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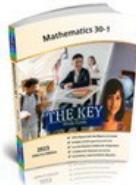
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EducationMatters has partnered with Castle Rock Research to offer students a special discount on study guides for grades 3-12 in Mathematics, English Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies.

These print and digital resources are aligned with the Alberta curriculum and have been updated to reflect the 2025-26 curriculum. They are an excellent support for all students, including those preparing for finals and diploma exams.

**SOLARO, \$30.00 (\$200 retail)**

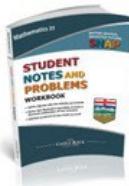
- 1-year access to up to 10 courses across grades 3-12 in Mathematics, English Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies, available on any desktop, laptop or mobile browser.
- Offers more courses than are available in print, 10x the practice questions compared to print, plus tests and additional study tools

**The KEY Study Guides, \$30.00 (\$34.99 retail)**

- Mathematics, English Language Arts, Science and Social Studies editions have been updated for the 2025-2026 school year
- New Pre-Test/Post-Test sections (Pre-Tests assess skills from the previous grade, Post-Tests reflect course content in which students must demonstrate proficiency

**SNAP Workbooks, \$30.00 (\$34.99 retail)**

- Student Notes and Problems (SNAP) Instructional content, practice exercises and unit assessments covering the breadth and depth of



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select Science and Mathematics courses.



### **Problem Solved and Class Notes, \$22.00 (\$24.95 retail)**

- All of the questions from the respective SNAP workbooks are presented along with the detailed solutions. Included are excerpts that focus students on the explanatory notes for each topic.

For more information, click the button below, or copy the link to place your order. Orders will be individually packaged and shipped to the school for pickup by your student.

If interested, please order: <https://schoolorders.solaro.com/9860>

## Black Youth Mentorship and Leadership Program

Over the summer, we run a 6-week intensive mentorship program for Black High School Youth in Grade 10 and 11. This program is designed to socially and economically empower Black youth so they can meaningfully contribute to Canadian society. We have started recruiting for our 2026 cohort and are reaching out to high schools across Calgary to share our flyer. With your help, we hope to ensure that students who could benefit from culturally affirming mentorship are aware of this opportunity.

Registration link [[BYMLP MENTEE RECRUITMENT 2026 - Application Deadline February 6, 2026 | Cumming School of Medicine | University of Calgary](#)]

The program includes:

- Weekly workshops on diverse topics including university admissions, budgeting, financing education, literature reviews, career planning
- Research experience while working with a faculty member
- Weekly meeting with a community mentor
- Access to Black professionals and mentors across various fields
- A supportive space to grow confidence and community



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Are you a Black High School Student in Grade 10 or Grade 11 looking for meaningful mentorship and paid work experience?



# WE ARE RECRUITING MENTEES!

\*We do not accept students who will be in summer school or travelling during the 6-week program

Deadline to Apply:  
February 6, 2020



## YMCA Summer Work Student Exchange program



Are you 16 or 17 years old and live in Canada? Participate in Summer Work Student Exchange to get real work experience, make new friends, and live in another province.

For six weeks in July and August, you will...



Travel with other youth to Québec and practice your French skills



Get a paid, full-time summer job and stay with a local host family



Get involved in fun activities, build new friendships, and experience the local culture



Learn more and apply online today



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## Free Community Events

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# Medicine Teachings with Pearl

**Friday January 30, 1PM - 3PM  
Georgina Thompson Building (772 Northmount Drive NW)**

Join our community Reconciliation group as we continue to learn about traditional Indigenous medicines and teachings. We will be joined by traditional knowledge keeper Pearl White Quills who will be sharing her knowledge about smudging.

An informal feast will be provided, including home-made stew and bannock. Participants are welcome to bring food to share at the feast if they would like.

Space is limited. Registration is required.

**Register for free with Sage at  
[sage.wheeler-ramnauth@calgary.ca](mailto:sage.wheeler-ramnauth@calgary.ca)**





You're invited to join us for an afternoon of

# Indigenous Games & Treats



Join us for an afternoon of fun for all ages! There will be snacks, laughs and learning while exploring more about traditional Indigenous games.\* Join community member Stacey Dyck as we continue to learn together about Indigenous culture and traditions.

When: Sunday, January 18, 2025

Where: Abbeydale Community Centre  
821 Abbeydale Drive N.E.

Time: 3:30 - 5:00 pm

RSVP: Jessica by text (403) 512-4578 or  
email [jessica.pauletig@calgary.ca](mailto:jessica.pauletig@calgary.ca)

\*Participants  
will have the opportunity  
to create their own game  
pieces to take home

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# HUNTINGTON HILLS COMMUNITY SURVEY

We Want To  
Hear From  
YOU!!!

Your input helps us  
understand what matters  
most in Huntington Hills.  
Share your contact info to  
enter a draw for one of  
three \$25 gift cards!

TAKE THE  
SURVEY NOW!!

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## John G. Diefenbaker Indigenous Student Community

Funded through the Neighbourhood Grant – Truth &amp; Reconciliation Stream

**Ribbon Hoodie Workshop – Building Community Through Creativity**

Students from local high schools gathered for a Ribbon Hoodie Workshop that began with a smudge and continued with collaborative design and encouragement. Shared meals and conversation strengthened connections, and participants proudly showcased their finished hoodies—symbols of culture, creativity, and community pride.

*"The workshop sparked excitement, with many asking, 'When is the next one?' The hoodies are now worn with pride, becoming conversation starters and symbols of cultural learning and community spirit." – Indigenous Student Graduation Coach*

**Impact Highlights:**

- Belonging & Visibility – Students felt seen, valued, and connected within their schools and neighbourhood.
- Cultural Preservation – Honoured traditions and passed knowledge between generations.
- Community Building & Social Support – Shared meals, gatherings, and cultural activities encouraged conversation, bonding, and expanded community ties.





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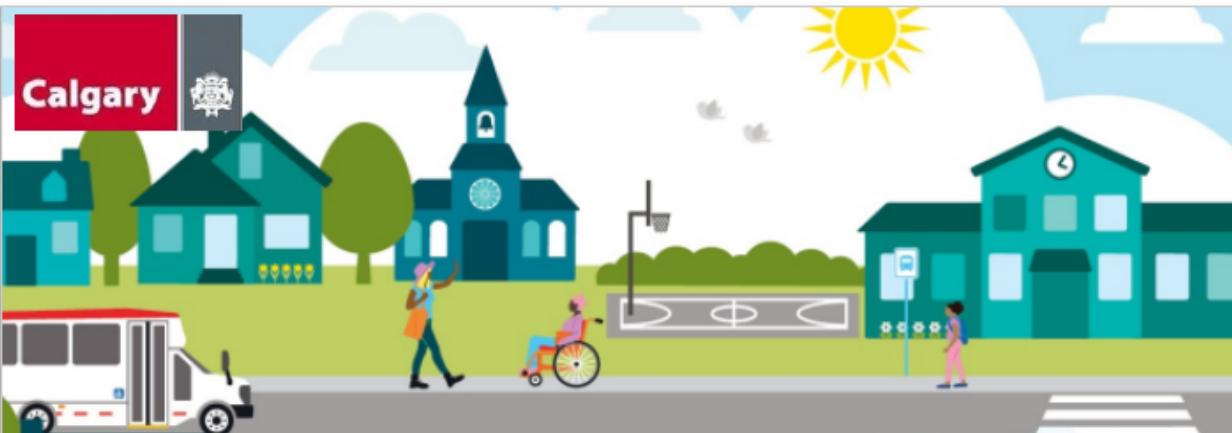


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## Want to support great ideas in Huntington Hills?

Neighbourhood Grants provide funding for activities focusing on: **Social Inclusion, Economic Participation, Anti-Racism & Truth and Reconciliation**

Our Neighbourhood Grants program is looking for community residents to volunteer on a Neighbourhood Advisory Committee in your community. Be a part of making a stronger Huntington Hills!

No previous committee experience is required.

You will work with other residents from your neighbourhood to review grants.

\*\*Commitment is a few hours a month. Must be a resident of Huntington Hills.

Must be able to meet online.

### For More Information, Contact:

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