Business Studies

Experiential Learning Department



Course Offerings

Gr. 9 - BTT10

Business Technology **Gr. 10 - BBI20**

Gr. 12 - BOH4M

Introduction to Business

Gr. 11 - BAF3M

Gr. 12 - BBB4M

Introduction to Accounting

Gr. 11 - BMI3C

Gr. 12 - IDC4U

Introduction to Marketing

Gr. 12 - BAT4M

Financial Accounting

Business Leadership

International Business

Financial Securities

Career Exploration

- → Job Shadow Day Women in Capital Markets
- → World of Choices Business Careers Conference
- → No Limits Accounting Conference
- → SheBiz Women in Capital Markets

Business Challenges

- → Stock Market Challenge
- → Titan Challenge online
 Business Game Simulation
- → DECA Competition Case Study Competition
- → Financial Literacy Competition

Experiential Activities

- → JA Company Program Become an Entrepreneur
- → CPA High School Ambassador Program
- → Day on Bay Jr Economics Club

JR.ECONOMIC CLUB



I attended Women in Capital Market's Shebiz conference back in 2015, without expectations of the impact WCM would have on my learning and development in the long-term. Shebiz is a free day-long conference hosted for high school students to explore business and STEM opportunities (thank you Ms. Leung from Victoria Park C.I. for signing me up).

Fast forward to Shebiz 2019...I had the opportunity to share my story as a panelist. Shebiz 2015 gave me early exposure to career opportunities in Capital Markets and access to students and professionals engaged in the organization.





VPCI Business Studies Alumni





Victoria Park DECA

Business Competition Club



What is DECA?



- → An international, non-profit organization
- → A high school business case competition
- → Includes leadership conferences, networking opportunities, business workshops, and more
- → Prepares you with practical business knowledge and experience for post-secondary education, job applications, and the real world!



COMPETITION LEVELS

#1: REGIONALS

 Compete with students in the same school board (e.g. TDSB)

#2: PROVINCIALS

- Compete with students all **across Ontario** at the Toronto Sheraton Centre

#3: ICDC

- Compete **internationally** at a specific location in the US (2021 - Anaheim, California)





PAST COMPETITIONS (Provincial & International)



COMPETITIVE EVENTS OVERVIEW:

- → DECA offers three types of events for competitors—orals, writtens or Virtual Simulations
- → Helps improve different interpersonal skills that are beneficial for the future

ORALS

- → Choose between Individual or Team events
- → A variety of events from different clusters
- → Prepared on-the-spot and tests critical thinking abilities

WRITTENS

- → Ranges from writing reports to analyzing real-world companies
- → Prepared over time
- → A variety of events to choose from to build different skills



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