



## ABOUT THE SCHOOL

Markham District High School aspires to advance student achievement and well-being through public education, which motivates learners, fosters inclusion, inspires innovation and builds community. The staff is committed to creating a safe, supportive, and inclusive environment in which students feel empowered to become engaged and caring citizens of the world. The school offers a complete program of athletics, dynamic school clubs, student committees, and extracurricular activities.

# MARKHAM DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Markham, Ontario

## QUICK FACTS:

# of Students: 1,300+

# of High Schools in District: 23

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

## FACILITIES

Markham District High School is located in Markham, Ontario and was founded in 1858. A new, energy-efficient building was opened in 2010. Facilities include a cafetorium, stage, library and resource centre, a double gymnasium and weightroom, art and music rooms, as well as computer, communications, and science labs. Outdoor facilities include various sports fields.



# COURSES OFFERED



## Math

Principles of Mathematics 9, Functions and Applications 10, Advanced Functions 11, Calculus and Vectors 12



## Science

Science 9, Biology 10, Chemistry 11, Physics 12, Computer Science 9-12



## Social Studies

Business Studies 9-12, Canadian Geography 9, Canadian History 10, Canadian and World Studies 11, Career Studies 10-12, Civics 11, First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Studies 10-12



## English

English 9-12



## Languages

French 9-12, Latin 9-12



## 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, OYAP 11-12, SHSM Program: Construction, and Non-Profit Sector 11-12, Technology Department: Computer, Construction, Design, Hairstyling & Aesthetics, Transportation, and Woodworking 9-12



# EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

## ATHLETICS

## SCHOOL CLUBS

### BOYS

*Fall* Cross Country, Football, Golf, Rugby, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball

*Winter* Alpine Skiing, Badminton, Basketball, Curling, Hockey, Snowboarding, Volleyball

*Spring* Baseball, Cricket, Rock Climbing, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

### GIRLS

*Fall* Basketball, Cross Country, Flag Football, Golf, Rugby, Tennis

*Winter* Alpine Skiing, Badminton, Curling, Hockey, Snowboarding, Volleyball

*Spring* Cricket, Rock Climbing, Slo-Pitch, Soccer, Swimming, Tennis, Track and Field, Ultimate Frisbee

- Arts Council
- Athletic Council
- Band
- Choir
- Classics Club
- Computer Club
- DECA
- Dramatic Club
- Eco-Markham Club
- Engineering Club
- Latin Club
- Newspaper Club
- Science Club
- Student Council
- Yearbook

## SCHOOL FACTS

- AP Offered: Yes
- IB Offered: No
- French Immersion Offered: No
- 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

Markham is a city in the Regional Municipality of York, Ontario. It is approximately 30 km northeast of Downtown Toronto. A culturally rich city, highlights include the Markham Museum, a 25-acre open-air museum dedicated to the preservation of old buildings and artifacts from Marham's past, and the Varley Art Gallery of Markham, an art museum situated in a 1,400 square meter building on Main Street Unionville. The gallery features artwork of local, national, and international artists. It offers group tours, school programs, studio courses and workshops, courses and lectures, and family activities. Markham is also home to the Rouge National Urban Park which enchants visitors with its beautiful hiking trails.



Population: 328,966  
 Nearest Major City: Toronto, ON  
 Temperature Range: -10°C to 26°C