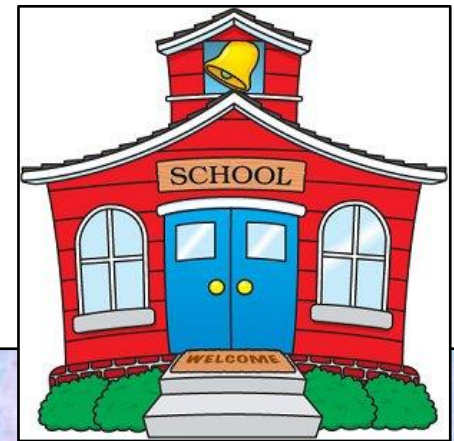


Q3 BELL SCHEDULE



Take a pic with your phone

GRADE 9/10's	GRADE 11/12's
P1 7:55 – 9:10 am	P1 7:55 – 9:10 am
P2 9:15 – 11:15	BREAK 9:10 – 9:25 am
FLEX 11:15 – 11:45 am	P2 9:30 – 11:30 am
LUNCH 11:45 am – 12:15 pm	FLEX 11:30 AM – 12:00 pm
P4 12:20 – 2:20 pm**	LUNCH 12 – 12:30 pm
FLEX 2:20 – 2:50 pm	P4 12:35 – 2:35 pm**
	FLEX 2:35 – 3:05 pm
** P2 Mon/Thurs students A-L	** P2 Mon/Thurs students A-L
Tues/Fri students M-Z	Tues/Fri students M-Z

Registration for the next two Youth Empowering Youth (YFY) Program has opened with start dates on Monday, March 15th and Wednesday, April 7th.

All youth between 13-18 are welcome to [register](#) for this free online-program and we hope you have some time to share this information with the youth you work with. If you would like to incorporate this program as part of your class or school program please contact me and we can discuss in more detail. Currently we have openings starting in April and May. More information about the program and how to register is included below and attached you will find a one-page information sheet on the YFY program.



Free Youth Leadership Program

FOR AGES 13-18

Youth Empowering Youth (YFY) Program is dedicated to empowering younger generations with resources and opportunities to grow. This nine-session program is led by two youth facilitators who are passionate about empowering youth.

Mission

To create a safe environment for youth to cultivate a sense of security, confidence and self-assurance within themselves.

Vision

We inspire youth to be accountable for their own thoughts, feelings and actions; helping them become responsible citizens in this world. Our vision is to help communities across the world create a culture that empowers, strengthens and develops leaders for the next generation.

Register in the program at
<https://linktr.ee/youthempoweringyouth>



The online version of the program is 90-minute sessions over Zoom and encourages student participation.

Outcome

We all have unique gifts and intrinsic value to offer to the world. The YFY program will serve as a catalyst to help youth explore their talents and contribute to the community in a powerful, positive and meaningful way.

Upon graduation of this program, youth have the opportunity to apply to facilitate future programs and be part of empowering more youth.



Connect With Us

<https://linktr.ee/youthempoweringyouth>
shawna@lowentropy.org
604-314-6102

Volunteer Opportunity

Good Dog Ranch Volunteer Program

- A program to share our 3 pillars of strength in leadership, compassion and respect with youth in our community. Good Dog Ranch offers opportunities to participate in dog care at our new 6000 square foot facility with over an acre and a half of adventure park for our furry friends.

Working with animals, our volunteers learn valuable life skills in responsibility, consistent effort and accountability. We take dog care seriously and have a team of outstanding dog care experts for our volunteers to learn from.

Learning about dog communication and training is one of the many benefits of volunteering for Good Dog and many of our previous employees have become professionals in the pet care industry from veterinarians to dog trainers.

We take volunteers from as young as 15 and we hope that, as our volunteers will grow with us, they will one day apply to work with us when we are hiring.

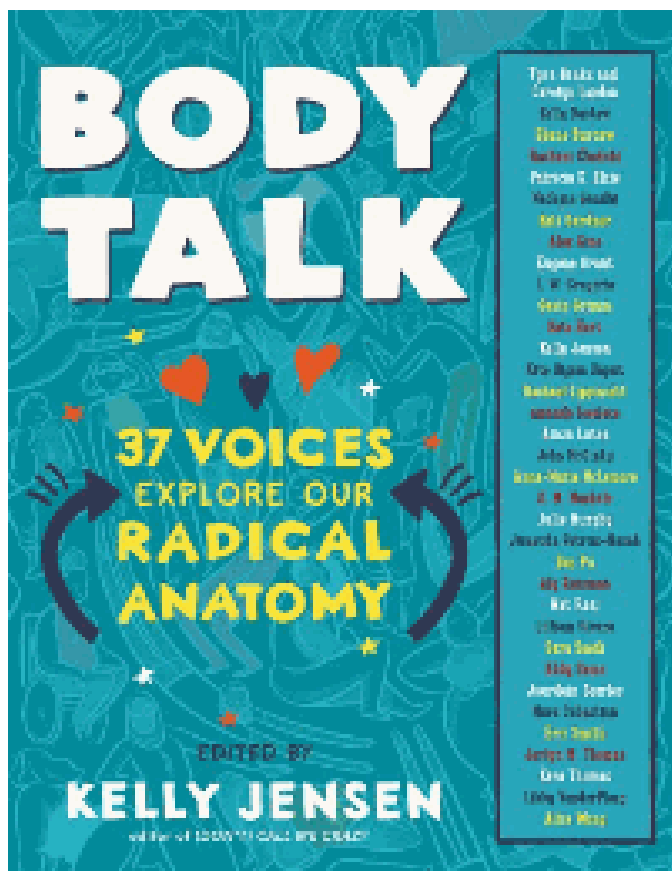
Example shifts: Monday to Friday and weekend shifts available
Common Shift Hours : 8am to 12pm, 12pm to 4pm, 3:00pm to 7:00pm

We have many new hires who have graduated from our local high schools and to accommodate our high school age volunteers we can craft shifts around their class times, rides from family members and school work.

Good Dog is located just around the corner from Fremont Village at 331 Laurier Ave in Port Coquitlam.

Laura Doyle leads the Good Dog volunteer program and has been a college teacher for Vancouver Film School for 20 years. She has a deep passion for educating young people and helping them learn valuable life skills. Contact: Laura@gooddog.ca

Next Volunteer Training on Friday March 19th from 6pm to 8pm



NEW LIBRARY BOOKS

KODIAK ATHLETICS

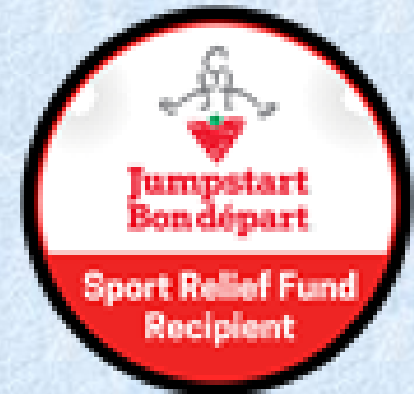


Moresports BC Youth Leadership Program

Moresports youth leaders come from diverse backgrounds and/or sport experience, but they all share a passion for working with and helping kids. Mentorship is a win-win and through Moresports, our leaders not only become key role models in their community, they inspire new ones! Join us for Free and Low cost training - then share your new skills and knowledge at our future after school programs & camps (when it is safe to do so)

Sign up here to get started:

<https://forms.gle/MoresportsBCLeader>



Female Strong Series



Join us as we discuss the Power of Sports to make a Female Strong

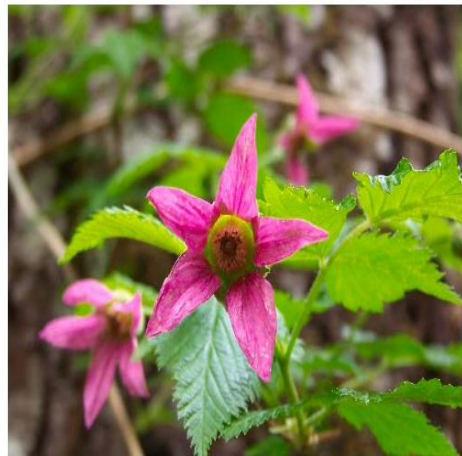
Discover how participation has helped Women reach their goals, learn about their personal strengths and provide them with resilience. Let's gather together and share our stories of strengths and weakness and learn about resilience too~ from one another!

<https://dowhatuluv.ca/program/FemaleStrong>

Come learn from Keani who discovered how participating in afterschool programs with Moresports has led her to a career she is excited about. Hear how Sandra (Tri Cities Local) started her sport as a teen and is now on Team Canada. Discover how sport can build relationships with other team-mates but also for Mom's and Daughters!

CLUBS





The Salmonberry

(*Rubus spectabilis*)

The Salmonberry is a berry native to the west coast, reaching as far up as Alaska and as far down as California. They have wooden stems, covered in prickles, and will occasionally have berries.

- During the early spring to early summer it will have small, pink, five-petal flowers.
- From early may to late June (depending on climate) the shrub may have shiny, yellow to orange to red berries.
- Were used by First Nations to tell when the salmon would come back because they would come into season the same time as the salmon.
- Salmonberries are edible and have the same structure as a raspberry.
- They can be found in the wild and are not normally grown, many forests near here will have them.



GardenBank Society

HWSOAP TUTORING

Contact hwsaptutor@gmail.com for free
online peer tutoring in all school subjects!



CAREER CENTER



Hey Grade 11 and 12s – are you interested in being part of a pilot project involving business skills and film?

- We are looking for business-minded students (those who might be tracking for business school after graduation preferred) to be part of an innovative SFU Beedie project involving budgeting, marketing and management skills.
- The *Lights, Camera, Action! Innovation Simulation* is an online educational simulation that enables participants to experience the exciting challenges of a multidisciplinary innovation process in a consequence-free learning environment.
- During *Lights, Camera, Action!*, teams of 6-7 students work together as independent film studios to create a 2-minute trailer for release at the end-of-simulation Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF) Showcase. Participants take on a variety of **managerial and creative roles** to **identify and analyze market needs**; identify and cast appropriate star talent; select filming locations; **manage a budget and financial forecasts**; and **create a compelling movie trailer** for viewing at the end of simulation TIFF Showcase.

If you think this sounds like your skill set, please see Mr. Sather ASAP. He will be collecting names to form teams of 7. Expected date for this ALL DAY event is March 6 or 7. Need more information? See Ms. Butler in the career centre.

Are you a high school student considering a career in Civil Engineering? Come and discover what is Civil Engineering and explore Civil Engineering education at BCIT!

BCIT Civil Engineering Faculty and Civil Engineer, **Phyllis Chong, MAsc, PEng**, will do a short presentation about the program and share possible career paths for civil engineers and technologists, followed by an open Q&A.

The highly regarded, full-time BCIT Civil Engineering degree program provides a path that allows students to earn dual credentials. All students who successfully complete the first two years of the program receive a Diploma in Civil Engineering, while students who meet the continuation requirements and successfully complete the entire four-year program also earn a nationally-accredited Bachelor of Engineering in Civil Engineering. These credentials prepare graduates for professional practice in this popular and diverse field as either civil technologists or as civil engineers, and also provide a path to further studies.

We are accepting applications for the September 2021 intake until April 15, 2021.

If you have questions related to the registration for these sessions, [contact Maggie Lau](#).

For more information about the Civil Engineering program and program contacts, visit the [BCIT Civil Engineering web page](#).

Zoom details will be emailed to registrants.

Sign up for one of the **BCIT Civil Engineering Online Info Sessions for High School Students** on

- [Tuesday, March 9, 2021 from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm](#)
- [Monday, March 15, 2021 from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm](#)

ARE YOU IN GRADE 12?

HAVE YOU APPLIED TO POST-SECONDARY – ANY TYPE (COLLEGE, TRADE SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY) IN CANADA, US OR ABROAD?

YOU MUST GIVE ALL SCHOOLS PERMISSION TO RECEIVE YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPTS THROUGH THE STUDENT TRANSCRIPT SERVICE.

AFTER YOU CREATE YOUR BCEID THEN YOU SELECT THE SCHOOLS YOU HAVE APPLIED TO SO THEY CAN RECEIVE YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPTS.

THE CORRECT SEND OPTION IS AUTO-SELECTED. DO NOT CHANGE IT.

DO NOT CHOOSE SEND TRANSCRIPT NOW.

YOU NEED TO MAKE THESE SELECTIONS IN ORDER FOR SCHOOLS TO RECEIVE YOUR FINAL MARKS IN JULY.

WITHOUT THOSE MARKS THEY CANNOT CONFIRM YOUR CONDITIONAL OFFER.

QUESTIONS? THERE IS A PPT ON THE CAREER CENTRE WEBSITE WITH INSTRUCTIONS:

[HTTP://WWW.SD43.BC.CA/SCHOOL/HERITAGEWOODS/PROGRAMSSERVICES/CAREER/PAGES/POST-SECONDARY.ASPX#/=](http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/heritagewoods/programsservices/career/pages/post-secondary.aspx#/=)

STILL UNSURE IF YOU DID IT CORRECTLY? CONTACT MS. BUTLER FOR ASSISTANCE: DBUTLER@SD43.BC.CA

Experience Nicola Valley Institute of Technology - 2021 Virtual Education Fair and Webinars

Experience NVIT 2021

Want to learn more about Nicola Valley Institute of Technology?
Attend info sessions with the Department Heads of our programs!

February 22 Health Care Assistant: Presented by Ivy McRae	February 23 Environmental Resource Technology: Presented by Tom Willms & Margaret Hohner	February 24 Culinary Arts: Presented by Andrew George & Margaret Hohner
February 25 Bachelor of Social Work: Presented by Ursula Katic	February 26 Chemical Addictions Worker: Presented by Jessica Stepp	March 1 Meet the Elders: Presented by Merritt and Burnaby Campus Elders
March 2 University Transfer Programs (General Arts, Criminology, and First Nations Studies): Presented by Lara Condello & Margaret Hohner	March 3 Office Admin. and Executive Assistant: Presented by Beverly Currie-Mclean & Margaret Hohner	March 4 Business and Trades Programs: Presented by John Chenoweth & Margaret Hohner
March 5 Renewable Energies Technology: Presented by Brandon Williams & Margaret Hohner	March 8 College Readiness: Presented by Mil Juricic	March 9 Indigenous Language Fluency Program: Presented by Mandy Jimmie
March 10 Access to Practical Nursing: Presented by Heather Klatt	March 11 Community and Public Safety Professional: Presented by Kelly Donaldson	March 12 Indigenous Human Services: Presented by Rae Porterfield

**Attend to have a chance to WIN A \$20 GIFT CARD!
Guaranteed 5 PRIZE WINNERS each day!**

The event will be held virtually online, between 12:00pm-1:00pm each day. To attend, please register at www.nvit.ca/experiencenvit.htm to receive an emailed link to the event. For more information, please contact recruitment@nvit.bc.ca



YOUTH LEADERS IN LAW



YOUTH LEADERS IN LAW

2021 HIGH SCHOOL VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

Learn about medical, criminal, family and corporate fields of law through case studies and panel discussions with our esteemed lawyers!

COME JOIN US, FREE OF CHARGE

MARCH 20

10 AM - 1 PM MDT

REGISTER ONLINE

@YOUTHLEADERSNLAW

WWW.YOUTHLEADERSINLAW.COM



SUMMER CAMP VOLUNTEER

Position Title: Summer Camp Volunteer

Position Summary:

Simon Fraser University Summer Camp Volunteers are responsible for helping to provide a safe, fun environment for camp participants and for being a role model to camp participants. Specific duties include assisting instructors with the supervision of campers and coordination of activities. Volunteers may also be responsible for assisting with the supervision of camp participants during lunch, pre or post care. Volunteers should be flexible in their areas of placements as positions may change throughout the summer. Successful candidates will be mature, responsible, and willing to try new activities.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- General supervision and head counts of camp participants on campus and during field trips off campus.
- Assist instructors with games, activities, set up, and clean up.
- Participate in all camp specific activities including any recreation games, sports, and hiking.
- Assist with the supervision of lunchtime duties and recreation time.
- Provide a safe and welcoming camp environment to camp participants and their families.
- Maintain a high level of respect and professionalism when interacting with camp participants, parents, instructors, volunteers, and camp administration.
- Be a role model by demonstrating positive, enthusiastic, and respectful attitudes and behaviour.
- Effectively communicate absences and tardiness with camp administration and instructors.
- Attend mandatory before and after camp volunteer meetings.
- Adhere to all policies and procedures set out by camp administration.
- Additional duties as directed by camp administration.

Requirements:

- At least 14 years old by July 5th, 2021.
- Ability to commit to a minimum of 2 weeks of volunteering (Non-consecutive weeks is acceptable).
- Attend volunteer training.
- A Criminal Record Check (free of charge) will be **required** upon accepting a position with SFU Camps.

Qualifications:

- A desire to work in a positive environment with children.
- Positive attitude, strong work ethic, flexibility, and willingness to try new activities.
- Responsible and reliable.
- Professionalism.

NOW HIRING VOLUNTEERS



Apply Now!

[CAMPS.SFU.CA](https://camps.sfu.ca)



SFU CAMPS SD43 VOLUNTEER

- Applications are open. Students can check out our website and apply:
<http://www.sfu.ca/camps/opportunities.html>.

The application deadline is **April 25th, 2021 at 11:59 PM**



ERA's 2nd Scholarship Competition

- – Win up to \$10,000

Are you eligible?

- Must be a full -time/part-time student in Canada. For those participants which are outside our operating areas (Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Toronto, and Montreal) there will be adjusted requirements. See FAQ below.

Why is ERA holding this competition?

- ERA likes to get the community involved in many ways throughout the year. This competition gives students the opportunity to gain experience, build their resume, and if they are motivated enough to win this scholarship, would be a great help financially with schooling.

What are we looking for?

- We need you to come up with a marketing plan and host an e-waste collection event in your area. You will manage every detail of this event from the planning and promoting to the execution! We want to see how creative students can get with marketing the event and reaching out to your community and local businesses to ensure the event is well attended. How will you implement your ideas to raise awareness and get your networks involved? After you have followed through with the event, the team at ERA will evaluate your work after the deadline and pick the winner!

What items do we accept?

- Cell phones, tablets, laptops, computers, servers, monitors, networking equipment, gaming consoles and similar electronics. **No household or personal electronics

This competition will start on February 1st and runs until July 31st, 2021. For more information and to enter please visit: <https://www.electronicrecyclingassociation.ca/2021-era-scholarship/>

Port Moody Youth Scholarship Program

If you're in Grade 12 and intend to pursue a post-secondary education after you graduate, you can apply to the Port Moody Youth Scholarship Program. Each year, we award a \$1,000 scholarship to a student in our city.

If selected, we will present you with a cheque after you provide proof of registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.

Deadline for applications is April 6, 2021.

Eligibility requirements

You must be a Port Moody resident, or a student attending a Port Moody school, who's enrolled in Grade 12 to apply.

Evaluation criteria

- The goal of the Program to recognize and honour a student who has acted in a leadership role and made significant contributions to the community.
- You must demonstrate:
- leadership in, and contribute to, your school and community;
- excellence in academics, athletics, arts or technical education; and
- good academic standing (letter grade average of B or better).

Apply online at: <https://www.portmoody.ca/en/city-services/port-moody-youth-scholarship-program.aspx>

BCIT Entrance Awards



**ENTRANCE AWARDS
FOR INCOMING STUDENTS**

More than \$336,000 of awards are available for incoming students. Get rewarded for your hard work.

Application deadlines:

- August 5, 2021
for programs starting between April and November 2021
- January 6, 2022
for programs starting between December 2021 and March 2022

Learn more at bcit.ca/finaid



BCIT is pleased to announce that the following Entrance Awards are available to students who are planning to attend our institute commencing *April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022*.

Up to 25 BCIT President's Entrance Awards, available only to current High School students

- Valued up to \$4,000 each.
- **Deadline: August 5, 2021**

Over 100 additional BCIT Entrance Awards

- Valued up to \$6,000 each.
- **Deadlines: August 5, 2021 and/or January 6, 2022**

More information about BCIT Entrance Awards and the application forms can be found at bcit.ca/finaid.

SELF-REPORT 2021

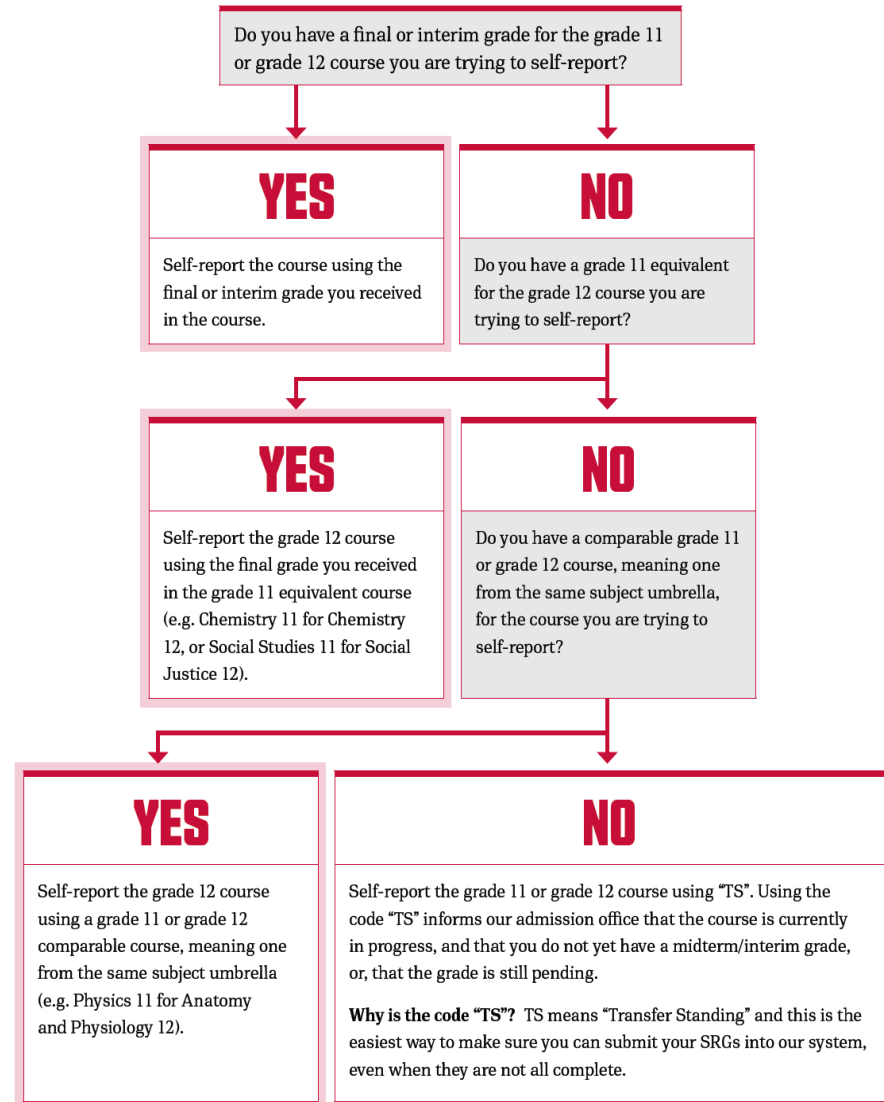
You must report all approved grade 11 and 12 courses to complete your application to SFU.

Visit www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/approved-courses for a list of all approved grade 11 and grade 12 courses, and their subject umbrellas.

Simon Fraser University

Additionally, we are offering Applicant Information Sessions, which include a self reporting grades tutorial, throughout February. Students can register here:

<https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/campus-tours/applicant-info-session/sessions.html>



SUCCESS! SELF-REPORTING IS NOW COMPLETE.

Did you miss the Jan. 15 deadline to apply to UBC? It might not be too late. Some faculties are still accepting applications.

Apply to UBC

- Applications for the 2021/2022 academic year has now closed for most programs. Below are programs that are still currently accepting applications. If you are interested in applying to any of these programs, **we recommend applying as soon as possible as they may close at any time.**
- **UBC Vancouver:**
 - Bachelor of Music
 - Bachelor of Science in Natural Resources Conservation
 - Bachelor of Science in Wood Products Processing
 - Bachelor of Science in Forestry
 - Bachelor of Science in Forest Sciences
 - Bachelor of Science in Forest Bioeconomy Sciences and Technology
 - Bachelor of Urban Forestry
 - Vantage One Bachelor of Arts
 - Vantage One Bachelor of Science
 - Vantage One Bachelor of Applied Science
- **UBC Okanagan:**
 - Bachelor of Applied Science
 - Bachelor of Arts
 - Bachelor of Fine Arts
 - Bachelor of Human Kinetics
 - Bachelor of Management
 - Bachelor of Media Studies
 - Bachelor of Science



For more information visit:

<https://ssc.adm.ubc.ca/sscportal/apply.xhtml>

SUPPORTING YOUR FINANCIAL WELLNESS: SCOTIABANK & MYBLUEPRINT HAVE PARTNERED.

SCOTIABANK HAS INVESTED \$30,000 TO SUPPORT STUDENT POST-SECONDARY ASPIRATIONS.

FIND DETAILS ON CRITERIA / DEADLINES AND HOW TO APPLY FOR ALL OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH YOUR MYBLUEPRINT ACCOUNT.

FOUR (4) WINNERS X \$3,750

FINANCIAL WELLNESS SCHOLARSHIP



STEM SCHOLARSHIP

FOUR (4) WINNERS X \$3,750



THE FOUR REGIONS FOR THESE SCHOLARSHIPS ARE:

→ ATLANTIC CANADA → BRITISH COLUMBIA / YUKON → ONTARIO → PRAIRIES / NORTH WEST TERRITORIES / NUNAVUT

Are you considering Software Engineering? Do you know about the program at TRU? We have an exciting 2 minute video for Grade 11 and Grade 12 students presented by one of our current final year students in the BEng in Software Engineering Program at TRU! Lorelei highlights her discovery of Software Engineering, her successful COOP experience, the NEW PHYSICS 11 requirements and the benefits of the program at TRU. Combined, all these experiences have helped shaped her engineering career so she can make today's world a better tomorrow!

- **Video Link:** <https://youtu.be/SIR-gJMMOF0>
- Applications are currently open and there are limited seats so students **MUST APPLY NOW!** to secure a spot in the program
- Students can click here to: [APPLY NOW](#)

Grade 12 students: Scholarships!!

Please see the link for a power point presentation with information on some upcoming major scholarship opportunities.

- You will find links to these plus other scholarships on the career centre webpage under the Finances/Awards tab.
- This PPT is also located on the front page of the Finances/Awards page.
- <http://www.sd43.bc.ca/school/heritagewoods/ProgramsServices/career/Pages/FinancialAid.aspx#/=>
- Scholarships are listed by due date. Most are external but some are entrance/school specific so check both places.
- Please remember to check back to that page regularly. It is updated as information is released for 2021 scholarship deadlines and procedures.

If you have questions about scholarships please email Ms. Butler
dbutler@sd43.bc.ca

Upcoming Virtual Info Sessions:

University of Northern BC (UNBC) Future Students Information Session - SD 43

Thursday, Mar 25th, 4:30 – 5:30 pm

- ▶ Register in advance for this webinar:
- ▶ https://ca01web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_7tGZQjIRQ1ewv0RKZ9CutA



Live Life.
Pass It On.
\$1000
Scholarship
BC Transplant



Wednesday, April 7, 2021

What is
Green Shirt
Day?

“ **LIVE LIFE. PASS IT ON.** ”

\$1000 SCHOLARSHIP

BC TRANSPLANT
Provincial Health Services Authority

This year, BC Transplant will award two \$1000 scholarships to Grade 12 students who lead an organ donation awareness project in their school or community in the 20/21 school year.

You could organize your whole school to participate in Green Shirt Day on April 7, start a social media challenge or host an organ donor registration drive in your school.

You'll need to submit a 500-word essay or short video to showcase your project.

Deadline to apply is May 3, 2021.
For more details, visit www.transplant.bc.ca



WHAT CAN YOU DO?

Show up In Green!

Get your friends, school and family to participate on April 7 by wearing a green shirt or a jersey to honour Logan's legacy of selfless giving.

Talk to your teachers, principal or headmaster about getting your school involved. Contact us to let us know who you are, which school you attend, and what you will be doing to show your support for Green Shirt Day!

Join the Social Movement

Share your photos of support for organ donation and transplantation in BC by tagging us on your social media:

- @BCTransplant
- @BC_Transplant
- @bc_transplant

Start a Challenge

Organize a social media campaign or registration drive at your school.

- If 25 students get 25 people to register as an organ donor – ask your principal or teacher to dye their hair green!
- If 50 students get 50 people to register as an organ donor – ask your principal or teacher to wear green man suits and do a dance at the assembly!

Fun Ideas (be creative!)

- Students and teachers wear green socks/green temporary tattoos/green headband
- Ask a transplant recipient to give a virtual speech
- People can also take home a registration form or have conversations about organ donation



One donor can save up to eight lives.
#TAKETWOMINUTES

WEDNESDAY APRIL 7, 2021

WHAT IS GREEN SHIRT DAY?



GET STARTED NOW BY TALKING TO YOUR TEACHER, VISITING OUR WEBSITE OR CONTACTING US FOR A CAMPAIGN KIT!

Educator toolkits are also available at transplant.bc.ca

Logan Boulet, a 21-year old hockey player, did not survive the tragic Humboldt Broncos bus crash that killed 16 people in 2018. Logan registered as an organ donor just weeks before the accident and had spoken to his father about his wishes a year before. Logan was able to save six people's lives through his organ donation.

#LOGAN BOULET EFFECT

As news spread of Logan's selfless act, thousands across the country and world were inspired to register as organ donors. This became known as the "Logan Boulet Effect". To mark the day Logan Boulet became an organ donor, the Boulet family launched Green Shirt Day on April 7 of every year.

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Did you apply to York University?

Enter for a chance to win FREE TUITION for a year!

<https://www.yorku.ca/rightthefuture/#entry-form-1>



UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
MEDICINE | LAW
YOUTH SUMMER PROGRAM

Virtual Law March Break Week
Law YSP
March 15 - March 19, 2021

Even at this time of physical distancing, we look forward to continuing to connect our participants and their deep curiosity, passion and enthusiasm for law!

Want more information? Take a look at our website.

ysp.law@utoronto.ca

**Registration opens:
Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at 10:00 am Eastern Time!**

SFU

Have you applied to SFU but have some questions about what to do now?

Here is a handy video on self-reporting your grades:

<https://vimeo.com/488612555/a1d5f1a3cc>

If you have questions – please email Ms. Butler to schedule an appointment

dbutler@sd43.bc.ca

Live Support

- Have a question about self-reporting grades? We are offering Live Zoom Support during these times:
- Monday, 3:30-4:30pm PST
- Thursday, 3:30-4:30pm PST
- <https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/apply/applied/fall.html>

Summer STEM Institute

Making research and mentorship accessible to high school students.

The Summer STEM Institute (SSI) is a 6-week virtual summer program from **June 20 to August 1, 2021**. SSI is an international program that provides academically talented and highly motivated students the opportunity to learn through a data science and research bootcamp, a Masterclass lecture series, weekend challenges, and a mentored research project.

- **Bootcamp:** learn how to design and conduct a data science research project.
- Pursuing research in high school is difficult. Many students are scientifically curious and are eager to conduct research but often lack the right training to do so. The SSI Bootcamp empowers motivated high school students with the training to conduct data science research projects.
- The Summer STEM Institute (SSI) program was started last summer by educators, students, and graduates from Stanford, Harvard, and MIT. Last year, SSI received over 2,450 applications from students in 78 different countries.

Many students who attended the program said SSI changed their lives and asked for the team to continue running SSI in future years. Applications for SSI 2021 have just opened.

The program consists of three main parts:

- **Research and data science bootcamp:** Students learn how to design and conduct data science research projects. Students learn about the research process and how to apply statistical and machine learning methods to address scientific questions with real-world impact.
- **Masterclass lecture series:** Students are connected to accomplished young adults around the world. Students have the opportunity to learn about entrepreneurship from Forbes 30 Under 30 recipients, science research from International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF) grand prize winners, and other topics from speakers with diverse backgrounds and experiences.
- **Mentored research project:** Students complete a research project through a rigorous, hands-on learning experience under the guidance of mentors. Previously, students have worked in a variety of fields, from computational biology to quantum physics.

Students and families can learn more about SSI and apply on our website here: <https://www.summersteminstitute.org/> and here:

<https://www.summersteminstitute.org/admissions>

REPEAT NOTICES



Study tips?

*Advice on
making friends?*

*Conflict
resolution
ideas?*



*Highschool
questions?*



Mobile Mentors



Need advice on highschool issues? Just DM our Instagram or email us to speak to an experienced grade 12 mentor confidentially.

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hwssmobilementors@gmail.com