## **HOW THE CAREER CENTRE CAN HELP!**

Please visit the Career Centre soon and often for help in the following areas:

Career Research
Post Secondary Options
Post Secondary Applications
Post Secondary Requirements
Post Secondary Scholarships
Scholarship/Bursary Information
Work Experience Information
Resumes/Cover Letters/Interview Info

Also it is critical that you seek out and read the information in our **Career Centre/Work Experience Weekly Update** sent to each TA Monday mornings. The Career Centre is also a great place to visit just to chat and de-stress!!

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DATES

District Scholarship and Bursaries: Deadline: March 2009 (date TBA)

To the Counseling Department

University Entrance Scholarships: Dates vary by school

You may qualify to apply for more than one award at an institution, so please meet with your counsellor to explore the possibilities. Please check deadlines carefully for each school.

## **OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS**

A variety of scholarships are presented by service organizations, private business, and post-secondary institutions based on academic and/or leadership/community involvement. Scholarships are also offered if you or a family member is affiliated with a particular organization. Listed below are some of the organizations that make such offers.

BC Amateur Hockey BCGEU IWA

BC Principal & VP's Assoc. BC Hydro BC School Sports

Terry Fox Humanitarian Award CGA AGF

BC School Superintendents Assoc. Rotary Organization TD Canada Trust

BC School Trustees VanCity CAW

Millennium Excellence Award

Be sure to check in your planner for websites that list hundreds of Scholarships that are available. ALSO CHECK THE **CAREER CENTRE WEEKLY UPDATE** FOR THE NEW SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES THAT ARE AVAILABLE EACH WEEK.

## REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Please note that each scholarship has different documents that are required. Please review each award you are applying for to establish what is needed. TRANSCRIPTS AND REFERENCES are always required documents. <u>REQUEST THESE EARLY!</u> Transcript requests are made through Mrs. Davis, and reference profiles should be picked up from the Career Centre and forwarded to the letter writer ASAP. Avoid disappointment...DO THIS EARLY!