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CLAYTON CAMPUS ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2025

Register for TCPS Summer Camp and the 2025-2026 School Year!



We are currently accepting registrations for the TCPS Summer Camp programs and for the 2025-2026 school year. Thank you to all those parents who have already registered their children and have made TCPS the right choice for their child's education. If you haven't done so yet, we encourage all parents to re-register as soon as possible! Registration can be done on the school website or in person in the office. Click the links below to access the enrolment forms from the website.

[Grade 1-8 Summer Camp](#)

[Elementary Enrolment Forms for 2025-2026 School Year](#)

IB Learner Profile Focus for April: Risk Taker

"We approach uncertainty with forethought and determination; we work independently and cooperatively to explore new ideas and innovative strategies. We are resourceful and resilient in the face of challenges and change."



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Open House – Saturday, April 26th – 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

We will have our next Open House on Saturday, April 26 from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The Pre-School, Elementary and High School Divisions will be open to visitors. The Open House is a really great opportunity for our current grade 8 students and parents to visit our High School Division and learn more about what TCPS has to offer. If you know anyone who might be interested in joining TCPS, please let them know about our upcoming Open House. We invite all interested families to visit us on April 26th.



Reader’s Choice Awards – TCPS Does it Again!



We would like to thank everyone who voted for Town Centre Private Schools in the latest Markham Economist and Sun's 2024 Readers' Choice Awards! We are proud to announce our outstanding results in these 5 categories!

- *Best Private School
- *Best Montessori
- *Best Nursery School
- *Best Daycare / Child Care
- *Best Summer Camps

We look forward to another successful year at Town Centre Private Schools and thank you very much for your continued support!

Mathematica Canada Wide Math Contests Wednesday, April 9

On April 9th, our grades 3 to 8 students will participate in the Thales, Byron-Germain, Fibonacci, Pythagoras, Euler, and Lagrange Mathematica contests. On the day of the contests, we ask that you ensure your child arrives to school promptly as the contests commence at 9:00 a.m. We would like to wish all of our students the best of luck in these challenging and enriching contests.

STEM FAIR

On March 20th, our grades 6 and 8 STEM Fair finalists presented their Science projects in the Main Gymnasium during our annual STEM Fair. The judges had a very difficult task of selecting our grade winners. Thank you Ms. Tekwani, the MYP Science teacher, and the finalists for their hard work, and congratulations to our grades 6 and 8 winners. The top 5 winners in grade 8 will also participate in the York Region Science and Technology Fair, hosted by York University on April 5th. Congratulations to our Grade 8 students! More information about the York University Science and Technology Fair can be found with this link: yrstf.info.yorku.ca.

GRADE 6 Winners

- 1st Place: Ronit H. "From Dirty to Green"
- 2nd Place: William F. "What is the effect of fertilizer on aquatic life?"
- 3rd Place: Keshawn S. "Beyond the peel! – Unveiling the effect of light on Vitamin C"



GRADE 8 Winners

(Top 5 move on to the Youth Science Competition at York University)

- 1st Place: Aesha M. "Brainwave: Learning Made Easy"
- 2nd Place: Hashini P. "The Human Power Plant"
- 3rd Place: Deeksha E. "From Kitchen to Lab: A Study of Bioplastics "
- 4th Place: Abishai N. "Neuro-Sense Mind wave: An EEG Device built to improve Mental Health"
- 5th Place: Gibran S. "Using AI to classify recyclables, waste items and donatable items?"

Easter Holiday – School Closed

The school will be closed for the Easter holiday on Friday, April 18 and Monday, April 21. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 22nd.



Earth Day Observations – Tuesday, April 22, 2025

BIODIVERSITY: The Theme of the 2025 Earth Day Campaign

Nearly three-quarters of the Canadian population cannot define biodiversity or understand how to act to preserve it. The goal is to encourage as many citizens, municipalities, and organizations as possible to reconnect with nature and better understand the importance of preserving biodiversity for ecosystem balance, food security, and resilience to climate change.



Classes will participate in Earth Day on Tuesday, April 22 with in class activities. All students are asked to bring a litter-less lunch and snack on Earth Day to show their support.

TC the Tiger SAYS: Friendly Tiger Reminders:



Spring Concerts and Music Concerts – Coming Soon!



We are busy preparing for our Grades 2 and 3 Spring Concert and our Grades 4 to 8 Band and Choir Concerts. Parents are asked to note the dates for these events. More information will be posted soon.

Spring Concert for 2-119, 2-121, 3-122 will be held on Thursday, May 8
Spring Concert for 2-120, 3-126, 3-127 will be held on Friday, May 9

Music Concert for Grades 4, 6, 8, and Choir, will be held on Thursday, May 15
Music Concert for Grades 5, 7, and Choir, will be held on Friday, May 16

We know the shows will be great!



Looking Back at March!

