

# **Our School**

Established in 2020, *EM College* is a private Montreal-based language school that offers high-quality courses and tutoring to adults, teenagers, and children. Our *NGL Education program* focuses on teaching students essential language skills through *National Geographic* content.

# TED

TED (Technology, Entertainment, Design) is a non-profit organization whose goal is to spread amazing ideas to the general populace. They invite experts from their respective fields to give Talks on a wide variety of subject matter.

# **TED-ED Student Talks**

TED-ED Student Talks is an education program that schools apply to. After TED successfully accepts a school into the program, the school is provided the curriculum and standards to have students create and deliver their own spectacular TED Talks, much like the real ones! Students who enter the StudentTalks program have the benefit of creating something that really makes them stand out! It is not only fun, but exceptionally rewarding as well.

#### **Estimated Timeline**

**6:30** Student Performance Students from St-Louis

**6:45** Opening Remarks Julian Heidt & Grace Zhao

> **6:55** Talks (Round 1)

> > **7:45** Break

**7:55** Talks (Round 2)

> **8:35** Break

**8:45** Awards and Final Remarks Julian Heidt & Grace Zhao



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Program guide also available on our site https://college-em.com



Round 1 The students will present in the following order

# <u>Ethan Zhu</u> (Grade 9)

Want to learn a language? Watch a movie! Teachers should show more movies and T.V. shows in the classroom instead of books or vocabulary worksheets.

## Isabelle Xie (Grade 7)

The Art of Public Speaking

By taking art classes, we in fact become better and more convincing public speakers. Everyone needs to take art in order to improve their public speaking skills.

## Brian Yao (Grade 7)

The Growth Mindset of Rivalry Playing golf competitively has led me to realise, that even in a competition, we still thrive by helping others.

#### Youqi Qiao (Grade 8)



## The Real Merit of Learning Math

Math is initially annoying when you force yourself to learn it, but it's still rather helpful... just probably not for the reason you're thinking of. The real benefit of math is to win any argument.

#### Elsa Gao (Grade 5)

#### The Confection Exception

Many parents complain about candy and their children's obsession over it, mine included! However, we don't often hear about how candy teaches children important societal values, such as sharing. Candy is an important tool to figure out how the world works.





Round 2 The students will present in the following order

# Grace Ding (Grade 8)

To Live Is to Argue

I have come to learn how every single part of our day after leaving the house involves arguing. More importantly, I have learned that we need to argue about every single thing - in order to become responsible citizens in society.

Xander Qiu (Grade 9)

Hobby or addiction?

In this Talk, I'll be explaining the fuzzy line between hobbies and addictions, and what can be done to seek help.

## Lucia Chen (Grade 7)

Taking Control of Your Dreams

I believe that everyone should keep a dream journal and learn how to lucid dream because it helps us conquer our fears, solve significant problems that we face every day, and improve our creativity.

## Summer Cai (Grade 6)

The Real Reasons Why Kids Don't Enjoy Reading My mom used to always complain about "kids nowadays not liking books",

and that was the catalyst that helped figure out the reasons why kids don't like reading.