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Ottawa International Student Programs Fifth Edition





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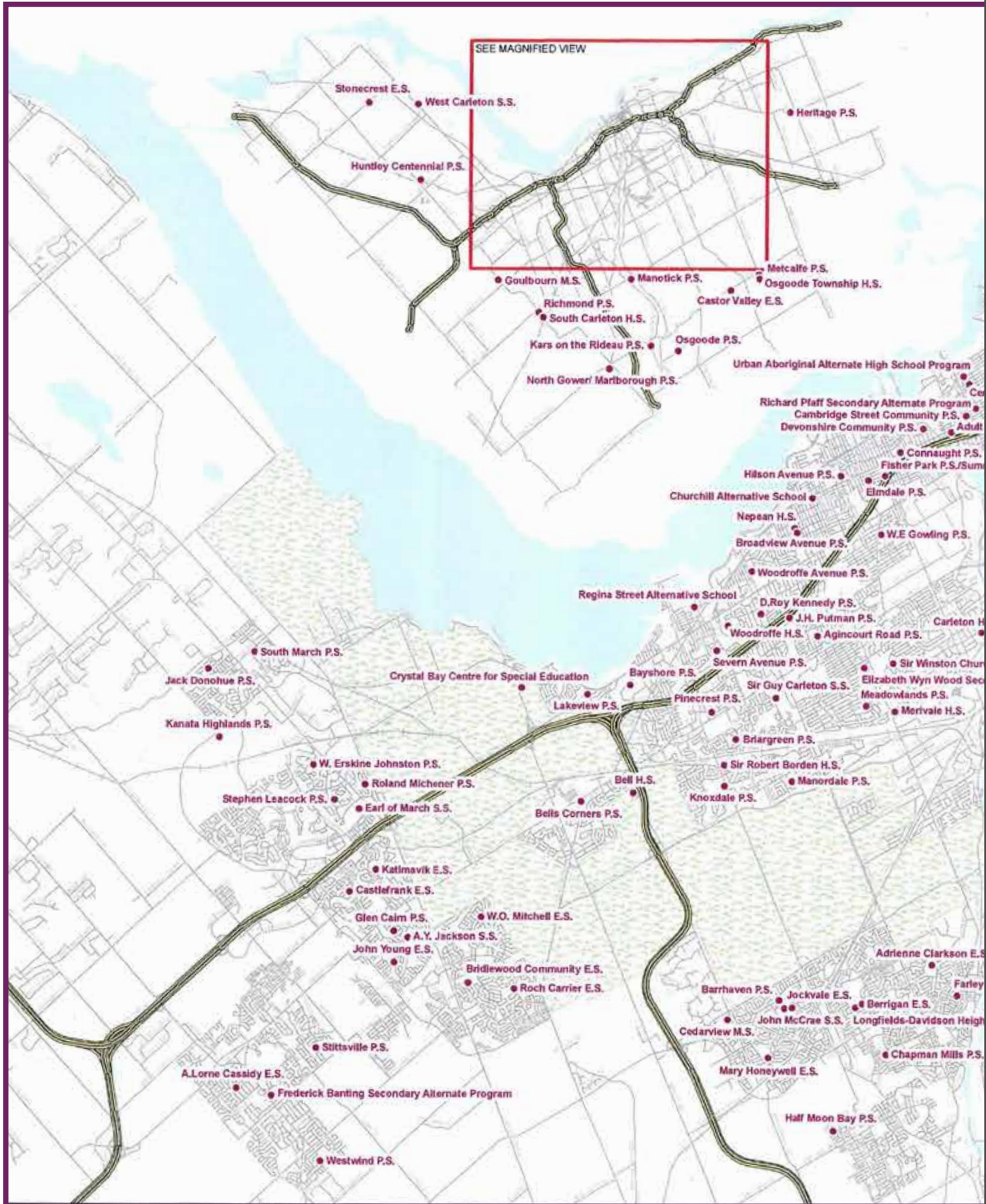
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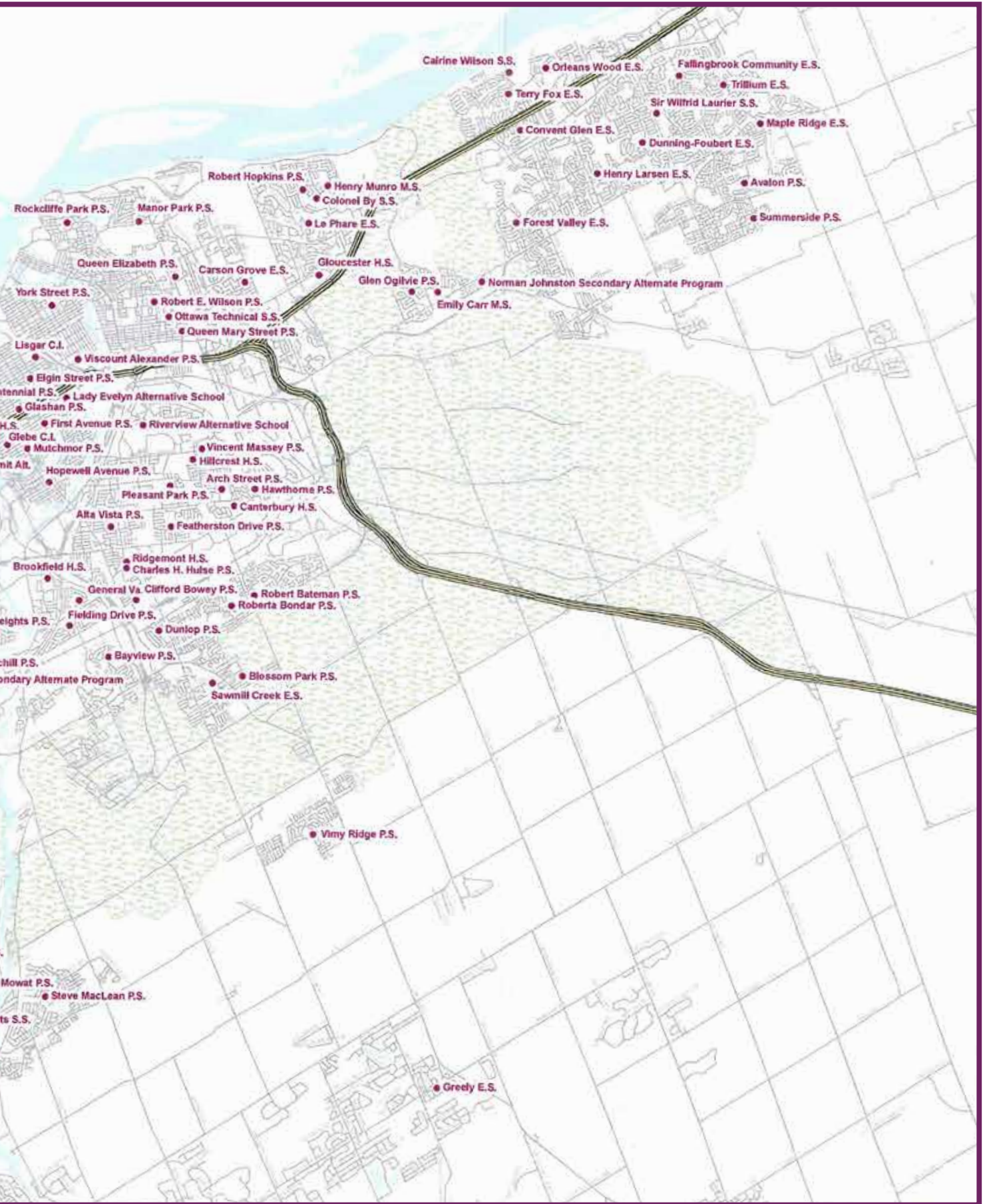
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WELCOME TO THE OTTAWA INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM – OISP



A New Adventure in a New Land

Travelling to a new country is always an exciting experience. To combine a first rate education with travel can be the most rewarding time of your life. I invite you to join us on a voyage of discovery as a student in the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board.

The OCDSB prides itself on being a leader in education in Canada and has set a standard of excellence for other schools to follow. The OCDSB students have distinguished themselves at colleges and universities throughout Canada and the United States.

We have over 70,000 students who are eager to make new friends with our international students. Another strength of our system is our staff. Our teachers are education specialists. They work to ensure that all students are able to learn, participate and succeed.

The OCDSB conducts training sessions for its entire staff to ensure that the latest in educational innovations are used in each classroom. Because we serve a diverse cultural student body, our staff members are sensitive to

the needs of international students and are pleased to assist in helping students adjust to their new situation.

OCDSB initiatives such as the International Certificate Program (ICP) allow international students to apply their study abroad experience within our existing curriculum. Active participation in such opportunities places your child in a unique position to apply for our Lynch Getty Global Student Award scholarship. As a result of our district's globally aware programming, the OCDSB has received the Canadian Bureau for International Education's Board of Directors Award for Comprehensive Internationalization.

We want you to entrust us with your most precious possession - your children. We give you our sincere promise that we will do everything we can to make their learning experience in Canada's capital city one of memories, achievement and personal growth.

Geoff Best - Director
Ottawa International Student Program
Ottawa-Carleton District School Board

Living and Learning with a Canadian Family

International students studying at the OCDSB will live with Canadian families who will support and care for them while they are studying in OCDSB schools. Living with a Canadian family provides an excellent learning opportunity for students who want to develop skills that will help them to learn to communicate cross culturally at school and around the world.

All families are carefully screened through a comprehensive due diligence process, which involves interviews, a reference check and a criminal record check. Families are selected through a careful matching process, which considers the preferences and requests of the student and host. Each match is confirmed in writing with a family profile and pictures of the family and a location map.

The homestay program is managed by one of the leading homestay program management organizations in Canada. The Canada Homestay Network Society (CHNS) is a non-profit organization that has been supporting and advocating for OCDSB students and host families since 2000. Over the years CHNS has established a strong reputation for caring hospitality, responsiveness, dependability, and due diligence.

Each student gets a warm welcome upon their arrival in Canada and care is taken to ensure that they are comfortable with their host family. Students participate in an orientation which includes tips on how to make their experience a positive and successful one. CHNS follows up with each student and their host to determine whether they require any special assistance.

Ongoing support is available to each student as well as their hosts, their agent and their school. Staff are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to respond to emergencies and other needs. Multilingual support is also available.

More information on the Canada Homestay Network can be found at www.canadahomestaynetwork.ca





Discover Ottawa

Serving the National Capital Region, the Ottawa-Carleton School District is ideally situated for students who are looking for an exciting and active learning environment in which to study. A cosmopolitan yet surprisingly intimate G8 capital, Ottawa is a place where you can immerse yourself in Canadian culture, embrace and enjoy the great outdoors, even in the heart of the city, join the celebration at year-round festivals and events, and shop and dine in a relaxed urban setting of distinctive neighbourhoods and districts.

More Reasons to Study in Ottawa

- ✓ Friendly, safe and family-oriented community
- ✓ Bilingual community (English and French)
- ✓ Opportunity to attend post-secondary institutions located in the area
- ✓ Many outdoor activities within 15 minutes of downtown (skiing, hiking, canoeing, etc.)
- ✓ World class hospitals including the Ottawa Civic, General and the Children’s Hospital of Eastern Ontario
- ✓ Over 100 embassies and diplomatic missions
- ✓ 29 museums, including 12 exhibiting national treasures
- ✓ Fourth largest metropolitan area in Canada

Sample Timetable for students in grades 9-12

Time	Day 1	Day 2
09:05 - 10:20	Period 1	Period 2
10:20 - 10:25	Travel	Travel
10:25 - 11:40	Period 2	Period 1
11:40 - 12:30	Lunch	Lunch
12:30 - 1:45	Period 3	Period 3
01:45 - 1:50	Travel	Travel
01:50 - 3:05	Period 4	Period 4

Courses available in our schools.

- ✓ English, Math, History, Geography, Science, Phys Ed., French, Civics, Careers, Drama, Visual Arts and Music.
- ✓ Electives offered in some schools.
- ✓ Accounting
- ✓ International Business Fundamentals
- ✓ Introduction to Business
- ✓ Entrepreneurship
- ✓ Marketing
- ✓ Economics
- ✓ Business and Technology Communication
- ✓ Law
- ✓ Computer Studies or Computer Science
- ✓ Outdoor Activities
- ✓ Personal Fitness
- ✓ Kinesiology
- ✓ Native Studies
- ✓ Anthropology, Psychology & Sociology
- ✓ Philosophy

"I love Canada...I live with the best Homestay family I could imagine."

Miao, international student from Taiwan

"I know that this experience will be a memory I will carry with me for the rest of my life."

Maria, international student from Mexico

"I came to Ottawa to study in order to improve my English, but most importantly to learn how different people and cultures in the world think."

Bill, international student from China

"...the best part about studying here is the education system itself because I have lots of choices which enable me to explore my own interests."

Zixiang, international student from China

"I really like the semester system because I only have four different courses at one time."

Sophie, international student from Turkey

"Being an international student makes you stronger; you become a better person"

Michelangelo, international student from Italy





A.Y. Jackson Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 150 Abbeyhill Drive, Kanata, ON K2L 1H7
School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Enrolment: 897
Website: www.ayjacksonss.ocdsb.ca

We are committed to creating a positive learning environment for all our students. Our academic program is challenging and is designed to provide students with a strong academic and technological foundation for their future studies. We empower all learners to become members of the global society by providing opportunities for growth in a respectful and nurturing community.

Neighbourhood Description

A. Y. Jackson Secondary School is a community high school in the Glen Cairn neighbourhood of Kanata, a suburb in the west end of Ottawa. It is approximately 26km from the city center. The schools is close to shopping, gyms and other recreational activities.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Music
- ✓ Repertoire-band
Guitar
- ✓ Visual Arts
- ✓ Ceramics

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country
Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Girls Touch Football
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Lacrosse
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Ultimate Frisbee
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Athletics Council
- ✓ Audio Visual Team
- ✓ Cappies Critics
- ✓ Concert Band
- ✓ Dance Production
- ✓ Debating Team
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Environmental Council
- ✓ Jazz Ensemble
- ✓ J-TV
- ✓ Leadership Forum
- ✓ Reach for the top
- ✓ Robotics Club
- ✓ Ski and snowboard
- ✓ Spin Class
- ✓ Star Wars games
and Chess Club
- ✓ Students Council
- ✓ Weight Training
- ✓ Yearbook
- ✓ Yoga





Bell High School

Grades 7-12
Semestered (9-12) - ESL

Address: 40 Cassidy Rd. Ottawa, ON K2H 6K1
School hours: 8:50 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Enrolment: 1164
Website: www.bellhs.ocdsb.ca

Bell High School provides a safe, healthy learning environment that allows students to attain personal and academic excellence in a culturally diverse community. Rich in culture, our school features academic programs meeting the needs of all students. For fifty years Bell High School has fostered excellence in student achievement.

The core of our work together in this community is captured by the acronym P.R.I.D.E., which stands for perseverance, respect, integrity, diversity, and excellence. Wherever their pathway takes them, be it the world of work or a post-secondary setting, our goal is to help our students move beyond our community with a sense of mission and the confidence to make our world a better place.

Neighbourhood Description

Bell High School is a high school located in the Bells Corners neighborhood of Ottawa. The school is in the west end of the city 17km from the city center. City buses are accessed on the school property.

Languages

- ✓ English English as a second Language
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Beginner French (ESL)
- ✓ Latin

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Instrumental Music – Band
- ✓ Instrumental - Beginner
- ✓ Vocal/Choir
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Ultimate Frisbee

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Intro to Ice sports
- ✓ Earth and Space Science
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Athletic Council
- ✓ AV Crew
- ✓ Biochemistry
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Conversation
- ✓ Debate
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ EcoTeam
- ✓ GloBELL
- ✓ Key
- ✓ Man Up
- ✓ Model UN
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Science
- ✓ Scrabble
- ✓ Students' Council
- ✓ Sustainable Development
- ✓ Yearbook





Brookfield High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered - ESL

Address: 824 Brookfield Rd. Ottawa, ON K1V 6J3
School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:05 p.m.
Enrolment: 570
Website: www.brookfieldhs.ocdsb.ca

Opened in 1962, Brookfield is a semestered composite high school, offering a safe, caring environment to a culturally diverse student population with an international outlook. We are a school that has embraced Character Education, preparing our students both academically and socially to be global citizens. Brookfield offers a variety of courses across the full range of programs at the university, college, academic and applied levels to broaden students' knowledge and experience. We also offer a French Immersion Program and our French students have the opportunity to do their D.E.L.F (European Framework) French Examinations. International language courses are also available at various levels in Arabic and Spanish. Brookfield has a long tradition of excellence in the following areas: Academics through a variety of courses in all disciplines; Arts through our Music Department (which is known throughout the City for its excellence), our Drama Department which participates in the Cappies productions; our Art Department which has had showings in local galleries and Athletics through intramural and interscholastic programs fostering a balanced healthy lifestyle

Brookfield has a strong, long standing tradition of celebrating our student successes through our annual Academic Dinner, Music and Art Nights and the Athletic Awards Banquet.

Neighbourhood Description

Brookfield High School is located in Riverside Park in the south end of the city. The school is 10km from the city center. The school is walking distance to Mooney's Bay and the Terry Fox Athletic Facility.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Arts
- ✓ Business
- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Technology

Languages

- ✓ Arabic
- ✓ English as a Second Language
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Band
- ✓ Choir
- ✓ Crafts
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Jazz Band
- ✓ Music - Beginner/Advanced
- ✓ Theatre Production
- ✓ Vocals
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross Country running
- ✓ Girls' Touch Football
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Track & Field
- ✓ Ultimate Frisbee
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Crystal Growing
- ✓ Homework
- ✓ International Students
- ✓ Multi Cultural
- ✓ Ski and Snowboard
- ✓ Star Wars Cub
- ✓ Student Ambassadors
- ✓ Tech Crew
- ✓ The BHS Christian Union
- ✓ Ultimate Frisbee
- ✓ Yogaerobics





Cairine Wilson Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 975 Orleans Blvd. Orleans, ON K1C 2Z5
 School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
 Enrolment: 792
 Website: www.cairinewilsonss.ocdsb.ca

Cairine Wilson is truly a community school. We pride ourselves on an atmosphere of caring, engagement, and positivity within our school and the world around us. As a community, we raise our students to be critical thinkers, to strive for academic excellence, and to be life-long learners. We also raise our students to be responsible citizens, which means they are helping those who are less fortunate with service and leadership, being compassionate, seeking justice, and living with integrity. At Cairine Wilson we know that the future starts here, in our classrooms, with each and every student who enters.

Neighbourhood Description

Cairine Wilson Secondary School is located in the east end of Ottawa. The school is 17km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion

Arts

- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Production
- ✓ Music - Instrumental and concert band
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Amnesty International
- ✓ Cappies
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Choir
- ✓ Concert band
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Equity
- ✓ Improv
- ✓ Link Crew
- ✓ Peer Helpers
- ✓ Relay for Life
- ✓ Video games
- ✓ Voices student leadership





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Canterbury High School

Grades 9-12 Semestered Specialized Arts Program

Address: 900 Canterbury Ave. Ottawa, ON K1G 3A7

School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:25 p.m.

Enrolment: 1208

Website: www.canterburyhs.ocdsb.ca

Canterbury High School is a hub of creative activity for over 1,200 students. It is a school with a strong tradition of excellence made up of students from our local community and students who have auditioned for the specialized Arts Canterbury program. As a result, our students are motivated, creative, energetic and committed to their studies, their activities, and their community. The extra-curricular athletic program at Canterbury lends balance to both academics and arts. Our students come from across the City of Ottawa, West Quebec and a variety of international locations. Our students come from a diverse and culturally rich group spanning all socio-economic backgrounds and, as a result, are very accepting of each others' differences and needs. For this reason, the school life is dynamic and very busy. Our graduates return on a regular basis to share their experiences from the worlds of work and academics.

Neighbourhood Description

Canterbury High School is located in the southeast sector of Ottawa. It is in a residential area and the school is 8km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ SHSM Marketing/
Entrepreneurship

Language

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Literary
- ✓ Music -Vocals,
Winds and Strings
- ✓ Visual

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Girls touch football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Rugby (7's)
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Ultimate Frisby
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Archery
- ✓ Debate
- ✓ Fashion Show
- ✓ Film
- ✓ Free the Children
- ✓ Junior Achievement
- ✓ Key
- ✓ Link Crew
- ✓ Model UN
- ✓ Musicals
- ✓ Pride
- ✓ Save our Environment
- ✓ Ski and Snowboard
- ✓ Spanish
- ✓ Students' Council
- ✓ Vocal and instrumental
- ✓ Yoga





Colonel By Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Non-Semestered

Address: 2381 Ogilvie Rd. Gloucester, ON K1J 7N4
 School hours: 9:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
 Enrolment: 1164
 Website: www.colonelby.com

Colonel By Secondary School has over 40 years of excellence in academics, athletics and the arts. We are both a community school for students who live in our area and a system school offering the International Baccalaureate (IB) program for students throughout the region. Our school consists of caring students, staff, and families who work together to ensure high student achievement. More than 95% of our graduating students go on to post secondary education. Our academic program is challenging and is designed to provide our students with a strong academic and technological foundation for further studies.

Neighbourhood Description

Colonel By Secondary School is located in the Beacon Hill neighbourhood of Gloucester in the city of Ottawa. The school is in the east end 13km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ Digital Media
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Drama - Musical Theatre
- ✓ Music - Instrumental
- ✓ Portfolio
- ✓ Visual Arts - Sculpture
- ✓ Vocals Jazz

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Touch Football
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Art Cubed
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ C-flats
- ✓ Coding
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Debate
- ✓ Fitness and Weights
- ✓ Graphic Design
- ✓ History
- ✓ Math
- ✓ Mock Trial
- ✓ MCAT
- ✓ Model UN
- ✓ Musical.ly
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Ultimate
- ✓ Write Away
- ✓ Yoga





Earl of March Secondary School

Grades 7-12
Semestered

Address: 4 The Parkway, Kanata, ON K2K 1Y4
School hours: 8:40am - 2:50pm
Enrolment: 1976
Website: www.earlofmarchss.ocdsb.ca

Earl of March Secondary School is a community school committed to excellence for all students.

Our goal is to provide destination-driven program pathways for all students within our community. The Mission Statement of our school is “to provide a caring, challenging, and safe environment, which will encourage and motivate students to pursue excellence in all their endeavours.

Neighbourhood Description

Earl of March Secondary School is located in suburban Kanata in the Beaverbrook neighbourhood in Ottawa. It is the west end of the city near the Ottawa Public Library Beaverbrook Branch and the John G. Mlacak Centre. The school is 23km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Earth and Space Science

Languages

- ✓ Extended French
- ✓ French
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Drawing
- ✓ Drawing and Painting
- ✓ Instrumental
- ✓ Media Arts
- ✓ Music - Guitar
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Repertoire
- ✓ Vocals
- ✓ Visual Arts - Ceramics
- ✓ Yearbook

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross - Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Futsal
- ✓ Girls Touch Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Ultimate

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Art
- ✓ AV Crew
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Cinema
- ✓ Computer
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Math
- ✓ Reach for the top
- ✓ Relay for life
- ✓ Ski/Snowboard



Glebe Collegiate Institute

Grades 9-12
Semestered - ESL

Address: 212 Glebe Ave. Ottawa, ON K1S 2C9
School hours: 8:50 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Enrolment: 1452
Website: www.glebe.ocdsb.ca

Glebe Collegiate Institute has developed a rich tradition over its 92 year history. Many of our students have achieved national and international recognition, and we are proud of the educational foundation that Glebe has given its students.

Glebe's commitment to learning is embodied in our motto "strive for the heights". Staff and students continually celebrate the diversity of our school community through a culture of mutual respect, leadership, integrity, and compassion. The challenging academic and extra-curricular programs are impressive in both range and quality. Our successful sports teams, outstanding music program and the French Immersion Gifted Program are hallmarks of the Glebe tradition.

It is a school where multicultural students find a safe, stimulating environment and where an atmosphere of mutual respect for all cultures of Canada is cultivated. Emphasis is placed on academic excellence, personal integrity, and respect for all individuals.

Neighbourhood Description

Glebe Collegiate Institute is located in the beautiful Glebe neighborhood in Ottawa. The school is 4km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program

Languages

- ✓ English as a second language
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Intro to French
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Band
- ✓ Dance - Hip Hop and Urban
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Keyboard
- ✓ Music-Instrumental Strings
- ✓ Percussion Offbeat
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Stage Band
- ✓ Visual Arts - Film Studies
- ✓ Vocal/Choir

Sports

- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Lacrosse
- ✓ Ringette
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Swim team
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Ultimate

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Art
- ✓ Amnesty International
- ✓ Athletic Council
- ✓ Board Games
- ✓ Camera
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Computer Programing
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Debating
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Dungeons & Dragons
- ✓ Environmental
- ✓ Film
- ✓ Finance
- ✓ Geology
- ✓ Homework
- ✓ Junior Achievement
- ✓ Key Club
- ✓ Leadership
- ✓ Ping Pong

- ✓ Reach for the top
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Scrabble
- ✓ Ski
- ✓ Stage Crew
- ✓ Student Government
- ✓ Weight Room
- ✓ World Action
- ✓ Writing Workshop
- ✓ Yearbook





Gloucester High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered - ESL

Address: 2060 Ogilvie Rd. Gloucester, ON K1J 7N8
School hours: 9:20 a.m. - 3:25 p.m.
Enrolment: 1030
Website: www.gloucesterhs.ocdsb.ca

Gloucester High School takes pride in the diversity of our school community and the dedication of our staff. Our motto "hard work overcomes challenges" is exemplified by the many accomplishments of our students both in academics and in extra-curricular activities. We provide opportunities to explore a range of post-secondary pathways including college, apprenticeships, university, and the world of work.

Neighbourhood Description

Gloucester High School is located beside a public library, arena, wave pool, and outdoor athletic facilities. Gloucester is in the east end of the city 11km from the city center. The school is easily accessible by public transportation.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Environmental Science
- ✓ Fashion
- ✓ Kinesiology
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ Rugby Focus and conditioning
- ✓ Travel and Tourism
- ✓ Yearbook

Languages

- ✓ Arabic
- ✓ English as a second language
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Japanese
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Ceramics
- ✓ Concert Band Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Instrumental strings
- ✓ Percussion
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Visual Arts
- ✓ Vocal Ensemble
- ✓ Yoga

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Learn to Skate and Play Hockey
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Swim Team
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Ultimate
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Weight Club

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ A-Team
- ✓ Athletic Association
- ✓ Best Buddies
- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Book
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Debate
- ✓ Drama and Cappies
- ✓ Games
- ✓ Gator Power and Free the Children
- ✓ Greenhouse
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Fitness
- ✓ Homework
- ✓ LINK Crew
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Trivia
- ✓ Violin
- ✓ Writers



Hillcrest High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 1900 Dauphin Rd. Ottawa, ON K1G 2L7
 School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
 Enrolment: 567
 Website: www.hillcresths.ocdsb.ca

With mutual respect and celebration of human diversity, Hillcrest High School strives for excellence in order to impact our world through leadership, knowledge, compassion, and integrity. Since 1961 Hillcrest, home of the Hawks, has prepared four generations of students from the south Ottawa community for university, college, apprenticeship programs and the world of work.

By focusing on academic excellence, community involvement, leadership initiatives, and a healthy and active lifestyle, our students have every opportunity to excel in a rich and caring school community.

Neighbourhood Description

Hillcrest High School is in the Elmvale Acres neighbourhood in Ottawa. It is in the south end of the city about 7km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion

Arts

- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Drama - Film/Video
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Music- Instrumental, strings
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Touch Football
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Black History
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Impact
- ✓ Link Crew





John McCrae Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 103 Malvern Dr. Nepean, ON K2J 4T2
School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:20 p.m.
Enrolment: 1391
Website: www.johnmccraess.ocdsb.ca

Welcome to John McCrae (JMSS), an Advanced Placement secondary school. JMSS is a comprehensive community school dedicated to meeting the needs of all learners according to their individuality. We provide students with an established safe environment in a modern facility. Large spacious classrooms, modern computer labs, updated technology shops, art studios, and open science laboratories provide students with an excellent environment in which to develop skills and interests.

Additional facilities are provided by our community partnership with the Walter Baker Sports Complex. Students at JMSS utilize the resources of the public library and have access to the sports facilities housed in the area. Academic classes benefit a great deal from these extended resources while physical education classes and interscholastic teams are able to participate in activities not normally available in secondary schools (i.e. aquatics, hockey, squash, fitness facilities). JMSS is an all encompassing, caring school which nurtures the educational, emotional and social growth of all its students. "We Care."

Neighbourhood Description

John McCrae Secondary School is built in a residential neighbourhood in old Barrhaven in the south west end of the city. The school is 23km to the city center. The school is close to shopping, movie theaters and it is attached to the Walter Baker Sports Complex.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Advanced Placement
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ Science - Medical and Social issues in Public Health
- ✓ Travel and Tourism

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drawing and Painting
- ✓ Drama - Production
- ✓ Film/Video
- ✓ Guitar Jazz Band
- ✓ Music - Repertoire
- ✓ Visual Arts -Ceramics
- ✓ Vocals
- ✓ Yearbook

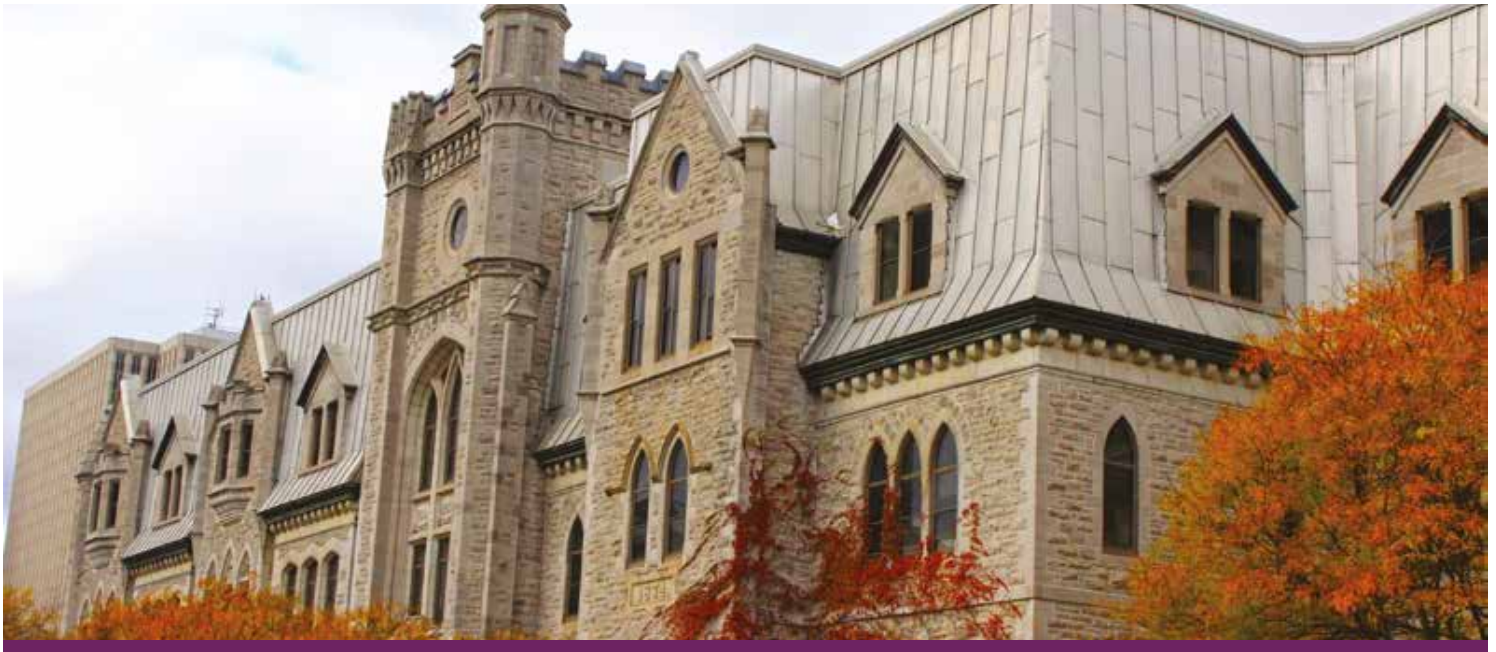
Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Lacrosse
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Touch Football
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Softball
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Ultimate

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Athletic Council
- ✓ Boat Maker
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Fandom
- ✓ Multi Cultural
- ✓ Music
- ✓ Reach for the Top
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Student Action
- ✓ Thread Works
- ✓ Yearbook





Lisgar Collegiate Institute

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 29 Lisgar St. Ottawa, ON K2P 0B9
 School hours: 8:50 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 Enrolment: 1019
 Website: www.lisgarci.ocdsb.ca

Lisgar Collegiate Institute has a 170-year-old tradition of excellence in Academics, the Arts, and Athletics. Each student's contribution to the learning environment is valued. Many of our graduates receive scholarships and awards from several Canadian and American universities and colleges. We value every student as an individual and encourage every person to contribute to the Lisgar community and benefit from the learning experience.

Neighbourhood Description

Lisgar Collegiate Institute is located in the city center. You can walk to the major shopping mall, the parliament buildings and many cultural attractions.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Hospitality and tourism
- ✓ Computer Programming Technology
- ✓ Communications Technology
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Languages

- ✓ Extended French
- ✓ French
- ✓ Latin
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Crafts
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Music - Band
- ✓ Strings
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Snowboard Racing
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Biomedical
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Cheerleading
- ✓ Dance Team
- ✓ Debate
- ✓ Engineering
- ✓ Environmental Action Force
- ✓ Key
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Me to We Club
- ✓ Model UN
- ✓ OCE Space Sim
- ✓ Reach for the top
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Star Trek
- ✓ Ultimate





Longfields-Davidson Heights Secondary School

Grades 7-12
Semestered (9-12)

Address: 149 Berrigan Dr. Nepean, ON K2J 5C6
School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Enrolment: 2112
Website: www.ldhss.ocdsb.ca

Longfields-Davidson Heights Secondary School (LDHSS), Home of the Ravens, opened in September 2009. This growing community school offers a comprehensive program that addresses the needs of a variety of learners. LDHSS offers programming to students in grades 7 to 12.

LDHSS is committed to providing a program for all students which will allow students to reach their full potential and prepare them to become responsible global citizens. LDHSS strives to create a safe, caring environment that honours, accepts, and celebrates diversity.

Neighbourhood Description

Longfields-Davidson Heights Secondary School is a public school in Barrhaven, a suburb of Ottawa. Longfields is approximately 24km from the city center. There is shopping, movie theaters, gyms and restaurants in walking distance to the school.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Audio Studio Environmental
- ✓ Science Earth and Space Science
- ✓ Hospitality and Tourism (cooking)
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ Print and Graphic Communications
- ✓ 3D Printing
- ✓ Technological studies - Robotics
- ✓ Video Streaming Studio

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Ceramics
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Music - Vocal
- ✓ Repertoire
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Girls' Field Hockey
- ✓ Girls' Touch Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Ice Hockey
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Athletic Council
- ✓ Band
- ✓ Book Blast
- ✓ Cappies
- ✓ Chess
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Games
- ✓ Jazz band
- ✓ Link Crew
- ✓ Mathletes
- ✓ Multi Cultural
- ✓ Ping Pong
- ✓ Rainbow
- ✓ Science
- ✓ Student Council





Merivale High School

Grades 7-12
Semestered

Address: 1755 Merivale Rd. Nepean, ON K2E 6P2
 School hours: 8:20 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
 Enrolment: 957
 Website: www.merivalehs.ocdsb.ca

Merivale High School is a progressive learning community that balances tradition with the ability to embrace change. We have an inclusive, dynamic school culture that promotes excellence in academics, athletics, and the arts.

Our diverse programming prepares students for varied pathways in life. Students can prepare for university, college, apprenticeship opportunities, and the world of work. Merivale is a designated Gifted Program site and offers a French Immersion Program in addition to a full range of academic courses including Advanced Placement courses.

Neighbourhood Description

Merivale High School is located in the west end of the city. The school is 15km to the city center. The school is in a residential part of the city with shopping and gyms nearby.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Communication and Design Focus Program
- ✓ Outdoor Education

Languages

- ✓ Extended French
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion

Arts

- ✓ Ceramics
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Graphic Design
- ✓ Integrated Arts
- ✓ Media
- ✓ Production
- ✓ Music - Repertoire
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Steel Drum
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Athletic Council
- ✓ Audio Visual
- ✓ Band
- ✓ Cappies
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Drama Council
- ✓ Earth Care/ Environmental
- ✓ Jewish Culture
- ✓ Knitting Circle
- ✓ Lego Robotics Club
- ✓ Multi Cultural
- ✓ Music Council
- ✓ Peer Helpers
- ✓ Reading
- ✓ Reach for the Top
- ✓ Rainbow
- ✓ Ski/Snowboard





Nepean High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 574 Broadview Ave. Ottawa, ON K2A 3V8
School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Enrolment: 1143
Website: www.nepeanhs.ocdsb.ca

Celebrating 92 years in our community, Nepean High School has a long-standing tradition to encourage its students to strive for excellence academically, artistically, and athletically.

Our aim is to educate and support each student to realize his/her full potential. We expect our graduates to be well-rounded, responsible, contributing global citizens. They will have critical thinking skills, productive work habits, and a motivation to succeed.

Neighbourhood Description

Nepean High School is located in the Westboro area west of the city center. Westboro is a residential neighbourhood 8km from the city center. It is close to shopping and many sports.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Environmental Education
- ✓ Outdoor Education Science
- ✓ Yearbook

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Concert Band
- ✓ Drama - Production
- ✓ Drawing and Painting
- ✓ Film/Video
- ✓ Music - Instrumental
- ✓ Stage Band
- ✓ Visual Arts
- ✓ Visual Design - Yearbook
- ✓ Vocal/Choir

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Girls Softball
- ✓ Girls touch Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic
- ✓ Skiing
- ✓ Rugby

- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Cappies
- ✓ Cycling
- ✓ Deca
- ✓ Environmental Club
- ✓ Global and Domestic Affairs
- ✓ Improv
- ✓ Jewish Culture Club Key
- ✓ Knight watch Model UN
- ✓ Reach for the top Rainbow
- ✓ Society Strategy and Gaming Video
- ✓ Gaming
- ✓ Yoga
- ✓ Youth n Action



Ridgemont High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered - ESL

Address: 2597 Alta Vista Dr. Ottawa, ON K1V 7T3
 School hours: 9:00 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.
 Enrolment: 814
 Website: www.ridgemonths.ocdsb.ca

Ridgemont High School is the home of the Spartans a strong academic foundation for its academic excellence, its strong athletic and extra-curricular programs, and its community partnerships. It provides a strong academic and is noted foundation for secondary school students who choose to pursue post-secondary education at university or college or to enter directly into the workforce.

Ridgemont High School embraces a philosophy that challenges students to achieve personal excellence and responsible global citizenship in a safe and caring environment.

A dynamic, caring, and award- winning staff—focused on students and student achievement—is committed to providing a stimulating and enriching learning environment for all students. Ridgemont HS offers many technology-related courses and opportunities to its students: Computer Art course, Communication Technology, Transportation Technology, and Design & Technology. We have a strong Co-op program linked to our many community partners and a well-established Arts and Athletics programs.

Neighbourhood Description

Ridgemont High School is located in the south end of Ottawa. It is a residential area with a mix of businesses nearby. The school is 7km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program

Languages

- ✓ Arabic
- ✓ English as a second Language
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Keyboard
- ✓ Band
- ✓ Media Arts
- ✓ Music- Vocal/Choral
- ✓ Percussion
- ✓ Visual Arts - Film/Video

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Track and field
- ✓ Ultimate
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Wrestling

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Art
- ✓ Book
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Games
- ✓ Homework
- ✓ Improv
- ✓ Intramural Activities
- ✓ Investment
- ✓ Karaoke
- ✓ Leadership Camp
- ✓ LINK Crew
- ✓ Man Up
- ✓ Movie Making
- ✓ Pottery
- ✓ Robotics
- ✓ Students for Change
- ✓ Weight Training



Sir Robert Borden High School

Grades 7-12
Semestered

Address: 131 Greenbank Rd. Nepean, ON K2H 8R1
School hours: 9:00 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.
Enrolment: 1149
Website: www.sirrobertbordenhs.ocdsb.ca

Sir Robert Borden High School (SRB), home of the Bengals, is a large, culturally diverse, community-based secondary school located on Greenbank Road. Our excellent facilities include an auditorium that seats over 650 people, a large gymnasium with a new floor, a large exercise room, music rooms, upgraded science labs, computer labs, large athletic fields, classrooms equipped with Smartboards and/or digital projectors.

Our goal is to inspire learning in all students while promoting well-being, creativity, critical thinking and leadership.

Neighbourhood Description

Sir Robert Borden High School is located in the west end of the city in a residential neighbourhood. It is approximately 14km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Print and Graphic Communication
- ✓ Specialist High Skills Major in Community Safety and Emergency Services
- ✓ Specialist High Skills Major in Architecture

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Arts - Visual Arts
- ✓ Band
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Engineering
- ✓ Keyboard
- ✓ Music - Instrumental
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Technology - Communications and Design Computer
- ✓ Vocal

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross-Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Amnesty
- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Archery
- ✓ AV
- ✓ Christian
- ✓ Drama performances
- ✓ Environmental Fitness
- ✓ Free the Children
- ✓ Glee
- ✓ Interweb
- ✓ Jazz Band
- ✓ Jewish Culture
- ✓ Junior Concert Band
- ✓ Key Club
- ✓ Multicultural
- ✓ Music Executive
- ✓ Musical Theatre
- ✓ Senior Concert Band
- ✓ Ski/Snowboard Club





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Sir Wilfrid Laurier Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 1515 Tenth Line Rd. Orleans, ON K1E 3E8
School hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:35 p.m.
Enrolment: 970
Website: www.sirwilfridlaurierss.ocdsb.ca

The school strives to provide a positive and safe environment in which students, staff, and parents are committed to excellence and the creation of socially responsible, adaptable learners who are prepared to make an effective contribution to the community. The school motto, 'Wil Power,' is used to emphasize Respect: Respect for Self, Respect for Others, and Respect for Community and the Environment.

Neighbourhood Description

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Secondary School is located in the east end of the city. The east end of Ottawa offers more options for students who want to live with a French/Bilingual family. The school is 20 km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ Arts & Culture
- ✓ Radio and television studio
- ✓ Specialist High Skills Majors: Broadcasting, Housebuilding

Electives offered

- ✓ Arts - Visual Arts: Drawing, Painting and Sculpting; Dramatic Arts; Music: Instrumental, Band, Vocal, Guitar
- ✓ Cooperative Education
- ✓ Leadership
- ✓ Native Studies
- ✓ Science - Earth & Space, Environmental
- ✓ Social Sciences - Philosophy, World Religions
- ✓ Technology - Communications Technology: Broadcasting, Graphics, New Media & Animation; Yearbook: Print and Graphics; Pre Engineering/CNC Technology; Construction Technology, Construction Projects, Custom Woodworking, Housebuilding; Computer Engineering: Robotics; Photography & Digital Imaging

Languages

- ✓ English
- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Softball
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Touch Football
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Art
- ✓ Board Game
- ✓ Cappies
- ✓ Christian youth group
- ✓ Diversity
- ✓ Film
- ✓ Free the Children
- ✓ Hands for Humanity
- ✓ Link Crew
- ✓ Live It Up
- ✓ Math
- ✓ Multicultural
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ Reach for the Top
- ✓ Sewing & Knitting
- ✓ Skiing & Snowboarding
- ✓ Students' Council
- ✓ Theatre arts productions
- ✓ Vocal and Instrumental music groups



South Carleton High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 3673 McBean St. Richmond, ON K0A 2Z0
 School hours: 8:00 a.m. - 2:15 p.m.
 Enrolment: 1142
 Website: www.southcarletonhs.ocdsb.ca

To provide students with a caring, community-based school that respects the individual, honours traditions, prepares students for their future, and we develops citizenship through character education. Our excellent Academic Program at SCHS provides students with a wide range of learning opportunities. We offer a comprehensive Academic Program coupled with requisite expectations that challenge our students, most of whom pursue post-secondary education.

Neighbourhood Description

South Carleton High School is a high school situated in the southwestern sector of the city of Ottawa, in the town of Richmond, Ontario. The school is in a rural area but most of the hosts would be located in the suburbs of Ottawa. The school is 37km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Advanced Placement Health and Wellness House Construction
- ✓ Focus Program Information Technology
- ✓ Specialist High Skills Major in Construction, Manufacturing

Electives offered:

- ✓ Arts - Visual Arts- Drawing and Painting
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama - Production
- ✓ Film/Video
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Music -Instrumental
- ✓ Photography

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Cross - Country Running
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Girls Touch Football
- ✓ Hockey
- ✓ Rowing
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball



Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Global Awareness
- ✓ Leadership
- ✓ Peer Support



West Carleton Secondary School

Grades 9-12
Semestered

Address: 3088 Dunrobin Rd. Dunrobin, ON K0A 1T0
 School hours: 9:05 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
 Enrolment: 1281
 Website: www.westcarletonss.ocdsb.ca

West Carleton Secondary School staff is committed to providing a complete program to all students, permitting students to pursue all academic interests and post-secondary options. We are committed to character education creating a respectful, positive environment that welcomes and celebrates success, diversity, healthy lifestyle choices, good citizenship, and purposeful, honourable behaviour. We work to ensure that our students are provided with all available resources to support academic achievement and all possible opportunities to pursue their future dreams.

Neighbourhood Description

West Carleton Secondary School is situated in the rural west end of Ottawa, Ontario on 107 acres of field, wetland, and forest. The school is in a rural setting with host families mostly located in the suburbs of the city. The school is 40km from the city center.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Outdoor Education
- ✓ Rock climbing wall
- ✓ Specialist High Skills Major in Information and Communications Technology and in Building Construction Projects and Engineering Technology

Languages

- ✓ French
- ✓ French Immersion
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Arts
- ✓ Crafts
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Guitar
- ✓ Photography
- ✓ Musical Theatre
- ✓ Visual Art

Sports

- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Boys' Hockey
- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Girls' Field Hockey
- ✓ Girls Hockey
- ✓ Girls' Touch Football
- ✓ Girls' Rugby
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Nordic Skiing
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ X-Country Running

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Art
- ✓ Anime
- ✓ Athletics Association
- ✓ Concert Band
- ✓ Diversity
- ✓ Dungeons and Dragons
- ✓ Environmental
- ✓ Improv Team
- ✓ Jazz Band
- ✓ Math Contests
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Social Justice
- ✓ Sources of Strength





Woodroffe High School

Grades 9-12
Semestered - ESL

Address: 2410 Georgina Dr. Ottawa, ON K2B 7M8
School hours: 9:00 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.
Enrolment: 932
Website: www.woodroffehs.ocdsb.ca

Woodroffe High School (WHS) is a caring community that values diversity, nurtures positive character traits, and encourages academic success. We are a progressive school that values responsibility, acceptance, and the pursuit of excellence. Students develop a global perspective through an interconnected and inclusive curriculum designed to facilitate critical thinking, problem-solving, collaboration, and communication. Woodroffe students balance academics with participation in various school clubs, teams, and individual pursuits. We aim for all students to achieve their full potential.

We have a dedicated and caring staff at WHS who are committed to making students experience the very best in academic accomplishments, athletic achievements and social activities.

Neighbourhood Description

Woodroffe High School is in the suburbs in the west end of Ottawa. The school is less than 12km from the city center. The bus station is located very close to the school.

Interest or specialty courses

- ✓ International Certificate Program
- ✓ Auto Mechanics
- ✓ Integrated Math / Technology
- ✓ Performing Arts Theater
- ✓ Specialty High Skills Major in Sports Performance
- ✓ Student Leadership
- ✓ Woodworking
- ✓ Yearbook

Languages

- ✓ English as a second Language
- ✓ French
- ✓ Spanish

Arts

- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Drama
- ✓ Musical Theater
- ✓ Music - Vocals, Instrumental
- ✓ Visual Arts

Sports

- ✓ Badminton
- ✓ Baseball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Touch Football
- ✓ Track and Field
- ✓ Ultimate Frisbee
- ✓ Volleyball

Clubs and Activities

- ✓ Cappies Critics
- ✓ Choir
- ✓ Concert Band
- ✓ Eco Tigers
- ✓ Environmental
- ✓ French Exchange
- ✓ Games
- ✓ International Affairs
- ✓ Intramural Sports
- ✓ Model UN
- ✓ Musical
- ✓ National Biology Competition Team
- ✓ Ski
- ✓ Strength and Kettlebells Training
- ✓ Stage Band
- ✓ Student Council
- ✓ T-Crew
- ✓ Tech Crew
- ✓ Website



Elementary Schools

Elementary

There are 120 elementary schools from JK to grade 8 in the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board. Elementary students are generally placed in the grade level that is appropriate for their age.

In grades 1-8 Students will learn mathematics, science, and technology, social studies, history, geography, health and physical education, the arts, and Core French. They will receive 200 minutes per week in French.

ESL (English as a Second Language)

English as a Second Language is a support program to help students learn the language and skills needed to be successful in our school system. When students arrive in Ottawa, they will be assessed and given an ESL stage and recommended ESL support. An ESL teacher and classroom teacher will collaborate on the best possible support for each student at school. Please note that ESL support varies from school to school.

Accommodations for Elementary students

International students in Kindergarten to grade 7 must live with parent(s) or relatives who act as custodians while studying in the program. Students in grade 8 (13 years old) may live with a Canadian family arranged by the Canada Homestay Network Society.

School Assignment:

Please note that students are assigned to a school based on the understanding that the student will be living with his or her parent or custodian in a home that is located within the school's boundary.

You can use the school locator on the website at <http://www.ocdsb.ca/sch/sl/Pages/default.aspx>

School	Grade levels
Berrigan Elementary School	K-6
Briargreen Public School	K-6
Broadview Public School	K-8
Cedarview Middle School	7-8
Chapman Mills Public School	K-6
Dunning-Foubert Elementary School	K-8
Glashan Public School	7-8
Half Moon Bay Public School	K-6
Henry Munro Middle School	6-8
Hopewell Public School	K-8
Mutchmor Public School	K-6
W. Erskine Johnston Public School	K-6
York Street Public School	K-8

We have 5 High schools that offer classes for students in grades 7-8

- ✓ Bell High School
- ✓ Earl of March Secondary School
- ✓ Longfields-Davidson Heights Secondary School
- ✓ Merivale High School
- ✓ Sir Robert Borden High School



Chapman Mills Public School



Mutchmor Public School



Berrigan Elementary School



Broadview Public School



York Street Public School



Cedarview Middle School



Glashan Public School



W. Erskine Johnston Public School



Hopewell Public School



Briargreen Public School



Henry Munro Middle School