Centre for Global Education
Global Encounters
2020/21 Program Guide

International Videoconferences
Key Components of a Global Encounter

The Virtual Classroom
The online space is used by teachers to access our available resources, lesson plans, and learning activities. Through this secure website, students respond to activities via post blogs, discussion boards, and a virtual art gallery. They can interact, learn from, and share with their fellow peers from around the world!

How to Sign Up for Online Virtual Classroom
• Go to: http://encounters.tiged.org/
• Registration Code: *Given at registration
• If you have not created a TakingITGlobal account, you will be prompted to do it at this point. Once it is created, you will be connected to the Virtual Classroom.
• After joining the classroom you can visit http://encounters.tiged.org/ anytime for easy access to all your classes (listed under “My Classes” on the homepage).

The Video Conference
The video conference is the culminating activity to the weeks of online collaboration using the Virtual Classroom. In this live and interactive event, students will see, listen to, and engage with a series of experts from around the World! Students will also have an opportunity to ask questions and share their own thoughts, research, actions, and art!

Testing and setup for Video Conference - You are not alone!
• We will be connecting using Zoom, a free online collaboration tool. This is a downloadable conferencing software that can be used on any system. All you need is a laptop, webcam, and the internet!
• All of the above is reviewed in our personalized training session - scheduled with our team, at a time convenient for you. We will walk you through every component of connecting. It is so easy, and we will help!

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Videoconferences: Fall 2020

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*Events listed in green are aimed at a younger audience*

September

#GoalUp Global Citizenship Grades 7 - 12 September 29 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

RCMPTalks Online Safety Grades 6 - 9 September 30 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

DiscussionsGRC Sécurité en ligne Grades 6 - 9 September 30 PT: 11:00 - 12:00 ET: 14:00 - 15:00

October

#Decarbonize: Youth Climate Action Global Fall Launch Grades 7 - 12 October 4 PT: 8:30 - 10:00 ET: 11:30 - 13:00

World Mental Health Day: Balancing our Minds Grades 7 - 12 October 9 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

World Food Day - Sustainable Food Systems Grades 7 - 12 October 16 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

Global Dignity Day Grades 3 - 10 October 21 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

RCMPTalks Drug Impaired Driving Grades 6 - 9 October 22 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

DiscussionsGRC Conduite avec facultés affaiblies par la drogue Grades 6 - 9 October 22 PT: 11:00 - 12:00 ET: 14:00 - 15:00

Journalism, Fake News, and Disinformation, Global Media Grades 7 - 12 October 27 PT: 9:00 - 10:00 ET: 12:00 - 13:00

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**& Information Literacy Week (UNESCO)**

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<td>7 - 12</td>
<td>October 27</td>
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<td>Into the Bat Cave with the Canadian Wildlife Federation</td>
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<td>#BlackLivesMatter in Canadian Schools (partnership with UNESCO)</td>
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<td>AVIKA: Residential Schools: Past, Present, &amp; Future</td>
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<td>Pivotal Year For Climate Change - Paris Agreement and #Decarbonize Youth Action</td>
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<td>December 9</td>
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February

#Agenda 2030: What on earth are the SDGs and why should we care? (UNESCO)
Grades 7 - 12  February 18
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
ET: 12:00 - 13:00

March

World Wildlife Day - Biodiversity with Canadian Wildlife Federation
Grades 2 - 6  March 3
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
ET: 12:00 - 13:00

International Women's Day
Grades 7 - 12  March 8
PT: 10:00 - 11:00
ET: 13:00 - 14:00

Green Gigs: Sustainable Careers
Grades 7 - 12  March 17
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
ET: 12:00 - 13:00

World Water Day
Grades 7 - 12  March 22
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
ET: 12:00 - 13:00

World Water Day
Grades 2 - 6  March 22
PT: 11:00 - 12:00
ET: 14:00 - 15:00

MARCH BREAK

April

Art as Healing and Activism in Refugee Communities
Grades 7 - 12  April 7
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
ET: 12:00 - 13:00

National Wildlife Week with the Canadian Wildlife Federation
Grades 2 - 6  April 9
PT: 9:00 - 10:00
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<td>AVIKA: We Are All Treaty People</td>
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<td>April 29</td>
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<td>Endangered Species Day with the Canadian Wildlife Federation</td>
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<td>World Bee Day - Food Sustainability &amp; Pollinators</td>
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<td>UNDRIP: The Rights of Indigenous Peoples</td>
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