



Nastassia Subban

Nastassia has been an elementary and secondary school teacher with the Toronto District School Board (TDSB) for over 15 years. She previously held the role of a Seconded Faculty Member in York University's Faculty of Education. Nastassia completed a Master of Education that focused on Africentric and transformative learning and is entering her third year as a PhD candidate in Humanities at York University. Her research is focussed on Caribbean carnival as a site of healing for women of the Afro Caribbean diaspora. Last but certainly not least, she is the mother to three beautiful children.





Wes “Maestro” Williams

Wesley "Wes" Williams is a Canadian rapper, record producer, actor, and author. He is known professionally by his stage names Maestro Fresh Wes or Maestro as a musician and is credited by his birth name as an actor. Williams released the ninth studio album of his 30-year-long career, *Champagne Campaign*, in 2019. Last year, Williams published a new children’s book, “Stick To Your Vision: Young Maestro Goes to School”. He co-wrote it with Grade one teacher Rhodora Meliton-Vanderpool, and it was illustrated by Leon “Eklipz” Robinson. Williams released a children’s album based on the book which was nominated for a 2022 JUNO.

