

# Martingrove Collegiate Institute



Martingrove Collegiate Institute,  
50 Winterton Drive, Etobicoke ON, M9B 3G7

**Grade 8 Information Night**  
**Tuesday, November 20, 2018**  
**6:30 pm**

## **Agenda:**

- **6:30 – 7:30pm:**  
**Auditorium Presentation**
- **7:30 - 8:30pm:**  
**Self-Guided School/Department Tour**

# **WELCOME TO MARTINGROVE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE!**

## ***TDSB Statement of Commitment***

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.



# WELCOME TO MARTINGROVE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE!

Martingrove Collegiate Institute is a diverse school community dedicated to developing responsible, productive and global citizens by fostering in all of our students the desire to pursue personal excellence. Martingrove is committed to the safe, healthy and supportive environment necessary to facilitate scholastic challenges and co-curricular activities..

Martingrove Collegiate is a caring school which is recognized provincially for academic excellence and exceptional student and staff involvement. Over 80% of graduating students enter post-secondary institutions and almost two thirds of graduates are Ontario Scholars. Our academic program is also complemented by a wide variety of clubs and sports.

## *Distinctive programs that enhance the high school experience*

### **Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM):**

Martingrove is proud to offer a SHSM program in Health and Wellness. SHSM Students have the opportunity to explore a variety of courses and careers related to health, fitness, and kinesiology. They complete sector-recognized certification, career-relevant training and receive a special diploma upon graduation.






### **Co-op Education:**

Co-op students can earn credits while employed in a structured work placement.

### **Dual Credits:**

Martingrove students have the opportunity to take apprenticeship and college courses while still in high school. These courses count as both high school and college credits.

# Course Offerings for ALL destinations: University, College, Apprenticeship, Workplace

<p><b>Interested in Business?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Entrepreneurship</li> <li>o Accounting</li> <li>o International Business</li> <li>o Financial Securities (stock trading)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Interested in Creativity?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Visual art</li> <li>o Dramatic art</li> <li>o Music</li> <li>o Photography</li> <li>o Graphic Design</li> </ul> 	<p><b>Interested in English?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Writer's Craft (creative writing)</li> <li>o Media Studies</li> <li>o Presentation Skills</li> <li>o Literacy Course</li> <li>o Yearbook</li> </ul>	<p><b>Interested in Healthy Active Living?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Phys-ed</li> <li>o Personal Fitness</li> <li>o Recreation Leadership</li> <li>o Kinesiology</li> </ul>
<p><b>Interested in Family Studies?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Food and Nutrition</li> <li>o Fashion</li> <li>o Families in Canada</li> <li>o Living and Working with Children</li> <li>o Independent Living</li> </ul>	<p><b>Interested in Languages?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o French</li> <li>o Spanish</li> </ul> 	<p><b>Interested in Math?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Functions</li> <li>o Calculus</li> <li>o Data Management</li> <li>o Foundations for College</li> </ul> 	<p><b>Interested in Social Studies?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o World History</li> <li>o American History</li> <li>o Law</li> <li>o Philosophy</li> <li>o Politics</li> <li>o Psychology</li> <li>o Economics</li> <li>o World issues</li> <li>o Travel and tourism</li> </ul>
<p><b>Interested in Science?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Biology</li> <li>o Chemistry</li> <li>o Physics</li> </ul> 	<p><b>Interested in Technology?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Design Tech</li> <li>o Automotive Tech</li> <li>o Robotics</li> <li>o Computer Engineering</li> <li>o Computer Programming</li> </ul>	<p><b>Interested in Career Exploration?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Coop</li> <li>o Specialist High Skills Major (Health and Wellness)</li> </ul>	<p><b>Interested in Getting Support?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Learning Strategies</li> <li>o ESL</li> </ul> 

## ***EXTRA-CURRICULAR and ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES***

- Duke of Edinburgh Award Program
- Shad Valley Camp
- Deep River Science Academy
- Encounters With Canada
- U of T daVinci Engineering Program
- Queens University mini-enrichment week
- U of T Student Language Conference
- Reach for the Top Intramural League and School Team
- Model United Nations Assembly
- Over fifty clubs, countless sports teams, art and music groups

## ***FIELD TRIPS and INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL EXPERIENCES***

- Leadership Camp to Manitou
- CEEF Student Exchange Program
- Music and History Trips
- English – Stratford and various theatre excursions
- St. Donat French Immersion Trip
- Student Exchange Trip to Europe

## ***CONTESTS and COMPETITIONS***

- Math: Pascal, Cayley, Fermat, Euclid
- Science: Ontario Associate Physics Teachers', Avogadro (Waterloo) DaVinci, Chem 13 Exam, National High School, Sir Isaac Newton contest
- Modern Languages: Concours d'art oratoire (French Speech Contest), University French Contest, University Spanish Contest
- English: short story, poetry, creative non-fiction, essay writing competitions
- Music: Kiwanis Festival, Peel Music Festival, Musicfest Canada, Junior/Senior bands, many performance opportunities
- Art: Design Tournament at OCAD University
- Business: Wilfred Laurier Stock Market Competition
- Technology: First Robotics Contest, Skills and Skills Canada Contest

# MARTINGROVE COLLEGIATE GIFTED PROGRAM

Martingrove Collegiate has been providing the Secondary Gifted Program in the West End for the past thirty years. We offer a variety of gifted courses and many enrichment programs to enhance our students' experiences in high school. Students identified as Gifted are placed into the MCI Gifted Program for grades 9 and 10 through their IPRC.

Course delivery is differentiated in a number of ways:

- **Breadth** – the range of the material covered
- **Depth** – the degree to which topics and/or skills are more fully developed
- **Pace** – the speed at which material is covered
- **Kind** – the way in which curriculum is covered and evaluated
- **Senior Enrichment** – students have the opportunity to move into Pre-AP courses in Grade 11 and AP courses in Grade 12.

# MARTINGROVE'S ADVANCED PLACEMENT® PROGRAM (MAPP)

Martingrove Collegiate is proud to offer the **Advanced Placement® Program and Pre-AP Program** to all qualified and interested students. The Pre-AP Program begins in Grade 9 and continues through Grade 11. Students learn the necessary skills, knowledge and foundations for success in preparation for entrance to the Advanced Placement® Program in grade 12.

Started in 1955, the College Board's Advanced Placement® Program enables students to pursue University-level studies while in high school. Based on their performance on rigorous AP Examinations, students can earn credit and/or advanced placement for University in North America and internationally.

We have chosen to offer the **Pre-AP and AP Program** because it affords our students maximum flexibility with respect to course selection; it prepares them well for university, and because the program has become the benchmark by which universities measure the potential of their incoming students. The Advanced Placement program is the *most widely recognized university preparation program in the world.*

## Why Should You Take the Pre-AP and the Advanced Placement Program At Martingrove Collegiate?

### **Confidence:**

AP students develop study habits, improve writing skills, and sharpen problem-solving skills, giving them the confidence to tackle the academic challenges of University.

### **Credit:**

Entering University with AP credits gives students opportunities to move into upper-level courses in their field of interest, pursue a double major or study/travel abroad.

- *There is a potential savings of hundreds of dollars in university fees as students are given credit for their successful AP courses.*

### **University Success:**

Research consistently shows that students who are successful in AP, experience greater academic success in University than similar students who do not participate in Advanced Placement courses.

# SHOULD I APPLY FOR PRE-ADVANCED PLACEMENT AT MARTINGROVE?

## Are you a good candidate?

- Are you a motivated student with a history of academic success?
- Do you have an interest in pursuing your studies in a more intense and in-depth manner?
- Do you enjoy discussion and independent research (skills that are essential for success in university)?

Pre-AP students are provided with intellectual challenges that require them to think critically and to apply higher order thinking strategies in order to gain a more profound understanding of the subject matter.

## **PRE-ADVANCED PLACEMENT and AP COURSES OFFERED IN 2018 INCLUDE:**

- Pre-AP (Grade 9) English, Math, Science, Canadian Geography, French
- Pre-AP (Grade 10) English, Math, Science, Canadian History, French, Computer Studies, Visual Arts
- Pre –AP (Grade 11) English, Math, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Anthropology, Sociology & Psychology, French, Visual Arts, Computer Studies
- AP – (Grade 12) English, Advanced Functions, Calculus and Vectors, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, European History, French, Challenge and Change in Society, Arts 2D & 3D, World Issues (Human Geography), Computer Studies



# DATES TO REMEMBER!

- December 4, 2018** at 4:00 pm in the Guidance Office: Complete Pre-AP applications due

This includes

- Completed and Signed Application Form
  - Final Grade 7 Report Card and the Grade 8 Report Card (First Term)
  - Completed Optional Attendance Form
  - Selection of MAPP Admission Test date  
(December 12, 2018 at 6:00 pm or December 15, 2018 at 10:00 am)
  - \$5 application fee  
(non-refundable - used to defray the photocopying and postage costs)
- December 12, 2018** at 6:00 pm - MAPP Admission Test
  - December 15, 2018** at 10:00 am - MAPP Admission Test
  - February 1, 2019** – Optional Attendance forms for students applying from out of area must be received at Martingrove Guidance Office.
  - February 15, 2019** - Parents/guardians will be informed of acceptance or non-acceptance.
  - February 22, 2019** - Course selection sheets are due at the elementary school.
  - March 1, 2019** - Final date to confirm acceptance of an offer of admission.

# HAVE QUESTIONS? NEED MORE INFORMATION?

If further information is required, regarding all of our exceptional program offerings at Martingrove Collegiate, please visit our school website at <http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/martingrove/home.aspx> and/or please contact our Guidance secretary, Ms. Perruccio at 416-394-7110 Ext. 20040.

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# **APPLICATION FORM**

## **ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAM (MAPP)**

*For Grade Nine Admission 2019-2020*

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TDSB STUDENT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

### **CHECKLIST**

- Completed and Signed Application Form
- Final Grade 7 Report Card and the Grade 8 Report Card (First Term)
- Completed Optional Attendance Form
- Date of MAPP Admission Test Selected
- \$5 Application Fee included – Cheque or cash accepted.  
Please make the cheque payable to Martingrove Collegiate Institute.

This application must be received in the Martingrove CI  
Guidance Office no later than **December 4, 2018 at 4:00 pm.**

# SECTION A: STUDENT INFORMATION

Check <b>ONE</b> option only for the MAPP Admission Test	<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday, December 12/18 at 6:00 pm	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday, December 15/18 2018 at 10:00 am
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Last Name (Student)	Given Name (Student)
Street No. and Street Name	City
Postal Code	Telephone No. Home: <span style="float: right;">Cell:</span>
Parent/Guardian Email Address:	
TDSB Student Number (if applicable)	
Current Elementary School	
Does a Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No attend MCI?	Name of Sibling
Does the applicant require disability-related accommodations during the application process? If yes, please state the accommodations required.	

## SECTION B: PRE-AP COURSE SELECTION

Students in Grade 9 Pre-AP must take a minimum of 4 Pre-AP courses.  
 Please ✓ check a minimum of **four Pre-AP courses** that you would like to take.

Course
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP English
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP Math
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP Science
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP French
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-AP Geography

- Please note: In rare occasions where a timetable conflict arises, students will be asked to make an alternate course selection.

## SECTION C: SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT

### School Involvement

Please list any school clubs, teams and activities in which you have been involved in grades 7 and 8. (Some examples might include: student council, reading buddy, tutoring, sports teams, etc.)

Activity	School Year(s)

## SECTION D: COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

### Community Involvement

Please indicate any activities in which you have participated during grades 7 and 8. (Some examples might include: music lessons, community sports teams, volunteer work, scouts/guides/cadets, etc.)

Activity	School Year(s)

## SECTION E: AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

### Awards and Recognitions

Please list any awards or recognitions that you have received from your school or community. (Some examples might include: academic awards, music certificates, athletics prizes, science fairs, public speaking contests, etc.)

Activity	School Year(s)

## SECTION F: SIGNATURES

***Applications will only be processed if they are complete.***

<i>Parent/Guardian Signature</i>	<i>(Print Name)</i>	<i>Date</i>
<i>Student Signature</i>	<i>(Print Name)</i>	<i>Date</i>

*Personal information contained on this form or general information collected on behalf of the Toronto District School Board 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 and Protection of Privacy Act and will be used for education, transportation and health and safety purposes. For further information, please contact **Lucy Elbe, Office Administrator at 416-394-7110.***



# **MARTINGROVE COLLEGIATE OPTIONAL ATTENDANCE**

- A COMPLETED OPTIONAL ATTENDANCE FORM IS REQUIRED WITH THIS PRE-AP PACKAGE**
- OPTIONAL ATTENDANCE FORMS CAN BE PRINTED FROM MCI'S WEBSITE OR PICKED UP FROM ANY TDSB SCHOOL**