



Etobicoke Collegiate Institute Student Services



student services - guidance

Our role in the guidance office is to assist students in their transition from elementary school to secondary school ...

... and then work with them throughout secondary school as they plan their pathway beyond graduation!





guidance staff

Students are assigned a guidance counsellor according to their surname.
This year the ECI guidance counsellors are:

A-F Meghan Oxley (meghan.oxley@tdsb.on.ca)

G-N Amanda Castelli (amanda.castelli@tdsb.on.ca)

O-Z Denise Edney (denise.edney@tdsb.on.ca)

Our office administrator might be the first person you contact with
registration questions:

Christine Szydlik (christine.szydlik@tdsb.on.ca)



guidance support staff

We also work closely with some other TDSB supports:

- Attendance Counsellor
- Psychologist
- Child & Youth Worker
- Mental Health Nurse
- Settlement Worker
- Social Worker



when to go to guidance?

- grade 9 'orientation'
- timetable changes
- planning courses during option time (January & February)
- signing up for night school, e-Learning, summer school
- post-secondary planning
- when struggling (academically, emotionally, etc.)
- when you don't know who to ask ...

course selection – TDSB student

Grade 8 students attending a TDSB school will complete their course selections with the help of their grade 8 teacher online, using myBlueprint.



course selection – TDSB student out of area

Grade 8 students who live outside of our catchment area must submit an Optional Attendance Form by the January 29, 2021 in order to be eligible to attend in September.



Optional Attendance

course selection – not a TDSB student



Grade 8 students who don't attend a TDSB school but do live in our catchment area can start the online application process and we will contact you ... or you can **contact our office administrator Christine directly** and she will provide you with the information you need.

<https://www.tdsb.on.ca/Find-your/School/Registration>



questions?

In the coming months contact:

- a guidance counsellor with questions you have about course selections, etc.
- our office administrator with registration questions about required documentation, etc.
- as we navigate the school rules around covid, e-mail is the easiest way to reach all of us
- Stay safe and hope to see you in September!