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Dear Parents,

To develop research and reporting skills the students in Grade Six have begun a project called "Night of the Notables." Each student needs to complete the attached form and return it to school by **Monday, September 19, 2016**, or before.

Each student needs to identify:

- 1) Three '**notables**' (famous people, who have made our world better), each of whom
 - a. they would be interested in researching for this project, and
 - b. has not yet been researched by an older sibling for Night of the Notable in previous years;
- 2) **legacy** of each 'notable': how each famous person has contributed **significantly** to make our world a better place;
- 3) **connection**: why each famous person is important to the student; why they chose to research this 'notable';
- 4) **bibliography**: at least three research sources in **book format**, each of which has at least twenty pages devoted to the notable and which your child can read with good comprehension. It is helpful to have one book, which tells the notables life story in a succinct way, such as a picture book or short novel. In addition to print resources, we will use a variety of other media and work on being savvy and discerning when using Internet sources throughout the course of the project. (It would be beneficial for your child to visit the public library to acquire book that are not available at home or in our school library. Only one student in each class may study a particular notable to ensure resources are available.)

At the end of this project, on the evening of **Thursday, November 3rd**, all Grade Six students at Olympic Heights School will dress as their notables, and host a grand celebration of what they learned. You will not wish to miss this fun-filled spectacle – please mark this event on your calendar and anticipate a wonderful night of learning.

Thank you for your support with this project.

Sincerely,

The Grade Six Team
(Mrs. Coté, Ms. Walker, Ms. Summers & Mrs. Riegert)