

THE GHOST POST

October Update – Third Edition



STAY CONNECTED

Change of address?
Change your phone
number? Please keep
us informed!

TO REPORT ABSENCE

Please use
SchoolMessenger Safe
Arrival to report student
absences via the
website, phone or the
app!

PARKING

Please be reminded that
there is no student
parking at London
Central Secondary
School.

BUSING

Busing information is
available at:
www.mybigyellowbus.ca

PARENT PORTAL

Register for the PARENT
PORTAL for access to
daily attendance and
academic updates.

Principal's Message

At this week's TVDSB board meeting, it was announced that there will be changes to the schedule for quadmester 2 beginning on November 17, 2020. Please find the updated calendar attached to this email for your reference. There will also be changes to the daily schedule. There will be instructional periods and two breaks in the morning, followed by lunch, followed by study hall. More information about specific times for our school will be provided in advance of our second quadmester.

Midterm Marks Available in Portal

Midterm marks were uploaded to the parent and student portal on October 14, 2020. Should you have any questions about a student's progress in a course, please contact the classroom teacher.

Black Student Support Virtual Meetings for 2020-2021

Students from all TVDSB high schools who identify as Black, are invited to participate in virtual student support meetings on the last Wednesday of every month from 4- 5 pm, throughout the 2020-2021 school year.

The goals of these meetings are:

- to provide students who identify as Black with a community of support where they can safely discuss topics relevant to their lived experiences; and,
- to create an opportunity for Black students to propose improvements or changes to school/system structures with the hope of removing barriers to their learning and well-being.

Black Student Associations and Multicultural Clubs from Laurier SS, Montcalm SS and H.B. Beal SS, will host the meetings and have invited all Black students from all TVDSB high schools to participate.

Students interested in participating are asked to send their name and school name via email to Matthew.Sereda@tvdsb.ca. Students will then receive login information for the meetings.

If students have any questions regarding the upcoming meetings, please contact Ms. Underwood for more information.

Technology, Software Support and Parent Support for Digital Platforms

Students and families are encouraged to visit <https://www.tvdsb.ca/en/our-board/technology-and-software-support.aspx?mid=66259> if they have questions related to technology and software support. Additionally, parents are encouraged to visit <https://www.tvdsb.ca/en/parents/supports-for-parents-and-guardians.aspx> to learn more about Brightspace and Google Classroom.