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To all parents of Grade 9 and 10 students:

As the Grade 10 EQAO Literacy Test (OSSLT) approaches, we will be implementing a number of strategies in order to help our students succeed.

During the week of February 22nd to 26th, all Grade 10 Period 3 classes will complete several Literacy Preparation activities in the computer labs.

On March 3rd, all Grade 10 students will write a mock Literacy test in the cafeteria. Based on an analysis of last year's EQAO data, this test has been specifically designed by Ctk's Literacy Team to meet the needs of our students.

On April 8th, all Grade 10 students will write the official OSSLT in the cafeteria, while all Grade 9 students will write a mock test in their Period 1 classrooms. Grade 11 and 12 students will be provided with alternate activities for the day.

In addition, all teachers will continue reinforcing the daily D.E.A.R. schedule, and using cross-curricular Literacy activities in all courses. As well, Grade 9 and 10 English classes continue to use the Literacy Power student workbooks.

For any students who may need additional support, Christ the King is also offering after-school Literacy Skills workshops. Students are encouraged to sign up for this 8-session course through the Student Services department. Additional preparation materials are also available online at www.eqao.com.

On behalf of the Christ the King Literacy Team, we thank you for your continued support in achieving success for all students.

Sincerely,

Mr. D. DeSantis
Principal