



## What's News? January 2023

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Commitment is caring deeply about a person, a goal or a belief. Setting goals and achieving them, making promises and keeping them, and remaining faithful in relationships. Willingness to move forward wholeheartedly and keep promises.

**~The Virtues Project~**

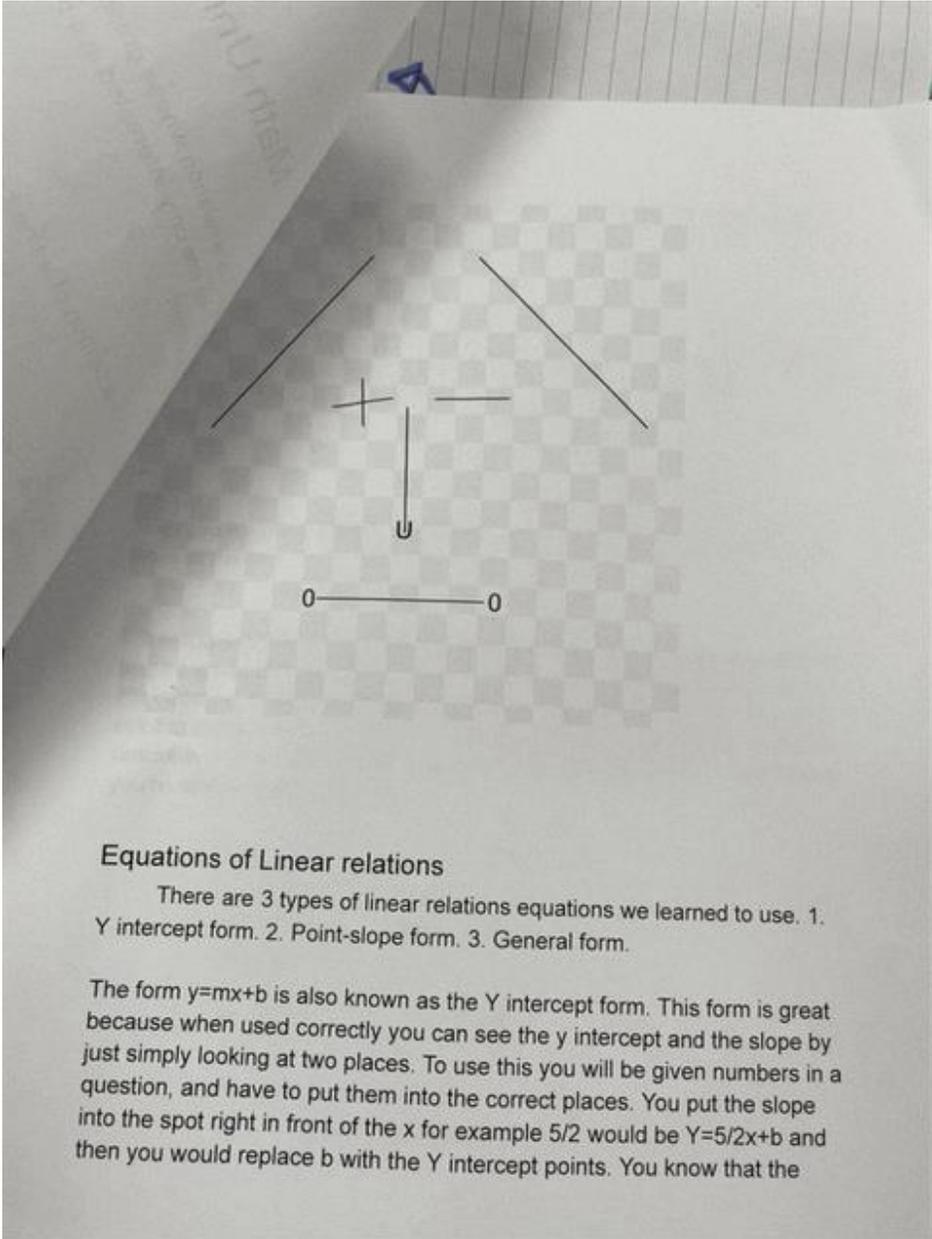
# Admin Message





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## Visible Learning

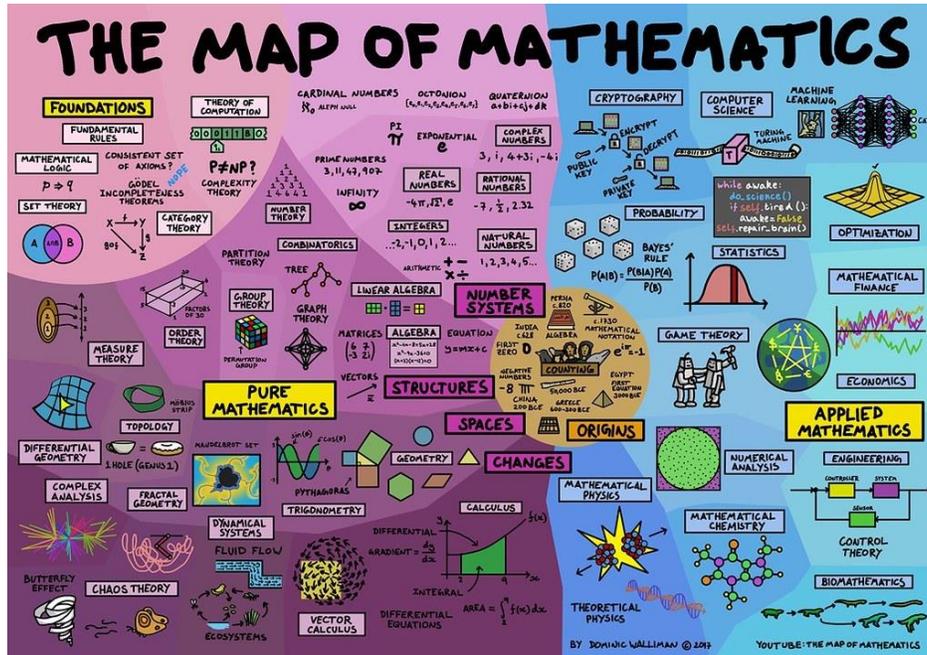


**Equations of Linear relations**

There are 3 types of linear relations equations we learned to use. 1. Y intercept form. 2. Point-slope form. 3. General form.

The form  $y=mx+b$  is also known as the Y intercept form. This form is great because when used correctly you can see the y intercept and the slope by just simply looking at two places. To use this you will be given numbers in a question, and have to put them into the correct places. You put the slope into the spot right in front of the x for example  $5/2$  would be  $Y=5/2x+b$  and then you would replace b with the Y intercept points. You know that the

## Mathematics



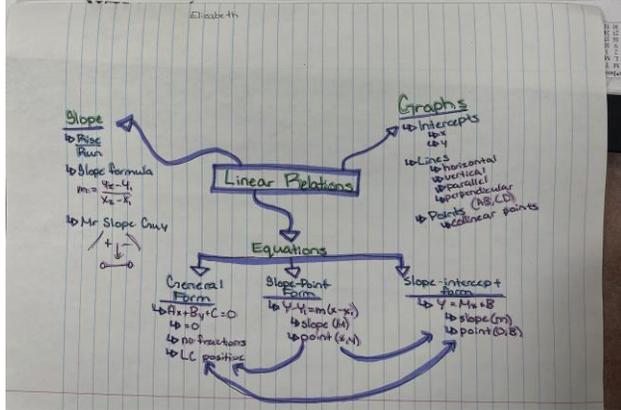
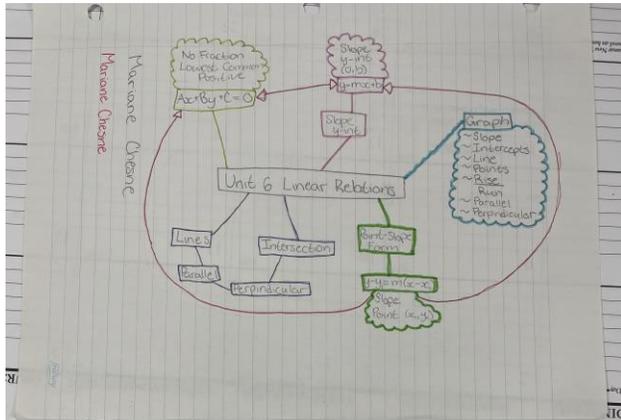
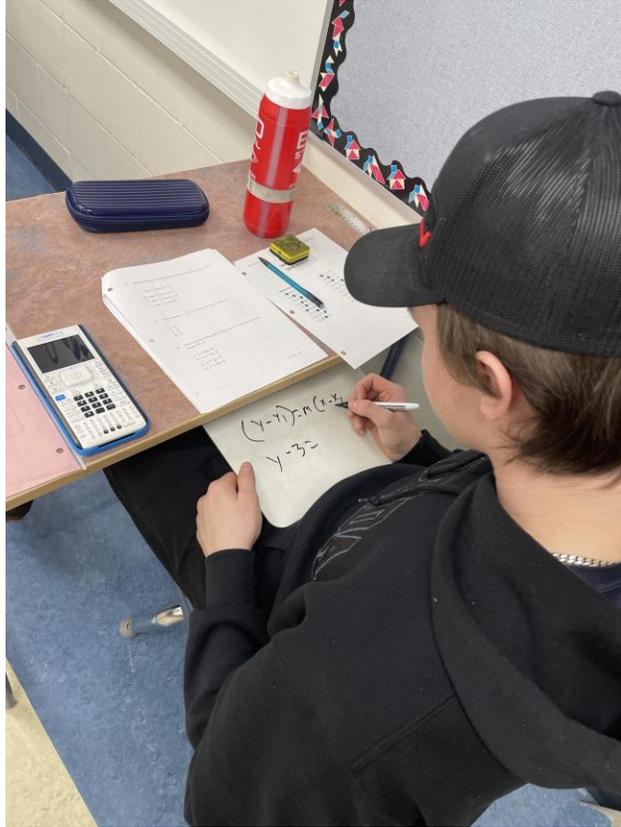
Students need to explore mathematics through solving problems in order to continue developing personal strategies and mathematical literacy. It is important to realize that it is acceptable to solve problems in different ways and that solutions may vary depending upon how the problem is understood.

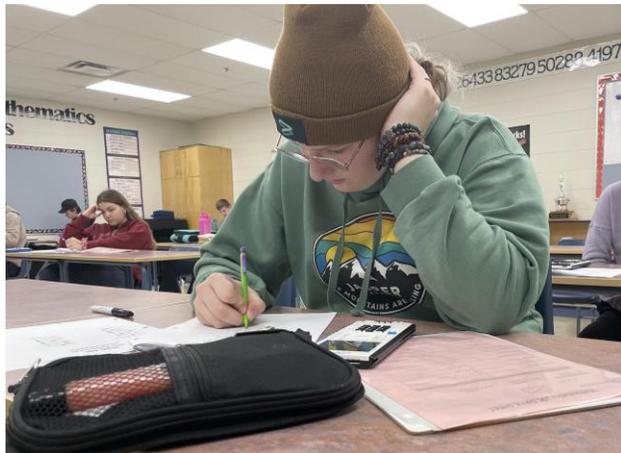
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Math 10c







**Math 30-2**



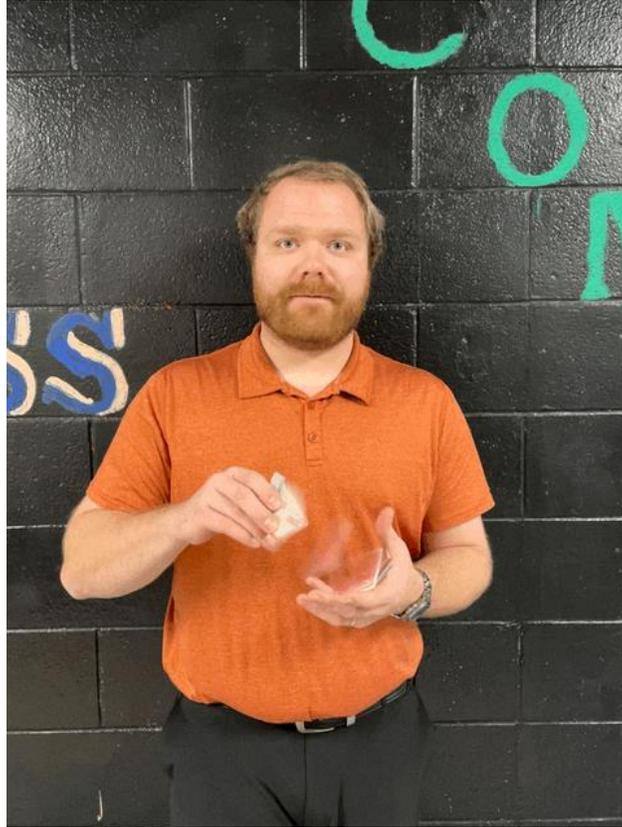


## What's New at WHS?



*Mr. Edey has joined WHS filling in for Mr. Demeule until his return with a temporary contract. As his grandparents are from Wainwright, Mr. Edey is pretty much a local. After teaching "Up North", he took subbing positions in the area and is excited to be here and have fun! He looks forward to helping out our students continue with their mathematical mindset.*

*Also, Mr. Edey knows magic!*



We've added grad photos to our halls, from 2000 on!



## Upcoming Events



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- *January 18 - School Council Meeting @ 6 pm in WHS Learning Commons*
  - *January 19 - Stakeholder Engagment @ 6:30 pm in WES*
  - *January 18 -26 exams*

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– [Exam Schedule](#)

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- *January 30,31 - No school*
- *January 31 - Prestige Grad Photos*
- *February 1 - First day of Semester 2*

- February 16,17 - Teacher's Convention: No school
- February 20 - Family Day: No school

2022-2023 BTPS SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR																																																					
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August 1	Holiday Day	August 24	BTPS Learning Day	August 25	School Based PL	August 26	Self Directed Teacher Day	August 29	Self Directed Teacher Day	September 5	Labour Day	September 30	National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	October 7	School Based PL & Support Staff PL	October 10	Thanksgiving Day	November 7	School Based PL	November 8	ATA Professional	November 9	Designated Day-in-Lieu (Parent Meeting)	November 10	Designated Day-in-Lieu (Parent Teacher Interviews)	November 11	Remembrance Day	Dec 20 - 26	Christmas Break	January 20	School Based PL	January 31	Self Directed Teacher Day	February 16 & 17	ATA Teacher Convention	February 22	Family Day	March 18	BTPS Learning Day	April 7	Good Friday	April 10 - 14	Easter Break	May 5	School Based PL	May 10	Designated Day-in-Lieu (Staff Meeting)	May 15	Designated Day-in-Lieu (Parent Teacher Interviews)	May 22	Victoria Day	June 28	Self Directed Teacher Day
*1* General Office Closure 4:00 to 7:00 - August 4, 2022																																																					

# Provost Music Festival

## March 26 - 31 2023

Dear Parents, Teachers and Students-

The Provost Music Festival is proud to announce the upcoming dates of the 51st annual festival. This exciting week long event showcases an impressive array of local talent. All participants are professionally adjudicated in noncompetitive classes and considered for awards or competition advancement.

For contact information, involvement opportunities, registration packages, class selections or syllabus links, you can find us online.

Entry deadline is January 27, 2023  
[provostmusicfestival.com](http://provostmusicfestival.com)

**Celebrate the Arts.**

Speech • Strings • Instrumental • Piano • Vocal



# A Year to Remember

Get excited. Get inspired.  
Get ready for grad pictures.

**Prestige**  
Photography by Lifetouch

## You only graduate once, your grad pictures matter.

As a part of the Lifetouch + Shutterfly family, Prestige Photography by Lifetouch is excited to help you celebrate this once-in-a-lifetime event!



**Step 1**  
Review your photo session options here and select your favourite.



**Step 2**  
Visit [prestigeportraits.ca](http://prestigeportraits.ca) to schedule the session that is right for you.



**Step 3**  
Come prepared! Be sure to bring multiple outfits and props to your session.

**BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT:**

Wainwright High School  
Portrait Sittings: January 31st, 2023  
Location: Wainwright High School

Notes: Please come to your session 5 minutes prior to start time.  
[prestigeportraits.ca](http://prestigeportraits.ca)

If you have any questions regarding booking an appointment or what to expect please contact us:  
780-437-2431



**YOU ARE INVITED**

# BTPS FOUR YEAR EDUCATION PLAN

## EDUCATIONAL STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENTS

**WHO:** Parents, guardians, staff, school councils and other education stakeholders are invited to help create our next Four Year Education Plan for 2023-2027.

**WHY:** We will meet and discuss strengths and wishes for our division to set out priorities for the next four years.

**WHERE:** BTPS is hosting five stakeholder engagements in January and February. Four will be in person and one will be online.

Wednesday, January 18, 2023 | 6:30 - 8:00pm | Provost Public School  
Thursday, January 19, 2023 | 6:30 - 8:00pm | Wainwright Elementary School  
Wednesday, January 25, 2023 | 6:30 - 8:00pm | Kitscoty Elementary School  
Thursday, January 26, 2023 | 6:30 - 8:00pm | Vermilion Elementary School  
Wednesday, February 1, 2023 | 6:30 - 8:00pm | **ONLINE SESSION**  
LINK WILL BE SHARED THROUGH YOUR SCHOOL

All educational stakeholders welcome. Please see our website for more information. [www.btps.ca](http://www.btps.ca)

**WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!**

## Contact Us

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