Scarlett Heights Entrepreneurial Academy

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GRADE RANGE: 9 to 12

Interesting Feature

2012-2013 Features

- Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) in Business and Entrepreneurial Studies.
- SHSM designation on student diploma and transcript.
- Experiential Learning,
 Co-op, Certifications.
- Student Leadership programs and Camps.
- Award winning clubs: DECA, Eco Schools, Social Justice.
- Programs for students in all pathways: Apprenticeship, college, university, workplace.

"Semper Ad Excellentiam" (Always Toward Excellence)

Scarlett Heights is a specialized school with a unique Business focus featuring an enhanced core curriculum designed to develop the entrepreneurial characteristics of innovation, leadership, and social-responsibility in our students to prepare them for college, university, and the new realities of a global economy.

Scarlett Heights is a leader in the Specialist High School Major (SHSM) program in Ontario. The SHSM is an asset in any college or university program admission and it opens doors to careers in all fields of work.

Scarlett Heights offers its unique program to students in its own catchment area and welcomes students from across the TDSB.

Recognized As An Excellent School

Committed to excellence and student success, Scarlett Heights was named "Best for Business" in Toronto Life magazine's "10 Best Schools in Toronto". The Toronto Star highlighted our Business &



Leadership programs and our focus on experiential learning, recognizing us as a school "like no other educational institution in North America". Partnerships with business organizations such as the Junior International Chamber of Commerce, as well as with post-secondary institutions and community agencies open many doors of opportunities for our students.



Eco Schools: Taking Care of the Environment

We are proud to be a TDSB Gold Level Eco School. Our Eco program addresses how we can reuse, reduce and recycle and contribute positively to protect our environment. Students take part in education about the environment, waste management, reducing energy consumption and community clean-ups. We are working to achieve recognition as a Platinum level eco-school.



DECA-Developing Excellence Celebrating Achievement

DECA is an international association of high school students studying business. DECA enhances the classroom learning through conferences and competitions by giving students hands-on experience in the fields of business, marketing and entrepreneurship working to develop high school students into character-driven leaders. Scarlett is an award winning DECA school.



Co-operative Education

Scarlett students have the option of taking a one, two or four credit Co-op Program providing opportunities to assist students in making the career choices and connections through real world experiences. Co-op is mandatory for students in the Specialist High Skills Major accreditation. Students in all pathways are encouraged to participate in the Co-op program.



Leadership

At Scarlett Heights, we empower our students by imparting the qualities associated with leadership through social responsibility initiatives. Students participate in school and community-based projects with local, national and international scope. Our students participate in exchanges within Canada and internationally such as trips to the Arctic, Mexico, and Ecuador.



Additional Features

- Three Mandatory Business Courses
- Computer Technology
- Co-operative Education
- School Uniform

- Experiential Learning Focus
- · Wide Array of Sports and Activities
- Special Education Program
- Learning Contract

For a list of all programs that are also offered visit http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Findyour/Schools.aspx?schno=2810&schoolId=1074



Student Life - Where You Belong

Scarlett Heights has a wide array of sports and activities for all students. We offer basketball, volleyball, soccer, golf, tennis, badminton, baseball, track and field, hockey, curling and cross country for both boys and girls. Students can also participate in intramural such as floor hockey, badminton, and beach volleyball, just to name a few, during lunch and after school.

Students can enhance their school experience through participation in clubs and committees including Leadership. Social Justice Club (Rescue This Generation), Library Club, Girls-on-the-Move, Model UN, Eco Schools, Me to We, Christian Club, and the Z (Zonta) Club. Students can participate in leadership camps and travel with their peers to create everlasting memories! Our students lead peer mediation and peer tutoring, and participate in Safe Schools Action team. Lunchtime programs are offered to support students with literacy, math, and homework. Scarlett students take part in various volunteer projects within our school community and beyond. Students learn how to take on responsibility and take charge in leadership roles, perform community service, plan fundraisers to give back to the community.



What Sets Us Apart

Scarlett Heights has the privilege of begin a Business and Entrepreneurial Studies Specialist High Schools Major school. Our mission is to provide rigorous academic learning in an entrepreneurial culture. All students at SHEA take mandatory Entrepreneurial and Business courses in Grades 9, 10 and 11. To promote our focus on experiential, hands-on learning, students participate in venture projects associated with these classes and have an opportunity to plan and execute business ideas and make a profit at the two venture fairs held each year. Throughout their time at SHEA, students focus on connecting with our community and charitable organizations for learning and community benefit. Guest speakers are invited to speak to students on a variety of topics related to curriculum and community-based issues reflecting current entrepreneurial skills and attitudes.

Our Grade 12 optional Venture program focuses on encouraging students to foster the spirit of Social Enterprise in the broader community while learning skills that will be of value long after graduation.





Parent and Community Engagement

Scarlett Heights parents are actively engaged and collaborate in supporting our students and staff in creating a caring, inclusive school. Parent/guardians are invited to participate in school activities such as judging/supervising entrepreneurial ventures, assisting in coaching, and through the School Council. Our Community Collaborative Council, composed of local youth and social support agencies, works together with the school to support and co-curricular programs for our students.





TDSB - Better Schools. Brighter Futures

Imagine a TDSB where all schools share a common core set of characteristics. They are community-driven and focused on teaching and learning. Students and parents have a wide variety of opportunities and there are enough students in every school to increase program choices.

Imagine there is a clear focus on achieving student success and every student is engaged, has a voice, access to a caring adult and the opportunity to develop their full potential.

Here at the TDSB our focus is on student achievement, parent and community engagement and financial stability.



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