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SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR

RECRUITMENT INFORMATION
SESSION



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ABOUT SHSM

The Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) is a specialized program approved by the Ministry of Education that allows students to focus their learning on a specific economic sector while meeting the requirements of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).




SHSM Overview in HCDSB



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SUPPORT TEAM



GUIDANCE MRS. SOTIROPOLOUS

- Advise on pathway
- Choose your courses based on your Major Bundle earlier than later.
- D2L Student Services
- Submit applications to the Lead Teacher



CO-OPERATIVE EDUCATION MR. SEBBEN, MR. MAHLER & Ms. Orlando

- What does co-op look like at Loyola?
- How do I choose a placement?



COMPONENTS OF SHSM

EDUCATIONAL

SUBJECT SPECIFIC COURSE

X4

CO-OP

X1

ENGLISH

X1

MATH

X1

ART/BUSINESS/SCIENCE*

X1

EXPERIENTIAL

CPR + FIRST AID

WHMIS

REACH AHEAD

SPCE OR ICE WORKSHOP

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

REACH AHEAD

These experiences enable Grade 11 and 12 students to gain confidence in their ability to be successful, refine skills and work habits, and make informed choices about future careers and next steps. Reach ahead opportunities could include:



APPRENTICESHIP NETWORKING

Visiting an approved apprenticeship delivery agent to investigate a program of interest related to your SHSM



PATHWAY ALUMNI CONNECTIONS

Interviewing or speaking with a college or university student enrolled in a program of interest that is tied to your SHSM



CAMPUS VISITS

Touring a number of college or university campus with a focus in post-secondary pathways that your SHSM correlates to



POST-SECONDARY FAIRS AND CAROUSELS

Attending a conference, pathways fair, carousel, or workshop held by the sector



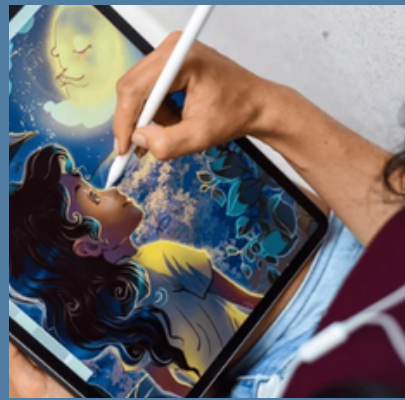
ARTS & DESIGN

Mrs. Chlischczyk

Start building a standout portfolio for post-secondary programs, apprenticeships, and jobs.

Develop creative confidence, collaboration, and problem-solving skills that universities and employers value in any career.

Explore your identity as a creator while making meaningful connections that can open doors long after graduation...



GRAPHIC DESIGN

VIDEO & FILM

ARCHITECTURE

PERFORMING ARTS

ILLUSTRATION/ANIMATION

Arts & Design

TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



SHERIDAN CREATIVITY Workshop



SPRAY PAINTING Workshop



ANIMATION Workshop



PENDING: New York City Trip

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BUSINESS

Mrs. MacMillan

Business Careers provide an opportunity to be versatile, broad, open, and adaptable in an ever-changing world.



ACCOUNTING & FINANCE



ECONOMICS



MARKETING



ENTREPRENEURSHIP & BUSINESS LEADERSHIP/ MANAGEMENT



INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS

BUSINESS TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



Business Industry Experiences



McMaster, Guelph & Laurier workshops in Marketing, Advertising, and Business MGMT



DAVE & BUSTERS



DECA CONFERENCES



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HEALTH & WELLNESS

Ms. Coutu & Ms. Humby

Careers in the field of health and wellness are focused on maintaining or improving the health, self-care and quality of life of individuals, communities and special populations through health and lifestyle habits, physical activity, stress reduction and the prevention and reversal of disease.



HEALTH CARE & MEDICAL SERVICES



RECREATION & ATHLETICS



MENTAL HEALTH & COUNSELLING



NUTRITION, DIETETICS & NATUROPATHY



PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

HEALTH & WELLNESS TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



HUMBER GAMES



McMaster KINESIOLOGY LAB



GANARASKA TRIP



TORONTO RAPTORS GAME



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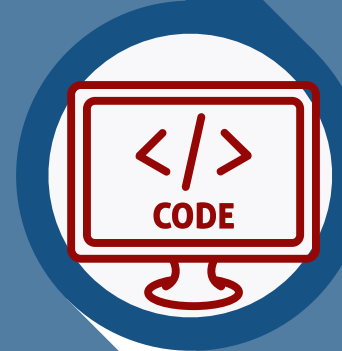
INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

Mrs. Alfano

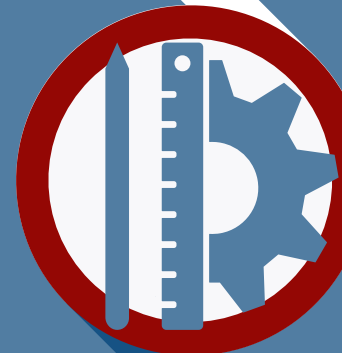
This is a program with practical skills and certifications in software development, engineering and networking, as well as industry-relevant experience and pathways to post-secondary education or careers in the tech field.



**ROBOTICS &
AUTOMATION**



**PROGRAM
DEVELOPMENT**



**COMPUTER ENGINEERING
& CODING**



DATA & ANALYTICS



**AI & EMERGING
TECHNOLOGY**

INFORMATION & COMMUNICATION TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



SAMSUNG CANADA FIELD TRIP



SHERIDAN COLLEGE - AI LAB



GAME DESIGN by SWIFTKIDS CANADA



CANADIAN COMPUTING COMPETITIONS



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NON-PROFIT EDUCATION

MR.D'SOUZA

If you're interested in exploring how you can make positive changes in the community where you live and work. This program offers skills and experiences that are versatile and useful for any career field.



EDUCATION



SOCIAL SCIENCE



LEGAL PRACTICES



JOURNALISM



**NON-PROFIT
ORGANIZATIONS**

NON-PROFIT EDUCATION TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



**HCDSB EQUITY SYMPOSIUM
ANTI-OPPRESSION & ALLYSHIP**



**UNITED WAY HALTON & HAMILTON
CARE KITS BUILDING**



**ECOLOGICAL AWARENESS
TORONTO ZOO TRIP**



**MOHAWK INSTITUTE EXPERIENCE
RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL**



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TRANSPORTATION

MR. PENDER

This SHSM program provides students with specialized knowledge and hands-on experience in the fields of transportation. Students will explore automotive technology, logistics, autonomous systems, and automation.



**TRANSPORTATION
TECHNOLOGY**



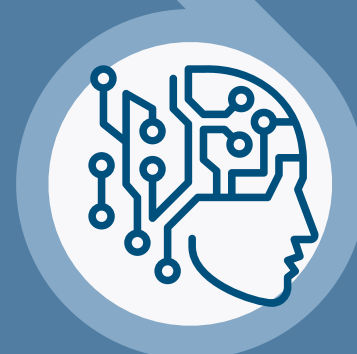
AVIATION & AEROSPACE



**TRANSPORTATION PLANNING
& INFRASTRUCTURE**



ARCHITECTURE & DESIGN



GREEN CONSTRUCTION

TRANSPORTATION TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS



EV DISCOVERY WORKSHOP



SKILLED TRADES FAIR



ONTARIO SKILLS COMPETITION



TORONTO AUTO SHOW



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Please pick up a course bundle of the SHSM you are interested in on your way out and book an appointment with your guidance counsellor to talk about courses & co-op!

THANK YOU!

