



RE: *You GO Eng Girl* - Saturday October 16, 2010

Dear Teachers & Parents:

GO ENG Girl is an exciting event for young women in Grades 7 to 10. On Saturday, October 16th all Faculties and Schools of Engineering in Ontario are presenting a *GO ENG Girl* program which includes activities to showcase the wide range of undergraduate programs and careers that are available in engineering. The venue closest to your area is McMaster University. There will be opportunities to meet role models, participate in “hands-on” activities in small groups and learn about engineering.

Your Board has kindly agreed to distribute the enclosed package to each school. The package includes this letter, a registration form for your school with a permission form for each student that will be attending. More information about the program can be found on our website: http://www.eng.mcmaster.ca/engalumni/events/go_eng_girl.html

However, in order for this day to be a success, we need your assistance. We ask that you provide the enclosed information to students in your school who you feel may benefit from and enjoy this experience. Please invite them to participate in what will surely be an interesting and educational day. We ask that students register independently, first come first serve. Space is limited so please send in your registration early. If parents plan to attend they must complete the attached form. In order for us to confirm the numbers of students attending, we also ask that the enclosed information sheet with permission form be returned to us before October 1, 2010.

The *GO ENG Girl* programs are being coordinated by the Ontario Women in Engineering (ONWIE) group with the support of the Council of Ontario Deans of Engineering. All Faculties and Schools of Engineering are working together to encourage young women to study engineering and to ensure that old stereotypes of the profession are dispelled. We hope that many of the students from your school will be able to take advantage of this opportunity.

Sincerely,

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Check out the web site for more information
http://www.eng.mcmaster.ca/engalumni/events/go_eng_girl.html
or call 905-525-9140 ext 24906