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Girls GETT hands-on training at SIAST

Regina students race to learn about trades and technology careers

July 19, 2007 – Earlier this week, Grade 7 and 8 students from local schools started a week-long camp at SIAST Wascana Campus. The Girls Exploring Trades and Technology (GETT) camp introduces girls to industrial and technical career choices. It also reinforces the importance of course choices such as science, math and industrial arts at the high school level. The camps are among several being held across SIAST campuses this summer.

This summer, SIAST Wascana Campus is organizing three GETT camps. At the end of each GETT camp, students will have a barbecue and a fun competition in which they'll race go-karts they designed and built during the camp. Immediately following the race, participants are recognized for their achievements at a short awards ceremony.

Media are encouraged to attend the go-kart race for the first camp:

Date: **Friday, July 20th**

Time: **12:30 p.m. sharp**

Location: **SIAST Wascana Campus**
 Multi-Purpose A Shop compound on the north side
 4500 Wascana Parkway
 Regina SK

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