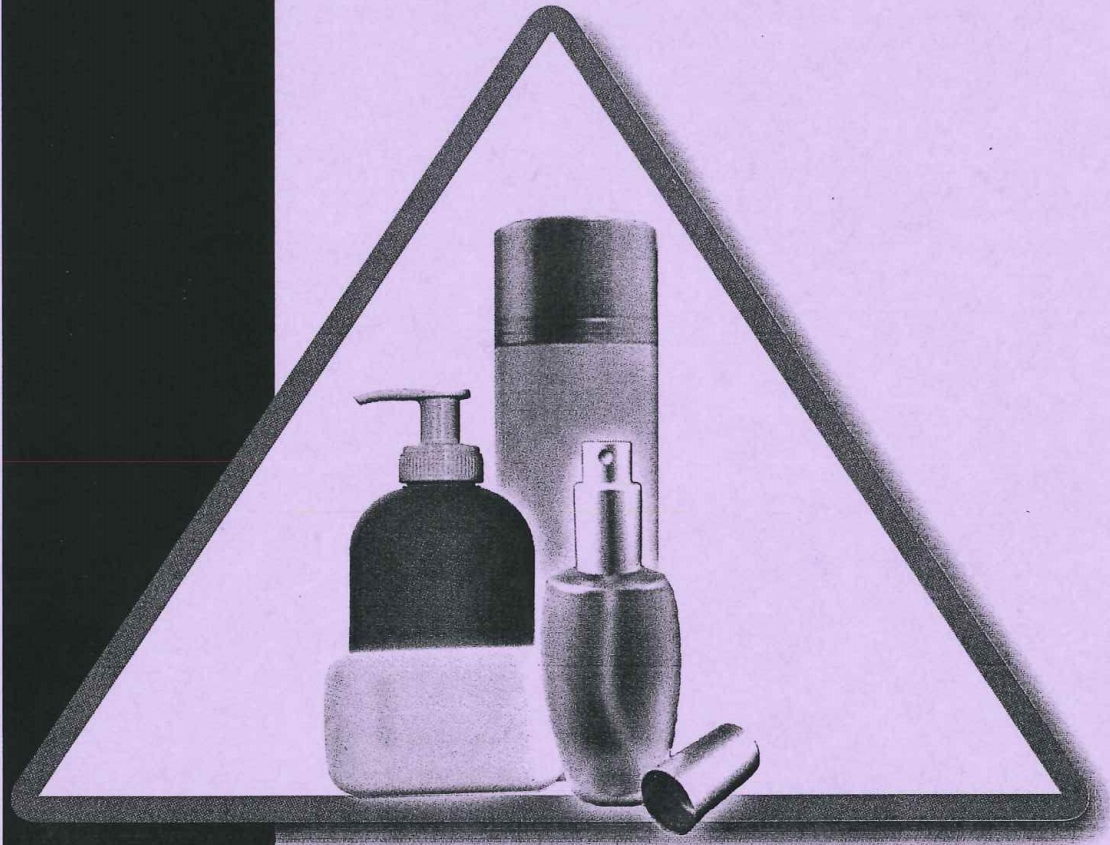
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## WEEKLY MENU

Menu for the Week of April 20 to April 24, 2026

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Soup</b> \$3.00	Chicken Noodle Soup	Ginger Carrot Soup	Gumbo	French Onion	Vegetable and Orzo Soup
<b>Entree</b> \$6 - \$8	Regular Section Available	Regular Section Available	Chopped Meat, Vegetable and Cheese Sandwich	BBQ Salmon with Scalloped Potatoes	Cheese and Bacon Stuffed Chicken with Pasta
<b>Sides</b> \$2 - \$3	Selection of Stir-Fried Rice or Noodles, Pasta with Sauce or Potato available daily				
<b>Dessert</b> \$2	Tasty selection of dessert treats available daily	Tasty selection of dessert treats available daily	Tasty selection of dessert treats available daily	Tasty selection of dessert treats available daily	Tasty selection of dessert treats available daily
<b><u>Cold Menu</u></b> - Tossed Salad \$3.50 - Sandwiches \$2.50 and up (individually priced) - Ham & Cheese - Egg - Tuna Salad - Bagel with Cream Cheese \$2.50			<b><u>Hot-Buffer Menu</u></b> Served from Student Servery Side portioned in 12 fl oz container - Pasta & Sauce \$3.00 - Vegetable Stir Fried Rice or Noodles \$3.00 - Potatoes \$2.50 - Soup of the day \$3.00 - Beef Burgers (Halal) \$3.25 - Cheeseburger (Halal) \$3.50 - Chicken Burger \$4.00		