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Library launches partnership with Discover Prep online tutoring

ST. ALBERT — St. Albert Public Library is pleased to announce a new partnership with Discover Prep, a non-profit organization that offers free online tutoring and post-secondary preparation for junior and senior high students in St. Albert and Edmonton. Discover Prep volunteers are students and recent alumni from University of Alberta, MacEwan, Concordia, and other local post-secondaries.

“Our focus is on building skills that will lead students to post-secondary success, and helping students discover their optimal academic path,” says Justin Co, one of three co-founders of Discover Prep. “Our volunteers provide homework help and general tutoring in core school subjects from grades 7 to 12, and mentorship to help students explore their options for future education and build skills that will aid them throughout their lives.”

“We’re thrilled to launch this partnership with Discover Prep – the personalized service and the post-secondary mentorship aspect are a fantastic supplement to our existing eLibrary learning resources for students of all ages,” says Celeste Trottier, Teen Librarian at St. Albert Public Library. “Whether the Discover volunteers are offering homework help or assisting students in navigating their entry into post-secondary education, this personalized support from volunteers with direct experience is an incredible resource.”

Online tutoring and post-secondary mentoring is available Wednesdays and Thursdays from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Students can search for an available mentor who is teaching the subject they are interested in at www.mydiscoverprep.com or email mydiscoverprep@gmail.com. Details and booking information are also posted every week in the Teen Calendar at www.sapl.ca. All sessions are held online via Google Meet.

More education resources are available to students from K to post-secondary and teachers free with their library card through the St. Albert Public Library eLibrary: exam prep, languages learning, interactive videos, games and activities, teacher resources, early literacy, and French resources for children. Visit www.sapl.ca/eLibrary for details.

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