



Oak Bay High School
Next Week @ Oak Bay High
May 10 – 14, 2021

May 7, 2021

Vancouver Island SOGI Summit 2021 - May 17 & 18

The Island SOGI Summit is just over two weeks away. The event will take place on the afternoon of Monday May 17th and the morning of Tuesday May 18th.

This event coincides with the [International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia and Biphobia](#) (May 17) and SD61 Rainbow Week (May 17-20).

The virtual program is FREE for all **students and staff** from Vancouver Island school districts and will be an opportunity to hear from local voices and 2SLGBTQ+ community leaders. Looking for more information about what the event will include? [Check out the full agenda here.](#)

[Register here for the Summit](#) to gain access to the learning, connections, and celebrations of SOGI-inclusive education. Teachers can attend individually or with their classes. You may also attend as many or as few sessions as you'd like.

While this event is open to all, we are not able to provide TTOC coverage or release time.

Soft close for registration is May 10th but responses will still be accepted until the end of that week.

To celebrate Rainbow Week, a new batch of rainbow stickers and temporary tattoos will be sent to all schools within the next two weeks.

Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions,

Jon Hamlin

District SOGI Lead

Saanich Police Career Pathways Information Evening - presented by SD61's Pathways & Partnerships Team

The Greater Victoria School District 61's Pathways and Partnerships Team, would like to invite parents, guardians, and students to an information evening hosted by Saanich Police focused on helping lower island students understand the pathway and process towards a career in policing.

Are you:

- a student or parent/guardian interested in learning more about Saanich Police's process for new recruits?
- interested in beginning to build your personal skills and experiences to help guide you towards the policing pathway
- curious to hear from Saanich Police's Recruiting Sergeant, School Liaison Officer and a New Recruit?
- looking for more information and answers to questions about a career pathway with Saanich Police?
- wondering how your high school can help you with your next steps?

Please join us for a ZOOM Information Evening! Date: **Tuesday, May 18th 6:00-7:00pm** Please fill out the form in the link below to **REGISTER**. apzr.co/H3x You will receive communication and the Zoom link prior to the information evening.

UPCOMING DATES

May 17

PAC AGM meeting
@7pm

May 20

End of Term 1

May 21

Pro-D

May 24

Victoria Day

May 25

Term 2 starts

French Immersion Survey: The Ministry is seeking to better understand the various factors which have led to an increase in demand for French Immersion programs across the province. This [survey](#) has been made available to our

French Immersion families. Please consider providing the Ministry of Ed. with your feedback.