



ABOUT THE SCHOOL

Ancaster Secondary School is committed to fostering a safe, supportive and stimulating environment that promotes and maintains excellence, high self-esteem, mutual respect and personal growth within the Ancaster community. The school offers a challenging curriculum which encourages all students to reach their full potential. A complete program of athletics including championship-winning sports teams, arts, dynamic school clubs, student committees, and extracurricular activities is available to all students.

ANCASTER HIGH SECONDARY SCHOOL

Ancaster, Ontario



FACILITIES

Ancaster Secondary School is located in Ancaster, Ontario, Canada and opened in 1959. Facilities include computer and science labs, art and music rooms, an auditorium, gymnasium, and a cafeteria. The Learning Commons is equipped with a library, WiFi access, a quiet space, computers, and printers. Outdoor facilities include various sports fields.



QUICK FACTS:

of Students: 1,198

of High Schools in District: 13

Estimated Start Date: Early September

Estimated End Date: Late June

Graduation Offered: Yes

Is ESL Offered: Yes

Fall Semester Program: Yes

Spring Semester Program: Yes

Nearest Airport: John C. Munro Hamilton

International Airport

Airport Code: YHM

COURSES OFFERED



Math

Mathematics 9, Applied Mathematics 10, Advanced Functions 11, Calculus and Vectors 12



Science

Biology 11-12, Chemistry 11-12, Canadian Geography 9, Geography 9, Physics 11-12, Science 9, Computer Studies 9-12



Social Studies

Canadian & World Studies 9-12, Business Studies 10, Career Studies and Civics 10, International Business 12, Family Studies 12, Philosophy 12, Sociology 11, First Nations, Métis and Inuit Studies 9-12



English

English 9-12, Media Studies 11, The Writer's Craft 12



Languages

French, German, Latin, Spanish



The Arts

Dance 9-12, Drama 9-12, Music 9-12, Visual Arts 9-12



Electives

Dance 9-12, Drama 9-12, Music: Band 9-12, Choir 9-12, Visual Arts 9-12, SHSM: Hospitality & Tourism, Information & Communication, and Manufacturing 11-12, Technological Ed.: Communications, Computer Science, Construction, Manufacturing, and Transportation 10-12



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ATHLETICS

BOYS

Fall Baseball, Cross Country, Football, Soccer, Tennis, Touch Football, Volleyball

Winter Basketball, Hockey, Swimming, Water Polo

Spring Badminton, Cricket, Soccer, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball

GIRLS

Fall Basketball, Cross Country, Field Hockey, Soccer, Tennis, Touch Football

Winter Hockey, Swimming, Volleyball, Water Polo

Spring Badminton, Cricket, Slo-pitch, Soccer, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball

SCHOOL CLUBS

- Aerospace Club
- Announcement Crew
- Athletic Council
- Band
- Basketball Club
- Best Buddies
- Choir
- Dance Team
- Debate Club
- Fashion Club
- Health Action Team
- Math Club
- Model United Nations
- Musical Theatre
- Peer Tutoring Club
- Photography & Video Club
- School Newspaper
- Student Council
- Yearbook

SCHOOL FACTS

AP Offered: No
IB Offered: Yes
French Immersion Offered: Yes
School Academics: Yes

ENROLLMENT RESTRICTIONS

Age: 14-18
Already Graduated Students: No

****Please note that fact sheets are created out of season and information is subject to change. We do our best to update information, but please reach out to headquarters to verify the availability of clubs, sports and classes yearly.****

COMMUNITY PROFILE

Ancaster is a historic town in the city of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, located on the Niagara Escarpment. It is rich in culture and is located near several museums including the Fieldcote Memorial Park & Museum which showcases local history (including the area's participation in the Underground Railway), fine arts, gardens and walking paths, and Griffin House National Historic Site. The town is close to Sherman Falls, Waterfalls of Hamilton, and the Tiffany Falls Conservation Area, offering spectacular views. Local highlights include Dundurn Castle, Royal Botanical Gardens, and the Art Gallery of Hamilton. Annual events include Ancaster Old Mill Road Race, Ancaster Heritage Days, Lobsterfest, and the Ancaster Fair.



Population: 40,557
Nearest Major City: Hamilton, ON
Temperature Range: -9°C to 26°C