

# SCHOOL PROFILE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR

What Sets Hudson College Apart

# **Basic Information:**

**Grades:** Kindergarten to Grade 12

**School Type:** Local, Private, Coed, Non-

denominational, University Prep

**Accreditation:** Ontario Ministry of

Education

**Curriculum:** Traditional, Ontario provincial curriculum, leading to OSSD [Ontario Secondary School Diploma]

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**Tuition:** CAD\$ 15,600

Avg. Class Size: 15

**Founded: 2003** 

**Enrollment in 2017-18: 340** 

Mascot: Husky

**Location:** In central Toronto (21 Ascot Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M6E 1E6)

**Uniform:** Yes

**Hot Lunch Program:** Yes

**School Busing:** Yes (limited)



## 4.5 acre campus

Safe and family-oriented neighbourhood

Our School Community – Local, Family-like, Multicultural

Admission Criteria: Selective admissions in September and January, based on an application, academic performance, a teacher's reference, skype interview and internal exams (in some cases) to determine if there is a match between the school and the student.

**Grade 9 Laptop Program:** All Grade 9's receive a state-of-the-art laptop. It is a valuable resource tool pre-configured with all the educational software for the Grade 9 program and beyond.

We offer **Family Homestay** as a premium accommodation option for international students. Our host families include Hudson parents whose child also attends Hudson College, staff members and selected local families residing near the school.

#### **Our Curricular Distinctives:**

#### We offer a balanced curriculum.

Students are encouraged to explore their passions and talents in new subject areas.

At Hudson's High School: **84** courses are offered, among these courses, **66** are optional.

We value a skills-based academic program, and believe that the implementation of a unified and integrated skill development plan across all subject areas, throughout the four grade levels, is the key to an effective and superior academic program.

#### We strive for innovation in learning.

Our Innovation Hub (i-Hub) is an intimate, interactive workspace, where 3D printers, 3D virtual reality gear, robotics, electronics and multi-media equipment are housed and used to support our students' innovative learning activities in many subject areas. These range from Media Arts and Visual Arts, to Calculus, Physics and Chemistry classes to name a few!

Our 3-Semester System allows students to concentrate on fewer courses at a time. During the Fall and Winter Semesters, one of the four class periods is a Study Period where students get extra help, work on assignments and receive skills instruction and support.

To date, Hudson
Alumni have attended
60 universities and over 120
programs.

A 100% University/College acceptance record, with many academic directions: 51% of alumni went to Liberal Arts, Social Sciences, Business, Finance and Fine Arts fields. 49% of alumni selected STEM programs.

Our distinguished university acceptance record can be attributed to the dedication of our teaching staff, the commitment of our students, a large range of extra-curricular involvement opportunities provided to students, small class sizes with a 3-semester system and the personal assistance each student is given during the university application process.

# **Our Motto: Be Yourself**

Our students embrace their individuality, and the individual qualities of their peers. We encourage students to explore their personal passions, and to look within themselves to find which path will bring enjoyment, and success. These qualities motivate students to work harder, reach higher, and make greater changes in their community and the world.

# Our Leadership Distinctives: Our goal for each graduate is to leave us as a well-rounded individual. Our

major leadership programs include:

- House System helps students develop a meaningful connection with their community
- Duke of Edinburgh's Award helps students through a journey of self-development
- The Hudson Heroes a student group assisting local charities
- Grade 9 "Inspiring Learners to Become Leaders" workshop series
- Guest Speakers' workshops for student leadership groups at Hudson

# We are an all-round school.

We offer over 20 clubs, 18 sports, 30 events, 2 leadership camps and 2 trips in Canada and overseas each year.

## **Athletic Championships 2016-17:**

SSAF U20 Boys Volleyball SSAF U20 Boys Basketball Tier II SSAF U16 Girls Track & Field SSAF U20 Table Tennis SSAF Elem. Girls Volleyball SSAF Elem. CO-ED Snowboard



# **Communication with parents**

**through** regular E-mails, the Huskies Howler Newsletters, Facebook, Online Parent Portal, Online Calendars, Parent Nights, Guidance App, Teacher's Websites, etc.

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