

## Program Information

### **About the Pre-Advanced Placement Program:**

The Pre-Advanced Placement Program at Lakeshore Collegiate Institute provides enriched courses in Science and English for students entering grades 9, 10 or 11 in September 2019. Pre-AP classes are challenging courses that are suitable for students with strong independent learning skills and high motivation, including those identified as Gifted. These courses focus on the Ontario curriculum while building mastery and skills required to succeed on Advanced Placement exams written in the grade 12 year. All students who are interested in the academic challenges of university-level courses should complete a Pre-AP application. Please see [lakeshorecollegiate.ca](http://lakeshorecollegiate.ca) or [apcanada.collegeboard.org](http://apcanada.collegeboard.org) for more information about AP courses.



### **Application Requirements:**

All students applying for the Pre-AP Program are required to submit a completed application, copies of his/her two most recent report cards, a confidential letter of recommendation from a teacher or principal, and a personal statement. All students must also submit an optional attendance form even if Lakeshore is your home high school.

### **Application Deadline:**

All applications are to be submitted on **Thursday, January 10, 2019 at 3:45pm**. Please submit all application materials to Lakeshore CI Student Services. Late submissions WILL be considered subject to availability of space.

**Lakeshore Collegiate Institute -Student Services  
Attention: Pre-AP Application  
350 Kipling Avenue  
Toronto, Ontario M8V 3L1**

### **Cost:**

There is no fee to apply.

### **Notification of Acceptance:**

Students will be notified directly of their acceptance into the program in mid-January. Specific course selection information will also be given at this time.

### **Admission to Lakeshore Collegiate:**

Students who apply for the Pre-AP Program at Lakeshore Collegiate must also apply to the school through the regular TDSB admission process. However, the student is also required to complete a TDSB Optional Attendance Form (545B).

Application forms are available at <http://www.lakeshorecollegiate.ca>

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Personal information contained on this form or personal information collected on behalf of the TDSB is collected under the authority of the Education Act and in compliance with Sections 14, 31 and 32 of the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection Act, 1989. This information is required to register and place the student in the school system, or for a consistent purpose such as the allocation of staff and resources

## Section A: Student Information

TDSB is committed to creating an equitable school system where the achievement and well-being of every student is fostered through 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.

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)                      Surname                      Given Name(s)

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street #                      Street Name                      Apartment  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City                      Postal Code                      Telephone #

**Current School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Daytime Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Evening Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Application Form Checklist

Please ensure that all application materials are complete and included when submitted to the Lakeshore Collegiate Student Services department by **January 10, 2019 at 3:45p.m.**

The following materials must be included in your application:

- Completed and signed Section A: Student Information Form
- Sections B, C, D and E are completed pages
- Recommendation Form completed and returned in a sealed and signed envelope
- Photocopy of the two (2) most recent available report cards
- TDSB Optional Attendance Form **(even if Lakeshore Collegiate is your home school)**

Optional Attendance Form: <http://www.tdsb.on.ca/About-Us/Policies-Procedures-Forms/Detail/docId/271>-->Click FORM 545B

## Section B: Student Statement

In the space below, explain why you would like to take Pre-AP course and what skills and/or personal characteristics you possess that would make you a good candidate for the program. This is your chance to sell yourself. You are welcome to type this statement and attach it to your application.

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## Section C: School Participation

List any school clubs, teams and activities you have been involved in during the past two years.  
(For example: Me to We, student council, track and field, office helper, announcement team etc.)

| <i>Activity</i> | <i>Dates</i> |
|-----------------|--------------|
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |

## Section D: Community Involvement

Indicate any activities OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL in which you have participated during the past two years.  
(For example: church youth group, music lessons, sports teams, volunteer work, scouts, etc.)

| <i>Activity</i> | <i>Dates</i> |
|-----------------|--------------|
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |
| _____           | _____        |

## Section E: Awards Recognition

List any awards or recognitions you have received from your school or community.  
(For example, academics, leadership, music, athletics, public speaking contests, etc.)

| <i>Activity</i> | <i>Dates</i> |
|-----------------|--------------|
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## Teacher or Community Member Recommendation Form

**TO THE APPLICANT:** Please have this form completed by a teacher or another adult who can give an appropriate recommendation, such as a community leader, employer or coach.

*The completed form should be sealed in an envelope with the assessor's signature over the seal.*

**TO THE ASSESSOR:** This student has applied to the Pre-Advanced Placement Program at Lakeshore Collegiate. The student's desire and commitment to the work required in this enriched class is very important to his or her success. As you have worked closely with this student, you have particular insight into the applicant's work ethic and desire to learn that we would like you to share with us. Please complete the form below and seal it in a school envelope. Once sealed, please sign over the seal and return the envelope to the student. They will include your envelope with their application. Thank you for taking the time to help us evaluate this student.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Present School: \_\_\_\_\_ Present Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Assessors Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Assessors Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

May we contact you if we have further questions about the student's application? YES NO

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

The student is applying to take enriched courses in Math, Science and English. Do you recommend this student?  
YES NO Please explain your answer.

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Check off the appropriate boxes with respect to the applicant's qualities.

|                            | Excellent | Very Good | Fair | Needs Improvement | Unable to Judge |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Attitude to Learning       |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Intellectual Curiosity     |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Demonstrated Work Ethic    |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Peer Interaction           |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Enthusiasm/Self-Motivation |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Leadership Ability         |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Organization               |           |           |      |                   |                 |
| Attendance                 |           |           |      |                   |                 |

Please describe any concerns that you have for the student, and supports we may offer for the student to be successful in this program

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This student demonstrates a high aptitude in the following subject area(s) and would benefit from studying the material in an enriched environment:

- English       Science       Mathematics

Assessors Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Assessors Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM. PLEASE SEAL IT IN AN ENVELOPE AND SIGN ACROSS THE SEAL**