



CAREER CONNECTIONS



Skills Canada Regional Competitions winners at UFV Trades and Technology center on March 3rd, 2022.

- Welding** – Connor Crevier – Sardis – Gold
- Mechanical Drafting** - Jairdan Wealick – Sardis – Gold
- Mechanical Drafting** - Van Giang – Sardis – Silver

* Gold Medal Winners move on to Skills Canada Provincial competitions.

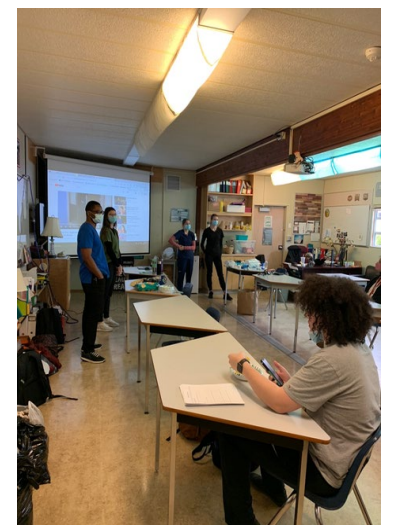
Youth Firefighter Program

- New partnership between SD#33 and Chilliwack Firehall #1 and the City of Chilliwack
- 15 Work Experience students (gr. 10-12) spent a week over Spring Break, learning and working directly with local Firefighters
- Students learned about the central themes of Teamwork, Leadership and Community Service
- Hands-on training combined with classroom theory
- Students gained experience and knowledge about a career in structural firefighting



Kwíyegqel Secondary School: Career Expo

March 15th – Saw students at KSS participating in a career expo, where they could connect and learn from a variety of different employers to learn about career options for the future.

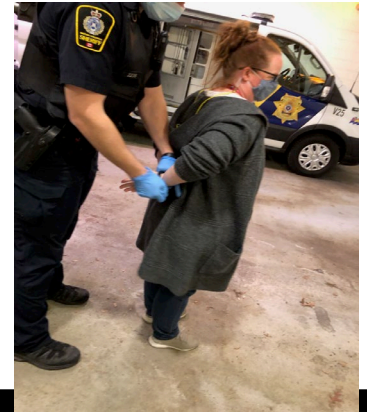


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Courthouse Tours:

Each Secondary school was able to participate in interactive tours directed by the local Sherriff's department. Students were able to tour the courthouse, security control center, holding cells and the sheriff's van. Students were encouraged to actively participate in the experience, while the Sherriff talked about what they do and different kinds of roles they play. Students and Staff were even handcuffed as part of the experience.



Regional Career Programs:

The school district in partnership with the University of the Fraser Valley has a unique program that allows students to complete their foundation year of Trades technical Training during a students Grade 12 year. Applications for the program were submitted before spring break. Successful students received acceptance letters upon returning from the break. These students will finish their Graduation credits in an advanced manner and will be off to University in the Fall. Congratulations to ALL of our successful candidates.



Career Programs

Career programs incorporate A.D.S.T. K-12, Career Education K-12, Work Experience, and The ITA Youth Work and Train in Trades Programs in the Chilliwack School District.

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<https://curriculum.sd33.bc.ca/about-career-programs>