

Astronaut gives Canadian students sense of pride, opportunity

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Hadfield's lecture focused on the application of mathematics in space travel from an astronaut's point of view. While he always enjoyed math, it wasn't until the end of high school that he realized that it wasn't some "weird dogma" but instead a way to solve a problem.

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Hadfield hopes pride blasts off

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