



Thursday, January 6, 2011

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On Friday, January 14<sup>th</sup> all Grade 9 students will have the opportunity to participate in a St. John Ambulance First Aid course. The course will run from 8:15 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. and as a result there will be no Grade 9 classes that day. This is a mandatory course as it is a requirement of the Grade 9 Physical and Health Education curriculum.

To prepare for the course, each student has been provided with a first aid training manual. Students must read chapters 1-6, 15 and 19 before the course. Students are also required to wear their gym uniform or Elmwood tracksuit as they will be actively participating throughout the day. At the end of the course there will be a written and practical test.

This is a very valuable workshop that we feel very fortunate to be able to offer. As a result the Physical and Health Education department will cover the cost of instructors however we ask that your family cover the cost of the certification. \$22.50 will be charged your daughter's account to cover this cost. Please sign the form below to authorize this process and return it to Ms. Derbyshire no later than **Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>**. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Erin Derbyshire  
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**Grade 9 St. John Ambulance First Aid Training Course**

I give permission for my daughter \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the St. John Ambulance First Aid workshop all day on Friday, January 14<sup>th</sup>.

I authorize Elmwood School to charge \$22.50 to my daughter's account

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date

**Please return to Ms. Derbyshire by Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>**