

# **GUIDANCE NEWS**

**For the Week of Oct 29 -Nov 2**

## **GUIDANCE TECH Corner**



### **Online Appointment**

Students can make an online appointment request through our school website <http://earlhaig.ca/guidance/index.php>

#### **• REMIND 101**

Download the REMIND 101 APP, and Join Ms. Leo's Class with class code: @ehssgu

Click on the icons below and follow us on social media ☺



## **COPE**

The **therapy dogs** are coming. They will be here on November 9<sup>th</sup> at lunch. They will be in room 117. Come for a few minutes and de-stress!

## **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY**

### **Holland Bloorview Volunteer**

Phone: 416-422-7031

Email: [volunteers@hollandbloorview.ca](mailto:volunteers@hollandbloorview.ca)

### **Cummer Lodge Long Term Care**

Volunteer Contact: Liz McMulkin  
416-392-9493

[liz.mcmulkin@toronto.ca](mailto:liz.mcmulkin@toronto.ca)

### **Family Resource Centre Homework Club Tutor**

- Providing children and youth grades 4 and up with homework help
- Tutor training is provided
- September to June from 5:45 to 7:45pm
- Contact: Andrea Pines Coordinator of Volunteer Services  
416-638-7800 ext. 6266 or [apines@jfandcs.com](mailto:apines@jfandcs.com)

### **Parent Involvement Advisory Committee**

- Volunteers needed to assist with event here at Earl Haig
- Friday Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> – evening to set up tables etc.
- Saturday Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> – 2 shifts a. 7:45 – 11:45 am to greet parents, registration, child care
- Saturday Nov 17<sup>th</sup> – b. 11:30 – 3:30 pm to signal workshops, child care, registration, clean up

## **Guidance Theme of the Month:**

### **Welcome to High School**

Welcome to Earl Haig 2018-2019!

Curious about different types of opportunities in high school? This October during lunch periods, visit the Guidance info-table in the Main Hall to talk to us about:

- *activities before school, during lunch, and after school*
- *over 80 clubs and councils in the school*
- *opportunities for volunteering and jobs*
- *how to try out for our sports teams*
- *getting extra help*
- *how to balance everything*

## **Non-GTA University and College Fair**

Earl Haig's annual Non-GTA University/College Fair is happening on Wednesday, Nov. 21, 2018 from 9-11am in the cafeteria.

## **SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

### **TD Scholarship for Community Leadership**

The TD Scholarship for Community Leadership awards students up to \$70,000 for college or university (up to \$10,000 for tuition per year, \$7,500 a year for living expenses) for 4 years. It's open to students across Canada who:

- Have demonstrated community leadership
- Are in final year of high school
- Have a minimum overall grade average of 75% in their most recently completed school year

For more information, or to apply, go to

<https://www.td.com/ca/en/personal-banking/solutions/student-advice/how-to-apply-for-td-scholarships/>

**Application Deadline: November 16, 2018**

## **SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

### **Queens Major Admission Awards**

Are you thinking of attending Queens University? If you are, then consider applying for their Chancellor's Scholarship. Earl Haig can nominate up to 3 students for this very prestigious award.

Chancellor's nominees have:

- Superior academic ability (90%+)
- Creative and original thinking
- Proven leadership qualities
- High school nomination required\*

If you are interested in being one of our Chancellor's nominees, then download the practice application package at: <https://www.queensu.ca/studentawards/sites/webpublish.queensu.ca.sawww/files/files/2019-20%20Practice%20MAA%20Application.pdf> and complete the following sections on page 2:

- Extracurricular Involvement
- Original and/or Creative Thinking

Hand in your application package to Mr. Low in the Guidance Office by **Monday, November 12 at 3:00 pm**.

If you are also applying to be Earl Haig's QUARMS (Queens University Accelerated Rout to Medical School) candidate, then please indicate that on your application package.

If you have any questions, please see Mr. Low in the Guidance Office, or visit

<https://www.queensu.ca/studentawards/admission-awards/major-admission-awards>.



## **SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

### **Schulich Leader Scholarships**

Schulich Leader Scholarships are prestigious entrance scholarships awarded to high school graduates enrolling in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) programs at their Canadian partner universities. Fifty scholarships are awarded each year, with half of those being worth \$100,000 and the other half worth \$80,000. Please note that the Schulich Leader award is NOT intended for students pursuing careers in Medicine or Medical Research.

Each school can nominate one student for this scholarship. If you are interested in applying to be our school nominee, submit a document to Mr. Low that lists your top 3 achievements (academic or other), and a 600-word essay outlining why you should be a Schulich Leader. Applications are due Monday, November 12 at 3:00 pm.

Please see Mr. Low if you have any questions. For more info, please visit: <http://www.schulichleaders.com/>

### **Scholar Tree**

[www.scholarTree.ca](http://www.scholarTree.ca)

For information re: scholarships available to students.

## **Program Opportunities**

### **Trans Youth Drop In**

When: 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month beginning Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>

Time: 5pm – 7pm

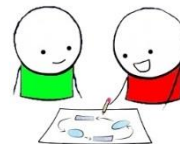
Where: Griffin Centre (1124 Finch Ave W. Unit 1)

### **SHAD Empowering Change Makers**

- High potential students spend July living at a university while engaging in hands-on learning in STEM and Entrepreneurship
- Gr. 10, 11 and 12 students
- Applications for SHAD due November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- Contact: Cheryl Thompson – [Cheryl@shad.ca](mailto:Cheryl@shad.ca)  
(519)-884-8844 ext. 222

## **ACADEMIC SUPPORT**

**Peer tutoring will start on October 15<sup>th</sup>**



## **STUDENT RESOURCES**

### **The Talk Shop**

416-338-7000

5110 Yonge St (lower level, below the library)

Free and Confidential Services

### **Kids Help Phone**

1-800-668-6868

[www.kidshelpphone.ca](http://www.kidshelpphone.ca)

