



# Newsletter

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SGA News

## ***Biology & Chemistry Lab Experiments***



Unlike science in middle school, high school biology and chemistry classes are hands-on endeavors. Experiments are a standard part of our science courses, whether part of a controlled laboratory class, science exhibitions, or school individual and group projects. At SGA, our teachers guide students to explore fascinating learning tools and discover ideas for interesting science lab experiments that get incorporated into the study curriculum.

## ***Raking Leaves Volunteer Activity with the City of Toronto***



Grade 12 Senior class students took part in a city event at Crothers Woods, a huge green reserved natural park in Toronto. Volunteers helped keep the natural surface trails sustainable by raking leaves which keeps trails visible and dry and helps prevent erosion.

Our SGA students enjoyed their time during the volunteer activity, and thanks to the City of Toronto team, who made it a joyful and interesting learning opportunity for all of our students. Staff members from the city of Toronto's parks team accompanied our students throughout the activity and shared with them their extensive knowledge about nature and forestation.

## ***U of T Field Trip***



The University of Toronto is one of the top universities in the world and also one of the dream schools for most of our SGA students. Every year, our students go on a tour around the U of T campus buildings. This semester, we took our Junior and Senior class students to visit several U of T iconic locations, such as Roberts Library, Hart House, and Medical Sciences Buildings.

During this field trip, our students gained a more comprehensive understanding of this famous university and the study majors it offers. And like many of our SGA students who graduated in the previous years, a large number of our current students are on the path of joining U of T.

## ***Halloween Campus Party***



The annual Halloween Party is one of our well-anticipated events at SGA. It's a day to mark a single night in the year when according to old Celtic beliefs, spirits, and the dead can cross over into the world of the living.

This year, SGA had an amazing Halloween party with our sister school SGIC. Our students participated in the Halloween Costume and Pumpkin carving contests and enjoyed the talent and creativity of others. It was a great time for students to have fun and make new friends at SGIC.