

MacNeill Career Centre Newsletter December 2017

Grade 10-12 students and their parents please visit the Career Centre District Website for post-secondary updates, events, volunteer opportunities and scholarship information: <http://sd38careercentre.weebly.com/calendar.html> and Ms. Mayer Career Centre facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Ms-Mayer-Career-Centre/333673583360594>

Students are encouraged to visit the Career Centre Bulletin Boards to see what the latest with scholarships, post-secondary events and interesting opportunities and volunteering.

Deadlines:

Jan 15/18 - UBC final application deadline

Jan 15/18 - Emily Carr applications + documents deadline

Jan 12/18 – UToronto early application deadline

Feb 28/17 – SFU Application deadline

Feb 28/17 – UVic Application Deadline

Among Upcoming Scholarship Deadlines: –see the Career Centre Website for more opportunities! For scholarships requiring in-school nomination see your in-school Scholarship Representative well in advance of the in-school deadline

Dec 22/17 - French for the Future National Essay Contest <https://www.french-future.org/programs/essay-contest/>

Jan 5/18- BCIT Entrance Awards 2017-2018 www.bcit.ca/finaid/awards/entranceawards.shtml

Jan 12/18 - BC Excellence Scholarships **in-school deadline** for nomination consideration

<http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/provincial-scholarships/bc-excellence-scholarships>

Jan 19/18 Cmolik Foundation Scholarship In-School Deadline <http://www.thecmolikfoundation.com/scholarship-criteria-policies>

Jan 31/18 - The David C. Lam/BC TEAL ELL Scholarship deadline <https://www.bctéal.org/tcf/awards-scholarships/david-c-lam-bc-teal-esl-scholarships/>

Upcoming Events – see the Career Centre District Website or Ms. Mayer Career Centre Facebook Page for details.

Jan 15/18 - Langara Social Service Worker Info Session <https://langara.ca/programs-and-courses/programs/social-service/information-sessions.html>

Jan 16/18 - KPU Tech Campus Tour. Info: 604.598.6011 Register at: <http://www.kpu.ca/trades/program-expo>

Feb 17/18 Explore UVic for Students (and parents) in grade 11 and 12 <https://www.uvic.ca/future-students/undergraduate/events/explore/index.php>

Feb 25/18 Study and Go Abroad Fair Spring 2018 Vancouver <http://www.studyandgoabroad.com/vancouver/>

Grade 12 Information:

NEW! Students Transcripts Service (STS). Please note that the PSI "Choices" form is no longer available and replaced by the Students Transcripts Service (STS). Students need their PEN number to register.

The Ministry of Education has just launched the *Student Transcripts Service* (STS), a new online application for students to view their marks, scholarships and transcripts, and send transcripts to post-secondary institutions and third parties. To access the service, visit the Ministry of Education's *Order Transcripts and Certificates* website at www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca and follow the instructions found there.

To Do:

- Finalize your BC university applications.
- Complete application packages to out-of-province universities.

-A reminder for grade twelve students to be sure to visit post-secondary email accounts and websites for application details, updates and deadlines.

See Ms. Mayer in the Career Centre if you have any questions.

Grade 10 – 12 Information:

Are you interested in exploring Careers? The Richmond School District offers students free access to the internet-based career exploration & education planning **Career Cruising** website. Students can use the career matching assessment tools for career option ideas. Career Cruising will help you build self-awareness, explore career options, create a plan and make it real. You need to set up an account. See Ms. Mayer in the Career Centre with questions and for the school password. <https://public.careercruising.com/en/>

Wishing everyone all the best this Holiday Season!

