## **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

In accordance with Ministry of Education guidelines, schools will not charge fees for supplies relating to coursework that is necessary to meet graduation requirements' e.g., French workbooks, Family Studies food labs. The Fees Guidelines allows schools to charge fees for enhanced materials; e.g., enrichments beyond what is necessary to meet curriculum expectations such as: certifications; Iron Chef Competition; art kit; cedar wood in construction; and field trips. In classes that charge for enhancements, you will receive a letter from the teacher detailing what the fee covers. Payment of the enhancement fee is voluntary.

In addition, fees can be charged for participating in extra-curricular activities such as sports teams, clubs, dances, graduation, etc. Our School Activity Fee serves to engage students in the broader school community by providing a wide range of opportunities that occur before school, at lunch and after school. Monies collected will cover or subsidize the cost of various extra-curricular activities in clubs, teams, sports, and student groups such as the Students' Council. These groups, events and activities build school spirit and enrich the learning experience beyond the classroom and the designated subject curriculum. This is an important element in building and strengthening the sense of community at TSS.

STUDENT FEES:	
Student Activity Fee in sponsorship of Student Council Activities, Clubs, Speakers, Carnival, Spirit Days, Sports Teams, School Newspaper, Socials, etc.	\$ 45.00
Student Price Card (SPC) for retail discounts at student-price	\$ 10.00
School Yearbook Every student is encouraged to purchase a yearbook	\$ 40.00
Physical Education Uniform (mandatory) shorts only shirt only TSS Athletic Attire <b>must</b> be worn by all students enrolled in Physical Education courses	\$ 25.00 \$ 12.00 \$ 14.00
Grade 9 Orientation Day includes lunch, snack, t-shirt & social or movie ticket	\$ 20.00

Parents are advised that students should bring sufficient funds to cover registration fees and physical education uniforms. Cheques are to be made payable to Thornhill Secondary School. A \$20 NSF charge will be added to all cheques returned to the school. There is also a cash on-line option. We cannot accept credit or debit cards. Registration Day will be on Tuesday, August 29th from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Timetables will be distributed and photos will be taken. Thank you.

<u>Timetable Change Requests</u>: During Registration Week, priority for timetable changes will be given to grade 9 and 10 students with incomplete timetables (fewer than 8 courses), missing compulsory courses, and those with changes due to summer school and repeated courses. Other course change requests can be made by completing a "Course Change Request" form available in Guidance from Tuesday, September 5th to Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017.