Student Career News





ROADS TO SUCCESS

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Timely Career Updates

Current Grade 12 Students (Class of 2022) and Future Grade 12 Students (Class of 2023): The information shared in this newsletter and our Facebook Page will support your continued investigations.



Grade 12 Reminders:

Correspondence: For students who have applied for post-secondary institutions for the Fall of 2022, please keep checking your emails or post-secondary accounts for updates regarding admissions, course registration, etc.

Transcripts: As always, your official high school transcripts must be ordered through the <u>Government of Saskatchewan</u>. If you require assistance with ordering transcripts for post-secondary purposes or even for yourself, reach out to your Career Counsellor.

Local Scholarships: All of our school communities are different, but Grade 12's will have access to various 'local' scholarship opportunities. Inquire with your Career Counsellor for details. Thank you to our local and area businesses for making these generous scholarship opportunities available for students.

<u>Student Loans</u>: Student loans can greatly assist young people when it comes to financing their post-secondary education. As far as we understand, application forms for the 2022-2023 school year are available online in June. Apply ASAP if you are interested in a student loan.

For more information on these opportunities and support with the life/career planning process, please contact your school's Career Counsellor.

Grade 12 Timeline

June

- Update your myBlueprint Grad Plan Portfolio with any current skills, update your resume, add any certifications or showcases, reflect on your learnings, share your portfolio with your Career Counsellor and a trusted adult, etc.
- Grade 12's may change email information in myBlueprint as prompted by the system in order to continue utilizing the resource after graduation. (We have had several students appreciate access to their resumes and planning after high school!)
- If planning a Gap Year, prepare next steps.
- If planning to work, prepare next steps.
- If attending post-secondary institutions, you may need to request official transcripts to be sent after June exams. For this form, go

to: https://www.k12.gov.sk.ca/etranscript/

- Student loan applications available on-line at: https://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/education-and-learning/student-loans
- For those planning for post-secondary studies, watch email and student accounts for updates regarding registration, orientation days, etc.

Summer

- Deadline for all University of Regina programs (excluding Indigenous Education, Visual Arts and Nursing) Aug. 1st
- U of Saskatchewan Arts/Sciences deadline August 15th
- Ministry of Education transcripts are due to all post-secondary institutions
- For those planning for post-secondary studies, watch email and student accounts for updates regarding registration, orientation days, etc. As well, explore the details of your post-secondary life such as need for parking passes, bus passes, extra-curricular programs, etc.



"A goal without a plan is just a wish."

– Antoine de Saint - Exupery

Career Development Celebrations and Showcases!



Recognizing Work-based Learning Partners



Thank you! Thank you to our incredible work-based learning partners who support students with real-world experiential learning opportunities in a variety of courses such as Career and Work Exploration, Mechanics, Construction, Autobody, Welding, Parts Management, Agriculture Equipment Technician, Apprenticeship, etc. This is a significant investment of time and training yet a meaningful experience for students. We are grateful to all local and area businesses who willingly create these opportunities for our young people. Your support helps provide students with the skills and knowledge needed to make

informed decisions about their preferred futures. Much appreciated. We are thrilled to share that a number of students have gained casual, summer, etc. employment opportunities based on their work placement experiences. This positively impacts students, local employers, and our communities.

Work-based Learning Partner Spotlight



Work-based learning placements would not be possible without the cooperation of many business partners in Sun West and the surrounding area. One such business is Weese Electric Ltd. in Plenty. This is a family business that has been thriving for 41 years and for at least the past 12 years, they have been taking students for work placements. They generally take between two and five students each school year.

They provide experience in the millwright, welding, electrical and instrumentation trades, as well as accounting and business office occupations. Owner, Colin Weese said: "When I was in school, we were the first group to start work experience. It is a good program because it opens kids' eyes, to see if they want to get into it."

In addition to non-paid placement experiences, they also employ many high school students and get them started on the road to apprenticeship. Work-based learning experiences at Weese Electric expose students to different trades, allow them to understand how multiple trades can function as part of one business and also provide some sense of what it is like to run a business.

Showcasing Work-based Learning Students



We are highlighting only a few students but their successes are representative of students accomplishments throughout our division.

Kenaston School/ DLC Student

Jaxon completed two work placement classes this year. He was placed at Saskatoon Truck Parts. He is now employed, and his employer is planning on paying for his post-secondary education. He was also nominated for the SYA scholarship. He had a very successful grade 12 year.



Loreburn School

Jake completed AET 20 and Mechanics A20 courses. He enjoys mechanics and was able to finish the course work and work placement two months early. He had a very successful work placement where they said "He is the most respectful, ambitious, hard-working student they have ever had."





Derek completed his CWEX A30 work placement with Mr. Skoropad, the MLA of Arm River. This was a very unique work placement but was beyond successful. Derek had the privilege of going to the Legislature to watch session and be part of the meetings. A quote from Derek, "This experience has opened me up to many great opportunities, I am very honored to have had this experience through CWEX. I look forward to the many opportunities that will come in the near future."

Davidson School

Farrah, a Grade 10 student, completed her work placement with the Sun West Coordinator of Communications and Marketing. Farrah wants to pursue a career in communications and had the opportunity to produce her own podcast. She was responsible for branding, interviewing, editing, booking interviews and everything else involved. She called the podcast "The Sunny Side" and completed two episodes that focus on student leadership.



Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship Program (SYA)



Each year, our Career Development Teachers in consult with Principals can nominate a Grade 12 Student for the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship Scholarship. Congratulations to our many deserving Sun West Students who will be receiving a \$1,000 scholarship at their

Graduation Ceremony or Awards Night for successful completion of the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship Program and plan to pursue a career in the skilled trades. (If you want to learn more about benefits of SYA, please connect with your Career Counsellor).

Scholarship Award Recipients



Congratulations to all of our graduates who made time and put effort into apply for local, provincial, and national scholarship opportunities. Well deserved! Thanks also to all businesses and organizations who fund these scholarship opportunities.

Career Development and Cross Curricular Connections

Grades 9 – 12 students spend time each year developing their Grad and Post Graduation Plans using myBlueprint. This year, one of our Career Development Teachers took time to connect many of the Grade 12 grad plan pieces to her ELA B10 class. What a wonderful way to explore "The World Around and Within Us"!.

AROUND AND WITHIN US UNIT



Career Education 9 Students Obtain World Record

Grade 9 Career Education students at Outlook High School created a community activity in which they broke the record for the largest game of Four Corners ever played. Read the article to <u>learn more</u> about their idea and how it connected to their learning.



Celebrating Chatterhigh and ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair

Interested students from across Sun West School Division participated in the SK Most Informed Student Competition (in partnership between Chatterhigh and Skills Canada/Saskatchewan) as a lead up to our career fair. This was a fantastic way to explore life/career related information, spark career conversations, and generate excitement leading up to the ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair which took place on April 29th.

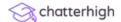
Congratulations to our "Most Informed" Schools and Students and thank you to our Career Development Teachers for coordinating this opportunity.

Chatterhigh Celebrations SK Most Informed School Competition Sun West Results

AAA leaderboard - for large schools:

1st place - Kindersley Composite (\$400 won) - Thanks to help from Career Counsellor Ms. Marchant and supporting teachers Ms. Glencross, Ms. Ross and Mrs. Padberg.

4th place - Sun West Distance Learning Centre (\$100 won)



AA leaderboard - for mid-sized schools:

1st place - Outlook High School (\$350 won) thanks to support from Career Counsellor Mrs. Tulp.

4th place - Biggar Central School 2000 (\$50 won). Thanks to Ms.Chupik and Mr. Hadden.

A leaderboard - for small schools:

2nd place - North West Central School (\$100 won). We appreciate the support of Career Teacher Mrs. Ross

3rd place - Elrose Composite School (\$50 won). Thanks, again, Mrs. Ross.







ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair For all Sun West Grades 10, 11, and 12 Students April 29th, 2022 - Virtual

Sun West School Division recently hosted our large-scale ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair for all Grade 10-12 students. This life/career exploration opportunity is possible through the support of many. We are extremely grateful for







all who contributed to the success of the event. Our Career Fair Team (including Sun West Student Leaders and Career Development Teachers) extends a big thank you to everyone who made the ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair 2022 possible.

We value our Board of Education for their belief in the importance of providing career exploration opportunities for students. To our Sun West Grade 10-12 students, thank you for attending this event. We hope this was a meaningful experience as you progress with your life/career planning. To all staff members who coordinated details in our schools, thank you for your assistance.

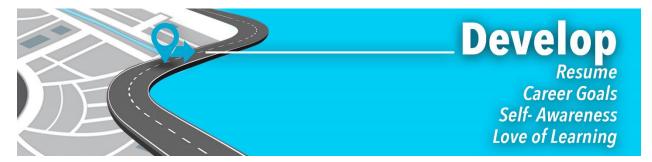
Thank you to RBC Future Launch for sponsoring our opening keynote. We appreciate RBC Olympian and Kindersley Kobra alumni, Kayden Johnson, for being our opening keynote speaker. He inspired us with his message of how, with the right mindset, embracing moments that build resilience and nurturing the fire within us can open a world of possibilities.

A huge shoutout to the Saskatchewan Universities and Technical Institute Liaison (SUTIL) representatives for hosting various post-secondary breakout-sessions. Students were able to choose from a variety of SUTIL information sessions including University of Regina, University of Saskatchewan, Sask. Apprenticeship & Trades Certification Commission, Great Plains College, Canadian Forces, Lakeland College, Saskatchewan PolyTechnic, Briercrest College, and University of Calgary. The presentations provided students ideas of programs they were not aware of as well as inform them about opportunities and campus life.

The afternoon was filled with multiple breakout sessions about networking, using youtube to help with career decision making, conducting a job search, funding your education, preparing for gap years, exploring Sun West DLC options, learning tips from past grads, as well as various hands-on skills sessions. Thank you to all session presenters for lending your time and expertise.

Our closing keynote speaker was Tornado Hunter, Ricky Forbes. Ricky customized his presentation for our ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair as he was in Kansas chasing after a tornado. Our presentation was even mentioned in an episode of his youtube channel Tornado Hunter videos!

In hosting our ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair virtually this year, we hit a few bumps in the road. We had to navigate these roadblocks and learned a lot during the process. We thank everyone for your patience and participation and hope the detours did not significantly impact your journey. We hope to host our ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair in-person in 2024!



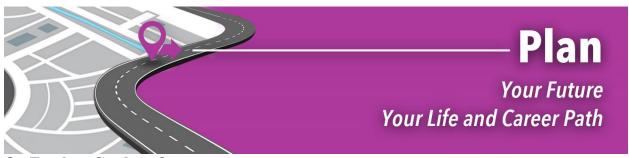
Career Education 9: All Grade 9 students are developing a Graduation and Post-Graduation plan using myBlueprint. Students utilize the tool to learn more about their learning styles, understand personality types, set life/career goals, investigate occupations, etc. Parents are key influencers in the life/career decisions of youth and can gain access to this resources. Just ask your child and/or your Career Development Teacher.

Grade 10 Students: Grade 10 students continue to progress with life/career investigations utilizing myBlueprint planning program as an ePortfolio tool. They will be revisiting inventories, reflecting and updating goals, and continuing to investigate various options as part of their Grad and Post-Graduation Plan. These investigations along with career conversations with the school's Career Counsellor, can help students explore possibilities such as high school courses, post-secondary studies, gap year possibilities, travel options, leadership opportunities, etc.

Grade 11 Students: Grade 11 students completed the CAPS/COPS/COPES career assessment inventories to help them further explore their interests, values, and skills then examine how their personalized strengths and interests align with various occupations. This is another career planning tool our school division provides in support of life/career explorations. Grade 11's may also want to consider attending post-secondary information sessions open to high school students to help make decisions about future possibilities.

Grade 12 Students: Please continue to research and make informed life/career decisions for the next steps upon graduation. Please make updates to your Grad and Post Grad Plan on myBlueprint. Many past grads have reached out to us after high school mentioning how much they appreciate the portfolio building in myBlueprint — especially following graduation. You will still have access to myBlueprint following graduation if you update your email address. Please do so BEFORE the end of June. Scholarship opportunities still exist! See information in the scholarship section of this newsletter. If students have applied for post-secondary institutions, a transcript request may have to be sent.





On Track to Graduate?

It is important for Grade 9 through 12 students and families to be aware of graduation requirements. It is a great time to take a close look at where you are in relation to high school course planning an plans for life after high school. It is important to be aware of interests, skills, future goals, etc. in addition to becoming familiar with current Saskatchewan Graduation requirements and pre-requisite learning if planning to pursue post-secondary studies. Below is information for Saskatchewan Graduation (regular Program).

Saskatchewan High School Credit Options Document

Credit Requirements for grades 10, 11, and 12

Regular Program—24 Credit Policy

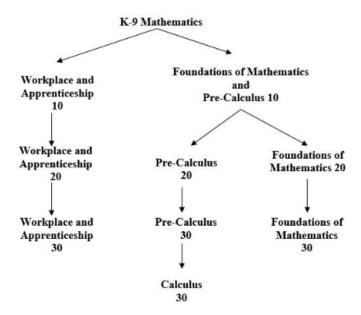
Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12		
minimum 8 credits	minimum 16 credits	minimum 24 credits (5 of which must be at the 30 Level)		
Compulsory Courses:	Compulsory Courses:	Compulsory Courses:		
English Language Arts A 10 and English Language Arts B 10; Social Studies 10, History 10 or Native Studies 10; Science 10;	English Language Arts 20; a mathematics at the 20 level;	English Language Arts A 30 and English Language Arts B 30; Social Studies 30: Canadian Studies, History 30: Canadian Studies or Native Studies 30: Canadian Studies;		
a mathematics at the 10 Level;	a science at level 20 or 30 *			
	a social science at level 20 or 30			
3 electives at Level 10 , 20 or 30	electives at Level 10 , 20 or 30 6 additional elective credits at level 20 or 30			
2 credits in arts education or practical and applied arts at level 10, 20 or 30				
Wellness 10, Physical Education 20 or Physical Education 30				

Note:

- One credit is equivalent to 100 credit hours; a 100 credit hour course should be allocated between 95 and 100
 hours of instructional time.
 - o Section 19 of *The Education Regulations*, 2019, definition of Instructional time is:
 - Instructional time is any time in which pupils of a school are in attendance and under teacher supervision for the purpose of receiving instruction in an educational program, including workexperience programs, parent-teacher-pupil conferences, examinations, and other learning activities provided by the board of education or conseil scolaire.
- Modified courses (11, 21, 31 and 10 A, 20 A, 30 A) can be used to fulfill requirements in the required courses of study, specified areas of study and electives.
- Locally developed courses (designated with an L) may be used to meet elective requirements only.
- Graduation requirements are minimum requirements for Grade 12 standing. Students may choose to exceed these requirements.
- This credit requirement change came into effect for students graduating in the year 2000.
- *Science 20 or 30 prerequisites must be met unless the student is an adult by definition of <u>The Education</u> <u>Regulations</u>, <u>2019</u>.

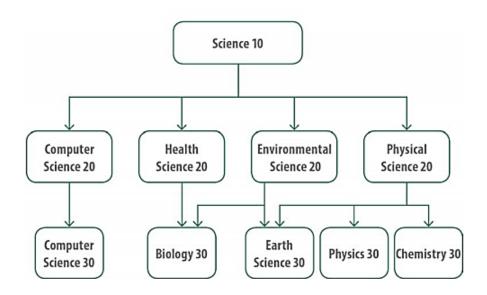
Planning for high school courses begins early. By Grade 9, students need to be seriously thinking about their choices. When mapping out high school courses, students must consider post-secondary interests and requirements and how they may impact choices while in high school. The Math and Science Pathways are worth investigating when planning forward.

Math Pathways Chart:



Science Pathways Chart:

Science Pathways Framework



TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS



Online Request for High School and Adult 12 Transcripts

Transcript Requests: For any students applying for post-secondary institutions, you may need to send a transcript that indicates the subjects you have taken. Most institutions will require you to request transcripts from the Ministry of Education. There is a non-refundable search and process fee involved. Students can select up to 5 requests (including sending to self) for this fee. Students will require personal information, Saskatchewan Learning ID (if known), valid credit card and card holder information if paying online, valid email address, etc. before beginning the process. Depending on what the post-secondary institution requires, students may select various options. Each time a "What is your situation" selection is made, click on "Add to Cart" button to make another selection. Note: "After January Exams 2022" and "After June Exams 2022" are commonly requested.

SIEC

If you missed any of <u>SIEC's Career Spotlights</u>, take time this summer to view the recordings and information. October – Health Care; November – Manufacturing and Mining; December – Tech; January – Business and Finance; February – Public Services; March – S.T.E.A.M; April – Skilled Trades; May – Mental Health and Wellness.

RDIEC



RDIEC continues to host live Career Spotlights. Students and parents are encouraged to check them out. Students and parents can take advantage of these amazing life/career investigation opportunities! Live sessions are the best, but the spotlights are preserved on the RDIEC YouTube Channel.

Occupation Spotlight



Seeking a Summer Job?

You may wish to begin seeking part-time/summer, etc. employment. Job search sites such as <u>Workopolis</u>, <u>Indeed</u>, <u>Sask Jobs</u>, <u>myBlueprint</u> may be useful as you research opportunities.

This is also a good time to revisit and update your resume and Grad and Post Graduation Plan Portfolio on myBlueprint.

News

- A. <u>Sun West Resource Bank</u>: Current issues of this newsletter can be found on our Sun West Resource Bank by searching "Student Career News". The information shared in this newsletter on our <u>Facebook Page</u> will support your continued investigations.
- B. Saskatchewan Universities and Technical Institute Liaison (SUTIL) hosted a Virtual Career Fair for Grade 11 Students from across our province. The virtual booths remain accessible to the public for a period of time at



https://www.sutil.ca/virtual-post-secondary-career-fair/

- C. Interested in health care post-graduation? You may want to work as a Continuing Care Assistant. There is now an opportunity to work as a conditional CCA. Casual, Part Time, and Full Time opportunities exist while going to school for any type of health care profession. Students can work evenings, weekends, or holidays. Successful applications do the job of a qualified CCA and get paid at \$23.17/hour. Student become fully qualified, so conditions removed, when they obtain their CCA Certificate, first year of LPN education, or 2nd year of RN education. So, for RN students, as an example, they can work as a CCA the entire time they go to school, until they received their grad nurse license and then they would switch to that classification. Anyone interested should reach out to Haylee Bevan at Haylee.Bevan@saskhealthauthority.ca. (See image on page 28)
- D. <u>RCMP Career Presentations</u>: If interested in a career as a police officer, community constable or telecommunications operator? Find out more at an upcoming session. <u>Register</u> in advance.

June 14th – Coffee Talk with an RCMP Recruiter – Virtual, 12:00PM Click Here for Application Requirements.

Attend an RCMP "Spend a Day with a Recruiter" Event as a step towards becoming a member. Appy by June 20th for recruitment days open to Grade 10, 11, and 12 students. They will be offered during July in Regina, Saskatoon, and Prince Albert. Register Here!

E. **Shockproofing for Future Skills:** SaskPoly added 3 new free tuition opportunities. See the following link and poster on page 29.

Warehouse Worker – this course is **Online** with a start date of June 6th for 8 weeks. The program head is prepared to make this program accessible to current high school students. Deadlines and time commitment for this course will consider high school students June class obligations and finals. https://saskpolytech.ca/programs-and-courses/programs/Warehouse-Worker.aspx

Agricultural Machinery Technician – Saskatoon Campus start date Aug 22nd for 35 weeks https://saskpolytech.ca/programs-and-courses/programs/Agricultural-Equipment-Technician.aspx

Parts Management Technician – Online start date Aug 29th for 32 weeks. https://saskpolytech.ca/programs-and-courses/programs/Parts-Management-Technician.aspx

- F. <u>Communicating for Agriculture Education Program</u> This may be worth investigating if interested in gaining global agriculture work experience.
- G. Unsure of what to do following Grade 12? You are not alone.

 <u>The Canadian Gap Year Association</u> provides a variety of options for a gap year following high school. Check out <u>programming options</u>.

CanGap hosts a number of different webinars for students, parents, teachers, etc. on a variety of topics. On June 16th, they will host a session called, "Gap Years 101: A path for neurodivergent students". This is an opportunity to explore whether or not a gap year is right for your child. Register in advance.

Gap Years 101: A path for neurodivergent students

Come explore if a gap year is right for you or your teen and how it can better prepare students for post-secondary education.

Thursday, June 16 5:30PM PST/8:30PM EST



- H. **Learn to Speak French.** Explore is a 5 week intensive language-learning program for Grade 11 and 12 students. Participants will receive a bursary and have the opportunity to experience the language in another region of Canada.
- I. <u>RBC Upskill:</u> Are you a student, recent grad, or someone with some work experience but need help navigating your next step? <u>RBC Upskill</u> is a free and intelligent career tool that gets to know you, your career-relevant skills, education, interests and work experience so it can help you discover, prepare for, and get closer to the job you really want.
- J. Neil Squire Society is an non-profit organization that offers programs to assist individuals with disabilities in becoming job-ready, finding employment, etc. Clients must be 15 years of age and have a self-disclosed disability. (205) 781-6023.

Post-secondary News



This section contains links to some post-secondary opportunities being investigated by our Sun West School Division students.

- A. Assiniboine Community College
- B. Briercrest College and Seminary:
 - a. Webinars are available.
- C. Canadian Forces Recruiting:
 - a. Regular Force (Full Time) Members of the Regular Force serve full time protecting Canada and defending our sovereignty.
 - b. Primary Reserves (Part Time) Members of the Reserve Force serve part time in the CAF. The main role is to support the Regular Force at home and abroad.
 - c. Paid Education. The Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) has a number of paid education programs to prepare you for a challenging and rewarding career.

D. Great Plains College:

- a. Great Plains College is a popular choice of division students due to small class sizes and close proximity to home. Great Plains College has campuses in Biggar, Kindersley, Maple Creek, Martensville, Rosetown, Swift Current, and Warman.
- b. Student Advising supports available.
- c. <u>Fall seats</u> remain available for some programs including Administrative Assistant, Agricultural Science, Business (certificate and diploma), Continuing Care Assistant, Early Childhood Education, Educational Assistant, Electrician, Fourth Class Power Engineering, University, Youth Care Worker.
- d. Students interested in GPC are encouraged to attend an Open House event.
- e. Virtual tours and webinars.
- f. New programs offered through GPC include Agriculture Science Certificate, Educational Assistant, Foundations for Nursing Certificate (for those interested in the U of R/SK Poly Nursing Program) and a Business Diploma in Management.

E. Lakeland College:

F. Lethbridge College

a. Explore the 2021-2022 Viewbook

G. Medicine Hat College

- a. For those starting in Fall 2022, <u>class registration</u> is now open. As well, there is still time to apply for scholarships (due June 1). If wanting an inperson appointment to discuss registration, <u>use this link</u> or call Student Advising at (403) 529-3819.
- b. Application deadline for select programs has past but the deadline for other programs is September 1, 2022. Apply using <u>Apply Alberta</u>.
- c. If you are currently in Grade 10 or 11, now is a great time to explore MHC programs. Have you heard of these cool <u>new programs</u> such as Sustainable Innovation, Sport and Event Marketing and Management, and Service Dog and Canine Studies Management?
- d. If you are the creative type, you may want to investigate the <u>Art and Design</u> program.

H. Mount Royal University

- a. Digital Resources for Students
- b. Virtual Drop-in Admission Planning Sessions
- c. <u>Alternative Entrance Options</u> are available for students who may not meet admission requirements for preferred programs.
- d. Open House is scheduled for October 29th!

I. NAIT

- J. Olds College
 - A. Book a Campus Tour.
- K. Royal Canadian Mounted Police
- M. SAIT
 - a. Information Sessions
- N. Saskatchewan Polytechnic
 - a. SaskPoly hosts many events for students such as online career planning, mental health and wellness sessions, etc. Check regularly.
 - b. There are MANY programs with seats available for Fall 2022.
 - c. Interested in part-time learning opportunities? Check out <u>Flexible Learning Courses</u>.
 - d. <u>Zoom Rooms</u> available Monday thru Friday from 12:30 to 3:30 to answer questions.
 - e. Moose Jaw and Prince Albert campuses are offering tuition -free 20 week pre-employment welding applied certificate with additional career skills and an 8 week placement. This opportunity is focused on Indigenous peoples, newcomers to Canada, persons with disabilities, women, underemployed, etc. For more information, click here.
 - f. <u>Surge Micro-credentials</u> are offered by SaskPoly. There are short-course offerings in business, education, technology, and entrepreneurship.
 - g. Virtual Tours
 - h. <u>Program Explorer</u> in about 10 minutes you will be able to complete an assessment which will then provide a list of SaskPoly programs to consider based on results.



- i. Women in Trades and Technology is an opportunity to try autobody, automotive repair, building systems tech, carpentry, electrical, machining, plumbing, and welding. \$300 registration fee. Contact Michelle Lanoie at (306) 775-7503 for info.
- j. <u>Nursing Program Info Sessions</u> are offered the first Thursday of each month at 5:30pm and the third Thursday at 10:00am.

k. Specific Questions? Reach out to Sask Poly Recruitment Advisors at:

Questions?

Our Student Recruitment Advisors are here to assist you. Contact us today:

• Email us askaquestion@saskpolytech.ca

• Join a drop-in advising session | Tuesdays & Thursdays

• Call our Welcome Centres:

• Saskatoon 306-659-4012

• Regina 306-775-7395

• Prince Albert 306-765-1611

• Moose Jaw 306-691-8429

O. Saskatchewan Regional Colleges include:

- a. <u>Carlton Trail College</u> Humboldt
- b. Northlands College La Ronge/Air Ronge
- c. Great Plains College Swift Current
- d. Cumberland College Melfort
- e. Parkland College Yorkton
- f. North West College The Battlefords
- g. Southeast College Weyburn

P. Saskatchewan Career Colleges

a. Represents private vocational schools in Saskatchewan. There are over 160 training programs in our province to help prepare students for specific occupations such as business, health services, fashion, esthetics, hairstyling, etc.

Q. St. Peter's College

- a. Apply now for over 70 programs!
- b. Scholarship Application Tutorial for <u>St Peter's Scholarships</u>.
- c. <u>Recordings</u> of events such as Funding Your Education, Getting Good Grades in Your Fist Year, etc.

Q. Vancouver Institute of Media Arts

a. Programs for animations, actors, broadcasters, web developers, game artists, photographers, visual effects artists, etc.

R. University of Alberta

- a. Applications
- b. Viewbook
- c. Students who have not yet received a first-choice admission offer can update courses marks for further consideration.
- d. Register for the Virtual Advising for prospective high school students to learn more about the U of A.
- e. Seats remain available for some programs with a Fall 2022 start.
- f. Click here for a Prospective Student Advising Session.
- g. In-person Tours are available again! Book your visit.
- h. Students can now directly enter <u>Bachelor of Commerce</u> program from high school.

- i. Students entering <u>Bachelor of Education</u> in Fall 2022 must take the Casper test as part of Admissions Requirement.
- j. Interested in U of A's Augustana Campus? If so, attend the <u>Augustana 101</u> Presentation to learn more.
- k. On Campus tours
- 1. Virtual Campus tours

S. University of British Columbia

- a. Campus Tours at UBC's Vancouver Campus various dates
- b. Campus Tours at UBC's Okanagan Campus various dates
- c. <u>UBC Future Global Leaders Program</u>. If you are between 15 and 18 and want to get a head start on academic goals, this may be for eyour. This preuniversity program helps students explore their passions while in high school. Online and On Campus opportunities.
- d. NEW! Civil Engineering at UBCO.

T. University of Calgary

- a. If interested in the U of C, you may wish to view <u>video created for</u> Saskatchewan students.
- b. UCalgary Podcast to help students learn more about programs and offerings.
- b. Future Student Events and Tours
- c. Stories and Tips for Future Students
- d. Not sure what to major in? See Career Services Degree Profiles for ideas.

U. University of Lethbridge:

- a. Use the U of L New Booking System to book an appointment with an academic advisor or book a tour, check out the new booking system.
- b. <u>Early Start Experience</u> for students wanting to get a jump start on their degree before university officially begins in the fall. Register by August 19th.

V. MacEwan University

W. McGill University

X. McMaster University

a. McMaster University offers various tours including virtual tours.

Y. University of Regina

- a. <u>Admissions Checklist</u> for students to reference once conditional acceptance is received.
- b. Course Registration Days are helpful when registering for classes.
- c. <u>Student Awards and Financial Office</u> staff are available to help you investigate financial matters related to your studies. Email Student Loans or Scholarships and Awards for assistance.

- d. Ask a Recruiter Drop in Sessions Tuesdays from 11:30 to 1:00.
- e. Individual students can book time with Kayla Schmaus, Enrolment Counsellor at (306) 337-2639
- f. Student Orientation for student attending in Fall 2022.
- g. Centre for Experiential and Service Learning.
- h. U of R has seats available in a number of programs for Fall 2022. Find out more on the Program Page and Application Guide.
- i. <u>Living-Learning Communities</u> (LLCs) are a great opportunity for students who apply for residence. LLCs are a group of students who share similar interests, values, and academic programs. They receive tutoring support, workshops, etc.
- j. Summer Bridge Program apply by June 24th. Sessions begin July 4th.
- k. Viewbooks and Publications
- 1. Numerous information sessions available.
- m. Interested in flexible learning in which you can take courses from the comfort of your own home? See <u>Flexible Learning Division Fall Courses</u>.
- n. Applications are open for **on-campus housing**. Living is residence is a great way to transition to University while meeting like-minded people. Virtual Tour

Z. University of Saskatchewan

- a. <u>Info on Classes and Registration</u> Register EARLY to get your preferred classes! Yu must login to your <u>Paws Account</u>, review course requirements, find the date and time to register, and plan your class schedule. To view Fall and Winter Term Classes, click here.
- b. <u>Information for New Students.</u>
- c. Tuition Payment Instructions and Due Dates
- d. <u>Learning Communities</u> are popular with our students. If interested, sign-up between May 2 and June 16th for Ag and Bioresources, Arts and Science First Year Learning Experience (FLEX), and Kinesiology. <u>Education Learning Community</u> deadline is June 18th. This is for students beginning the combined Kinesiology/Education Program.
- e. Registration OPENS for students in Learning Communities and Huskie Athletics at Noon on June 13th.
- f. Registration OPENS for students in first year Arts and Science, and Education at 9:30 on June 18th and at Noon for Agriculture, Engineering, Kinesiology, and Business.
- g. Deadlines extended for <u>Engineering</u>, <u>Agriculture and Bioresources</u>, <u>Kanawayihetaytan Askiy</u>, and <u>Arts and Science</u>
- h. Spring and Summer Classes are an opportunity to get a jump start.
- i. <u>COMM 101 Early Start</u> for Edwards Business Students gives you an early start towards your degree.
- j. Edwards School of Business Co-operative Education Program
- k. Housing and Residence
- 1. U of S Events! Check regularly!

- m. <u>Drop-in Q&A Sessions</u> Wednesdays These may be useful to students interested in Ag and Bioresources, Education, Engineering, and Business.
- n. <u>Indigenous Student Achievement Pathways</u> (ISAP) This offers new Indigenous students access to small cohort Learning Communities (LCs). Contact <u>isap.info@usask.ca</u> for info. Sign up by Autust 30th.
- o. The <u>Bachelor of Education</u> is now based solely on admission average. The final application deadline was February 15th with the anticipated target average for competitive ranking being 70%. Admission to the Bachelor of Education is available at several <u>off-campus sites</u> including Great Plains College in Swift Current for students wishing to complete their first year of the program outside of Saskatoon.
- p. <u>UStart</u> helps new students prepare for university. There will be opportunities taking place between May 19th and June 17th.
- q. USASKSparks is a webinar series to help students discover their passions and explore problems they would like to solve in their future life/career. This is a new career counselling tool for high school students to help them determine what they want to do after graduation.
- r. Add a Certificate to your Arts and Science Degree! Check this out: https://artsandscience.usask.ca/certificates/
- s. U of S Open House for prospective students is being planned for September 23rd.
- AA. University of Toronto
- BB. University of Waterloo

A. This Missing Manual – everything you want to know in one place!

Upcoming Events

This section is intended to keep you posted of various events and open houses. However, every student's life/career plan is personalized. You are encouraged to research additional opportunities that may be more suited to your life/career planning process. Please click on links to view website information.

Various	Webinar Wednesdays at Olds College	
Various	SIEC Spotlight on Careers	
Various	RDIEC Spotlight on Careers	
Various	UBC and UBCO – various	
May 19-Jun	U-Start Orientation to support U o S preparation process.(virtual)	
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June 1	Deadline for <u>U of S Engineering</u>	
June 1	SaskPoly Easy Start Transition Workshop for Students Who Require Accessibility	
	Services (PA, Regina)	
Jun 1	Deadline to apply for scholarships at Medicine Hat College (apply online)	

June 2	SaskPoly Easy Start Transition Workshops for Students Who Require Accessibility
	Services (Moose Jaw, Saskatoon)
June 2	SaskPoly Easy Start Transition Workshop for Students Who Require Accessibility
	Services (Virtual)
June 13	Registration opens for U of S Indigenous Student Achievement Pathways (ISAP),
	First Year Learning Experience (FLEX) Learning Communities in Arts and Science
	and Learning Communities in the Colleges of Agriculture/Bioresources and
	Kinesiology.
June 16	Western College of Remedial Massage Therapies Info Night (Regina OR Virtual)
July 28	
Aug 18	
June 18	Deadline for <u>U of S Education Learning Communities</u> (apply online)
June 18	First Year Class Registration for U of S Opens
June 24	Deadline for <u>U of R Summer Bridge Program</u> (apply online)
June 30	Deadline for Grade 11 students to apply for Edwards Comm 101 Online
July 1	Deadline for <u>U of S Agriculture and Bioresources</u> programs
July	U of S <u>In-Person Campus Tours</u> resume in July.
Aug 15	Deadline to apply for admission to Arts and Science at the U of S
Aug 30	Deadline to apply for Indigenous Student Achievement Pathways Learning
	Community for Arts and Science programs.
Aug 30	U of R Fall 2022 Orientation
Sept 23	U of S Open House 2023
_	This annual event is for prospective students who want to explore academic programs
	and student experiences available at USask.

Note: This newsletter is to inform families of career investigation opportunities. Post-secondary events and open houses are NOT school sponsored. Thus, your parents must excuse you from school if you plan to attend any of the opportunities advertised in this newsletter.

Scholarships

We are heading into the end of the school year yet scholarship opportunities still exist! Do some research and apply!

Scholarship Resources:

Local Scholarships: Grade 12's, please inquire with your Career Counsellor, Principal, Secretary, etc. about your school's local scholarship application process. As well, be sure to do some research regarding scholarships offered by local and area businesses. These are opportunities you do not want to miss!

<u>Relevance Magazine</u>. The 2022 version of Relevance Magazine is available online, a section of which pertains to scholarship information.



Your guide to funding your post-secondary education, including links to federal/ provincial student loans (which you have to pay back over time) and links to scholarships and awards (which you have to apply for, but don't have to pay back).

mycampusGPS is a resource to assist with post-secondary planning and scholarships. Some resources are free, others require payment.

<u>Funding Your Education: Scholarship Application Tips</u> by Madison Hobbs, Recent Sun West Graduate



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hmS9giDSlfg

Thank you for sharing your scholarship application experiences with students, Madison. Much appreciated!

This is a great time for current Grade 11 students to consider setting up profiles on various Canadian Scholarship websites such as <u>Scholar Tree</u>, <u>ScholarshipsCanada</u>, <u>Student Awards</u>, <u>Yconic</u>, <u>Atila</u>, etc. Read the details carefully and consider advantages of registering such has receiving regular emails about upcoming scholarships aligned with your profile.

<u>View a Scholarship Workshops or Webinars</u> such as this one by Jane Thompson, Executive Director of the TD Scholarships Community Leadership Program.

Boost Your Chances of Securing a Grant, Bursary, or Scholarship

A New Financial Adventure: Managing Money in College or University

Other Sources of Funding:

<u>Education Planning and Student Aid</u> from the Government of Canada provides useful tools for students and parents to access, regarding planning for an education, saving, budgeting, etc.

<u>Canada Student Grants and Loans</u> provides info on student grants and loans. Saskatchewan residents will want to look at the **Saskatchewan** section. Please contact studentservices@gov.sk.ca or call 1-800-597-8278 for more information. Most updated information will be available in June. Saskatchewan residents will want to focus on the Saskatchewan Section when planning to apply.

<u>Gabriel Dumont Institute Scholarships</u> has information on funding/scholarships for Metis students.

There are a multitude of scholarship opportunities available. Below is just a sample. Begin investigating today!

Due Date	Scholarship	Amount	Criteria
ASAP	Local Scholarships	Various	Grade 12's are encouraged to check with Career Counsellors, Principals, Secretaries about local scholarships available to graduates. As well, be sure to check with local businesses as there are many local and area opportunities for scholarships.
Nov 1 Feb 1 Aug 1	Inspire Awards: Building Brighter Futures	Various	Scholarships and bursaries available to Indigenous students.
June 1	A4LE Gerry McCudden Scholarship	\$2,000	Scholarship will be awarded to a student in a SK School Division which currently holds an A4LE membership. Graduating Grade 12 Academic average of 80% + Demonstrates leadership potential Essay *See your School's Career Counsellor for application form
June 1	Fraser Institute Essay Contest	\$1,500 \$1000 \$500	Categories for high school students, undergraduates, and graduate students. Prepare an essay on a specific topic.
June 1	Got a Spine?	\$500	Applicants must answer questions about prevention and treatment of back injuries.
June 3	IBAS Young Community Leader Bursary	\$5,000	Exceptional community commitment. Role model in your community Academic average of a min 75% in Grade 11

June 8	Bayer Fund Opportunity Scholarship	65 @ \$1,500	For students planning a minimum two year post- secondary program in agriculture, culinary, or food sciences. References, reference letter, application, essay, transcripts.
April 9 to June 9	Stuck at Prom	\$10,000	This is a unique and fun scholarship competition. If you wish to attend graduation in a duct tape gown or tux, this scholarship may be for you. Contest will be open from April 1 to June 9. See <u>FAO</u> 's for more information.
June 17	Gerry McDudden Memorial Scholarship Award	\$2,000	Students must submit an essay, have leadership roles and an average of 80%+ Must be accepted into post-secondary institution for fall 2022.
June 24	Mary Joyce Booth Scholarship	2 * \$1,500	For French Second Language students entering their first year of a post-secondary program in French language.
June 27	ScholarTree \$1000 Giveaway Scholarship	\$1,000 Draw	Complete application form and provide feedback on ScholarTree. Get more entries by referring friends.
June 30	Grade 11 Early Entrance at Great Plains College	\$1,000	Min 70% average in certain Grade 11 classes. Apply before June 30 th to qualify.
June 30	Nelson Civic Leader Scholarship	3 * \$3,000	Essay outlining leadership activities. 75%+ average. Reference letter from a teacher.
June 30	Lift Parts Express Scholarship	\$500	Must write an essay on why going to college is a big financial commitment.
June 30	Nelson Indigenous Student Scholarship	\$10,000	500-750 word essay detailing leadership activities. Minimum 80% average. Reference letters. Final year of high school and making a difference in community.
June 30	CAPSLE Bursary	\$1,000	Must be entering Education or Law program. Essay required.
June 30	Learning Disabilities Association of Saskatchewan Scholarship	3 * \$1000	Reflect on how a learning disability has affected life. Howe he/she has learned to work with and compensate for a disability, etc. 3 letters of reference.
June 30	Grade 11 Early Entrance Awards at Great Plains College	\$1,000	Min 70% average in certain Grade 11 classes apply before June 30 th
June 30	BBG Communications Scholarship	\$500	For students between 16 and 21. Write responses to 2 essay questions based on advances in information and communications.
June 30	Canada's Outstanding Young Farmers Memorial Scholarship	2 * \$1000	Must be pursing post-secondary education leading to a diploma or degree in agriculture. Essay: "Why are you passionate about agriculture in Canada?"

June 30	Saskatchewan Physical Education Association	2 * \$700	Must be enrolled in a U of R or U of S Kinesiology/Physical Education program or Saskatchewan Polytechnic recreation/leisure program. Must be actively involved in high school PhysEd, intramural and extracurriculuar programs. Minimum 70" Average. Display strong leader and sportsmanlike qualities.
June 30	Physical and Health Education Saskatchewan Scholarship	5 @ \$300	Must be enrolled in U of R or U of S Kinesiology, Physical Education, or Health programs OR SaskPoly Recreation or Community Development Program, or Health Education, Medicine, or Nursing Programs. Must be actively involved in high school Physical Education clases, extra curricular activities, intramurals, etc. 70%+ academic average Demonstrate leadership and sportsmanship,
June 30	Shim Law Scholarship	\$1,000	Answer a question about legal issues using an infographic and case law analysis.
June 1-30	Prairie Healthcare Scholarship	\$1,000- \$20,000	For students studying in health-related field (Medicine, Nursing, Physicotherapy, Massage Therapy, Pharmacy, Nutrition, Social Work). Each application is reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine eligibility. Applicants are required to provide an essay presenting what their study plans are. Transcripts required.
Various	Loans Canada	\$750	Application Form and Essay on how financial literacy has made a difference in your life.
July 1	Municipal Hail	5 @ \$1,000	Copy of enrolment in a SK university or technical institution. Copy of grades.
July 15	The Rack Wendy Foursha Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	Attended high school in West-Central Grade 12 student or current post-secondary student Entering/Completing a post-secondary program related to business.
July 15	The Rack Advancing Ag Scholarship	\$1,000	Attended high school in West-Central Grade 12 student or current post-secondary student Entering/Completing a post-secondary program related to agriculture.
July 15	Valour Canada History & Heritage Scholarship	1 * 750 1 * \$1,500	Awarded to post-secondary aspiring Canadian High School Students. Provide a short paragraph explaining why you are applying for the scholarship. Essay Youtube compatible video about your chosen memorial or monument.

Aug 7	Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan	Various Awards	Various Criteria
Aug 15	ATCO Indigenous Education Awards Program	\$500 (Gr 10- 12) \$1,000 (diploma/cert ificate programs) \$1,500 (degree/gradu	Canadian Indigenous person. Be enrolled in a high school or accredited post-secondary institutions or training program. Preference to students from Indigenous communities where ATCO has business interests.
Aug 28	Jack Moore Memorial Scholarship and Burgess Bursary Saskatchewan Command	ate programs) 10 scholarships 10 bursaries \$500 each	Students may apply for scholarship, bursary or both. Must be: Resident of SK A child, grandchild or great-grandchild of current or former serving member of Canadian Armed or Allied Forces or RCMP; and entering first year of post secondary education.
Aug 27	Marlene Forden Memorial Scholarship	\$500 - \$1,000	How has multiple sclerosis affected your life? 2 references.
Aug 31	Saskatchewan School Boards Association Education Scholarships	\$2,500 (degree) \$2,500 (tech/trades)	Recipients are selected based on good character, community leadership and financial need. 500 word essay
Aug 31	Saskatchewan Hockey Association	Min 11 * \$1,000	Must have been registered for 3 years in good standing in the SHA and planning to attend a Saskatchewan based university of college within 4 years of the grant. For registered members (male and female) of the SHA including coaches & referees.
Aug 31	School Boards Association Scholarships	\$2,500 Degree \$2,500 Technical/Tra de Program	Good character, community leadership, financial need, essay.
Sept 1	SGI Anniversary Scholaships	4 @ \$2,500	Child/legal dependent of an SGI, SGI Canada or Coachman. Demonstrate contributions to community, extra curricular activities, etc., 70%+ average
Sept 30	SGI Corporate Scholarships	7 @ \$2,500	Enrolled in a full-time undergratduate certificate, diploma, or degree program related to the business needs of SGA at an accredited post-secondary campus. Demonstrate contributions to community, extra curricular activities, etc., 70%+ average

September	Saskatchewan	\$1,500	Student must have been employed at a SK Regional
2022	Regional Parks	Annually	Park in the previous summer.
	Employee Bursary		Recent High School Graduate and beginning first
	<u>Application</u>		year of post-secondary training.
			Good academic record.
Oct 8	AES Engineering	\$500	Essay on "When you look back at your life in 30
	Scholarship		years, what would it take for you to consider your
			life successful? What relationships or
			accomplishments will be important on this journey?
Various	CWB Welding	Various	Must be accepted into a full-time post-secondary
	Foundation Awards		welding program
			Complete online form
			Provide 2 references
			Include transcript with Grade 11-12 grades
			Letters of recommendation
			Post-sec acceptance letter
			Essay



Current Career Opportunities for future Nursing/Continuing Care Assistant Students

Continuing Care Assistant at Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA)



Are you a future post-secondary Health Care student that wants to work in a rewarding team-oriented environment with opportunities to excel at learning in different areas? We are currently searching for Continuing Care Assistants (Conditionally Hired) to work in various communities within the Saskatchewan Health Authority.

The SHA is the largest organization in Saskatchewan, employing over 43,000 employees and physicians responsible for the delivery of high quality and timely health care for the entire province.

Job Summary: Continuing Care Assistants provide personal care and activities of daily living for clients/patients/residents to encourage optimum level of functioning. Supports clients/patients/residents in meeting their physical, emotional, psychological and spiritual needs.

The official job descriptions are found on the Provider Group website, http://www.working-for-health.ca/supportjobevaluation/



Required Qualifications:

- · Continuing Care Assistant Certificate or enrolled
- · Enrolled in Licensed Practical Nursing Diploma Program
- · Enrolled in Bachelor of Nursing Degree Program

Experience: No previous experience required

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- · Ability to work independently
- · Interpersonal and communication skills
- · Organization skills

Rate of Pay: \$23.17 to \$24.84 (3 Step Range)

Union: SEIU

For more information please contact Haylee Bevan at 1-306-630-2221
To apply, please email resume to Haylee.Bevan@saskhealthauthority.ca

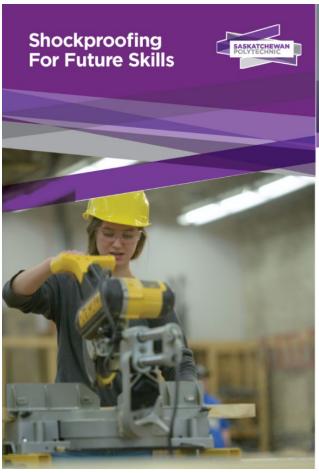




Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.





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Shockproofing for Future Skills

Saskatchewan Polytechnic is removing barriers for under-represented groups including: women, Indigenous peoples, newcomers, people with disabilities and youth to explore opportunities and start careers in high demand sectors in an effort to better support a skilled, inclusive, certified and productive workforce. Students will develop knowledge and practical skills in a particular occupation and jumpstart their careers through learning through an innovative online platform. This program would not be possible without funding from the Government of Canada's Future Skills Centre.

Training ranges from 14-weeks to 35-weeks in a certificate or applied certificate training programs. Students who meet the eligibility criteria for introductory and applied certificate training programs will receive tuition, and books.

Who is this for?

- Indigenous peoples
- Newcomers
- People with disabilities

 Women Youth (ages 18-35) Warehouse Worker June 6, 2022 - July 29, 2022 (8 weeks)

THE POLYTECHNIC ADVANTAGE

Carpentry

Oct 17, 2022 - Mar 10, 2023 (18 weeks) - PA Oct 17, 2022 - Mar 10, 2023 (18 weeks) Aug. 29, 2022 - Jan 13, 2023 (18 weeks)

Agriculture Technician Aug 22, 2022 - May 12, 2023 (35 weeks)

Parts Management Technician Aug 29, 2022 - Apr 26, 2023 (32 weeks)

Website Design Aug 29, 2022 - Mar 25, 2023 (29 weeks)

Learn more at saskpolytech.ca/programs-and-courses/ browse-programs/shockproofing-for-future-skills.aspx

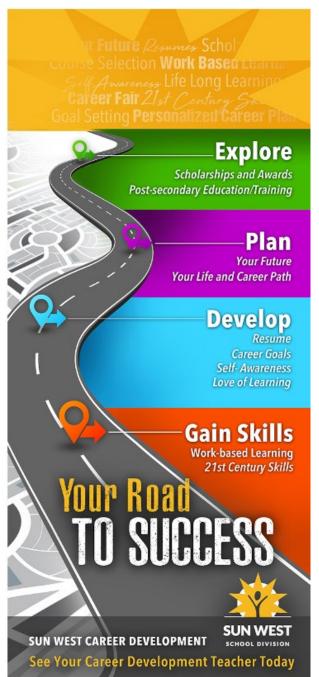


Sun West Career Development LEAD Teachers

Our Sun West Career Development Teachers support students/families with career exploration opportunities through Career Education classes, Work-based Learning opportunities, Career Counselling, Graduation and Post-Graduation planning, and division initiatives such as the ROADS TO SUCCESS Career Fair. Please reach out to your Career Development Teachers for ideas/support as you navigate your journey.

On behalf of our CD LEAD Teacher Team, Congratulations to the Class of 2022!





This edition of our Student Career Newsletter brought to you by our 2021-2022

Career Development LEAD Teachers:

Ms. Talie Chupik – BCS 2000

Mr. Shane Clark - Eaton

School, Eston Composite School, Westcliffe Composite School

Ms. Char Dansereau - Beechy School, Dinsmore Composite School, Kyle Composite School, Lucky Lake School

Mrs. Rietta Frick-Davis - Rosetown Central High School

Mr. Ryan Johnson - Sun West Distance Learning Centre

Ms. Kendall Krawchuk - Davidson High School, Kenaston School, Loreburn School Ms. Heidi Marchant - Kindersley Composite School

Mrs. Amanda Ross – Elrose Composite School.

North West Central School

Mrs. Cindy Tulp - Outlook High School Mrs. Vanessa Lewis – Sun West School Division

We look forward to serving students in the 2022-2023 school year.

In the meantime, enjoy your summer.