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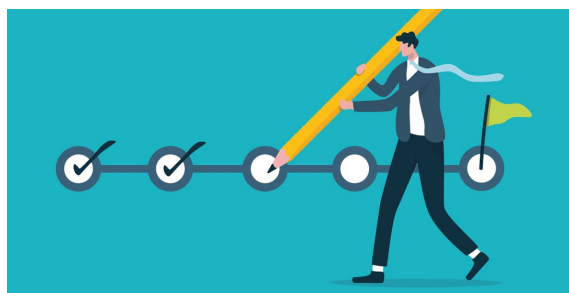
SUPPORTING PARENTS AS PARTNERS IN EDUCATION

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#HOPEFUL

WRAPPING THE SCHOOL YEAR

School Council Year-end Activities:



- **Evaluation**

How did the year go? Did we accomplish our goals? Consider surveying your families for feedback. Don't forget to celebrate your successes!

- **Annual Report**

Reg. 612 requires School Councils to produce an Annual Report of activities and financials that the Principal shares with the school community.

Think of it as your chance to talk about your hard work!

- **Election Planning**

Form a planning committee for the Fall council election to review dates and the process.

[Election information](#) on page 2 of this FAQ.

- **School Council Funds & PRO Funds**

Make sure you have spent your council funds by the end of June. Ensure accountability of your Fundraising Plan and submit the PRO report if you received a grant.

Let's Connect

ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

TDSB Virtual Parent Event

Let's Connect

**Mental Health During the Pandemic:
Surviving, Thriving and Having Joy**

Thursday, June 9, 2022

7 pm - 8:30 pm

Join the next Let's Connect session for an engaging and dynamic discussion about mental health during the pandemic.

**Guest Speaker: Aubrey Noronha,
Founder of Hello Hope Canada**

[Details on the Let's Connect page](#)

#HAVEYOURSAY

TDSB CONSULTATIONS 2021/2022

P.023 Parent & Community Involvement

Feedback open until May 25/22 at:

www.tdsbengage.ca

P.020 Transportation of Students Policy

E-mail comments until May 22/22 to

Garry.Green@tdsb.on.ca

TDSB Policy Review Schedule

Check out the new feature: "Learning in Action"

[TDSB Equity, Anti-Racism and Anti-Oppression Resources](#)

Parent Concern Protocol

As a parent or caregiver we take on many roles and one of them is of an advocate for our children. When we are concerned about something that is happening to our child in their school or classroom we can use the Parent Concern Protocol, PR505. The protocol is a process that allows parents and caregivers the ability to express their concerns and advocate for their child at the board in a formal and recorded manner.



The protocol communication starts with bringing your classroom concern to the teacher. If you feel the concern was not resolved, you may then bring it to your principal. If that doesn't resolve the issue, you may next communicate to the Superintendent and if still unresolved, to the Trustee.

PIAC was a visible voice in the creation of the Parent Concern Protocol and demonstrates another important way the voice of parents in the TDSB has been represented by PIAC.

See the Parent Concern Protocol process in an [easy to follow chart](#).

Is Your School an EcoSchool?



The TDSB first launched the EcoSchools program in 2003, to promote environmental education and action, and improve how schools and school grounds are used, run and even designed.

For registration, certification, resources and more, visit the [TDSB EcoSchools](#) page.



BECOME A PIAC VOLUNTEER!

Do you have passion for supporting parents as partners in education?

The following vacancies are open on PIAC:
Contact [PIAC](#) or your [trustee](#) about elections.

Ward 1 (Trustee Gill) - 1 position
Ward 5 (Trustee Lulka) - 2 positions
Ward 6 (Trustee Tonks) - 1 position
Ward 9 (Trustee Donaldson) - 1 position
Ward 10 (Trustee Moise) - 1 position
Ward 13 (Trustee Li) - 1 position
Ward 15 (Trustee Story) - 1 position
Ward 17 (Trustee Smith) - 2 positions
Ward 19 (Trustee Patel) - 1 position

THE P4E ANNUAL ONTARIO SCHOOL SURVEY

People for Education's 2021/22 Annual Ontario School survey of Ontario's publicly funded schools in year two of the COVID-19 pandemic shows that the issues facing students and educators remain relatively unchanged since last year, and the magnitude, prevalence, and urgency of these issues have only grown.

Read the report: [A Perfect Storm of Stress – Ontario's publicly funded schools in year two of the COVID-19 pandemic](#)

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