

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Lockerby Composite School's weekly news on Viking academics, events, extra-curriculars, and more!



VEX VRC TOURNAMENT AT CAMBRIAN COLLEGE

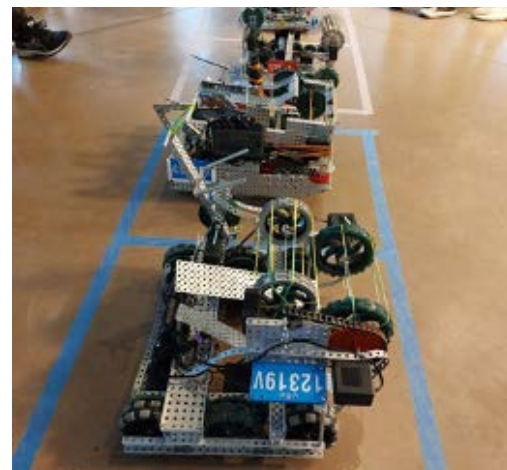
This past weekend, Cambrian College hosted Sudbury's first ever VEX Robotics tournament. Twenty teams from all over Ontario traveled to Sudbury to participate. Each team and their robot had to participate in 6 matches for the VEX game Over/Under and then in an elimination playoff. Teams could also take part in the Skills Challenge part of the game.

Lockerby sent four teams to this tournament. All four teams were participating in their first official Vex tournament. It was an exciting day with many highs. Students scrambled from one match to the other attempting small improvements in between. Hectic. Exciting. Intense. It was a demanding but fun day!

A few highlights...Lockerby was part of the first match and won! A Lockerby team was the first to lift their robot off of the ground by the slimmest of margins drawing awes from spectators. One of our team's alliances scored 173 points in a single match – the top score of the round robin! One of our teams was awarded the Team Spirit award that includes a \$2,000 scholarship to Cambrian College! We would like to thank Cambrian College for hosting such a wonderful event!

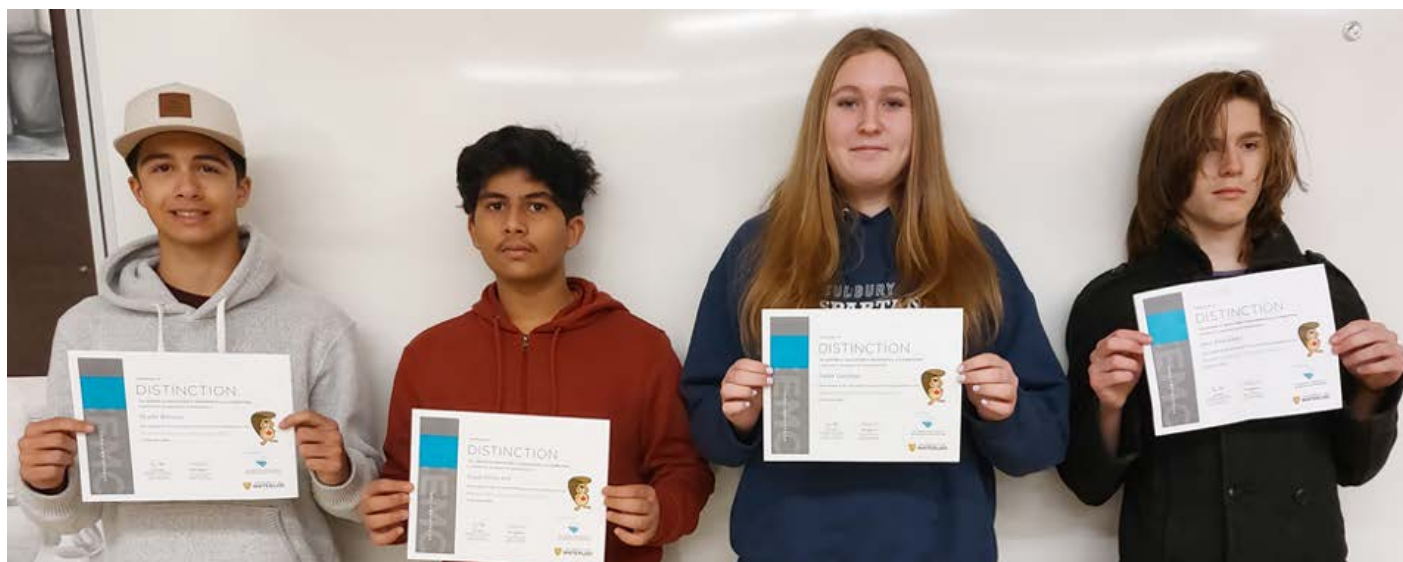


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BEAVER COMPUTING CHALLENGE

Fifteen of our Grade 9 and 10 Vikings have participated in the University of Waterloo's Beaver Computing Competition (BCC). Four of our students (Skyler B., Zayd A., Sadie G., and Alex K.) earned a Certificate of Distinction finishing in the top-25 percentile! Several other Vikings finished just outside of the top 25% as well! This is particularly impressive considering that this competition attracts some of the brightest young mathematical minds in the world! Thank you to all Vikings who participated! Well done!

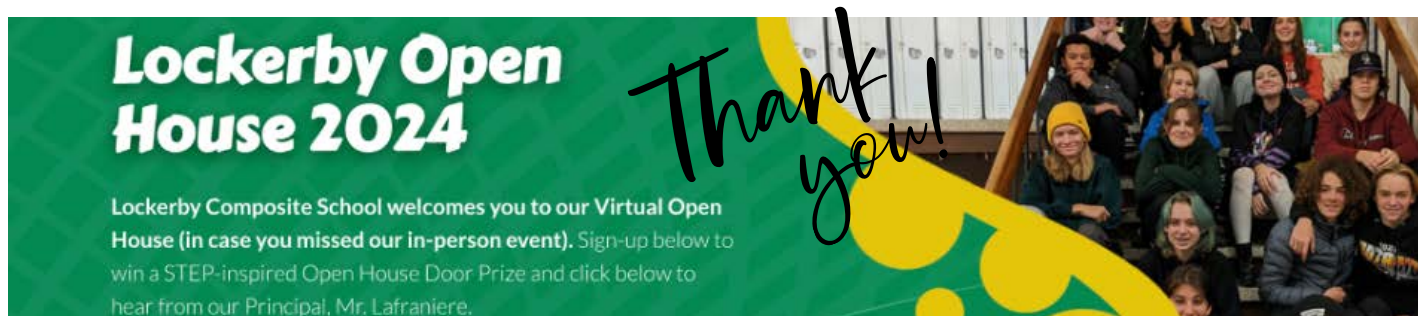


OPEN HOUSE AND STEP - SEPTEMBER 2024

Thank you to everyone who came to our Open House on Thursday night! We had a big crowd and it was a tremendous success!

If anyone has missed it and would like more information about Lockerby, please visit our Virtual Open House at <https://www.lockerbyopenhouse.ca/>

Stay tuned to next week's Newsletter, as we continue to provide more information about the unveiling of our programming refresh for September 2024. The exciting changes will ensure that STEP remains relevant and responsive, giving students an exceptional educational experience. A highlight of our new year-long schooling model will be STEP Integration Days that will feature community mentorships and experiential learning opportunities as students become part of unique specialization studies in their senior years.



Stay Tuned

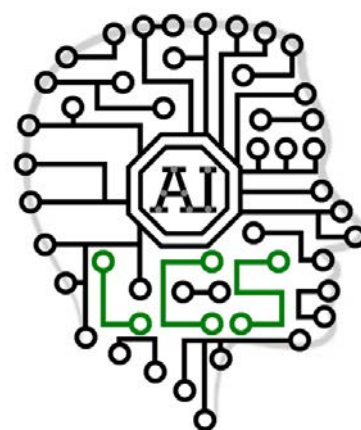
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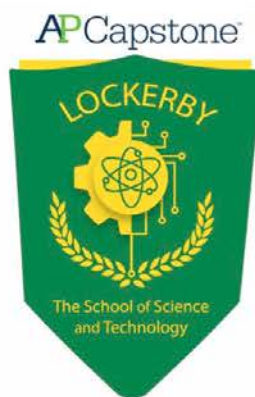
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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE COMPETITION

For our 4th annual Connect Four AI Competition, Grade 12 Computer Science students coded an Artificial Intelligence program that could play the game Connect Four. All student programs as well as Mr. Campeau's program were pitted against each other in a Connect Four tournament. Each AI bot played against each other AI bot 1000 times. In total, over 60,000 games were simulated. Congratulations goes out to Niko T. (3rd place), Brandon C. (2nd place), and Andrew L. (1st place). Furthermore, Andrew L.'s AI bot was pinned against past champions in the Tournament of Champions and also won that tournament! Congratulations to our new 'Super Champ!' Thank you to all students who participated in this activity. Excellent work!





Lockerby Composite School Examination Schedule

January 2024

Thursday, January 25th	Friday, January 26th	Monday, January 29th	Tuesday, January 30th	Wednesday, January 31 st
8:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am
Examinations	Examinations	Examinations	Examinations	Examinations

EXAMINATIONS MAY NOT BE HELD IN YOUR REGULAR CLASSROOM

(please see next page for more information and room allocation)

Thursday, January 25th, 2023 Short Period Day Schedule	
Announcements:	8:20 am
Examinations from 8:30 am - 11 am	
Lunch	11:00 am - 11:51 am
Period 1:	11:51 am - 12:26 pm
Period 2:	12:30 pm - 1:05 pm
Period 3:	1:09 pm - 1:49 pm
Period 4:	1:55 am - 2:25 pm

Instructions for Students

- It is students' responsibility to read this schedule carefully and to be on time for their examinations.
- Absence due to illness requires a verified doctor's note (please reference our Assessment and Evaluation Policy for further information).
- If a student is late for an examination, they must get an admit slip from the Main Office.
- Buses arrive and depart at the usual time.
- Students are not permitted in the hallways during examinations.
- Students are not allowed to access their locker while other students are writing examinations in that area.
- The Library is designated as a quiet study area.
- Notebooks, textbooks, and electronic devices must be left in the designated area in the examination room.
- Please visit the following link and see Mr. Ferri for any special needs and/or accommodations:
<https://forms.gle/e7Mp9fLNXmDFJ4q78>





Lockerby Composite School Examination Schedule

January 2024

Thursday, January 25th, 2024 at 8:30 am

Course	Teacher	Room
ENL1WL-01	T. McNair	201
FIF1DI-01	H. Truong-Nguyen	225
MAP4C0-01	A. Williamson	231
MAP4C0-02	A. Williamson	221
MHF4U0-01	C. Graham	129
MHF4U0-02	D. MacLennan	200
MHF4U0-03	C. Graham	127
MHF4UE-01	T. Heffern	123
NBE3C0-01	T. James	203
SCH3U0/L-03	K. Abols	210
SCH3UL-01	K. Abols	236
SNC2D0-01	A. Williamson	238
SNC2DL-03	K. Bryson	131
SNC2DL-04	K. Abols	204

Friday, January 26th, 2024 at 8:30 am

Course	Teacher	Room
ENG2DL-02	Z. MacLellan	204
ENG2DL-04	S. Benton	210
ENG4C0-02	K. Rodriguez	205
ENG4UY-01	J. Gieselman	200
NBE3UL-01	J. Gieselman	201
SCH4C0-01	V. Potvin	127
SCH4UL-02	V. Potvin	129

Monday, January 29th, 2024 at 8:30 am

Course	Teacher	Room
MPM2DE-01	T. Svalina	204
SBI4UY-01	S. Donato	131
SBI4UY-02	S. Donato	129
SBI3UZ-01	S. Donato	127
SNC1W0-02	M. Dykstra	200
SNC1WL-02	M. Dykstra	201

Tuesday, January 30th, 2024 at 8:30 am

Course	Teacher	Room
MCR3U0-02	D. MacLennan	131
MTH1WE-01	T. Svalina	204
MTH1WL-01	T. Heffern	127
PSK4U0-02	K. Augenstein	201
SPH4UL-02	K. Bryson	129

Wednesday, January 31st, 2024 at 8:30 am

Course	Teacher	Room
CLU3M0-01	V. Caddel	204
ENG4UL-02	K. Rodriguez	201
FIF4UI-01	H. Truong-Nguyen	225
FSF1D0-02	L. Stanyon	245
FSF1D0-03	C. Kirkham	210
MPM2D0-01	T. Heffern	127
MPM2DL-03	D. MacLennan	131
SPH3UL-01	K. Bryson	129
EXAMINATION CONFLICTS -		Auditorium

Should students have any conflicts, they need to notify the Main Office. A conflict is when a student is scheduled to write two examinations on the same day and at the same time.

Students must speak to Mr. Lafraniere or Mr. Smith about their conflict for next steps.

As always, students should arrive early to give themselves adequate time to prepare for writing their examination. Students cannot leave the examination area within one hour of examination start-time.

GOOD LUCK VIKINGS!

LCS JANUARY, 2024 EXAMS



Scan below to request accommodations for final exams.

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Accommodations are available to all students with an IEP/NIEP, or to students who are English Language Learners.



LOCKERBY COMPOSITE EXAM TIPS



Give yourself enough time



Organize your study space



Assemble your class notes



Practice on old tests & quizzes



See your teacher for extra help



Take regular breaks

THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Swimming

Our swim team brought home the Regional NOSSA banner from last Friday! We are sending many relays and individuals swimmers to the OFSAA Provincial championships in Toronto! Congratulations to everyone on their amazing results and team efforts! Mme Stanyon, Mlle Nguyen, and Mr. Abols are all very proud of you athletes.

Girls Team Scores

- 1st Lockerby Composite School - 177 points
- 2nd Marymount Academy - 149 points
- 3rd Lo-Ellen Park - 74 points

Boys Team Scores

- 1st Lockerby Composite School - 218 points
- 2nd Lo-Ellen Park - 112 points
- 3rd St. Charles College - 63 points

Combined Team Scores

- 1st Lockerby Composite School - 395 points
- 2nd Lo-Ellen Park - 196 points
- 3rd Marymount Academy - 149 points



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Curling

Although our Curling team had a great game this week, they weren't able to come away with the victory against College Notre Dame, losing 4-3. The team has one last round robin game next week against St. Charles College.



Nordic Skiing

On Tuesday afternoon, the Lockerby Vikings Nordic Ski team took to the trails of Laurentian University for their first taste of high school competition of the year. Despite the snow only just arriving last week, our Vikings made the most of their limited on snow preparation. Our Seniors were led by Lauren, Ivy, and Lea, while our Juniors were led by Gord, Toma and Misaki. Great Job Vikings.



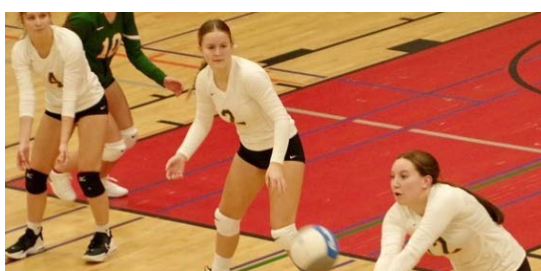
Basketball

Our Junior Boys Basketball team went 1 - 1 this week, defeating St. Charles College, but then dropping their next game against Lo-Ellen Park. Our Senior Boys Basketball team also went 1 - 1 this week, losing to Lo-Ellen Park, but then rebounding to defeat Horizon Secondary School! Kudos on the great play all around!



Volleyball

Congratulations to both our Junior and Senior Girls Volleyball teams, who defeated St. Benedict's by a score of 3-0 this past week!



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Hockey

This week our Boys Hockey team was victorious against Bishop Carter Secondary School, winning by a score of 4-1. Goal scorers included Jake M., Brendon R., Aiden P., and Ryder C. The team looks to extend their current winning streak against Lively at 3:00pm on Monday, January 22nd, 2024 at the Lively Arena!



DONUT STRESS JUST DO YOUR BEST

JANUARY 24, 2024
 JOIN STUDENTS' COUNCIL IN THE MAIN FOYER
 TO HELP RAISE AWARENESS
 FOR **BELL LET'S TALK DAY**.
 THANK YOU TO THE **MARTINDALE TIM HORTON'S** FOR
 THEIR DONATION OF TIMBITS.



WISHING ALL VIKINGS THE BEST OF LUCK

A message from Mr. Lafraniere and Mr. Smith to all students:

The end of our first semester is just around the corner! Culminating Activities in courses are well underway and examinations will be starting next week (and will continue into the following week).

Remember to always have a positive mindset. You've worked hard and studied hard all semester. You've got this Vikings!

Good Luck!



STUDENT SERVICES

Reminders

University Applications - Monday, January 15th, 2024

Graduates are reminded that the last day to apply for limited enrolment programs at university is Monday, January 15th, 2024. Students can complete their applications on the Ontario University Application Centre website - <https://www.ouac.on.ca/>

Graduation Photos - Wednesday, February 21st, 2024

Edge Photography will return to Lockerby on Wednesday, February 21st, 2024, to take graduation photographs. Appointments will be open to anyone who did not have a chance to get their photos completed during the first session as well as anyone who had photos completed earlier but would like to have retakes. The sign-up portal will be open to select a time for appointments in the next few weeks.

Prom - Thursday, June 13th, 2024

This year's prom will be held on Thursday, June 13th, 2024 at Science North. Student Council will be selling tickets for the event in the next few months.

Convocation - Monday, June 17th, 2024

Lockerby will be hosting their annual convocation on Monday, June 17th, 2024 at Cambrian College. The event will take place from 6:00pm - 8:00pm within Cambrian College's gymnasium.

Grade 8s

High School Applications

We are currently accepting applications and registrations from students who are currently in Grade 8. Please remind your friends and family that applications for STEP are due Thursday, March 7th, 2024. Students who would like to learn more about our school and various programs are encouraged to visit our website or our virtual open house website - <https://www.lockerbyopenhouse.ca/>

Planning for the 2024 - 2025 Academic Year

Course Selection (Grades 9 - 11)

Students are encouraged to log into myBlueprint to begin the course selection process. Sign- in with the following URL - <https://myblueprint.ca/>. If you have any questions or concerns please see a guidance counsellor. Students, parents and/or guardians can find additional information and guide sheets in the Student Services Classroom under the course selection folder. Course selections will begin in February.

Special Opportunities

Portfolio Workshop with Laurentian's Architecture School

Laurentian University is offering an exclusive Architecture Portfolio Workshop organized by their McEwen School of Architecture, designed to assist BAS applicants in refining and enhancing their portfolios. The workshop will occur on Tuesday, January 23rd, 2024 from 5:00pm - 7:00pm. Register at:

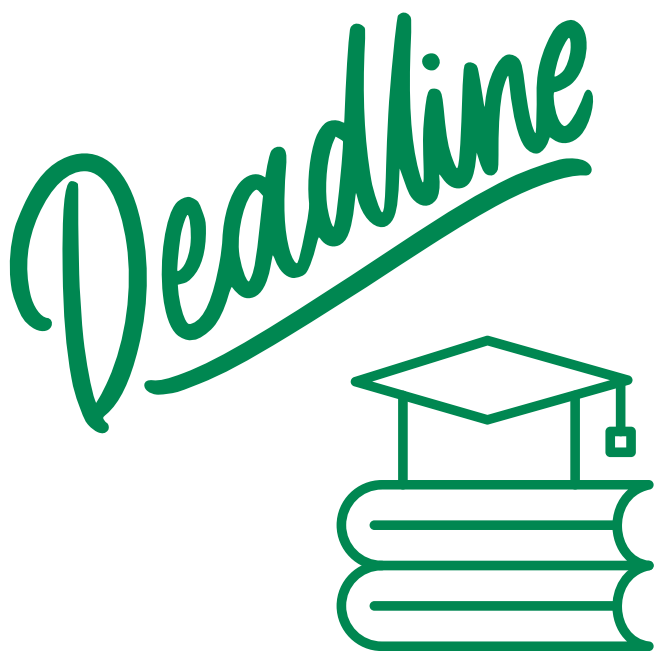
https://laurentian.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_rDhIZfNASvq1LJ5dJcUChQ#/registration

Summer Employment - Greater City of Sudbury

Come join the Greater City of Sudbury team! Summer employment recruitment is now open. Don't miss out. Learn about the many summer job opportunities available with the City and apply today at www.greatersudbury.ca/summerjobs

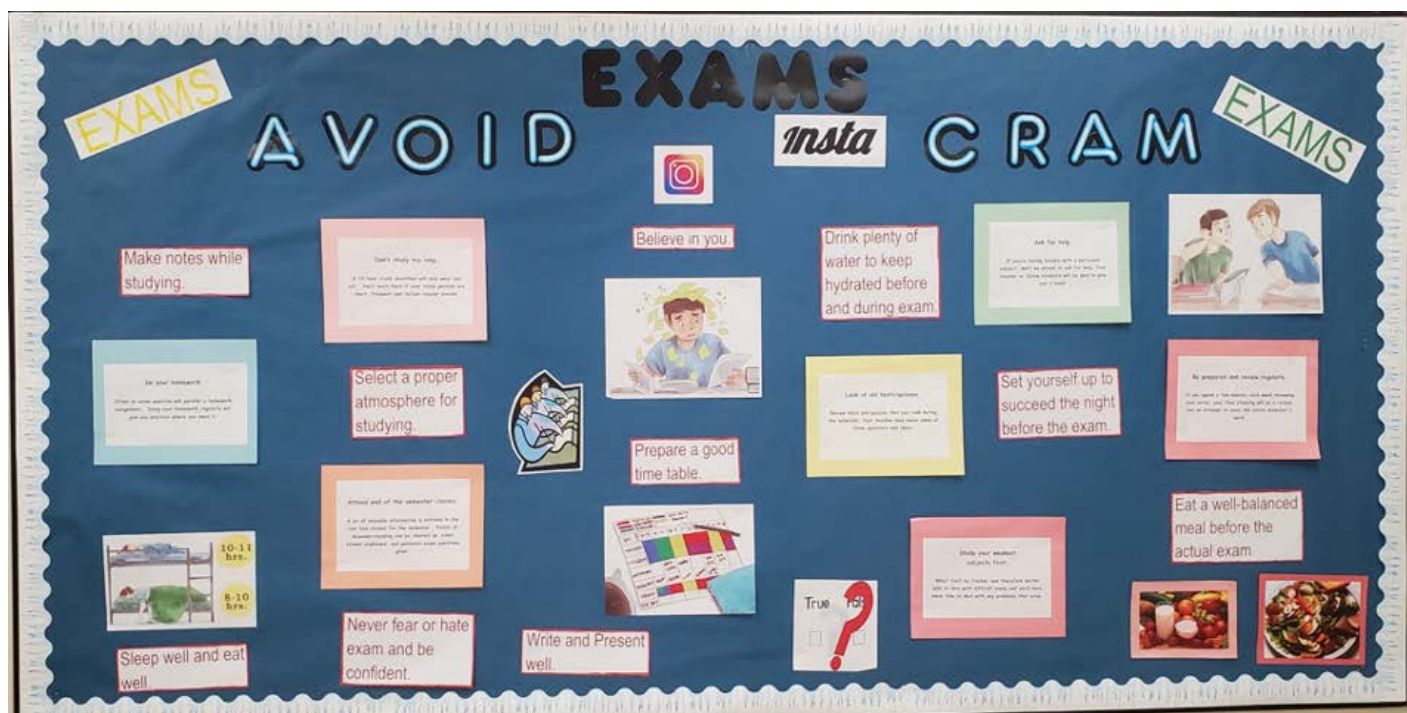


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LIBRARY SERVICES

Exam days are almost here and the Library is open to provide you with a space to study! We are open from 7:30am until 3:00pm. Come on in to the Library and check-out some valuable exam tips to help you be ready!



You got it 📚

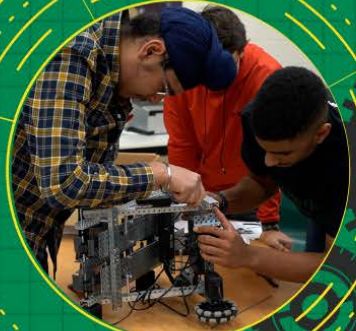
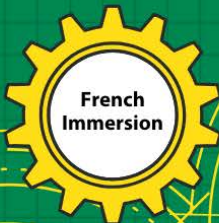
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Mrs. Beaudry (Student Services)

beaudrg@rainbowschools.ca

(705) 522-1750 ext. 6514

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK...

Dan Watson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School next week.

Monday, January 22nd

- **GRADE 9 EQAO MATHEMATICS ASSESSMENT**

Tuesday, January 23rd

Wednesday, January 24th

- Donut Stress Day

Thursday, January 25th

- **EXAMINATIONS - DAY 1**
- **REGULAR SCHEDULE CLASS CHANGE (see page)**

Friday, January 26th

- **EXAMINATIONS - DAY 2**



Monday - Friday in Room 223

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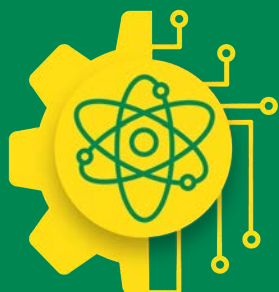
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