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PCEO UPDATES

Parents as Partners (PAP) Conference 2020

- Plans for the Parents as Partners Conference continue. Advertising has begun. Staff continues to monitor the evolution of labour situation and the potential impact it may have on the conference.

Parent Reaching Out Grant 2019/2020

- The consultation process with wards, PIAC representatives and some school councils continue.

School Council Financial Information Webinar

The Boards Finance Support Unit had developed a school council financial webinar. The webinar can be viewed at: <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Community/How-to-Get-Involved/School-Councils/School-Council-Funds>

PIAC Orientation

- The orientation for new and recurring members will be presented online on Tuesday February 25, 2020 6:00 p.m. facilitated by Latha John and Nicole

PO23 Policy Review Update

- Ward consultations will commence on February 25th
- Visit www.tdsbengage.ca the consultation online hub for PO23 which will go live on February 20, 2020. Please share these link families and encourage them to complete the survey.
- Work will continue with PIAC Consultation group



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Interim Expectations for Parent/Family Engagement in the School Improvement Process (SIP)

- The Board has approved interim expectations for engaging families into the SIP. Details of the expectation can be found at: <https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Leadership/Boardroom/Agenda-Minutes/Type/A?Folder=Agenda%2f20190612&Filename=6.5.pdf>

INFORMATION SHARING

TDSB E-Learning Survey Results

Recently, at the direction of the Board, the TDSB surveyed a random sample of parents/guardians and students, and all secondary school teachers, to better understand their views and level of support for the Government of Ontario's plan for mandatory e-learning for all secondary students.

The TDSB Pulse Results are now in show that most students, parents/guardians and secondary school teachers **do not** support the government's plan to make e-learning a mandatory requirement for graduation, nor do they believe that it will benefit students. You can read and learn more about the results and read the Chair's letter to the Minister:

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/News/Article-Details/ArtMID/474/ArticleID/1424/TDSB-Survey-Finds-Significant-Majority-Oppose-Government-Plan-for-Mandatory-E-Learning-Courses>

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/thepulse>

Please feel free to share.



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Toronto Public Health: Outstanding Vaccination Information

Attention Secondary Families:

Toronto Public Health (TPH) is issuing Suspension Orders for students with outstanding vaccination information commencing February 2020. During active suspension schools will receive a fax with the list of students who are actively suspended. The student may return to school immediately once Toronto Public Health receives the requested information.

For more information, please contact the Immunization Information Centre at 416-392-1250 or **immunization@toronto.ca**

Continuing Education: Parent and Guardian Courses

Continuing Education can support schools/school councils in delivering parent/guardian/caregiver courses/workshops. For information, please contact Belkis Romero at **Belkis.romero@tdsb.on.ca**

Visit: **<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Innovation/ForParents>** for more family resources and information.