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# SANKOFA CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

## 2021 PATHWAYS TO EXCELLENCE SERIES



The Sankofa Centre of Excellence Graduation Coach Program is committed to advancing the academic success of African, Black and Caribbean students in the OCDSB. As part of this aim, we have launched our Pathways to Excellence Series to support students to learn about post-secondary opportunities. These virtual workshops are available to secondary students.

**For more information or to register, visit: [ocdsb.ca/sankofa](https://ocdsb.ca/sankofa)**

DATE	PRESENTER	TOPIC
February 16, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Cheryl Yarde (Black Foundation Community Networks)	Scholarship Application
February 23, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Jonathan Kanji (Algonquin College)	A Post-Secondary Experience with Shaquille Morris
March 6, 1:00 – 2:30 p.m.	Lindsey Alcy (ACMP)	Applying to University or College
March 9, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Sarah Hassan (Algonquin College)	Career Mentoring Panel
March 24, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	E.L. Adams II (Clinical and Educational Psychologist)	Racism & Mental Health
April 12, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	Meghan Stewart-Wills (Mindfulness Coach)	Self Care and Wellness for Black Students and Families
April 20, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Erik Franz (Algonquin College)	Virtual Tour
May 11, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Jon Holmes (Algonquin College)	Student Panel

### Sankofa Centre of Excellence Partners:

Afro-Caribbean Mentorship Program (ACMP)

Parents for Diversity

Pinecrest-Queensway Community Health Centre

Ottawa Black Educators' Network (OBEN)

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