

EXPERIENCE THE WORLD OF WORK

SHSM exposes you to careers through experiential learning and “reach ahead” opportunities.

OBSERVE

an employer and/or co-op student one-on-one in a workplace

LIVE

the life of a college, university, or apprenticeship student by participating in post-secondary mock lectures and campus tours

VISIT

an Arts & Culture industry and/or business to learn about future career opportunities and the educational requirements.

DID YOU KNOW?

An arts education challenges people to think critically and to solve problems creatively - skills that are now in high demand.

HOW DO I LEARN MORE?

CAREERS IN THE ARTS & CULTURE SECTOR

APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING

- Entertainment Industry Power Technician
- Painter and Decorator
- Patternmaker- Textile, Leather, and Fur Products

COLLEGE

- Announcer, Broadcaster, or Performer
- Photographer
- Theatre or Fashion Designer
- Sound Engineer
- Lighting Engineer
- Event Planner

UNIVERSITY

- Producer, Director, or Choreographer
- Author or Writer
- Public Relations and Communications

WORKPLACE

- Entertainer
- Photographic and Film Processor

The first step is to contact your guidance department or speak to the SHSM sector lead teacher (Mrs. Matthie). They will outline the program and you will learn first-hand about the opportunities available to you by enrolling in the Music, Arts & Entertainment SHSM program at OSS.

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DID YOU KNOW?

SHSM graduates earn a Red Seal on their diploma indicating that they have developed specialized skills and focused their studies on their “major” within a particular sector

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Music, Arts & Entertainment



The Music, Arts & Entertainment (Arts & Culture) SHSM program has a number of required components designed to give Grade 11 and 12 students a “leg-up: to pursue post-secondary opportunities in a variety of employment sectors.

SHSM provides you with an opportunity to gain valuable experience and industry recognized certifications, and see the connections between your studies, the world beyond high school, and future careers.

This SHSM may be designed to have a particular focus such as broadcasting and journalism, technical production, arts management, event planning, teaching and music more.

To find out more about the Music, Arts & Entertainment SHSM, please contact your guidance department today or Mrs. Matthie.

CREDIT

REQUIREMENTS

SHSM CREDITS

	Apprenticeship, College, University or Workplace (grade 11 & 12)
Music, Arts & Entertainment Major*	4 Credits (min 1-grade 11 & 1-grade 12)
Sector Specific Assignment**	English 1 Credit
	Business or Canadian World Studies 1 Credit
Cooperative Education	2 Credits

Total Number of Credits: 8 Credits

* Additional cooperative education credits may be substituted for a maximum of one Major Credit and/or one business or Canadian world studies credit.
 ** Complete a minimum of one assignment (6-10 hrs. of work) geared towards arts & culture in each of the following subjects: English and business or Canadian World studies

INDUSTRY RECOGNIZED

CERTIFICATION AND/OR TRAINING

The Arts & Culture SHSM requires students to complete six sector-recognized certifications that have been identified through extensive employment sector consultations.

Completing certifications enables students to acquire the knowledge and skills related to safe work habits and sector-specific training.

3 COMPULSORY

- Standard First Aid
- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Level C (with AED)
- generic (not site-specific) instruction about the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)

3 ELECTIVE

- Elective certification and/or training offerings varying between schools. Examples of electives delivered:
- Advanced training in a technique (e.g. conducting, vibrato & tone development)
 - Advanced training in an art form (e.g. improvisation)
 - Portfolio development
 - Instrument repair
 - mic techniques



WHY ENROL IN SHSM?



EXPERIENCE

hands-on learning to see what a career in the arts and culture sector feels and looks like



GAIN

valuable work experience that will help build a resume for post-secondary programs and future employment



EARN

Industry-recognized certifications related to the arts and culture employment sector



DEVELOP

essential skills and work habits required by employers for the



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for summer jobs and future employment