



SPORTS

**Georgetown
 District High School**

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Sports SHSM at GDHS will allow students to build upon their leadership skills through specific sport learning opportunities and experiences. Activities will be geared towards developing important leadership qualities such as, but not limited to, building perseverance, decision making, creativity, commitment, and empathy. Community partners, teachers and fellow students will all work together to foster these important skills.

This SHSM will inspire young people, build their confidence and give back to their sport communities. Field trips will provide unique opportunities for hands on learning and a chance to foster connections with professionals within their field and in the community. Students participate in certification and training opportunities which can lead to accreditation that is helpful in obtaining employment and gaining entrance to competitive postsecondary education programs and the job market.

Experiential Learning Opportunities

- Trips to various sports related businesses
- Presentations related to different careers within the sector
- Plan and run various sports/athletic events within the school and community
- Promote healthy activity and wellness throughout the school and community
- Complete 2 Cooperative Education credits
- Participate in workshops and training of various types and providers

Related Careers

- Athletic Therapist
- Fitness/ Sports Instructor
- Health and Physical Ed. Teacher
- Kinesiologist
- Nutritionist
- Outdoor Recreational Guide
- Personal Trainer
- Recreation Facility Manager
- Special Events Coordinator
- Sports Marketer
- ...and more

Certifications & Training

- CPR Level C / AED Training & Standard First Aid / WHMIS
- Concussion Awareness
- Customer Service
- Officiating and/or Instructor Certification
- Leadership Skills
- Personal Training
- Sport Nutrition
- Working with Individuals with Disabilities
- Wrapping and Taping for Performance and Injury

CREDITS

Course Package

Each SHSM program offers students a bundle of 8 - 10 credits. These courses are regular Ontario secondary school courses that allow students to work towards their Ontario Secondary School Diploma, but have been bundled as the most relevant courses to prepare students for a future in the sports sector.

The Bundle Includes:

- **4 “major” credits** related to sports in grade 11 and 12
- **Supporting credits**, which include Contextualized Learning Activities (opportunities for students to learn the subject in the context of the Sports sector):
 - > 1 Grade 12 English credit
 - > 1 Grade 11 Math credit
 - > 1 Grade 11 or 12 Science, Business Studies or Social Sciences credit
 - > 2 Cooperative Education credits to experience life in the sports sector

Applying to the Sports SHSM:

All students in Halton are able to attend the Sports SHSM at Georgetown District High School in grade 11 and grade 12. Each student’s goals will be assessed and course selection will be determined based on their needs.

If you want to learn more about this program:

- Check out the Sports SHSM at haltonpathways.ca
- Visit myblueprint.ca/halton
- Talk to Andrew Costley or Stacey McCormack in Phys. Ed Office
- Come to a Pathways Planning Information Evening (see haltonpathways.ca for dates and times)

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