



ACSS Totem News

January 24, 2020

Dream, Believe, Achieve

Please visit our website www.acsstotems.ca for more information.

UPCOMING CALENDAR EVENTS:

Monday, Jan. 27	Semester 2 Begins - Day 8 (D C B A)
Wednesday, Jan. 29	Dry Grad Meeting - (6:30 pm)
Thursday, Feb. 6	Gr. 8 Parents Course Planning Evening (6:30 pm) Gr. 9-11 Parents Course Planning Evening (7:30 pm)
Monday, Feb. 10	PAC Meeting (6:30 pm)
Friday, Feb. 14	District Pro D Day - NO CLASSES

DRY GRAD MEETING: Wednesday, January 29 at 6:30pm in the library.



BLOCK ORDER

Jan. 27 — Day 8
Jan. 28 — Day 7
Jan. 29 — Day 8
Jan. 30 — Day 7
Jan. 31 — Day 8

Dear Students and Families:

Hard to believe that we are halfway through the school year already, but semester 2 begins on Monday. Please see details below for semester 2 start up on Monday:

- We will begin with a short Homeroom on Monday morning to distribute semester 2 timetables. Lists will be posted in the main foyer.
- Homeroom class is the student's second semester **Block A class**.
- After homeroom, students will go to their **Block D class**. It is an even day. (D C B A)
- Student schedules can be checked by logging on to MyEd BC.
- Students will receive a printed course schedule in their Block A homeroom class on Monday morning.
- We will be doing a "Flex Reset" for the week. Students need to remain in their Block D class for Flex Time all week.
- Students need to follow these procedures for course changes:
 - ◊ While counsellors balance classes, the goal is not to change the courses that students are in. However, it might change the block in which those courses are taken.
 - ◊ Students who still have missing blocks in their timetable, or students who would like to request a course change should go to the counselling office.
 - ◊ While we will always entertain course change requests, we may not be able to accommodate all of them.
 - ◊ Please make an appointment with the counsellors for all course changes.
 - ✦ Mr. Silzer (last names A-L) and Mr. Orchard (last names M-Z)
 - ✦ All course change requests must be made by no later than **Friday, February 7th**

As we say goodbye to the first semester, we are also saying goodbye to the following staff members here at ACSS:

1. Ms. Beemster – Ms. Beemster is currently one of our Home Economics teachers. Ms. Beemster has accepted a teaching position in Parksville, where she can be closer to her family.
2. Ms. Mejia – is on a leave of absence for the remainder of the year.
3. Ms. Wickenden – For the past 15 years, Ms. Wickenden has been teaching the Youth Train in Trades Hairstylist Program. She is retiring at the end of first semester and moving with her family up to the Interior.

On behalf of the ACSS community, I extend sincere thanks to Ms. Beemster and Ms. Wickenden for their dedication and contributions to ACSS throughout the year. They both will be missed! We wish them all the best in their next adventures! Given the above staff departures, we have some new folks who will be taking on new roles or who are joining the ACSS team beginning second semester:

1. Ms. Anania – is replacing Ms. Wickenden as the Youth Train in Trades Hairstylist Program teacher. Ms. Anania brings with her over 22 years of experience in the Hairstylist industry.
2. Ms. Kear – is replacing Ms. Mejia in Home Economics for the remainder of the school year.
3. Ms. Cheon – will be replacing Ms. Beemster. Ms. Cheon was with us in a term capacity last year, and we are happy to welcome her back!

Welcome to all of our new staff (and some returning staff)! We are excited to have you join g the ACSS team!!

J. Lyndon
Proud Principal
Aldergrove Community Secondary



Youth Train in Trades Hairstylist Program

Congrats to Alexa A., Elle B., Emily C., Marie G., Madison G., Faith P., Kat P., Louise Z. for completing the Youth TRAIN in Trades Hairstylist Program! These students will either be returning to their home schools in order to graduate in June or will be working full-time as a hairstylist. They have been with us for the past year and it has been a pleasure to see them learn these new skills, help around the school, faithfully pack backpacks for the Starfish program and connect with other students, staff and clients.

We wish them all the best as they continue to pursue such exciting careers!



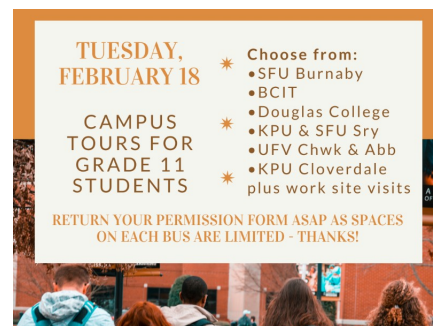
Theatre Field Trip - Noises Off

Theatre students and those interested in theatre are welcome to attend the field trip to see **"Noises Off"** on February 19, 2020. Please see Mr. McLaughlin for a permission form and then get the signed form into the office with the \$35 payment as soon as possible? Seats are limited, so don't wait until the last minute.



Campus Tours for Grade 11 Students

All grade 11 students have been invited to attend the campus tours on Tuesday, February 18. Please have your permission forms signed, with your choices indicated and return the form to Mrs. Smith in the counselling centre.



KPU is hosting a *Teacher Education Forum* on January 27 from 2:30-4:30 at Surrey Campus's Conference Centre (Cedar 1205). I thought I would pass this along in case you have any interested students.

More information and registration can be found at:

<https://www.kpu.ca/arts/education-forum>



Library News

End of semester reminder! All semester 1 textbooks were due back to your classroom teachers. If you still have books, please return them to the Library, as soon as possible. Textbooks not returned will be assessed the full cost of the replacement fine.

Semester 2 classes begin on Monday, January 27 and students will be needing those textbooks!



HEY GRADS

SUBMIT BABY PHOTOS & YEARBOOK QUOTES

QUOTES & PHOTOS ARE DUE
MONDAY JAN 27

EMAIL BABY PHOTOS TO MS
CAINES

YEARBOOK QUOTES CAN BE
SUBMITTED ONLINE AT
LIBRARY.SD35.BC.CA

January 22, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians of all school-age children,

Re: Please submit your child's immunization record to Public Health.

We are missing important information about the immunization status of 35% of school-age children in Fraser Health region. If your child's immunization record is incomplete, we need you to send your child's missing information to your local public health unit as soon as possible. *If your local public health unit or the Vaccine Status Indicator have shown that your child's immunization records are already complete, you may disregard this letter.*

How do I know if my child's immunization record is complete?

You can use the online Vaccine Status Indicator tool at <https://immunizebc.ca/vaccination-status-indicator> to check if your child's immunization record is complete. If the Indicator shows that your child's records are incomplete, this means either public health does not have all of your child's records or your child may need additional immunizations.

What do I need to do?

Please submit your child's missing records as soon as possible. Records can be submitted in-person to your local public health unit or online at www.fraserhealth.ca/immunizationform. Helpful tips for finding your child's immunization record are available here: <https://immunizebc.ca/tips-locating-immunization-records>.

If your child needs additional immunizations, please call your family doctor, a pharmacist, or public health to book an appointment. Visit www.fraserhealth.ca/getimmunized for a list of community vaccine providers. To book an appointment with public health call:

- 604-702-4906 (residents in Mission, Abbotsford, Chilliwack, Agassiz and Hope)
- 604-476-7087 (residents in all other areas of Fraser Health)

Why am I being asked to send in my child's immunization information?

B.C.'s new Vaccination Status Reporting Regulation supports the gathering of immunization reports by Public Health. The regulation applies to all students in all schools within the Province's jurisdiction, including those who are home-schooled. It does not apply to children attending schools in First Nations communities.

In the event of an outbreak at school, children who are unimmunized or have an incomplete immunization record may be asked to stay home until the outbreak is over. For more information, please visit <https://immunizebc.ca/vaccination-status-reporting-regulation>.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,



Emily Newhouse MD, MPH, FRCPC
Medical Health Officer – Medical Director

Health Unit Contact Information					
Abbotsford Tel: 604-864-3400 Fax: 604-864-3410	Agassiz Tel: 604-793-7160 Fax: 604-796-8587	Burnaby Tel: 604-918-7605 Fax: 604-918-7630	Chilliwack Tel: 604-702-4900 Fax: 604-702-4901	Cloverdale, Surrey Tel: 604-575-5100 Fax: 604-574-3738	Guildford, Surrey Tel: 604-587-4750 Fax: 604-587-4777
Hope Tel: 604-860-7630 Fax: 604-869-2332	Langley Tel: 604-539-2900 Fax: 604-514-8036	Maple Ridge Tel: 604-476-7000 Fax: 604-476-7077	Mission Tel: 604-814-5500 Fax: 604-814-5517	New Westminster Tel: 604-777-6740 Fax: 604-525-0878	Tri-Cities Tel: 604-949-7200 Fax: 604-949-7211
Newton, Surrey Tel: 604-592-2000 Fax: 604-501-4814	North Delta Tel: 604-507-5400 Fax: 604-507-4617	North Surrey Tel: 604-587-7900 Fax: 604-582-4811	South Delta Tel: 604-946-6953 Fax: 604-952-3550	White Rock Tel: 604-542-4000 Fax: 604-542-4009	

Semester 2

SIGN CLUB

Starting -Thursday, January 30th

(And every Thursday after that)

3:05-4:05 in Counselling Room

Come and learn the basics and have fun too!

Ms. Solvey (former sign language interpreter) has some great ways of making this learning opportunity FUN!

Sign-up sheet is in the OFFICE, limited space, so do it now!

please



The Music Dept. is fundraising with Picnicology - selling pasta products in fun shapes and meal kits.



All orders are due by January 30th. Thanks for your support and enjoy!

Let's reach our fundraising goal! Picnicology has a great selection of pasta products, available in a variety of fun shapes and meal kits to feed the whole family. We can earn a minimum 25% profit on all sales. Submit orders by January 30th. Late orders not accepted.

1. Go to www.picnicology.com, browse the products, and click "add to cart" for the ones you want.
2. When you're ready to purchase, click the shopping bag icon at the top right, and then "Check Out" at the bottom.
3. Fill out the Contact Information and Shipping Address in full. In the "Company" field, enter "Aldergrove Community Secondary"
4. Enter **ALDERGROVE20** under the discount field & hit apply.
5. Click "Continue to shipping method".
6. Click "Continue to payment method".
7. Enter payment and billing address into complete your order.



Paying with Cash or Cheque? Order form on the other side.



2020 Winter Fundraiser Order Form

Group Name: Aldergrove Community Secondary

Student Name:

Your Name:

Phone Number:

Email:

	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL
FUN SHAPES			
CAT LOVERS	397g \$ 6.99		
DOG LOVERS	397g \$ 6.99		
ZOO ANIMALS	397g \$ 6.99		
ABC 123	397g \$ 6.99		
PENGUIN PARTY	397g \$ 6.99		
SNOWMAN	397g \$ 6.99		
BASEBALL	397g \$ 6.99		
MUSIC	397g \$ 6.99		
HOCKEY	397g \$ 6.99		
PIRATE	397g \$ 6.99		
EAT YOUR HEART OUT	397g \$ 6.99		
PRINCESS	397g \$ 6.99		
IN THE WOODS	397g \$ 6.99		
HAPPY BIRTHDAY	397g \$ 6.99		
HORSIN' AROUND	397g \$ 6.99		
BUNNY HOP	397g \$ 6.99		
SOCCER	397g \$ 6.99		
DANCE, DANCE, DANCE	397g \$ 6.99		
BASKETBALL	397g \$ 6.99		
GYMNASTICS	397g \$ 6.99		
TAILGATE AND CELEBRATE	397g \$ 6.99		

	PRICE	QTY	TOTAL
MEAL KITS			
VINEYARD PASTA SALAD	340g \$ 7.99		
CHICKEN NOODLE	318g \$ 7.99		
CLASSIC CHILLI	318g \$ 7.99		
DOWN ON THE FARM MAC N CHEESE	340g \$ 7.99		
DINOSAUR NOODLE SOUP	318g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC MAC N CHEESE			
ORGANIC SPACE MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC PRINCESS MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC CAT MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC DOG MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC DINOSAUR MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
ORGANIC VEGAN MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
VEGAN MAC N CHEESE			
VEGAN DINO MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
VEGAN SNOW MAC N CHEESE	283g \$ 7.99		
OTHER			
PASTABLY THE BEST SAUCE EVER!	503g \$ 8.99		
GLUTEN FREE ELBOWS	227g \$ 8.99		

Total Units Ordered:

Total Cost:

Ordering Instructions

Visit picnicology.com to review the products. Complete the order form indicating your total cost.

Make a cheque to **Aldergrove Community Secondary** and hand in with your order.

Submit orders by January 30th. Late orders not accepted.

See all products and learn more at picnicology.com



JAN.
28

Otter Co-op Career Fair

Public · Hosted by **Otter Co-op**



Interested



Going



Share



More

👤 3 going · 28 interested · 15 shares

🕒 Tue., Jan. 28 at 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. PST

Next week

📍 Otter Co-op

3650B 248 street, Aldergrove, British Columbia · 7.4 km

ABOUT

DISCUSSION

Details

Are you looking to join a fun and hardworking team? Otter Co-op is hosting a job fair on Tuesday, January 28th from 1pm to 4pm at our Retail Centre! Bring in a resume, and receive an "on-the-spot" interview if you're a qualified candidate!

We're looking for several part time prospective team members to support our Deli for the following shifts (4-8pm, 9am-1pm, 2-8pm) as well as for our Gas Bars with open availability.

Other



BUILDER'S CLUB

Family Literacy Day: Build a Letter

Monday, January 27 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

We provide the building materials, you bring your
imagination!

Celebrate Family Literacy Day by using your
engineering skills and building a letter with LEGO,
KEVA Planks or Magformers!

"Nothing Comes From Nothing - linking the brain to behaviour" parent education seminar seeks to help parents understand what's going on below the surface of the behaviour of their little people. #2 of a 4 part Parent Education Series organized by the Langley Children Committee. Equal parts philosophy, science and real life application - presented by the funny and engaging Ted Leavitt, Clinical Counsellor. Ted is a specialist in ADHD, aggressive behaviour, anxiety and attachment trauma. A conversation that has the power to make an immediate impact in your family life.

Tickets for \$5 on Eventbrite <https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/langley-children-committee-17941186297>



Nothing Comes From Nothing

"Linking the Brain to Behaviour"

This presentation seeks to educate parents on what's going on below the surface of the behavior of the little humans in their lives. Equal parts, philosophy, science, and real-life application, presented by someone with personal and professional experience in a way that is engaging and informative, the information from this conversation has the power to make an immediate impact in your family life.

P R E S E N T E R :
Ted Leavitt
CLINICAL COUNSELLOR
M.SC., REGISTERED

- Specialist in ADHD, aggressive behaviour, anxiety & attachment trauma.
- Works in private practice in Abbotsford.
- BC & also as a Program Manager at Langley Youth and Family Services.
- Diagnosed with ADHD as an adult.

Organized by : **Langley Children**

JANUARY 28 / 2020 TUESDAY 6:30-8pm
Township Of Langley Civic Facility
Fraser River Presentation Theatre
20338 65 Ave, Langley

COST: \$5 PER PERSON
REGISTER ON EVENTBRITE

January- May
Kids & Teens Programs

Aldergrove Library

Ongoing Programs (January 20th- May 30)

Builder's Club

Mondays, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

Family Storytime

Wednesdays, 10:30 am – 11 am

Babytime

Thursdays, 10:30 am – 11 am

Tween Thursdays- New!

Starts- February 27, 7:00-8:30 pm (Please Register)

Join us at the Library the 4th Thursday of every month for fun with games, activities & treats. Grades 5-8.

Other Programs

Family Literacy Week

Baking and Books- Saturday, January 25, 1 - 3 pm

Use your literacy and baking skills to make some cookies together and enjoy a tasty storytime!
Registration Required.

Family Literacy Day Storytime Special- Wednesday, January 29, 10:30-11:30

Celebrate Family Literacy at our special storytime!

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Tree- All January Long

All January Long- Add a letter to our coconut tree and tell us your favorite story!

Build a Letter- Monday, January 27 3:30-4:30

Use our LEGOS, Magformers and KEVA Planks to construct a 3 dimensional letter!

Panda Bear, Panda Bear with Zen- All January Long

See if you can see all the animals Zen sees in the Library reading the story together!

Freedom to Read Week at Aldergrove Library

February 24-29- Fight censorship at the Library and celebrate our Freedom to Read!

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- Have you seen this Wizard? Green screen - Harry Potter was a censored book! Take some Green-screen photos like Azkaban prisoner Sirius Black!

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Read. Learn. Play. | www.fvrl.ca



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Aldergrove Library Yoga Challenge

March 2020

It's a Yoga Scavenger Hunt! Stretch yourself around the Library by trying some new poses in the stacks. Find and try them all and enter to win a yoga prize!

Pi Day-Saturday, March 14

Celebrate Pi (3.14) on this mathematic day of fun! We're doing all kinds of "pi" related activities-- come on in and celebrate this eternal symbol.

Spring Break at Aldergrove Library!

Check out our Spring Break brochure and posters for all our awesome Spring Break Programming!

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April 2020

Celebrate National Poetry Month by writing a Haiku, a simple and haunting form of Japanese poetry! All ages welcome. Contest runs from April 1 - 30.

Virtual Reality at the Aldergrove Library

Saturday, April 18th 11 am - 3 pm

Wednesday, April 22 4 pm- 7 pm

Try out our HTC Vive Virtual Reality experience at the Library! Sign up for a 15 minute slot or drop in. People under 18 require a signed permission form.

Library Butterflies & Release Party

Butterflies- April 17 - May

Release Party- TBA

Celebrate Spring and watch how caterpillars turn into butterflies at the Library. Join us as we release our butterflies into the world in May!

Earth Day "Trash Avengers" Workshop

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Join us for a fun and informative workshop for all ages! See what gets recycled and discuss how to reduce plastic in your life! This presentation is drop in and presented by LEPS.

Free Comic Book Day!

Saturday, May 2 11 am - 3 pm

Join us on Free Comic Book Day to get a free comic book and create one of a kind graphic novel buttons! Come in costume and live your superhero fantasy with our Green Screen.

May 4th- Star Wars Day at Aldergrove Library

Monday, May 4th 3:30- 7 pm

May the 4th be with you! Star Wars is for all ages! Pop by the Library to join in some of our 'out of this galaxy activities' from 'droid races, awesome crafts or greenscreen pics--we've got your fandom covered!

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FOR PEACE+EDUCATION

Skills for Life for Families

A 5-Part Series of Workshops for Parents

What would parenting look like if you experienced less stress and anxiety, had more control over your emotions, and had the space for reflection before taking action? This series of four workshops will help parents learn practical skills in:

- Listening mindfully
- Handling difficult emotions
- Resolving conflict effectively
- Balancing life's demands and challenges
- Enriching your parenting experience

Dates/Time:

- | | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| • February 11th | 6:00-7:30 pm |
| • February 18th | 6:00-7:30 pm |
| • February 25th | 6:00-7:30 pm |
| • March 3rd | 6:00-7:30 pm |
| • March 10th | 6:00-7:30 pm |

Location: Yorkson Creek Middle School – Learning Commons

This workshop series is offered free of charge and will be led by the Langley School District and Community Partners in collaboration with **The Dalai Lama Center For Peace and Education**.

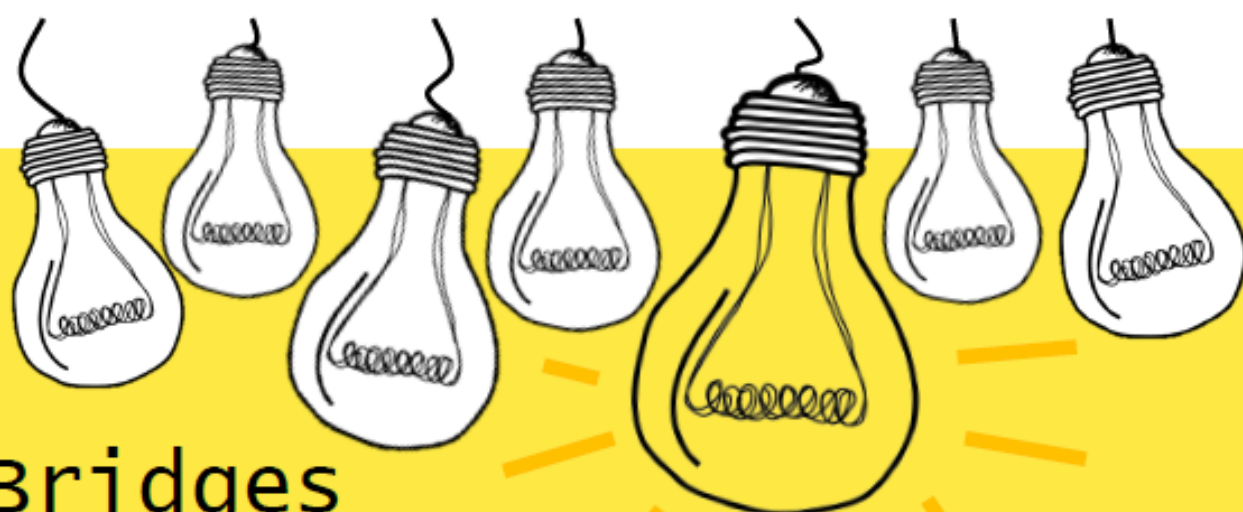
Light refreshments will be served.

To register, please RSVP to...

Tamira.burton@fraserhealth.ca

Or

GMarkin@sd35.bc.ca



Bridges to Employment

*A supportive, employment program for youth ages 15-30
who are facing barriers to employment.*

Classes Start: February 18, 2020

Program runs Tuesdays to Fridays from 9:00AM to 4:30PM

The Program:

- ⇒ 8 weeks of employability and life skills development.
- ⇒ 19 weeks of work experience and supplemental learning, supported by an outreach worker.
- ⇒ Youth are paid for attending the program and will receive certifications like First Aid, WHMIS, and FOODSAFE.

**For more information, call us at 604.534.2171 ext. 207 or
email employment@encompass-supports.com.**



Funding provided in part by:



Parents as Career Coaches Workshop

Parents as Career Coaches is a three-hour interactive workshop designed to help secondary school parents become more effective career development allies for their children. Parents are introduced to the concepts of coaching and given practical tools and research skills to help them as they coach their youth.

Sponsored by Capilano University



Tuesday, February 18, 2020

6:30pm - 9:30pm

**Walnut Grove Secondary Library
8919 Walnut Grove Dr.**

Register online at <https://careercoaches.thinklangley.com/>
(Max 4 attendees per RSVP). This is a free workshop designed
for parents of grade 9, 10, 11 & 12 students.

Contact Audrey Milne for more information:
amilne@sd35.bc.ca





**Youth TRAIN in
Trades Tour:
Thursday,
February 27, 2020**

All Grade 10-12 students interested in learning more about the trades programs offered in our school district are invited to attend this field trip that will visit all 7 programs (Automotive Service Technician, Carpentry, Electrical, Hairstylist, Horticulture, Piping/Plumbing, Professional Cook 1). Applications are available from Mrs. Smith in the Counselling Centre and are due by February 21st. Please submit your application early to secure a spot on the bus!

**Careers in Helping
Professions Tour:
Wednesday,
March 11, 2020**

CAREERS IN THE HELPING PROFESSIONS TOUR

Are you interested in being in the helping field (social worker, therapist, child and youth worker, etc.)?

THIS IS THE TOUR FOR YOU!

You will have a chance to MEET THE MASTERS who are professionals in the field as well as tour Douglas College, Coquitlam campus to hear about their Social Work, Child and Youth Care, and Psychology Programs.

For Grades 10 - 12.

Wednesday, MARCH 11, 2020
8:15 am - 3:30 pm

See Your Career Advisor for More Information
Applications Due February 20, 2020




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The 2020 ACSS/Langley Open Scholarship application is ready and available from the Counselling office or can be downloaded from the ACSS website. This is a student's best chance of receiving some money to help pay for education/training after high school. Not going to school right away? That's okay. Students have up to 2 years to claim their scholarship. Last year 57 awards were presented to ACSS students. Scholarships are awarded to students for a variety of reasons; achievement in academics, sports, trades & elective areas, community service, financial need, as well as based on what career they wish to pursue in the future. Students do not need to be a future Rocket Scientist to get a scholarship! Apply now! There is nothing to lose and much to gain!

BC Excellence Scholarships

There are 55 BC Excellence Scholarships available to recognize well-rounded B.C. graduates. Winners will have demonstrated service and leadership, both at school and in their communities, and shown aptitude and commitment to their chosen career paths. They will receive a \$5000 scholarship voucher to use for post-secondary tuition.

Nomination and Application

You must be nominated by your secondary school in order to apply for this scholarship. Only one student from each school may be nominated.

Eligibility

Nominees must:

- Be in their graduation year with graduation to occur by August 31 of the school year in which they are nominated
- Be eligible for a B.C. Certificate of Graduation (Dogwood Diploma) and fulfill graduation requirements
- Have at least a:
 - ⇒ "B" (73% or above) in their Language Arts 11 final mark
 - ⇒ "B" average in final course marks that fulfill graduation requirements of Science 11 or 12, Math 11 and Social Studies 11 or 12, with no more than one "C+" (67% or above) final course mark, (marks lower than "C+" are not accepted)
 - ⇒ Maintain a "B" average or better in Grades 11 and 12 final course marks required for graduation

The following must be submitted to Mrs. Luteijn for consideration by Jan. 24th.

- **Resume**
- **Two reference letters, one from your community and one from your school**
- **A written statement, maximum 500 words, which must describe:**
 - ⇒ **What led you to your most relevant community service, volunteer activity, and/or leadership role, and**
 - ⇒ **What you learned from this experience, and**
 - ⇒ **How this experience will benefit you in your chosen career path.**

The school's nominee will be notified and directed to fill out an online application. The application must be submitted to the Ministry of Education **before Feb. 28th**.

The online application form can be found at <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/scholarships/provincial-scholarships/bc-excellence-scholarships>

Schulich Leader Scholarship

For more information check out: www.SchulichLeaders.com

Do you fit the criteria?

- Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- Plan to enroll in **STEM** at one of their partner universities (is. SFU, UBC, UVic in BC, loads of others across the country that I have a list we could check for you)
- NOT planning a career as a medical practitioner
- Meet at least 2 of the following criteria:
 - ◊Academic Excellence
 - ◊Leadership (community, business or entrepreneurial)
 - ◊Financial Need

If you are interested in being considered as our school's nominee, for a chance to win a \$80,000 or a \$100,000 STEM Leader Scholarship, please provide the following to **Mrs. Luteijn, by Jan. 24th, 2020**:

- List the universities they wish to attend
- Describe their top 3 achievements (academic or other)
- 600 word essay demonstrating why they should win
- (optional) 250 word essay to outline extenuating circumstances
- A short answer to identify where they see themselves in 10 years
- Transcript (Mrs. Luteijn can print off for you)
- 2 letters of reference

Please type any responses.

Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarship

The Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarship is awarded to 20 outstanding high school graduates who have demonstrated a commitment and aptitude for a career path in K-12 teaching. Winners receive a \$5,000 scholarship voucher to redeem when they are registered and attending an approved K-12 teacher education program at one of BC's approved teacher education institutions.

Eligibility Applicants must:

- Be in their graduation year with graduation to occur by August 31 of the school year in which they are nominated
- Be eligible for a B.C. Certificate of Graduation (Dogwood Diploma) and fulfill graduation requirements.
- Have at least a:
 - ◊"B" (73% or above) in their Language Arts 11 final mark
 - ◊"B" average in final course marks that fulfill graduation requirements of Science 11 or 12, Math 11 and Social Studies 11 or 12, with no more than one "C+" (67% or above) final course mark, (marks lower than "C+" are not accepted)
- Maintain a "B" average or better in Grades 11 and 12 final course marks required for graduation

The application must be submitted to the Ministry **before Feb. 28th**.

The online application form can be found at <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/scholarships/provincial-scholarships/pathway-to-teacher-education-scholarship>

Gr. 12 students wanting help applying to college or university are encouraged to seek out Mrs. Luteijn or Mrs. Smith in the Counselling office and make an appointment. Students can also get help during FLEX in the library computer lab when Mrs. Luteijn is supervising. The following information is available as a hand-out in the Counselling office as well.

How to Apply to College or University in BC

1. Go to <http://educationplannerbc.ca>

This is a great site for planning and searching for after high school options for further schooling. The SEARCH option is great for getting information on which schools offer the programs you may be interested in. From here you can also get more specific information about entrance requirements to those programs and will link you to the school's website for even more information.

2. When you are ready to apply, click on the APPLY ONLINE box on the main screen.

Follow the instructions for signing up for an EducationPlannerBC Account. You will need your 9-digit PEN. This is the number that identifies you as a BC student and is on your report card. Mrs. Luteijn or any of your teachers can access this number from MyEdBC.

3. After you fill in your PROFILE, select an institution (notice that UBC, BCIT, UVIC and Royal Roads Universities have external applications and do not use EducationPlannerBC, however, there are links to those schools to apply at their sites). There are also links to some private institutions from this page.

4. Fill in any additional information the school is asking, like what program you are applying to. In order to complete your application you will need a credit card. If your parents do not have one (or don't trust you with it!) you can purchase a VISA or MASTERCARD gift card from a grocery or drugstore and that will do, just make sure you have enough \$\$ on the card.

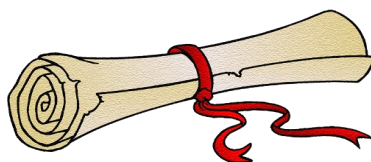
5. After you apply you should receive an email confirmation within the next couple of days. Be sure to check your emails frequently and read your emails through line by line so you do not miss any important dates or instructions for your next steps. Some people create a special email just for applying, so the emails back from the institution do not get lost among all your other emails and SPAM.

6. Your next step is to arrange to have your marks (transcripts) accessible for the school(s) you applied to. You need to get yourself a BCeID ... read on



How to order transcripts or share your transcripts with the college/university you applied to

1. Google search: "Student Transcript Service" – then click on "Order Transcripts & Certificates – Province of British Columbia" or <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-and-certificates>
2. Click on "Current student" – Then click on "ORDER." As you read the page you will learn you need to register for a Basic BCeID to access your transcripts. This BCeID will also let you access other BC Government services in the future, so be sure to remember the registration details you provide when setting this up. There is also a Help Video you can watch before proceeding, which is very helpful. You will need your 9-digit PEN (Personal Education Number), a valid email address, your date of birth, and your legal first and last name – since your name must match your school of record has on file.
3. You will receive an email confirmation of your successful BCeID registration, so be sure to confirm this within 24 hours or you must register again. As always, make sure you are keeping your email and log in information safe somewhere so you do not forget how to get in.
4. Now you can log in to the STS (Student Transcript Service).
5. Once in, click on "Send/Order Transcripts" – Don't worry, it does not cost you anything to do this. Only when you have graduated, ordering transcripts will cost you \$10. Now select the school(s) you applied to so they can access your transcript information. On the left list of schools, scroll and then click on the school you want and click on the button to add to the list on the right. Keep the default button selection that indicates the school can have access to your marks/transcripts when grade become available over the course of the year. A copy of your Transcript should come up. Be sure to give it a good look over to make sure it is correct. If there are any errors or omissions, please see the Counsellors to confirm. If all is good, proceed to check out and complete your order. You will be given a summary of the schools you are setting up with.
6. BAM ... you are set!
- 7.
7. Be aware that some school and programs will want you to SELF-REPORT your grades or even send a copy of your unofficial transcripts directly to them. Always check your emails from the admissions office and follow through well before any deadlines. If you need help, come see Mrs. Luteijn.



VAPING & YOUTH

PARENT INFO SESSION

MARCH 11 2020

7:00-8:00 PM

Township of Langley Civic Facility
Fraser River Presentation Theatre
20338 65 Ave, Langley

FREE EVENT

Limited seating

Register on Eventbrite

Questions? contact

aliciarempel@me.com

Child & Youth Mental Health & Substance Use Collaborative
The Langley Local Action Team

 [langley.lat](https://www.instagram.com/langley.lat)



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Better health. Best in health care.

Langley Single Mothers Support Group

Accepting new Members!

Single mothers come together in our weekly group meetings to connect with resources, share information, stories and support in a safe and welcoming space.

- *FREE service*
- *FREE child minding*
- *FREE dinner*

Location:

- Encompass' Aldergrove Family Place on Tuesday evenings

We also offer other group locations outside of Aldergrove

- Abbotsford- Thurs evenings
- Maple Ridge- Mon evenings
- Newton (Surrey)- Sat mornings
- Clayton - Baby and Me Group for pregnant moms and single mothers with a child under 18 months old- Sat mornings

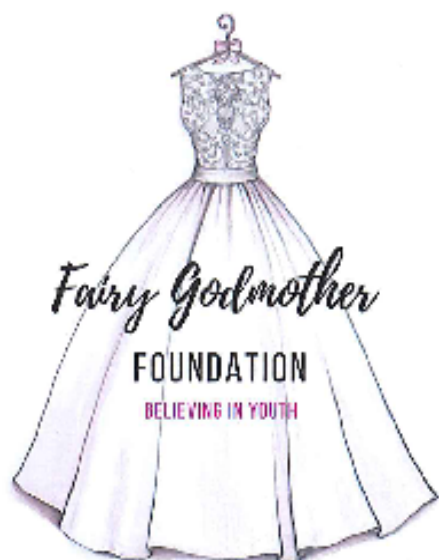


For more Information or to Register:

Phone [604-619-5276](tel:604-619-5276)

Email singlemoms@ywcavan.org

Website www.ywcavan.org/singlemothers



Attention Parents & Students

We believe all young adults, that have reached their graduation milestone in Langley and Aldergrove, should be able to attend grad with Pride and Dignity.

Together we can make this happen for deserving grads!

Referrals

We invite referrals to the program from school counsellors, youth counsellors and youth workers.

If you, your child or a student you know are on their way to graduate, have faced and overcome challenges and adversity on their journey and are facing financial difficulty, we would love to help.

To be referred, simply visit your school counsellor, youth counsellor or youth worker and they will provide us with a referral form for you. Our referral team will review the applications and advise once a decision has been made.

Please note, we are accepting a limited number of grads. If your referral is accepted you will be contacted by the school counsellor, youth counsellor or youth worker with details regarding gala day.

Our Mission

To provide a service to deserving grads in our community, who have faced and overcome adversity by providing grad wear and accessories to those who may not be fortunate enough to afford them.

Our Vision

To see that all young adults who have reached their graduation milestone are able to attend grad with pride and dignity.

Referral Deadline is:

FEBRUARY 15, 2020