

Sir William Osler High School

Soaring Eagle Update

17 April 2026

Dear Osler Community,

We had a soggy week this week but we didn't let that stop the Osler fun.

Mrs. Kenez's classes had a wonderful day at Forest Valley Outdoor Education Centre learning about the process to make maple syrup. The rain stopped just in time for us to enjoy the trip without getting wet.

Wednesday, we began our Term 4 classes. 10 weeks left of school until summer break. Don't forget April 24th is the deadline to sign up for DD Summer School, please see below for registration information.

Mid Term Semester 2 Report Cards are being sent home electronically on Friday, April 17th. If you wish for a hard copy, please contact the main office.

In this update, you will find many exciting events and opportunities for families around post-graduation transition planning. We encourage families to take advantage of these opportunities to help navigate the many services and supports available.



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Apr 20	Apr 21	Apr 22 World Earth Day Osler Clean Up (weather permitting)	Apr 23	Apr 24 DD Summer School Registration ends
Apr 27	Apr 28	Apr 29 SWIM	Apr 30	May 1
Tuesday, May 5 th : Red Dress Day (Honouring Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls, and Two-Spirit People) Tuesday, May 6 th : Jazz Choir Concert @ Osler Friday, May 8 th : Spirit Day – Sports Day - DANCE			Monday, May 11 th : SWIM Wednesday, May 13 th : - 1:00 PM Dismissal Day Wednesday, May 13 th : 7:00 PM School Council Meeting Friday, May 15 th : SWIM	

Calendar dates may change due to unforeseen circumstances, please see website for up-to-date events.

The Soaring Eagle Updates are all archived on our Osler school site:

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/sirwilliamosler>

Special Education and Inclusion Summer School 2026

The TDSB will once again offer a specialized summer learning opportunity program from July 2 to 25 for students currently enrolled in Developmental Disability, Deaf and Hard of Hearing, and Physical Disabilities Intensive Support Programs (ISPs). Spaces in the program are limited, and enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis. Please visit our Summer School website for more information. Please visit our [Summer School website](#) for more information.



https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1PujN4cEf3lqXrrrdXnsXRrRjW0MU08HOy73XQnDVtg/viewform?edit_requested=true

These half-day programs will be held in-person at various locations throughout the TDSB. Students will be supported to develop their independence through programming in the areas of functional literacy and numeracy skills, activities of daily living, communication, and social skills.

Applications deadline is Friday, April 24th, 2026 (Next Friday)

Transitions: A Facilitate Conversation Circle



The Sir William Osler School Council is proud to present Transitions: A Facilitated Conversation Circle with Kelley Casey (KC Professional Solutions). Please see attached flyer!

This is an important session for families to discuss post-graduation planning and strategies to navigate and access community supports while building connections. Before the event, please join us in a potluck meal.

Please complete the following registration link:

<https://forms.gle/jRS1vc73iEGHFTsB9>



Event Details

Date: Wednesday, May 6th, 2026

Time: Potluck: 5:30 Session 6:30pm

Location: Sir William Osler High School, 1050 Huntingwood Drive, Scarborough

Resource, Program and Specialized Agency Fair @ Central Etobicoke High School



Central Etobicoke High School is excited to invite you to an evening dedicated to connecting our families with the resources, programs, and specialized agency services, this is the perfect time to explore what's available. Please fill the following form: <https://forms.gle/z3VZeqAtyfWLQrUm8>

Event Details

Date: Thursday, April 30

Time: 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Location: Central Etobicoke High School – 10 Denfield Street

Schedule

5:30:	Doors Open & Sign In
6:00-6:30:	Speaker: Health Benefits of Enrolling Students in Programs
5:45-7:30	Booth Rotations & Networking

Why Should You Attend?

This "open house" style event allows you to move at your own pace and meet directly with representatives from various organizations.

- **Discover New Programs:** Learn about day programs available after students graduate Central Etobicoke High School.
- **Access Support:** Connect with local health, wellness, and family advocacy agencies.
- **Ask Questions:** Get real-time answers from program representatives.
- **Build Community:** Meet other parents and professionals in a supportive environment.

Light refreshments will be served.

Caregiver Connect & Respite Initiative @ Drewry Secondary School



Drewry Secondary School is excited to invite you to an interactive learning session that discusses mental wellness and how having knowledge helps our well-being. The session will also look at accessing community respite, skill-development programs and long term planning pathways. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

Event Details

Date: Sunday, April 26th, 2026

Time: 10:00am – 2:00pm

Location: Drewry Secondary School, 70 Drewry Ave, North York

Social Media & Safety:

Social Media & Safety: 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. See attached flyer. 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

Event Details

Date: Thursday, April 23rd, 2026

Time: 6:00- 8:00pm

Location: Weston Collegiate Institute, 100 Pine Street, York

Life After High School Toolkit



The [TDSB Beyond High School Toolkit](#) includes specialized resources for families supporting children with Physical Disabilities (PD) and Developmental Disabilities (DD) as they transition beyond high school. It provides guidance on post-secondary education, employment opportunities, community programs, financial planning, and supported living options. The toolkit helps families navigate essential services, access funding supports, and explore individualized pathways to ensure a smooth and meaningful transition into adulthood.

Families are also encouraged to see the Post-Graduation Transition Toolkit at:

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/Portals/sirwilliamosler/Post%20Graduation%20Toolkit%205.0.pdf>

Questions regarding your student's progress or future? Please contact your student's teacher or contact the office and we can direct your call to the best person to assist you.

Teacher eMail address can be found at:

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/sirwilliamosler/About-Us/Staff-Information>

DS Information Fair

(THIS WEDNESDAY)

Please see the below information about the Developmental Services Information Fair presented by Lumenus and Community Living Toronto. Please note that these programs are operated by organization(s) outside of the TDSB. These organizations are solely responsible for the operation and information found on their sites. Providing these resources does not imply any endorsement of the organization or information. Any comments or inquiries regarding the linked websites should be directed to the organization.

LUMENUS AND COMMUNITY LIVING TORONTO PRESENTS

DS DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

INFORMATION

FAIR Accessible, Free parking and no entry fee!

SAVE THE DATE

The Developmental Services Information Fair will showcase services and supports offered by Toronto based agencies for transitional youth (16+) and adults (18+) with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) and their families.


 **April 22.2026**

 **10:00 am - 6:00 pm**

 **Parkview Manor: 55 Barber
Greene Rd, North York**

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- Panel Discussion ● DSO and Passport
- Connect with Developmental Services Agencies



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Employment/Post-21 Programs

Please see the attached flyers for programs available through Tropicana Community Services and Sunflower Developmental Services. Please note that these programs are operated by organization(s) outside of the TDSB. These organizations are solely responsible for the operation and information found on their sites. Providing these resources does not imply any endorsement of the organization or information. Any comments or inquiries regarding the linked websites should be directed to the organization.



DAILY LIVING SKILLS

Does your child need to learn Independent Daily Living Skills?

Join our **Independent Living Skills** Program so they can **Develop** their potential, **Achieve** beneficial skills they need to perform daily living activities and **Transition**, into the best **"Quality of Life"**.

-  **Weekdays**
Starting April 1.
-  **Time**
4pm- 6pm
-  **Sunflower Day Program**
1970 Ellesmere Road Un. 1



REGISTER NOW!

More Information :
416- 289- 2223

SESSION INFO

- ✓ Mon to Fri from 4pm- 6pm
- ✓ All funding types accepted including O.A.P.
- ✓ Qualified staff
- ✓ Tailored programming to meet your child's needs
- ✓ Ages 3- 18
- ✓ Must have a diagnosis



SAT./ SUN RESPITE & SOCIAL GROUPS



AGES 3- 18

REGISTER TODAY

Looking for a safe, nurturing environment for your child to help them transition & meet their milestones? Our centre provides:

- ✓ Experienced Staff
- ✓ Life & Social Skills
- ✓ Secure Facilities
- ✓ Stimulating Activities
- ✓ ABA, ASD & Developmental Services
- ✓ Transitioning Support

Contact us : 416- 289- 2223
Sunflowerres@gmail.com
1970 Ellesmere Rd. Un. 1

"HELPING NEW SEEDS GROW"

We accept OAP, SSAH, PASSPORT



SOCIAL CLUB Register Today

-  **RELATIONSHIP BUILDING**
Participate in tailored activities to strengthen & enhance your skills.
-  **COMMUNICATION SKILLS**
Interact with others in a group setting, develop peer interactions, relationships & social skills.
-  **SELF- HELP SKILLS**
Learn- New life skills
Develop- And build your potential
Achieve- Your goals (1-1 Support available)
-  **LIFE SKILLS**
Participate in life skills activities such as cooking, volunteering, community integration, team-Building etc.

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ELIGIBILATY

Ages: Children , Youth & Adult Groups
Intake required
Registration Required

Website Links For Transition Planning and other Helpful Tools!



TDSB Parent Concern Protocol

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Contact-Us/Steps-to-Address-Questions-Concerns>



TDSB Special Education Website

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion>



TDSB Guide to Special Education and Inclusions for Parent/Caregivers/Guardians

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Parent-Guides-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Guide-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion>

(also in audio versions and translated to multiple languages)



TDSB Guide to Individual Education Plans (IEPs)

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Parent-Guides-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Guide-to-Individual-Education-Plans-IEPs->



TDSB Special Education Professional Services Parent/Caregivers/Guardians Guide:

Speech-Language Pathology <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Parent-Guides-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Guide-to-Speech-Language-Pathology-services>

Occupational Therapy / Physiotherapy <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Parent-Guides-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Guide-to-Occupational-Therapy-Physiotherapy-Services>

Psychological Services <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Learning-Equity-and-Well-Being/Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Parent-Guides-to-Special-Education-and-Inclusion/Guide-to-Psychological-Services>



TDSB Transportation Portal

<https://tstg.mybusplanner.ca/Login>

Bus Delay Notices: <https://tstg.mybusplanner.ca/Cancellations.aspx>



TDSB Website Home Page

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca>



Sir William Osler Calendar

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/sirwilliamosler/Home/School-Calendar>



Sir William Osler Website

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/sirwilliamosler>



Sir William Osler Staff List

<https://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/sirwilliamosler/About-Us/Staff-Information>



Sir William Osler Post-Graduation Transition Toolkit

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TDSB Post-Graduation Transition Toolkit

<https://sites.google.com/tdsb.on.ca/transition-support-public-supp/transition-support-home>



TDSB School Cash On-Line

<https://tdsb.schoolcashionline.com>



Disability Services Ontario

<https://www.dsontario.ca>



Toronto Public Health Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Guide to Health Resources

<https://www.toronto.ca/community-people/health-wellness-care/health-programs-advice/resources-for-schools/a-healthy-start-to-school/>