



# Assiniboia Composite High School NEWSLETTER

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*“Learning Together”*

*Friday, December 18, 2020*

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

- January 4, 2021 – First Day back to school



## **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

It was just a few short days ago that we were starting the 2020-21 school year and now I look at the calendar to find we are but 8 days from Christmas 2020!!! Despite everything that our Students and Staff have endured over the first 2 Blocks, we have much to celebrate and acknowledge for both Students and Staff .

In the classroom, students performed well in Block 1 and achieved their coveted 80% school average. Each student had a huge part to play as we need all students to “be the best they can be” for this feat to happen. Students are busily finishing projects, assignments, and novels in preparation for the holiday break and the end of Block 2. The staff continues to see an improvement in student engagement with our Christmas activities as well as fundraising for their fellow student, Ryder D. Great Job ACHS students and staff for making the ACHS community a strong and vibrant group of learners. Thank you also to the many people from our ACHS Community who sent in donations. Once again Rocket Pride shows once again to unify all of Rocket Nation behind a great cause.

I would also like to acknowledge our Teacher Leadership group for planning many wonderful events for students enjoy during our Christmas Week activities (yes, we broke out the Christmas socks, sweaters and for me Ties!!!) It was a fun week and I hope all take this time to enjoy the season and all that it offers.

Lastly, ACHS must also say goodbye to our Intern Teacher, Ms. Pilkey. ACHS students and staff would like to thank her for her work in PE and Wellness courses. We wish her all the best in her future pursuits and hope all goes well when she returns to her last semester of University.

Have a great Holiday Season. Block 3 Starts January 4 @ 9 AM. See you then!!

Brent Chadwick  
Principal

Have a wonderful  
winter!  
John Hodes

Merry Christmas and  
Happy New Years  
Andrew Hines

Merry Christmas  
Happy New Years!  
Matt Lofthian

Have a great  
2021  
Jana Petrus

Have a wonderful  
holiday! Enjoy!  
KinSlaw

Merry Christmas  
Brent Chinnice  
Merry Christmas!  
Patricia Bunn

Merry Christmas  
A Blessed 2021  
- Rachel

Merry Christmas  
and Happy New  
Year! - Steph  
McDonald

Merry Christmas  
Happy New Year!  
Maxwell

Hope you have a  
very relaxing holiday  
break with your  
family! - Lauren  
OByrne



Merry Christmas!  
- Caitlyn Pflueg

Merry Christmas!  
Melissa  
Belton

Have a great holiday and  
a better year in 2021!  
Alan Linsdler

# SASKATCHEWAN YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP:

**GRADE 11 AND 12 STUDENTS WHO ARE CONSIDERING GOING INTO THE TRADES SHOULD COMPLETE THIS SHORT COURSE AS THEY WILL GET HOURS FOR APPRENTICESHIP AND FINANCIAL SAVINGS!!**

## **WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO:**

- REGISTER
- COMPLETE LEVEL 1, 2 AND 3 (4 ASSIGNMENTS/ CHALLENGES PER LEVEL)
- APPROXIMATELY 8-10 HOURS OF WORK
- YOU WILL HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED SOME OF THE ASSIGNMENTS.

## **WHEN COMPLETED YOU WILL GET:**

- 300 HOURS TOWARDS APPRENTICESHIP.
- GREAT CHANCE TO WIN A SCHOLARSHIP- ONE WINNER FOR ACHS.
- FREE APPRENTICESHIP REGISTRATION
- FREE LEVEL 1 TECHNICAL TUITION

### **LEVEL 1:**

**Challenge One:** Successful completion of a Practical and Applied Arts credit.

**Challenge Two:** Research and report on one of the designated trades in Saskatchewan; include the training requirements of the trade selected.

**Challenge Three:** Completion of the Young Worker Readiness Certificate Course.

**Challenge Four:** Initiate a discussion about apprenticeship and trades careers with an adult in your community.

### **LEVEL 2:**

**Challenge One:** Successful completion of a second credit in Practical and Applied Arts.

**Challenge Two:** Complete an interview with a journeyperson.

**Challenge Three:** Four Basic Steps to Obtain Journeyperson Certification assignment

**Challenge Four:** Explore a web-based resource connected to apprenticeship assignment

### **LEVEL 3:**

**Challenge One:** Completion of apprenticeship terminology assignment.

**Challenge Two:** Complete at least one of the following intensive work-related experiences. Spend at least one full day job shadowing a tradesperson. Participate in a trade-related work placement such as Career and Work Exploration. This may also be a part-time job.

**Challenge Three:** Create a portfolio including apprenticeship related learning. This portfolio allows you to use some of the material from previous challenges.

**Challenge Four:** Attend a career fair to collect information to compare apprenticeship training with another post-secondary opportunity.