

# MENTOR COLLEGE

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#### **High School Division**

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## School Profile: Mentor College High School Division

Mentor College 2022-2023, Ontario BSID Code 882291, CEEB Code 826375 (SAT, AP)

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Principal: David Whyte Vice-Principal: Randy Hall Vice Principal: Aneil Panchal Counsellors: Karyn Walmark Kate Young Ian Carruthers Darren McCallen

### **School Philosophy and Community**

Mentor College is a private co-educational day school, founded in 1981, and provides an enriched academic programme for its students. A caring environment that is rich in personal attention has been established, and this positive atmosphere both allows and encourages students to think and reason for themselves. Located in Port Credit, Mississauga, the high school (grades 9 to 12) and intermediate (grades 5 to 8) divisions are housed on the Main Campus. An adjacent Primary Campus is home to the JK to Grade 4 students.

Extra-curricular trips to the school's Outdoor Education Centre in Muskoka, and Internationally for athletics, academics or humanitarian service efforts enhance the programme. Other extra-curricular activities abound and include athletics, music, drama, arts and special interest clubs.

# **The High School Programme**

The comprehensive High School Programme is four years long and focuses on the academic, University stream courses that earn the student the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). There are 654 multi-cultural students enrolled in the High School Division, balanced between gender. The school is inspected and accredited by the Ontario Ministry of Education and is a member of the College Board, delivering Advanced Placement (AP) Courses and Exams to senior students.

## **Curriculum**

A complete listing of the Ontario Credit and AP courses offered at Mentor College is updated each year on the school website, www.mentorcollege.edu. Emphasis in course offerings is on those that are the necessary prerequisites for entry into a wide array of University programmes.

The courses are offered in a full-year schedule. Up to eight subjects can be taken per year in a daily schedule that comprises four classes and a lunch period, running from 8:45 to 3:15.



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## **Grading and Ranking**

In Ontario the credit courses are given a final grade as a percentage. For conversion of grades the school follows the following summary:

<u>Percentage</u>	Letter Grade	<b>Grade Point Value</b>	<u>Definition</u>
90-100	A+	4.0	Excellent, above the provincial standard
85-89	Α	4.0	Excellent, above the provincial standard
80-84	A-	3.7	Excellent, above the provincial standard
77-79	B+	3.3	Good, at the provincial standard
73-76	В	3.0	Good, at the provincial standard
70-72	B-	2.7	Good, at the provincial standard
67-69	C+	2.3	Good, below the provincial standard
63-66	С	2.0	Adequate, below the provincial standard
60-62	C-	1.7	Adequate, below the provincial standard
57-59	D+	1.3	Passable, below the provincial standard*
53-56	D	1.0	Marginal, below the provincial standard*
50-52	D-	0.7	Marginal, below the provincial standard*
<50	F	0.0	Failure

Mentor College does not rank students.

### **Graduation Requirements**

The Ontario requirements for graduation are listed on the school website. The student must complete 30 credits (courses) in four years and complete a minimum of 40 hours of community service. The Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT) must also be successfully completed, and this is usually written in grade 10.

# **Graduating Class of 2023**

There were 162 graduates in the class of 2023.

152 graduates earned honours (Ontario Scholars) standing over 80% average

## **University and Post-Secondary Placement**

161 students of 162 graduates, or 99% matriculated to University. 84% of graduates were accepted at their University of first choice. 93% of graduates were admitted to the University and Programme of their top three choices. 1 continued in other studies and work or travel.

### Advanced Placement (AP) and Literacy Test Results

In May, 2023, 70 students wrote AP exams in 10 subjects. 40 earned University credit, and 18 received perfect scores of 5. Mentor College Students consistently outperform the AP student averages in other AP schools nationally.

One Mentor College AP Chemistry student earned a perfect score on the AP Chemistry exam in 2023, one of 23 perfect scores internationally out of the 112554 students who wrote the exam.

In 2022-2023, 184 students in grade 10 wrote the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test. 93% of the Mentor students were successful. (This was 85% success in the rest of Ontario).



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## **Recent Awards and Distinctions of Graduates**

Queen's University Chancellor's Scholarships (three) Western National Scholarship (2023) Rhodes Scholar (2022)

Principal's Scholarship – Queen's (2022)

Brock Scholar (2022)

38 students in the top quartile of 110,000 students internationally in University of Waterloo Math Contests (2019)

Performance with Honours in the Canadian Open Math Challenge (2 in 2013, 4 in 2015)

Performance with Distinction in the Canadian Open Math Challenge (2 in 2015)

88<sup>th</sup> percentile for the Waterloo SIN Contest (2019)

Chem 13 News Chemistry Contest in Canada; 100% score (2014), 3<sup>rd</sup> in Canada (2018), 2 x 99<sup>th</sup> percentile (2019)

Top 3<sup>rd</sup>,4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> percentile in the Ontario Association of Physics Teachers' contest (2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018)

Nine students earned University of Toronto Biology Scholars' Awards (2011, 2012, 2017, 2019)

96<sup>th</sup> percentile, 67<sup>th</sup> in Canada, Sir Isaac Newton Physics Contest (2018)

Schulich Leader Scholarship (2013, 2015)

University of Toronto Book Award (2015)

U. of Waterloo Financial Literacy Competition: School ranking 5<sup>th</sup> in Ontario; 2 students in top 10 (2020)

DECA International ICDC Participants (2017-2020). 14 Mentor students in the top 20 of 8000 competitors.

## Universities Attended by Mentor College Graduates Over the Last Thirty Five Years

## **Canadian Universities – Ontario**

University of Toronto McMaster University Carleton University Western University Toronto Metropolitan University University of Ottawa Wilfrid Laurier University University of Waterloo Ontario College of Queen's University York University Art & Design University of Guelph **Brock University** University of Windsor **Trent University** Ontario Institute of Lakehead University Technology

### **Other Canadian Universities**

McGill University University of Calgary **Dalhousie University** U. of British Columbia Bishop's University Acadia University University of Lethbridge University of Alberta University of Regina Concordia University

### American Universities

Wayne State University Princeton University Harvard University University of Detroit Mercy Ohio State University Yale University **Stanford University Purdue University Cornell University** Washington State University State University of N.Y. New York University University of Akron University of Alabama Art Institute of Chicago **Auburn University** Rhode Island School of Art Texas A&M University Johns Hopkins University University of California (LA) University of California (San Diego)



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## **American Universities (cont.)**

New York School of Visual Arts
University of Michigan
Parson's School of Art NYC
Art Center College of Design
San Diego State University
DePaul University
University of Arizona
University of California (Berkeley)
University of South Carolina
Brigham Young University

University of Buffalo Florida State University University of California California State University Wake Forest University University of Miami Quinnipiac University University of Detroit Mercy San Francisco Conserv. Of Music Texas A&M University
University of San Francisco
Berkeley University
Southern Connecticut State
Colorado School of Mines
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy
Brigham Young University
University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Howard University

# **International Universities**

Cambridge University (UK)
University of Dublin (IRL)
City University, London (UK)
University of Bangalore, India
University of Manchester (UK)
Ateneo de Manila University
James Cook University (AUS)
University of Gronigen (NED)
Queen's University, Belfast
Univ. of Utah, Asia Campus
King's College, London

St. Andrew's College (IRL)
University of London (UK)
University of Zagreb, Croatia
Royal College of Surgeons (IRL)
Keio University (Japan)
Waseda University (Japan)
Liberty University
University College, London (UK)
University of Birmingham
University College, London

Poznan University-Medical (POL)
University of Edinburgh, Scotland
University of Queensland (AUS)
University of Arts, London (UK)
University of Sydney (AUS)
Koc University (Turkey)
University of Central Lancashire
City University of Hong Kong
St. Georges's, University of London
Univ. of Central Lancashire