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## **Upcoming Events**

MAC Arts...Nov 6 & 20 iCan Day Event...Nov 8 MacPeds Talks...Nov 9 CLOSED...Nov 13 PS Applications Begin...Nov 16 Volunteer at Mission...Nov 17 McMaster Day...Nov 18

#### Beat the November Blues!





Monday November 13th 2023

Pathways programming and Pathways Coaches will be unavailable on this day. We will be back on Tuesday November 14th. See you then!

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Wednesday's October 11th - December 6th 4:30 - 6:30pm Mission Services

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### A Message From our Pathways Social Worker...



#### Hey Everyone,

Sometimes (not always!) November can be a bit of a transition period, we are going from summer to a time where it's a bit chilly, a little bit cloudier and you might have a few extra assignments or tests happening. This also means that you might appreciate hot drinks more, have another reason to wear a favourite sweater and spend more time at the tutoring space tackling your tasks!

However, sometimes that transition can be difficult to navigate even with all the warm places, people and beverages that may be in your life. For example If you're finding it a bit more challenging to get out of bed, to connect with others or focus on your assignments there might a few things at play (and also winter is known to be a tough time!).

One thing that might be helpful is talking about what's on your mind, this could be to yourself, to your friends, family members or someone else you trust. Sometimes saying something assists us to have a new perspective, get out feelings that feel tangled or generally make us feel connected.

You could also try – going for walk (I know it's cold!), having a warm drink, taking breaks between activities and school work and making time to connect with others (think of yourself as a battery – recharging is a good way to being able to keep going!).

If you're looking to connect with someone maybe outside your circle, please feel free to reach out to me directly or through your coach! You can follow me on Instagram @Bahiyyih\_Pathways and we can set up a time to chat (if you'd like!)

Hope everyone is taking care, Bahiyyih



Q: which month should you never ask to borrow money from someone? A: NO-vember

Q: What is the opposite of November? A: Yes-vember.

#### **iCan Day** Build Your Future in Health Care

November 8 • 4-8pm

**Bus Meeting Locations** 

For Any Pathways Students Interested in Health Care Careers

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**Mission Services** 

4:00 PM

Hosted at McMaster Medical School

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4:15 PM



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#### THIS IS YOUR CHANCE

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Visit McMaster Medical School
Meet Med School Students
Interactive Activities
Ask Questions - Get Answers
Med School, Nursing and more
Free dinner included!

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## Dare to Dream at Toronto Metropolitan University

On Friday October 20th we took 24 Pathways students to visit the Toronto Metropolitan University (TMU) campus for our second Dare to Dream Trip. Dare to Dream aims to inspire Pathways students to think about their futures, and dream of all of the possibilies they have in front of them! At TMU, students visited the gym, the Red Bull Gaming Hub, and Student Learning Centre and learned more about all of the wonderful programs TMU has to offer.

In the afternoon, students picked between visiting the Art Gallery of Ontario or exploring the Eaton Centre. Students had a fantastic time at both spots and enjoyed exploring the city!

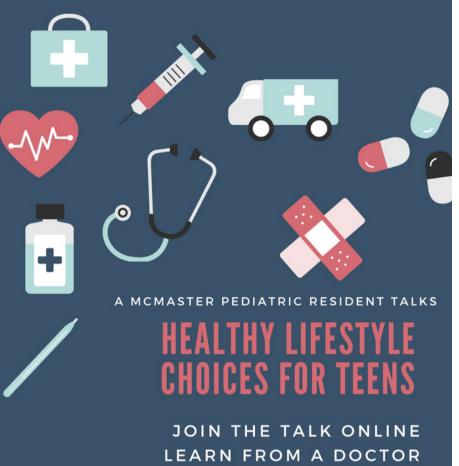
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Thank you so much to the Hamilton Community Foundation who made this trip possible through the ABACUS fund!



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### **Post-Secondary Application Sessions**



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Thursdays 4pm-6pm Beginning Nov. 16th On Zoom



#### Contact your Pathways Coach to Sign Up!





