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Dear Parents/Guardians,

CBC is holding an Indigenous Junior Journalism School at the CBC studio in **Vancouver on November 13th from 8:30 – 3:00 p.m.** This is a **FREE** event for Indigenous youth between the ages of 15 and 21. There is room for 100 Indigenous youth from the whole Lower Mainland. There is still room for Delta students and registration is on a first come, first served basis.

Throughout the day, youth will listen to Indigenous journalists' experiences about how they got into journalism and what this career entails. They will also participate in various workshops including audio work, video making, and basic journalism writing.

What the students can expect to do during the day:

- Get a behind the scenes look at how the news is made
- Participate in exclusive workshops on different areas of Journalism
- Engage in hands-on training by veteran CBC journalists like Angela Sterritt, Duncan McCue, Stephanie Brown, Jarrett Martineau, Ian Hanomansing, Gloria Macarenko and <u>Steve Sxwilthul'txw.</u>
- Join in on an intimate concert with the Snotty Nose Rez Kids
- Share a delicious catered lunch
- Win amazing prizes like some Bluetooth headphones and an iPad
- Earn 6 hours work/volunteer experience toward their graduation requirements

We are hoping to accompany a group of students by transit to the event. The students will be accompanied by an Indigenous Education staff member. If your child is interested, please contact Jessica Le Brun, the Indigenous Success Coordinator, at 604-952-2824 or: jessicalebrun@deltasd.bc.ca or the Indigenous Success Advocate at their school ASAP.

Jessica will follow-up with families regarding meeting and drop-off times on November 13.

To get more information about CBC Indigenous Junior Journalism School please visit the video link from last year's event: <u>https://youtu.be/5TYk-Ap-TWw</u>

Kind Regards,

Diane Jubinville District Vice-Principal Indigenous Education

