



Other Secondary Programs

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The following list of schools offers other programs not deemed “specialized” under the Board’s criteria. For specific information about these programs please refer to, *Choices: Secondary School Course Selection & Planning Guide* and check with each school for admission criteria.

Advanced Placement

A Y Jackson Secondary School
Agincourt Collegiate Institute
Albert Campbell Collegiate Institute
Bloor Collegiate Institute
Georges Vanier Secondary School
Lester B. Pearson Collegiate Institute
Marc Garneau Collegiate Institute
Martingrove Collegiate Institute
North Albion Collegiate Institute
Northern Secondary School
Sir John A Macdonald Collegiate Institute
Stephen Leacock Collegiate Institute
William Lyon MacKenzie CI
York Memorial CI

Cisco/Nortel Systems

Central Technical School
George Harvey CI
Georges Vanier SS
Marc Garneau CI
Northview Heights SS
R.H. King Academy
SATEC @ W.A. Porter CI
Western Technical-Commercial S

Extended French

Agincourt CI
Cedarbrae CI
Harbord CI
Humberside CI
L'Amoreaux CI
Lawrence Park CI
Leaside HS
Malvern CI
Newtonbrook SS
Oakwood CI
Riverdale CI

French Immersion

Agincourt CI
Cedarbrae CI
Don Valley JHS
Harbord CI
Humberside CI
Lawrence Park CI
Leaside HS
Malvern CI
Newtonbrook SS
Richview CI
Windfields JHS
York Mills CI

Native Learning Centre

Jarvis CI

LEAP

Cedarbrae CI
Central Technical School
Emery CI
Greenwood SS
Kipling CI
L'Amoreaux CI
Marc Garneau CI
Sir Robert Borden BTI
Stephen Leacock CI
West Hill CI
Western Technical-Commercial S
Westview Centennial SS
Winston Churchill CI

Specialized Tech/Co-op OYAP Programs

Bendale BTI
Central Technical School
Danforth C&TI
Thistletown CI



Secondary Schools:

- Specialized Schools & Programs
- Skills Enhanced Programs

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The Board deems **Specialized Schools and Programs**. The criteria are as follows:

- A written, clearly articulated specific program focus (e.g., the arts, athletics, information technology) is required. To be designated a Specialized School; this focus must apply to the whole school.
- In secondary schools, students must take a minimum of seven courses directly related to the school's particular program focus. In the case of professional performing arts students or gifted athletes, students are not required to take the minimum number of courses related to their areas of focus. However, timetable accommodation must be made by the school to allow these students to pursue their area of focus.
- Each school has developed specific admission criteria. Check with them for details.

The Board deems **Specialized Programs – Skills Enhanced** based on embed criteria for specialized school/program status. The additional criteria are as follows:

- All four destinations, workplace, university, apprenticeship and college, must be addressed in programming and marketing.
- There is an established or potential partnership with local community colleges, universities or other post-secondary training institutions and related sector councils.
- Cooperative education and other experiential based programming are integral parts of the program.
- Courses in English, Mathematics and Science are available on-site with learning activities/units related to the skills-enhanced program.
- Components of industry recognition and external accreditation opportunities are available to students.
- Students are admitted to Specialized Programs – Skills Enhanced to a maximum number as space allows, once local school community needs are met.
- Students must apply to programs. Selection criteria are clearly established to help ensure appropriate student placement for success. Each school has developed specific admission criteria. Check with them for details.

NB: Students who are attending a specialized school or program return to their “geographic” home school without an Optional Attendance application when the program does not meet the student’s needs.





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Arts Focus+

Earl Haig SS (Claude Watson Program)
Etobicoke School of the Arts
Rosedale Heights School of the Arts
Wexford Collegiate School for the Arts

Arts Programs

Central Technical School
CW Jefferys CI
Downsview SS
Georges Vanier SS*

Construction Technology*

Northview Heights SS

Cyber Arts

Don Mills CI
Lakeshore CI
Northview Heights SS
Western Technical-Commercial S

Cyber Studies

Cybridge @ George Harvey CI
Emery CI
SATEC @ W.A. Porter CI

Dental Assistant

Etobicoke CI

Elite Athletes/Arts

Birchmount Park CI
Northview Heights SS
Silverthorn CI
Vaughan Road Academy

Entrepreneurship+

Scarlett Heights Entrepreneurial Academy

Hairstylist*

Bendale BTI

Hospitality*

Northview Heights SS

Integrated Technology+

Ursula Franklin Academy

International Baccalaureate

Monarch Park CI
Parkdale CI
Sir Wilfrid Laurier CI
Vaughan Road Academy
Victoria Park CI
Weston CI

International Studies/Languages

Harbord CI

Leadership Pathway

R.H. King Academy

Math, Science & Technology

Bloor CI
CW Jefferys CI
Danforth C&TI
Georges Vanier SS
Marc Garneau CI
Northview Heights SS
Runnymede CI
SATEC @ W.A. Porter CI
William Lyon MacKenzie CI

Media Arts

Stephen Leacock CI

Metal Machining*

Bendale BTI

Transportation*

Winston Churchill CI

Pre-Advanced Placement

York Memorial CI

*Skills Enhanced Programs

+Specialized Schools



Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM)

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Specialist High Skills Majors (SHSM) are Ministry approved pilot programs. Every SHSM must include the following five components:

1. A package of 6-12 required credits (the majority earned in Grade 11 and 12 courses) that constitute a pathway to one of four possible destinations: apprenticeship training, college, university, or the workplace.
 - four credits – called the “major” credits – for courses that provide knowledge and skills closely related to the particular sector of specialization, which are specified in each of the frameworks;
 - three or four additional required credits for courses in English and other relevant disciplines as specified in each of the frameworks, which include units of study that are customized to the particular sector.
 - two cooperative education credits
 - one-half credit for the Grade 10 Career Studies course
2. Compulsory certifications, which are identified in each SHSM framework.
3. Experiential learning through job shadowing, work experience or co-op
4. Use of the Ontario Skills Passport (OSP)
5. “Reach ahead” opportunities, which allow students to experience learning in their intended post-secondary destination

Aerospace & Aviation

Georges Vanier SS

Arts & Culture

George Harvey CI

Oakwood CI

R. H. King Academy

Thistletown CI

Western Technical School

Central Commerce CI

Georges Vanier SS

Business

Eastern Commerce HS

L'Amoreaux CI

Lakeshore CI

Scarlett Heights Entrepreneurial Academy

Construction

Central Technical School

Energy

Yorkdale SS

Environment

Malvern CI

SATEC @ Porter

Sir John A. Macdonald CI

Health & Wellness

David & Mary Thomson CI

Lester B. Pearson CI

Newtonbrook SS

Westview Centennial SS

Martingrove CI

Central Commerce CI

Horticulture & Landscaping

Bendale BT I/ David & Mary Thomson CI

Don Mills CI

Parkdale CI

Hospitality & Tourism

Bendale BT I/ David & Mary Thomson CI

Central Technical School

Danforth C&TI

Stephen Leacock CI/Sir William Osler HS

Sir Wilfrid Laurier CI

Thistletown CI

Information Communication Technology

David & Mary Thomson CI

George Harvey CI

Georges Vanier SS

Marc Garneau CI

SATEC @ Porter

Northview Heights SS

L'Amoreaux CI

Justice, Community Safety, and

Emergency Services

John Polanyi CI

Manufacturing

East York CI

Western Technical School

Weston CI

Non-Profit

Malvern CI

Sports

Weston CI

Oakwood CI

Transportation

Central Technical School

Emery CI

