

Dear Parents/Guardians

We are pleased to invite your son/daughter to participate in the Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board **Reach Ahead Integrated Arts Credit** summer program provided through St. Charles Adult and Continuing Education.

This program offers students a unique opportunity to integrate art and drama as they create and present their drama and artwork. In addition, if successful upon completion, students will earn their first secondary school credit.

**This is the ONLY credit that current Grade 8 students entering High School in September 2017 are allowed to take.**

Integrated Arts (ALC 101) will provide students with opportunities to explore dramatic forms and techniques. Students will become familiar with the elements and principles of design and the expressive qualities of various materials by using a range of media. The students will use these skills to create, perform, discuss and analyze drama and art.

#### **PROGRAM DETAILS**

**Course Code:** Integrated Arts – ALC101

**Locations:** **Bishop Ryan Catholic Secondary School** - 1824 Rymal Road East, Hannon ON L0R 1P0  
**Cathedral High School** - 30 Wentworth Street North, Hamilton ON L8L8H5  
**St. Thomas More Catholic Secondary School** - 1045 Upper Paradise Road, Hamilton ON L9B 2N4

**Dates:** Wednesday, July 5, 2017 to Friday, July 28, 2017 (inclusive)

**Hours:** 8:15 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.

**Attendance:** **Please Note: students that miss 3 or more classes will not be eligible to receive a Secondary School credit and may be removed from the program**

**Cost:** There is no fee for this opportunity; however **parents/guardians are asked to make a firm commitment for the participation of their son/daughter as there are limited spaces available for participation**

**Other:** Students are required to bring a lunch and snack each day  
Students are not required to wear a uniform

School personnel have recommended participation of your son/daughter in this very exciting initiative. Should you wish your child to participate in the Connect the Arts (ALC 101) program this summer you are asked to please complete the attached registration information and return to your son/daughter's school by **Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>** in order to confirm placement in this program.

Thank you for your support in ensuring your child meets all of the necessary program requirements. There will be information shared with you before the summer from the program teachers. Should you have any questions in the interim please contact Christine Waite at 905.577.0555 extension 3200 or at [waitec@hwcdsb.ca](mailto:waitec@hwcdsb.ca)

Please be aware that this is a special program with limited space available for participation. By signing the attached registration form you are committing to your son/daughter's daily attendance in this program.

St. Charles Adult and Continuing Education

