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CAMP SOAR 2018

EASTDALE SECONDARY SCHOOL'S GRADE 9 TEAM BUILDING ADVENTURE

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Eastdale Secondary School is pleased to invite all our Grade 9 students to participate in *Camp SOAR 2018*. Camp SOAR will take place from *Tuesday May 8th – Wednesday May 9th*, *2018*. The overnight camp is held at Cave Springs Camp in Vineland, Ontario. The purpose of the camp is to build teamwork & collaboration skills, leadership potential, and a sense of community amongst Eastdale students. All Grade 9 students are being offered the opportunity to attend camp at an extremely subsidized cost. Located in a beautiful outdoor setting, Eastdale students will take part in many activities including: high ropes, archery, hikes, crafts, campfire and many other team building and outdoor education related activities. The adventure activities at the camp are designed to challenge, develop and empower students and further cultivate the Eastdale SOAR characteristics; Success, Optimism, Accountability, and Respect. This will also provide them a unique opportunity to connect with student leaders at Eastdale.

The cost for the event is \$20.00 per student, a sum which includes the cost of accommodation, meals and facilities at Cave Springs Camp, a camp t-shirt, transportation, and supplies used at the site. *The camp is expected to fill up quickly!* Payment can be made now through school cash online, or by cash in the main office. Please submit permission forms and money by Thursday, April 26th, 2018. Please note if the financial commitment is difficult please contact us directly to ask about subsidies and alternate arrangements.

The buses will be leaving Tuesday, May 8th at 9:00 a.m. and returning Wednesday, May 9th at 7:30 p.m. Parents will need to be present to pick up their child at the Eastdale Secondary School parking lot at this time.

If there are any questions, please contact the school at (905) 734-7458 or by email at the address below. We look forward to seeing your son/daughter at Camp SOAR 2018!

Sincerely,

The 2018 Camp SOAR Committee Susan.Ganies@dsbn.org