



SILVERTHORN COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

291 Mill Road, Etobicoke, Ontario M9C 1Y5

HIGH PERFORMER PROGRAM

Guidance Office 416 394-7010 ext. 20043

The High Performer Program is an academic program for students who are elite athletes involved in regional, provincial, national or international competition.

Silverthorn offers students with intense training schedules, the opportunity for a more flexible timetable in order to balance their out of school commitments, so that they can strive for both academic and athletic excellence.

FEATURES & BENEFITS OF THE PROGRAM

- Semestered timetable offered to students in grades 9 to 12
- Open to students outside of school (TDSB boundaries)
- Customized courses with flexible timetables
- A dynamic and supportive learning environment
- Enriched level courses
- NCAA Collegeboard (SAT / ACT / PSAT) support
- Access to community mentors & motivational workshops
- Convenient access to training facilities

ADMISSION CRITERIA

- Submission of application with supporting reference letter of intent written by the student applicant
- Evidence of training commitment – 10 to 15 hours per week
- A minimum 75% academic average
- Participation in an approved sport/activity at the provincial, national, or international level of competition
- Letter of recommendation from a qualified coach, or instructor, or organization, or a recent teacher
- Other Factors:
 - Out of school commitments - Artistic, Drama, Acting
 - Level of independence and self-motivation

Application Process

- Complete the application form. Incomplete applications cannot be considered.
- Obtain a recommendation letter from your coach indicating information about your performance level, athletic talents, future potential or other characteristics.
- Obtain a copy of your most recent report card or transcript of your previous grades.
- Write a letter of intent indicating why you wish to apply to the High Performer Program, and how you might benefit from attending Silverthorn.
- Complete Silverthorn CI Registration Package and a course selection form.

TDSB STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

TDSB is committed to creating an equitable school systems where the achievement and well-being of every student is fostered thru rich, culturally authentic learning experiences in diverse, accepting environments where all are included, every voice is heard, and every experience is honoured.

TDSB strives to meet the accommodation needs of persons with disabilities. Applicants are encouraged to make their needs for accommodation known in-advance during the application process.

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Name: _____ Present Grade: _____ Age: _____
Last First

Sport/Activity: _____ Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____
Month Day Year

Health Card Number: _____
Version

Academic Standing (average): _____ Special Education: IEP _____ IPRC _____ (date) _____

Level of Sport Performance: National _____ Provincial _____ Other (specify) _____

Email: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Father's Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Business Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____
Street City Province

Postal Code: _____

I live at my parent's address _____ or live at . . .

Address: _____
Street City Province

Postal Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Name of Legal Guardian: _____ Relation: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Name of School: _____ Grades Attended _____

Address: _____
Street City Province

Postal Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

School Board _____ Student OEN #: _____

ATHLETE

PARENTS

RESIDENCE

CURRENT SCHOOL

Athletic Information

Name: _____ Club Affiliation: _____

Address: _____
Street City Province

Postal Code: _____ Business Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Level of Coach: Provincial _____ National _____ Other _____

Name of Club/Team: _____

Training Centre: _____

Address: _____
Street City Province

Postal Code: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Number of Hours of Training/Week: _____ Months of Season: _____

Please indicate your level of performance (*Ranking, National Team, Provincial Team, Major Tournament results, articles, etc.*)

Please outline your approx. weekly training schedule (days and times)

Please indicate the type of accommodations you might require to fulfill your athletic and academic obligations. How might you maximize your training and education opportunities?

SIGNATURES

Athlete Parent or Guardian



Additional Information:

The HP Program may waive the registration fee requirement where there is financial hardship. Please inquire. Transportation, including buses and distribution of TTC tickets, is not included for the Specialized HP Program. Due to the semestered nature of our schedule, the HP Program does not have specific timelines related to acceptance of the application. Although we consider **Course Selection** and **Out of Area Attendance** dates, admission is considered on an ongoing basis.

Personal information contained on this form or general information collected on behalf of the TDSB regarding the student is collected under the authority of the Education Act and in compliance with sections 14, 31 and 32 of the Municipal Freedom Of Information (FOI) and Protection of Privacy Act (PA) and will be used for education, transportation and Health and Safety purposes.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Missing Documentation: _____

Interview Date: _____

Registration Fee Paid: _____

Entry Grade Level: _____

Schedule Preferences : AM / PM / All Day / Blocks A B Lunch C D

Program Considerations / Accommodations Required:

Interview / Committee Participants: Comments

Accepted / Not Accepted

Notified: _____

- Report Card/Transcript
- Coach's Reference Letter
- Student's Personal Reference
- SCI Registration Package
- Student Activity Fee
- Course Selection