



North Toronto Christian School

# JULY 2016 NEWSLETTER

## *Message from the Principal ....*

Another school year has come to an end. Hopefully you are able to enjoy a time of rest and relaxation. I want to congratulate and celebrate the incredible accomplishments of so many of our students. As you read through this newsletter, you will read about the many academic and athletic award recipients that we have recognized in our graduations and awards assemblies. Thank you to our students for your hard work and dedication which contributes to the excellent academic reputation that we have as a school.

As you enjoy a time to be refreshed and renewed over the summer, please remember to:

Purchase your textbooks (gr. 7-12), either at the used textbook sale beginning on July 12<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. at NTCS or online from Academic Book Services, which is accessible from the home page of our school website.

Purchase all uniform items well in advance. Purchase in July so that any backordered items will be received by the time school begins.

Continue reading and practising your math facts. To ensure that knowledge and skills gained this year in these key areas are not lost over the summer, reading good books and reviewing math concepts is beneficial.

We look forward to seeing you back in September for another year of academic, athletic and spiritual growth.

Mr. A. Schenk

## *Grade 12 Graduation*

Congratulations to each of our 31 graduates for their successful completion of the requirements of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). A wonderful celebration of their achievements was held on Tuesday evening, June 28, 2016. We are very proud of the graduates as they leave NTCS to face challenges in new places. A list of our graduates and where they will be attending school in September can be found later in this newsletter.

Special congratulations to **Lauren Cusato** who delivered the valedictorian's speech and was the recipient of the Governor General's Academic Medal, **Faith Jayakaran** who was presented with the Laurie Roberts Memorial Scholarship and **Stephanie Shen** who received the Amy Lau Memorial Scholarship. All award recipients are listed later in this newsletter.



## **Used Textbook Sale**

Gr. 7-12

Starts Tuesday, July 12th

The sale will begin at 9 a.m. The office will be open all summer and books may be purchased, while supplies last, anytime during office hours (9 a.m.—3:30 p.m.).

## *NTCS Faculty Departures/Changes*

We would like to advise you of a number of staff changes for the coming school year.

After twenty-six (26) years of service, we say farewell to **Mrs. Ann Mast**, who is retiring from her position as our Grade 3 classroom teacher. Mrs. Mast has had an integral role in the NTCS program over these many years and has made an extremely valuable contribution to school life. Her influence on the many children who have come through her class is inestimable. She has devoted herself to her students with Christian love and tireless effort and has been a cheerful, positive presence in the school. Her Christian service to so many families, students, and colleagues is to be admired, and we are very grateful for her devotion to NTCS for so many years. May God continue to bless you in your retirement, Mrs. Mast!

We also say good-bye to **Miss Alexandra Brown**, one of the two grade 6 classroom teachers this past school year. Miss Brown is leaving to pursue other teaching opportunities. We thank her for her service to NTCS this year and pray for God's blessing on her life as she continues her teaching career.

**Mrs. Natalie Solomon**, **Mrs. Rebekah Joo**, and **Mrs. Cristina Boersma** all depart this summer on maternity leave. We pray for good health and strength for each of them during this exciting time.

Staffing changes resulting from these departures include **Miss Denise Chang** moving from her position as Grade 4 classroom teacher to take on the role of Athletic Director and Physical Education teacher. **Mrs. Margaret Cooke** will move from her role as Grade 1 classroom teacher to become the new Grade 3 classroom teacher. As announced in last month's newsletter, **Miss Deanna Lentini** has now joined the school office staff to fill Mrs. Boersma's office administrative role.

## *Welcome to NTCS—Introduction of New Staff*

We are excited to introduce the following new staff members to NTCS for September 2016:

We welcome **Miss Sally Yeo** to the Grade 1 classroom as she has returned from teaching for two years in an international Christian school in Korea. Miss Yeo has a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the University of Ottawa and her teaching certification from Queen's University in Kingston. She is a professional photographer and experienced swim coach, so has much to offer our students as she takes on this role.

**Mr. Peter No** is also joining us to become our Grade 4 classroom teacher. He comes to us with several years of experience as a Christian school elementary teacher. Mr. No completed his Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Toronto and his Bachelor of Education degree at the University of Ottawa. He is also working on completing a Master of Divinity degree at the Toronto Baptist Seminary. He has a passion for music and is also a qualified ESL teacher. He will be one of two teachers for our summer ESL courses. We look forward to the contribution he will make to the NTCS program in his new role.

## **NTCS Board of Directors**

We would also like to notify you of the resignation from the NTCS Board of Directors of **Mrs. Marianne Appadurai**, who has faithfully served on the board for nine years. A role on the Board of Directors is an important volunteer position, as NTCS directors take on full trusteeship of the charitable organization that operates the school and Camp Ke-Mon-Oya. Mrs. Appadurai has been an active, influential board member, offering her prayerful support and thoughtful opinions on the many, varied matters that the board deals with. Her involvement in the finance, marketing, and policy development areas have been invaluable, and we are very grateful for her for all of the work she has done behind the scenes over the years.

## ***Thank you...to all parent volunteers!***

We extend a very sincere thank you to all the volunteers who assisted in so many areas of school life this past year. From pizza and popcorn days to Chandos trips to Fun Fair to field trips and everything else in between, we are grateful for those who were able to assist in the life of the school. It means a great deal to the faculty, staff, and students to have your support.

## ***FUN FAIR***

Fun, friends, and food! That would describe our annual Fun Fair held June 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Lord blessed us with a perfect day to enjoy numerous events and lots of goodies to eat. The grade 10 business class impressed us with their enthusiasm and creative games as they joined the staff's events. Our heartfelt thanks to the many parents and former students who helped make the day a success.



## ***The Sears DX Canadian High School Design Competition 2015-2016***

Congratulations once again to one of our grade 12 students, **Yuk Ki Wong**, who recently received **2nd place** in the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Sears DX High School Design Competition! This is the third year in a row that one of our students has placed or been recognized in this national competition.

Prizes are awarded in 5 categories and include Architecture, Costume, Fashion, Graphic, and Industrial Design. This competition is an initiative of the Design Exchange (DX), Canada's only museum dedicated to the "pursuit of design excellence and the preservation of design heritage." Located in the historic Toronto Stock Exchange building in downtown Toronto, thousands of visitors are attracted to this museum every year.

Yuk Ki's submission was part of the Industrial-Senior category. Using the Adobe Illustrator computer software program, he designed student desktop accessories. His designs, along with all other winning and honourable mention entries, were recently part of a public exhibition at the Design Exchange. You can see Yuk Ki's design at [dx.org](http://dx.org) (click on the Education link) in the near future. We extend our congratulations to Yuk Ki for his success in this contest!

Mrs. Choi

## ***Niagara Falls Trip—Grade 6***

On June 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, grade six students enjoyed a fantastic overnight trip to Niagara Falls. The schedule was full of exciting events, including getting up close to the Falls on "The Hornblower" boat, overseeing the Falls from the Sky-lon Tower, and a trip to the IMAX Theatre. Students also enjoyed a variety of attractions including Ripley's Moving Theatre, Madame Tussaud's Waxworks, and The Hershey Store. After a lovely Italian dinner out, students were off to bed to prepare for the second day spent at Marineland. Everyone had a great time exploring the park, with some students even braving the famous "SkyScreamer" ride. A special thank you goes to Mr. Brinkman and Julia Cooke for accompanying us on the trip.



Mrs. Marischuk & Miss Brown

# SaLT

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## Definition

Service and Leadership Team (SaLT)

## Purpose

To grow in our personal relationship with God and in Christian character, which manifests itself in our love for others in the school, local community, and the world.



## We are looking for team members who have FAITH\*: (\*Acronym borrowed from Power to Change)

<b>F</b>	<b>Full of Faith</b>	Seek to grow in your spiritual journey and relationship with God
<b>A</b>	<b>Available &amp; Committed</b>	Be present and commit time for all SaLT meetings and events
<b>I</b>	<b>Initiative</b>	Identify needs around you and take initiative to fill them
<b>T</b>	<b>Teachable</b>	Be willing to lead and be led, to be disciplined, and be reflective
<b>H</b>	<b>Heart for God's glory</b>	Behave in a manner that brings God glory in your character and studies

SaLT has a new direction for next year! We will be recruiting new team members for the 2016-2017 school year – look out for the SaLT info session in early September! All selected team members will need to attend a training session and retreat on **Saturday, October 1, from 9:30am—2:30pm.**

## ESL Credit Courses

Tuesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> to Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016

8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily

This summer, NTCS will offer English as a Second Language credit courses during the month of August 2016 (grades 9-12). These English courses are designed for students whose first language is not English and will include 110 hours of classroom instruction. The courses will satisfy the Ontario Ministry of Education credit requirements and can be used to count toward the 30 credits students need to complete in order to receive their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). The class will run from Tuesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> to Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, from 8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily. The cost is \$1050.00. Registration forms are available in the school office.



## **ATTENTION!**

### ***JK to Grade 3 students and parents!***

You still have access to your RazKids account over the summer months. Get a headstart on the next grade and keep reading!! If you haven't read for awhile, be sure to check your account to see if your teacher has adjusted your level!

## Sports Day (June Spirit Day)

Grade six students had the opportunity to model their leadership in the school when they hosted the final Spirit Day of the year on June 16. Sports Day was a huge success, as the students led all of the elementary classes through a variety of fun activities including ball toss, soccer challenge, and obstacle course. With the help of lots of water and sunscreen, the whole elementary school enjoyed a very fun athletic day together.

Mrs. Marischuk

## Grades 3-6 ACSI Track and Field

The team had a very good day at the ACSI Track and Field Meet on Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, at Centennial Park in Etobicoke. We finished 4<sup>th</sup> out of 16 schools. All competitors are to be congratulated for doing their very best. Thank you to Mme Moore for her coaching.

### Top Performers-Gr. 3/4 Girls

Eunice Deng	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1500m
Hyunsoo Jung	4 <sup>th</sup>	Long Jump

### Top Performers-Gr. 3/4 Boys

Peter Wang	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Long Jump
Caleb Hibbert	1 <sup>st</sup>	200m

### Top Performers-Gr. 5/6 Girls

Denise Chan	4 <sup>th</sup>	Broad Jump
Chloe Hung	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ball Throw
Joy Lee	1 <sup>st</sup>	Triple Jump
	5 <sup>th</sup>	100m
Frieda Yau	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Broad Jump
Cynthia Lem	1 <sup>st</sup>	400m
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1500m
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Long Jump
Cassandra Masih	1 <sup>st</sup>	200m
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	800m
Lois Verdonk	3 <sup>rd</sup>	800m

### Top Performers-Gr. 5/6 Boys

Curtis Li	5 <sup>th</sup>	High Jump
Damian Salama	1 <sup>st</sup>	800m
Noah Schenk	4 <sup>th</sup>	Broad Jump
Andrew Watson	1 <sup>st</sup>	1500m
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Ball Throw
Noah Schenk, Austin Burke	5 <sup>th</sup>	400m
Kyle Maliakkal, Andrew Watson	5 <sup>th</sup>	relay



## Junior Ultimate Frisbee

The junior ultimate frisbee team played hard at the ACSI tournament on June 6<sup>th</sup>. Placing fourth overall, the team worked together throughout all six games of the tournament. Congratulations to **Athena Yiu, Denise Chan, Joy-Marie Salama, Chloe Hung, Jessica Cheng, Joy Lee, Jaden Hinds, Joseph Gibson, Damian Salama, Noah Schenk, Andrew Watson, and Nicholas Francisco.** You played well, encouraged one another, and glorified the Lord.

Mrs. Marischuk

## Grades 7 and 8 ACSI TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The NTCS Flames team of 40 athletes travelled, on Tuesday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, to the Etobicoke Centennial Stadium and achieved the following results:

### Grade 7 Girls

Kayleigh Fiennes-Clinton	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Shot Put	
Danielle Newman	5 <sup>th</sup>	80m Hurdles	
Emily Shenouda	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1500m	
Olivia Sit	2 <sup>nd</sup>	80m Hurdles	
Vanessa Woo	6 <sup>th</sup>	Ball Throw	Won <b>Encourager Award</b> for NTCS

The relay team of starter, Vanessa Woo, Erika Schoenebeck, Emily Shenouda, and anchor, Olivia Sit placed **6<sup>th</sup>**.

### Grade 7 Boys

Jeremiah Cheung	6 <sup>th</sup>	Discus
Joshua Yoon	4 <sup>th</sup>	High Jump

### Grade 8 Girls

Amanda Cheng	4 <sup>th</sup>	High Jump	
Joelle Fleurissaint	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Long Jump	
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Triple Jump	
Krista Hinds	1 <sup>st</sup>	Long Jump	
	4 <sup>th</sup>	Shot Put	
Carol Iskander	4 <sup>th</sup>	400m	
	5 <sup>th</sup>	800m	
Jordan Maliakkal	5 <sup>th</sup>	Ball Throw	
Gabriela Tam	1 <sup>st</sup>	200m	
	5 <sup>th</sup>	100m	
Angela Wang	2 <sup>nd</sup>	800m	<b>Most Improved Player</b> for NTCS
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1500m	
	4 <sup>th</sup>	400m	
Mary Wang	5 <sup>th</sup>	80m Hurdles	
	5 <sup>th</sup>	200m	

The relay team of starter, Amanda Cheng, Krista Hinds, Jordan Maliakkal, and anchor, Gabriela Tam finished **4<sup>th</sup>**.

### Grade 8 Boys

Patrick Co	6 <sup>th</sup>	400m	
Nathaniel Francisco	4 <sup>th</sup>	Triple Jump	
Jonathan Fung	1 <sup>st</sup>	Shot Put	
Eric Kim	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Discus	
	6 <sup>th</sup>	Ball Throw	
David Ku	1 <sup>st</sup>	Discus	<b>Most Valuable Player</b> for NTCS
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	200m	David scored 24 personal points and thus came
	3 <sup>rd</sup>	100m	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> overall in the Grade 8 Boys Division</b> at the track meet.
	5 <sup>th</sup>	800m	
Theo Van Halteren	5 <sup>th</sup>	Triple Jump	
Sasha Ukhin	4 <sup>th</sup>	80m Hurdles	
William Zhang	4 <sup>th</sup>	Shot Put	

The relay team of starter, Jonathan Fung, Sasha Ukhin, Theo Van Halteren, and anchor, David Ku blazed to **1<sup>st</sup> place**.

NTCS scored **173 points** placing **2<sup>nd</sup>** in the **A Division of the ACSI Championships**. Congratulations!

Mrs. Cottrill

## Awards 2015-2016

Congratulations to students for a successful school year! The following are the recipients of various awards which were presented either at the awards assembly or the graduation ceremonies in June. The students are to be commended for their diligence and work ethic in achieving a high standard of excellence.

### Grade 7

<b>Bible</b>	Hannah Deng	
<b>Computers</b>	Jeremiah Cheung	
<b>English</b>	Dorcas Ng	
<b>French</b>	Hannah Deng	
<b>Geography</b>	Hannah Deng	
<b>History</b>	Dorcas Ng	
<b>Math</b>	Gelila Samuel	
<b>Music</b>	Wenney Szeto	
<b>Physical Ed.</b>	Danielle Newman	Jason Anness
<b>Science</b>	Hannah Deng	
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Lily Jayakaran	
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Danielle Newman	Jason Anness

### Grade 9

<b>Business</b>	Peter Sellars	
<b>Drama</b>	Anthony Kamal	
<b>English</b>	Peter Sellars	
<b>ESL</b>	Lena Verdonk	
<b>French</b>	Zachary Schenk	
<b>Geography</b>	Peter Sellars	
<b>Learning Strategies</b>	Jacob Park	
<b>Math</b>	Charlotte Teng	
<b>Music</b>	Justin Cusato	
<b>Physical Ed.</b>	Ayumi Rankine-Rivers	Sean Wu
<b>Science</b>	Peter Sellars	
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Maria Chigireva	
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Carter Verstraete	Sean Wu

### Grade 8

<b>Bible</b>	Mary Wang	Natalie Chan
<b>Computers</b>	Gabriela Tam	Natalie Chan
<b>ELS</b>	Yilia Li	
<b>English</b>	Joshua Ye	Natalie Chan
<b>French</b>	Natalie Yik	Winnie Huang
<b>Geography</b>	Benjamin Lee	Angela Wang
<b>History</b>	Mary Wang	Grace Zhou
<b>Math</b>	Mary Wang	Eric Zhao
<b>Music</b>	Amanda Cheng	Natalie Chan
<b>Physical Ed.</b>	Jacob Lem	Amanda Cheng
<b>Science</b>	Joshua Ye	Natalie Chan
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Edith Chua	Natalie Chan
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Jordan Maliakkal	Sairam Anand

### Grade 10

<b>Business</b>	Katie Lee	
<b>Career Studies</b>	Celine Fernandes	
<b>Christian Studies</b>	Celine Fernandes	
<b>Civics</b>	Kyle Seath	
<b>Computer Science</b>	Kibae Kim	
<b>Drama</b>	Emily Watson	
<b>English</b>	Katie Lee	
<b>ESL</b>	Abby Shang	
<b>French</b>	Emily Watson	
<b>History</b>	Emily Watson	
<b>Math</b>	Inha Kim	
<b>Physical Ed.</b>	Catrina Sarwan	Inha Kim
<b>Science</b>	Aaron Li	
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Sia Shin	
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Becky Wang	Aaron Li

**Grade 11**

<b>Accounting</b>	Grant Dempsey
<b>Anthro/Soc/Psych</b>	Louise Cooke
<b>Biology</b>	Beverly Teng
<b>Chemistry</b>	Asad Hasan
<b>Computer Science</b>	Louise Cooke
<b>Drama</b>	Dilin Simon
<b>English</b>	Beverly Teng
<b>ESL</b>	Jessie Lu
<b>French</b>	Panuya Athithan
<b>History</b>	Alex Massin
<b>Journalism</b>	Louise Cooke     John Mekael
<b>Law</b>	Louise Cooke
<b>Math</b>	Louise Cooke
<b>Music</b>	Samantha Pong
<b>Physical Ed.</b>	Victoria Kumar     Abraam Zakhary
<b>Physics</b>	Asad Hasan
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Jessie Lu
<b>World Religions</b>	Abraam Zakhary
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Chanel Verstraete Abison Mahendrarajah

**Grade 12**

<b>Advanced Functions</b>	Sheeha Kim
<b>Calculus and Vectors</b>	Sheeha Kim
<b>Challenge and Change</b>	Veronica Attia
<b>Chemistry</b>	Lauren Cusato
<b>Computer Science</b>	Nate Chiang
<b>Data Management</b>	Lucy Zhao
<b>Drama</b>	Angelique Bryniawsky
<b>English</b>	Samantha Yik
<b>History</b>	Rachel Abraham
<b>International Business</b>	Lauren Cusato
<b>Law</b>	Faith Jayakaran
<b>Music</b>	Kevin Won
<b>Philosophy</b>	Faith Jayakaran
<b>Physics</b>	Sheeha Kim
<b>Studies in Literature</b>	Jeremiah Joo
<b>Visual Arts</b>	Yuk Ki Wong
<b>Writer's Craft</b>	Alex Sherret
<b>Athlete of the Year</b>	Faith Jayakaran Jun Ishitani

**Athletic Scholar****Academic Proficiency****Nehemiah****Spirit of the Apostle**

Gr. 7	Hannah Deng Jeremiah Cheung	Hannah Deng Dorcas Ng	Emily Shenouda	Danielle Newman
Gr. 8	Mary Wang Joshua Ye	Mary Wang Joshua Ye	Nathaniel Francisco	Jordan Maliakkal Joshua Ye
Gr. 9	Emma Hsu Zachary Schenk	Zachary Schenk Peter Sellars	Ayumi Rankine-Rivers Anjanan Kayaparan	Carter Verstraete Zachary Schenk
Gr. 10	Celine Fernandes Inha Kim	Celine Fernandes Katie Lee Emily Watson	Kibae Kim Michael Lam	Emily Watson
Gr. 11	Barbara Attia Grant Dempsey	Louise Cooke Grant Dempsey	Kelly Jeung	Louise Cooke Dilin Simon
Gr. 12	Natalie Marcuzzi Sheeha Kim	Lauren Cusato Jeremiah Joo Samantha Yik	Natalie Marcuzzi Nate Chiang	Faith Jayakaran



## *Principal's Honour Roll - 2015-2016*

The following students in grades 4 – 8 have achieved an overall average of 85+%. \*with distinction (90+%)

### **Grade 4**

Leah Abraham	Hyunsoo Jung
Daniella Attalla	Lydia Lu
Joyce Chang	Joshua Ma
Eunice Deng	Alexander Masih
Felicia Deng	Alyssa Persaud
Jesse Garas*	Ethan Selvaratnam
Franchesca Go*	Maria Shashati
Kelly Hsu	Atisa Wang*
Sandra Huang*	Peter Wang*

### **Grade 5**

Zuri Chow	Grace-Marie Salama
Zachary Dean	Joy-Marie Salama*
Jaden Hinds*	Athena Yiu
Natalie Pak	

### **Grade 6**

Samuel Chen*	Jane Rahman
Jessica Cheng	Damian Salama*
Zoe Dean	Noah Schenk
Nicholas Francisco	Sam Tang
Alisha Hasan*	Lois Verdonk
Alyssa Lee*	Aegir Wang
Joy Lee	Andrew Watson
Cynthia Lem*	YouYou Wu
Cassandra Masih	Frieda Yau

### **Grade 7**

Jeremiah Cheung*	Dorcas Ng*
Elise Christopoulos	Gelila Samuel
Hannah Deng*	Olivia Sit
Lily Jayakaran	Jing Lei Su
Yejin Kong	Wenney Szeto
Danielle Newman	Maddisyn Wegner

### **Grade 8**

Natalie Chan*	Benjamin Lee
Amanda Cheng*	Jordan Maliakkal
Edith Chua*	Gabriela Tam
Nathaniel Francisco	Angela Wang*
Krista Hinds	Mary Wang*
Winnie Huang*	Joshua Ye*
Carol Iskander	Natalie Yik
David Ku*	Grace Zhou*

## *Principal's Honour Roll - 2015-2016*

Grades 9-12 - an overall average of 80+% (**a minimum of 6 courses completed at NTCS**)

\*Honours with Distinction (90+%)

### **Grade 9A**

Shekinah Chan  
Maria Chigireva  
Justin Cusato\*  
Naena Drazman  
Sandy Guirguis  
Emma Hsu\*  
Kristen Koo\*  
Ayumi Rankine-Rivers  
Zachary Schenk\*  
Carter Verstraete  
Sean Wu  
Grace Xia

### **Grade 10A**

Ethan Cheng\*  
Celine Fernandes\*  
Krystal Gajadar  
Kibae Kim  
Wilson Kwan  
Cathy Lee  
Sia Shin  
Joshua Sit\*  
Colin Soo\*  
Jack Yassa\*  
Vickie Yuan

### **Grade 11A**

Tony Attalla  
Barbara Attia  
Louise Cooke\*  
Kelly Jeung  
Alexander Massin  
John Mekael  
Michelle Park  
Samantha Pong\*  
Dilin Simon  
Beverly Teng\*

### **Grade 12A**

Theodore Chan  
Nate Chiang  
Vivian Gu  
Jens Huebner  
Sheeha Kim  
Daphne Li  
Sunny Lim  
Stephanie Shen  
Alex Shi  
Samantha Yik\*  
Lucy Zhao\*

### **Grade 9B**

Ethan Appadurai\*  
Daniel Chan  
Steven Chan  
Gabriel Chen  
Heidi Chung  
Laura Hua  
Kaitlyn Hung  
Tvin Katrjian  
Da Yeong Kim  
Jacob Park  
Peter Sellars\*  
Charlotte Teng\*  
Lena Verdonk

### **Grade 10B**

Inha Kim\*  
Katie Lee\*  
Aaron Li\*  
Jordyn Seath  
Abby Shang  
Emily Watson\*

### **Grade 11B**

Panuya Athithan  
Grant Dempsey\*  
Trevor Fung  
Asad Hasan  
Sarah Kim  
Victoria Kumar  
Julianna Louca  
Jessie Lu  
Elaine Su  
Abraam Zakhary

### **Grade 12B**

Rachel Abraham  
Lauren Cusato\*  
Lydia Jayakaran  
Jeremiah Joo\*  
Natalie Marcuzzi  
Alexander Sherret  
Gabriella Wong  
Yuk Ki Wong

## *Ontario Scholars—Grade 12*

An Ontario Scholar is a student who obtains an aggregate of at least 480 marks in any combination of six Ontario Ministry of Education approved Grade 12 university preparation, university/college preparation, and/or college preparation courses authorized under the *Ontario Secondary School, Grade 9 to 12: Program and Diploma Requirements, 1999 (OSS)*.

Rachel Abraham  
Veronica Attia  
Theodore Chan  
Nate Chiang  
Lauren Cusato  
Vivian Gu  
Danri He  
Jens Huebner  
Faith Jayakaran  
Jeremiah Joo  
Daniel Kamal

Sheeha Kim  
Daphne Li  
Vivian Li  
Sunny Lim  
Natalie Marcuzzi  
Bryan Mo  
Stephanie Shen  
Alexander Sherret  
Alex Shi  
Yuk Ki Wong  
Samantha Yik



## *Grade 12 Graduates 2015-2016—Destinations*

Rachel	Abraham	Carleton University	Aerospace Engineering
Veronica	Attia	York University	Kinesiology & Health Science
Angelique	Bryniawsky	Undecided	Undecided
Theodore	Chan	McMaster University	Biotechnology
Gray	Chen	Ryerson University	Retail Management
Nate	Chiang	British Columbia Institute of Technology	Computer Systems Technology
Lauren	Cusato	Liberty University (USA)	Business Administration
Vivian	Gu	University of Toronto	Forensic Science
Danri	He	Ryerson University	Computer Science
Johann	Huang	Ryerson University	Film Studies
Jens	Huebner	York University	Fine Arts/Visual Arts
Jun	Ishitani	York University	Linguistics and Language Studies
Faith	Jayakaran	Queen's University	Political Science
John	Jeong	Ryerson University	Business Management
Jeremiah	Joo	University of Ottawa	Health Science
Daniel	Kamal	University of Ontario Institute of Technology	Automotive Engineering
Sheeha	Kim	University of Toronto	Computer Science
Daphne	Li	University of Toronto	Life Science
Vivian	Li	Ontario College of Art and Design University	Illustration
Sunny	Lim	University of Toronto	Life Science
Pia	Luong	Durham College	Trades Fundamentals
Natalie	Marcuzzi	Robert Morris University (USA)	Business/Finance
Tiantian	Miao	School of Visual Arts NYC (USA)	Graphic Design
Bryan	Mo	D'Youville College (USA)	Physical Therapy
Stephanie	Shen	University of British Columbia	Food, Nutrition, and Health
Alexander	Sherret	Liberty University (USA)	Sports Management
Alex	Shi	Ryerson University	Computer Science
Kevin	Won	Entering Korean University	Marketing Management
Gabriella	Wong	University of Toronto	Psychology
Samantha	Yik	University of Toronto	Management
Lucy	Zhao	University of Waterloo	Computer Engineering

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*It is the purpose of  
NTCS to provide a  
sound academic  
education inte-  
grated with a  
Christian view of  
God and the world.*

*For this God is our God  
for ever and ever, he  
will be our guide even to  
the end.*

*Psalm 48:14*

***From the Guidance Office***

The office has been processing a number of requests for summer school. Please note the NTCS policy regarding students taking courses outside NTCS at other Ministry of Education inspected high schools, either in the evening, the summer, or by correspondence. This is not something we typically encourage, especially for core courses. However, if students do take such courses there are some factors that need to be considered.

Firstly, in order to be registered as a student at NTCS, you need to be in a minimum of five courses for Gr. 12, six courses for Gr. 11 and eight courses for Grades 9 and 10. We do not accept students on a part time basis. Failure to comply with this minimum academic load will potentially mean that you will not be able to attend NTCS.

It is imperative that you confirm that courses taken outside our school are being offered by organizations that are eligible to grant credits by the Ontario Ministry of Education. If these schools do not have a Ministry of Education identification number, NTCS is not able to add the course to your official student transcript and the course will not count toward your total number of credits required for your Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).

***2016-2017 School Calendar***

The following is a list of the key dates for the 2016/2017 school year. Please note the dates for the end of the school year as well. The final day of exams and classes for all students will be Friday, June 23, 2017. Grade 8 graduation will be the evening of Friday, June 23, 2017 and the Grade 12 graduation will be the evening of Tuesday, June 27, 2017.

Monday, September 5	Labour Day—No school
Tuesday, September 6	First day of school
Thursday, September 8	Get-Acquainted Night—7 pm
Monday, October 10	Thanksgiving Day—No school
Wed/Thurs, November 23/24	Parent Teacher Interviews
Friday, November 25	PD day—No school
Mon., Dec. 26 - Fri., Jan. 6	Christmas Break—No school
Friday, February 17	PD day—No school
Monday, February 20	Family Day—No school
Fri., Mar. 10 – Mon., Mar. 20 (inclusive)	March Break—No school
Friday, April 14	Good Friday—No school
Monday, April 17	Easter Monday—No school
Friday, April 28	PD day—No school
Monday, May 22	Victoria Day—No school
Mon., June 12 - Fri., June 23	Grade 7 to 12 Exams



Have a wonderful summer!  
See you in September!

