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Alternative Programs

Counting on You
improving literacy and numeracy skills beyond the classroom grades 7-10

REGISTRATION LETTER FOR LPSS ACADEMIC WORKSHOPS
To: Grade 9 & 10 parents:

Lorne Park Secondary School has implemented an innovative program for our Grade 9 & 10 students designed to improve student learning and to provide students with the necessary skills that will ensure future academic successes. This program will run outside of regular school hours from 2:35-4:05 p.m. The program will run on **Tuesdays and Thursdays** for French literacy and on **Tuesdays and Thursdays** for Math numeracy support. The program for semester 1 will start on Tuesday October 16th and continue until January 17th 2019.

Students who would like support to meet their academic potential are recommended for this program. In this program students will receive small group, intensive support through tasks that will target and develop their skills. Students will also learn key strategies to improve their critical thinking skills – skills that can be used in all subject areas.

The expectations of the Provincial curriculum are demanding and can be overwhelming for students. For this reason, some students can benefit from a small, alternative learning environment; a setting that can provide them with an extra boost in obtaining essential literacy and/or numeracy skills. It is an expectation that students who enroll in this program attend ***Counting On You*** classes.

Through active participation and commitment to the program, we at Lorne Park Secondary School feel that this opportunity will make a difference in students' academic career and attitude toward learning. If you wish to enroll your son/daughter in the program, please return the bottom portion of this letter to Mme McGregor (room 203) or to the main office at the school.

Sincerely,
Mme McGregor
K. McGregor
Counting On You Lead Teacher

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(Please return to Main office or to Mme McGregor as soon as possible)

_____(Name of Student) **is committed to attending the *Counting On You* program. Please indicate your program of interest.**

_____ **Mathematics** _____ **French literacy**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Student Signature: _____ **Student Number:** _____

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