

# William G Miller Public School

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**GRADE RANGE:** JK to 8

# Interesting Feature

# Dual Track Programs

William G. Miller is a dual track school offering both regular English (Full day JK - 8) and Early French Immersion (Full day JK -8) programs. The only entry point for Early French Immersion is at the Junior Kindergarten level. Students come from: Centennial Rd PS. Charlottetown PS, Highland Creek PS, Joseph Brant, Poplar Road, West Hill PS, West Rouge PS, Wm G. Davis PS and Wm G. Miller.

William G. Miller is a JK to Grade 8 school located at the end of Bennett Road, south of Lawrence Avenue East, between Morningside Ave. and Port Union Rd; on 5.5 acres of land. The school opened in 1959 and was named in honour of the late William G. Miller, who served as a trustee in south Scarborough. Our school serves approximately 450 students; 40% are enrolled in our regular program and 60% are enrolled in our French Immersion program.

#### Other facts

We offer a safe learning environment, defined by our Safe School Policy and supported by a Code of Conduct and Safety Patrollers. We have an experienced, caring and committed staff. We offer a balanced, challenging and comprehensive



program. An after-school child care program offered by the YMCA, (K and school age) whose philosophy supports and extends that of the school is housed in the building.

#### More Information about William G Miller Public School

#### **New Technology**

We are always trying to update our technology to keep up with changing times. Students in Grade 5 are now provided with the own 1:1 devices.



#### **Literacy/Numeracy**

We have balanced literacy and numeracy blocks in all classes. We have reorganized and revamped our library so that resources and materials are readily accessible and available to students and teachers. We conduct ongoing inventories purchasing additional manipulatives and resources as needed.



#### **Special Programs**

We offer a variety of special education programs and services to meet the needs of all students, including students with exceptionalities.



### **Miller Advisory Council (MAC)**

We have a very active and supportive School Council. Members represent parents, the community, the teaching staff and meet on a monthly basis. Parent and community volunteers assist in school activities, in the library, the classrooms, on trips and with special lunches and events. MAC supports through fundraising, many areas of the curriculum based on school needs.



#### **Additional Features**

For a list of all programs that are also offered visit <a href="http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Findyour/Schools.aspx?schno=4774&schoolId=1258">http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Findyour/Schools.aspx?schno=4774&schoolId=1258</a>

# **Student Life - Where You Belong**

At Miller we encourage all students to get involved outside of their classrooms. We provide many leadership opportunities where students can make a difference; Library Ambassadors, Safety Patrollers, Morning Announcers, Kindergarten Helpers, and Office Helpers. We also offer many extra-curricular activities that allow students to reach their full potential and develop important skills. We hold monthly assemblies that give opportunities for classes and individual student to present work that focuses on Character Education traits. We also recognize students' efforts and achievements during these assemblies, parents are invited and encouraged to attend.



## **What Sets Us Apart**

The French Immersion program attracts families from neighbouring elementary schools and for this reason many of our students are bussed to and from school every day. This does not stop students from participating in activities offered after school - parents are dedicated and support the school initiatives. Students participate in numerous sports teams and teachers and students alike are committed together to achieve success. We have an active school and great team spirit!



# **Parent and Community Engagement**

William G. Miller is a wonderful place to learn and grow. Staff and parents have a common goal to provide equal opportunities for everyone.



Imagine a TDSB where all schools share a common core set of characteristics. They are community-driven and focused on teaching and learning. Students and parents have a wide variety of opportunities and there are enough students in every school to increase program choices.

Imagine there is a clear focus on achieving student success and every student is engaged, has a voice, access to a caring adult and the opportunity to develop their full potential.

Here at the TDSB our focus is on student achievement, parent and community engagement and financial stability.

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