

# Parent/Guardian Community E-Bulletin



## Markville Secondary School E-Bulletin

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**February 14th, 2025**

Please keep in mind any information provided in this bulletin is subject to change and is accurate at the time of distribution.

## Message from Guidance

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### [FAMILY NIGHT WEBINAR SERIES](#)

The next, and final, webinar of the school year on [Funding Post-Secondary Education](#) will take place on March 19th @ 6:30pm. [The link to the March 19th presentation](#) will be found on the [Family Night Agenda](#). This presentation is for Gr 11 and 12 families, and will cover OSAP, Scholarships, and general information that can aid in saving families money for post-secondary.

### [SUMMER CO-OP INFORMATION:](#)

Summer Co-op Programs are offered through Continuing Education and supported by Curriculum & Instructional Services. Summer Co-op is available for students entering Grade 11 or 12 in the fall. However, Grade 12 students who could not fit co-op into their regular timetables and require it for graduation will be given priority. Students must be available for all scheduled dates.

There will be a summer co-op information session for students held virtually on February 12, 2025 from 4pm - 5pm. All students interested in applying are encouraged to attend. Students can register for the information session through [yrdsb.cc/summercoopinfo](http://yrdsb.cc/summercoopinfo).

### Summer Co-op Programs 2025

SHSM  
2-Credit  
Co-op:  
Mackenzie  
Health &  
Scarborough  
Health  
Network

This program has an early registration deadline.

The SHSM Summer Co-op Program is for SHSM students in the Health & Wellness or Business sectors (for non-clinical positions), interested in working at Mackenzie Health/Cortellucci Hospital or Scarborough Health Network. Students may only apply to one hospital of their choice.

Application is limited to SHSM students entering Grade 12 who could not schedule Co-op into their regular timetables.

This program is being offered in collaboration with YRDSB and YCDSB.

The SHSM 2-credit summer co-op program is a blended learning model running from May 6, 2025 to August 1, 2025.

Pre-placement classes will take place in-person and virtually from 5:00-9:00 pm.

In-person classes will take place at Richmond Green Secondary School at 1 William F. Bell Pkwy, Richmond Hill, ON L4S 2T9.

[Registration Link](#)

Opens: Friday, February 14, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

Closes: Monday, February 24, 2025 by 4:00 p.m.

	<p>Students placed with Mackenzie Health Hospital must complete a mandatory two-week volunteer component at Mackenzie Health Hospital from August 5th to August 18th, 2025.</p> <p>Program Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-placement classes: May 6 (in-person), May 13, May 20, May 27, June 3, June 10, June 17 (in-person), June 26</li> <li>• Integration classes: To be determined</li> <li>• Placement: July 2, 2025 - August 1, 2025 (40 hours per week)</li> <li>• Mackenzie Health Volunteer Dates: August 5, 2025 - August 18, 2025</li> </ul>	
2-Credit Co-op	<p>This program has an early registration deadline.</p> <p>The 2-credit summer co-op program is a blended learning model running from May 6, 2025 to August 1, 2025. Pre-placement classes will take place in-person and virtually from 5:00-9:00 pm. In-person classes will take place at Richmond Green Secondary School at 1 William F. Bell Pkwy, Richmond Hill, ON L4S 2T9.</p>	<p><a href="#"><u>Registration Link</u></a></p> <p>Opens: Friday February 14, 2025 at 9:00am</p> <p>Deadline: Friday March 7, 2025 by 4:00pm</p>

	<p>Students entering Grade 11 and Grade 12 may apply.</p> <p>Program Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-placement classes: May 6 (in-person), May 13, May 20, May 27, June 3, June 10, June 17 (in-person), June 26</li> <li>• Integration classes: To be determined</li> <li>• Placement: July 2, 2025 - August 1, 2025 (40 hours per week)</li> </ul>	
1-Credit Co-op	<p>This program has an early registration deadline.</p> <p>Students will participate in virtual and in-person learning with their Co-op teacher and in-person/virtual Co-op placements in their community from July 2, 2025 to July 25, 2025. Location of the in-person classes is to be determined at a later date.</p> <p>Students entering Grade 11 and Grade 12 may apply.</p> <p>Program Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pre-Placement Classes: July 2 - July 4 (location to be determined)</li> <li>• Integration Classes: To be determined</li> </ul>	<p><u><a href="#">Registration Link</a></u></p> <p>Opens: Friday February 14, 2025 at 9:00am</p> <p>Deadline: Friday March 7, 2025 by 4:00pm</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Placement: July 7 – July 25 (40 hours/week)</li> </ul>	
1-Credit ALEP	<p>One Credit ALEP is available to students in grades 10–12 interested in earning a credit in July through a paid placement.</p> <p>Students will participate in remote/in-person learning and will be required to have a full-time job from July 2, 2025 to July 25, 2025.</p> <p>Employers must meet with the summer ALEP teacher for a placement assessment before students are accepted into the program.</p> <p>Program Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• July 2 – July 25 (approximately 40 hours/week)</li> <li>• Pre-placement and integration classes will be determined with the summer ALEP teacher.</li> </ul>	Registration will open with regular summer school through My Pathways Planner in April.

All programs are pending enrollment and availability. Students will be contacted by the Pathways team in Curriculum and Instructional Services when their enrolment is confirmed. More information about Summer Co-op Programs can be found at [www.yrdsb.ca/summer-pathway](http://www.yrdsb.ca/summer-pathway). There is a flyer for schools to share with their students and communities.

### **COURSE SELECTION - FOR NEXT YEAR:**

**Course Selection** will be open in [myBluePrint/myPathwayPlanner](#) for submission on **February 13, closing on February 21, 2025**. Students can enter courses at any point now, but **MUST** be locked in by February 21st. There is no advantage to submitting early, so please make your selection carefully, as elective changes (unless pathway changes) can be incredibly challenging.

**IMPORTANT:** Students in **Grade 10 and 11** should be exploring Post-Secondary interests to review program requirements, so as to be able to choose potentially required Grade 11&12 pre-requisite courses in February for next year's **Course Selection**. Course selection options/information can be found [here](#) on the Guidance website, as well as reviewing post-secondary information and links [here](#). Gr 11 research information can be examined [here](#), as well as a presentation that was delivered to Grade 10s [here](#) (scroll down in the link). Courses must be locked in by February 21<sup>st</sup>. **FOR MATH-BASED decisions, please use this [RESOURCE](#) to help you understand the options.**

### **POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION**

**VERY IMPORTANT:** **Gr 12 Students will want to confirm that their courses are in and accurate in OUAC and OCAS.**

Please ensure that any Private School or alternative Board report cards are submitted to Markville Guidance. Private schools must upload to OUAC/OCAS, but the course does not count towards a student Transcript, unless MSS uploads the report card. **Private schools can email counsellors directly;** TDSB, etc would need to be provided via the student asap.

**Students in external Public Board Night School IN SEMESTER 2 need to walk into Guidance to ensure their courses are visible in the system.** Sem 2 Private courses must be made visible by the Private schools.

Have a wonderful LONG weekend!

## Your Guidance Team~



**KIDS HELP PHONE**  
1-800-668-6868  
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KIDSHELPPHONE.CA

**YSSN** YOUR SUPPORT SERVICES NETWORK  
1-855-310-COPE (2673)

**Suicide Prevention Canada**  
Call 988  
Text 988

**Black Youth Helpline**  
1-833-294-8650

**youthline**  
25 YEARS OF YOUTH RESILIENCE  
647-694-4275



MSS Mental  
Health Resource

This is a mental health resource that will appear in the E-Bulletin weekly that was created by past and present Markville students.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zxvp0ngpV22ikM7Fow2FNIMxX2wErCF5/view?usp=sharing>

Markville Guidance Website Wellness Page:

<https://sites.google.com/gapps.yrdsb.ca/markvilleguidance/wellness>

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## School Notices

### Upcoming Dates

February 17th	Family Day (School Closed)
February 19th	Grad photos (missed/new students)
February 26th	Pink Shirt Day
March 10th to 14th	March Mid-Winter Break (School Closed)
March 25th	School Council (7pm in the Library)

## Community Opportunities Site!

We would like to remind you of our [Community Opportunities Site](#) linked to our school home page where students, families and all community members can access up-to-date information about workshops, seminars, scholarships and more.



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Students: --Select an Application--

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Markville S.S.

**Friday, 3 November**

7:45am SR Boys Volleyball Tour

12:00pm Cross Country Team OF

**Monday, 6 November**

Guidance Event: Gr 12 Post Second

1:40pm Varsity Hockey Game @

2:20pm SR Boys Volleyball Play

**Wednesday, 8 November**

OSSLT Days (Library)

Sem 1 Term 1 Ends

8:00am JR Boys Volleyball Tour

[Google Calendar](#)



Grade 8 Information Sessions

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Bell Times: 8:20 AM - 3:00 PM

 School News

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 Community Opportunities

Parents/Guardians: Enter your e-mail address to **subscribe** to electronic communications of a commercial nature.

You may also choose to [unsubscribe](#) at anytime.

Clicking on this **Community Opportunities** icon will bring families to a webpage with up-to-date links to YRDSB sponsored events and resources for students, families and community members.

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