



Town Centre Private High School TM

A Member of the Town Centre Group of Companies

EXPECTATIONS FOR ALL INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS:

TO BE READ AND SIGNED BY ALL INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS AND THEIR PARENTS (IF UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE)

International students applying to Town Centre with the expectation of graduating from our school should realize that a **minimum of three years** of study should be expected in order to be adequately prepared for university. In some cases, the minimum time required to graduate may be more than three years.

Students are required to submit a complete application before a decision of acceptance can be determined. Accepted students may be required to write an English Placement Test before being given a final schedule in order to determine their ESL placement.

The Ontario ESL system includes five levels: A, B, C, D and E. Each ESL course takes a full semester and Level E must be successfully completed before a student can go on to study in the regular English stream. The normal progression is from ESL E to grade 11 English. Once this pre-requisite has been completed, students move on to grade 12 English. Graduation from Town Centre requires students to complete grade 12 English (ENG4U). In addition, all students must pass the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT).

All students are expected to communicate in English with their teachers and fellow students.

International students under the age of 18 years whose parents are not living in Ontario must have a legal guardian. The guardian expectations are as follows:

- appointed by the parents;
- have student(s) living in the same house;
- available through email and phone during the entire time the student(s) attend the school;
- able to communicate with the school in English.

If, for any reason, the guardian appointed by the parents ceases to be available, another guardian must be appointed by the parents. If the parents appoint a new guardian, the process must be carried out through a lawyer. The school must be issued with a legal document, stating the name, address, and phone number of the new guardian.

International students under 18 years of age who do not have a legal guardian in place according to the structures outlined above will not be permitted to attend classes at our school.

With the signing of this letter you state that you understand the rules and conditions under which international students are accepted into our school and also acknowledge that you support the language policies of the school.

N.B. PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECTION BELOW IN ENGLISH:

Print name of the student: _____

Student's signature: _____

Print name of parent: _____

Parent's signature: _____

Date: _____