

From the YTA Office,
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ATTENTION MUSIC TEACHERS: There is still time to register for the Canadian Music Class Challenge as the deadline for submissions is November 23. Each year music teachers must pick one pre-approved Canadian songs and have their class learn a cover version. The goal is to draw attention to the exceptional work of music teachers in this country, to reinforce the importance of music in a well-rounded education, and to have kids learn Canadian music in the classroom. For more details visit <https://www.cbcmusic.ca/musicclass>.

VETERAN'S WEEK AND REMEMBRANCE DAY: If you're looking for ideas for your classroom, Veteran Affairs has a website filled with resources designed for every grade. Veteran's week runs from November 5 – 11. Check out their page at www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/get-involved/remembrance-day/learning-resources.

THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER has launched their reference library with over 185 books on various topics including Yukon and Canadian First Nations, Yukon and Alaska, Children's Books, Canada Awards and Merits, The Crown and more. They have also updated the James Smith exhibition and their exhibition on the Discovery of Gold on Bonanza Creek is continuing until the end of the year. If you're interested in booking a class visit to have a personal tour with the Commissioner, contact their office at 667 5121 or email commissioner@yukon.ca.

BRING THE MUSEUM INTO YOUR CLASSROOM: Get ready for some rousing adventures in science discovery. The Canadian Museum of Nature's Virtual School Workshop on rocks and minerals is back along with a coastal adventure workshop for younger grades about life in a tidepool! For more details, visit nature.ca.

SAVE THE DATES!

Education Leave Deadline
Spring Central Council
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November 1
February 5
April 23

Call YTA Toll Free
866-668-2097

