



Monthly Update from the Board December 2014

Reporting of cancellations or closures due to inclement weather

Winter weather arrived early this year. Please note that any cancellations or closures due to inclement weather will be reported before 7 a.m. Best place to get the info quickly is through **Twitter @TCDSB** (please follow us), the board's website www.tcdsb.org and the 24-hour telephone information line 416-222-8282 ext. 2873.

Policy Consultation

The Board invites parents, students and staff to participate in a review of draft policies. Your input is encouraged into the following policies:

- Draft Policy for Catholic School Advisory Councils (CSACs)
- Draft Policy on Secondary School Admission and Placement

Details are posted on the board's website: <http://www.tcdsb.org/news/othernews/2014/pages/consultation-csac-and-admissions-policies.aspx>

We look forward to hearing from you.

Kindergarten Registration Starts January 2015

Please visit the board's website at www.tcdsb.org to fill out the application forms online, and find out more about the registration process.

Registration (online and in person) begins at 10 a.m. on January 8th.

High School Students Reminded About Application Deadlines

University Application Deadline is **January 14th** <http://www.ouac.on.ca/deadlines/>

College Application Deadline is **February 1st** <http://www.ontariocolleges.ca/apply/important-dates>

Nominations Open for TCDSB Alumni and Merit Awards:

Deadline January 16, 2015

Do you know a member of our community who is a witness to the gospel values of our Catholic faith and who is transforming the world through faith, innovation and action? Nominate them for an award:

<http://www.tcdsb.org/Board/NurturingOurCatholicCommunity/CatholicEducationWeek/Pages/AwardsNight.aspx>

Catholic School Advisory Councils Invited to Training Session

Goal Setting, Multi-Year Plans, Making Meetings Matter

December 3, 2014, 7-9 p.m.

Catholic Education Centre, 80 Sheppard Avenue East

Details here:  [CSAC - December training flyer.pdf](#)

Other Dates to Note

December 3rd—International Day of Persons with Disabilities

<http://www.tcdsb.org/News/othernews/2014/Pages/International-Day-of-Persons-with-Disabilities.aspx>

December 5th—Board-wide Professional Activity Day (no classes for students)

December 10th—International Human Rights Day

<http://www.tcdsb.org/News/othernews/2014/Pages/Human-Rights-Day.aspx>

December 22nd to January 2nd—Christmas Break

January 1st—International Day of Peace—“Slaves no more, but brothers and sisters”

<http://www.tcdsb.org/News/othernews/2015/Pages/International-Day-of-Peace.aspx>