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*From the office of the...*  
**Sciences Caucus**

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TO: Members of the Student Representative Assembly  
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## **Progress on Yearplan**

The Science caucus is determined on continuing its work to promote more in-person events in collaboration with other clubs at McMaster. Since majority of the midterms and exams this year are in-person, we intend to focus on student mental health and wellbeing as we understand that this transition can be difficult for many students.

## **Past Events, Projects, & Activities**

Since this is our first report, our caucus is still in the early stages of brainstorming for future events. Regardless, we have lots of fresh ideas that we're hoping everyone will be on board with and have a fun time.

## **Upcoming Events, Projects, & Activities**

### Science Club Fair:

- Collab with other science organizations at McMaster (potentially)
- The clubs can sign up on our socials and will be given the chance to promote their club at a booth
- Helping directing students with any research opportunities and volunteer positions

### Collaboration with Volunteer Organizations:

- Virtual meetup where students get the opportunity to meet other volunteer organizations in the hopes of finding volunteer positions or experiences related to their field of interest
- We could have prizes and giveaways for students who attend the event

### Success Stories Workshop:

- Collab with other science organizations at McMaster (potentially)
- Students get to meet a PhD student, or another researcher who speaks about their specific career choices and pathways
- Students will be able to receive more career-specific help and get to connect with post-graduate students
- We are hoping to have the event in mid November or early December (subject to change)

## **Outreach & Promotions**

We have yet to receive any social media logins, so once we receive them, we will be introducing ourselves on the platform. We also hope to use our social media platforms to get student ideas and feedback on what they think are important initiatives for the Science caucus to focus on for this year.

**Successes**

Our caucus members are doing an amazing by inputting their ideas in the Messenger group chat. We are also finding time to talk with each other weekly while working around everyone's' schedules.

**Current Challenges**

With only three remaining Science Caucus members, we will have to spend more time for arranging and promoting future events. We are also trying to connect with the Science caucus members from last year to obtain social media login details and access.

Best,

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