

Markville Secondary School Staff and Community Graduation Awards

Markville's Graduation Awards Committee is pleased to present the following awards to its graduating students. Graduating students **may apply for up to three** different Staff & Community Graduation Awards. Each award is a separate application Google form which are all linked below. Please do not exceed the three application form limit.

Carruthers, Shaw and Partners Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating student accepted for full-time study
- Good academic performance
- Financial need will be a consideration

Award: \$200.00

[Carruthers, Shaw and Partners Scholarship Application Form](#)

Caryn Mohammed Memorial Award

Criteria:

- Demonstrates a keen interest and commitment to issues concerning the environment, racism, and / or medical research

Award: \$200.00

[Caryn Mohammed Award Application Form](#)

Christopher Tadres Memorial Award

Criteria:

- Accepted into a recognized full-time university, college, or apprenticeship program that can be characterized as a "helping" profession such as social work, nursing, early childhood education, etc.

- Has made significant contributions to their school community and local communities through volunteering; and in improving lives of others

Award: \$500.00 (Number of Award Winners TBA)

[Christopher Tadres Memorial Award Application Form](#)

Director's Achievement Award

Criteria:

- Has achieved academic success
- Has contributed in significant ways to the school community
- Is recognized as a leader and role model by the school and broader community

Award: \$150.00 to three students

[Director's Achievement Award Application Form](#)

Markham IODE Marilyn Taylor Citizenship Award

Criteria:

- Graduating student
- Recognizes citizenship, including a willingness to serve and help others
- Demonstrates an active interest in many aspects of school life

Award: \$150.00

[Markham IODE Marilyn Taylor Citizenship Award](#)

Ruth Peckham Staff Award

Criteria:

- A positive, encouraging personality whose sense of humour has lightened the lives of others
- A good citizen who has made a contribution to the school or community
- Likes to help others learn
- Has dealt with an obstacle and overcome it due to his / her fighting spirit

Award: \$200.00

[Ruth Peckham Staff Award](#)

Sheila Cardno Staff Award

Criteria:

- Graduating student who has not won a major award
- 'A behind-the-scenes' student who has made a major contribution to life at MSS but seldom been recognized for his/her effort
- Supportive with time and energy but not necessarily in a leadership role
- A person who has shown improvements in academics, sports or other activities

Award: \$200.00

[Sheila Cardno Staff Award](#)

YRDSB Student Trustee Award for Character

Criteria:

- Models an optimistic attitude and positive character attributes
- Demonstrates self-discipline and motivation
- Is a lifelong learner and critical thinker
- Is a role model who inspires others
- Strives for genuine happiness

Award: \$100.00 & Letter from York Region District School Board

[YRDSB Student Trustee Award for Character](#)