

Not happy with your grades? Want to do better second semester?  
Want to be better prepared for your college or university classes?

## Study Smarter, Not Harder

A free study-skills workshop for students and their parents facilitated by BCI student success and special education teachers.



Wednesday February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2010  
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.  
In the BCI Library

### This session will provide:

- Practical note-taking and study strategies for students to help reduce stress and increase success at school.
- Tips and tools that parents can use to help support their teenage learner.
- Help to get your locker, your study area and yourself organized.

### Space for this evening session is limited and registration is required.

To register for this session, please call Tina Rowe at 519-885-4620 ext. 1128 or email at Tina\_Rowe@wrdsb.on.ca.

## Additional Workshops

These focused workshops will be offered for interested students. Visit the guidance office for dates, times and locations and to sign-up for these sessions:

### Discovering Your Learning Style (Ms. Foy)

Learn how you learn best and then apply your new knowledge to develop study habits that work for you.

### How to Ace the Test (Mrs. Tuma)

Cramming doesn't work, but using memory strategies does! Strategies for answering test questions will also be discussed.

### Simple Steps to Being Organized (Ms. Jung)

Learn how to keep your work space, locker and notebooks organized to help you get it all done.

### Memorization Tips (Ms. Jung)

Learn how to memorize definitions and vocabulary using simple strategies.

### Separating Fact from Opinion (Mr. Ballantyne)

Learn how to use effective note-taking during the research process to avoid plagiarism.

### Never Be Late for that Due Date!

(Mrs. Rota and Mrs. Lavell)

Learn strategies that will help you to complete and submit assignments on time.

### Taking Good Notes (Ms. Guest)

Heading off to college or university? Learn how to effectively take notes in lecture-based classes.

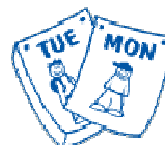
### Eat Your Words!

(Mrs. Schmuck and Mrs. Bistolas)

Learn how to effectively edit a piece of writing.



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