

# BANTING MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

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**“QUAECUMQUE OPTIMA”**  
**“WHATSOEVER THINGS ARE BEST”**

## MISSION STATEMENT

Banting Memorial High School is a large vibrant school with a wide variety of curricular and extra-curricular programs. We value the worth of an individual by providing a safe and caring environment where each student can realize his or her personal potential and become a responsible citizen. Our long-time Latin Motto, “QUAECUMQUE OPTIMA” – “*Whatsoever Things are Best*”, issues the challenge for all students to constantly strive for excellence within the walls of Banting and beyond.

## SCHOOL FACTS

**Grades Offered:** 9-12

**Year Built:** School founded in 1951 with last renovation in 2014

**Student Population:** Approximately 1600

**School Colours:** Maroon, White and Blue

**School Team Name:** Marauders

**Location:** Approx. 40 minutes South West of Barrie off Highway 89, just north of Toronto

**Local Amenities:** Museum on the Boyne, Banting Heritage Park, Earl Rowe Provincial Park

**Student Support:** Guidance Services, Peer Tutoring School

**Facilities:** Computer Labs, Science Labs, Green House, Music Rooms, Art Rooms, 4 Gymnasiums, Technology Wing, Woodworking & Auto Shops, Cosmetology Room, Cafeteria, Library With Internet Access, Outdoor Playing Fields & Track

## SCHOOL SCHEDULE

**Period 1:** 8:00 – 9:20

**Period 2:** 9:25 – 10:40

**Lunch:** 10:45 – 12:00

**Period 3:** 12:00 – 1:15

**Period 4:** 1:20 – 2:35

The school operates on a two-semester basis with students taking 4 subjects daily in each semester. If a student is enrolled in fewer subjects, they are given a “spare” period but must remain on the school campus.



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## COURSES OFFERED

**Art** (Drama, Visual Arts, Media Arts, Photography, Ceramics, Vocal/Choral & Instrumental music)  
**Business Studies** (Financial Accounting, Entrepreneurship, Marketing, Computer Science)  
**Canadian & World Studies** (Geography, History, Law)  
**Co-operative Education** (Designing Your Future)  
**English** (Essential, Media Studies)  
**Guidance & Career Education**  
**Health & Physical Education**  
**Languages** (French, Spanish, Latin, Extended French)  
**Mathematics**  
**Science** (Essential, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Environmental Science)  
**Social Science** (Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Philosophy, Food & Culture, Raising Healthy Children, Housing and Home Design, World Religions)

**Technology** (Animal Science, Architecture, Communications, Computers, Construction, Hairstyling and Aesthetics, Horticulture, Transportation)  
**Advanced Placement English**  
**Architectural Design**  
**Exercise Science**  
**Extended French**  
**Food & Culture**  
**Latin**  
**Media Studies**  
**Native Studies**  
**Recreation & Fitness Leadership**  
**Spanish**  
**Specialist High Skills Major** (Agri-Business, Horticulture and Landscaping)  
**Understanding Fashion**  
**Visual Arts** (Ceramics, Cultural/Historical Studies, Drawing and Painting, Photography)

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

School Teams			Clubs	
(Sept—Dec)	(Dec—Mar)	(Mar—June)		
Girls Basketball	Alpine Skiing	Ball Hockey	Aid for AIDS	Fine Arts Council
Cross Country	Snowboarding	Boys Baseball	Amnesty International	Green Team
Running	Badminton	Girls Softball	Anime	Gay/Straight Alliance
Girls Flag Football	Boys Basketball	Boys Golf	Announcement Club	Habitat for Humanity
Boys Football Boys	Boys Curling	Boys & Girls	Athletic Society	Highland Dance Team
Boys Soccer	Gymnastics	Rugby	A/V Crew	Improv Club
Tennis Sr.	Boys/Girls Hockey	Girls Soccer	Band	Interact
Volleyball	Girls Volleyball	Track & Field	Badminton Club	Latin Club
	Wrestling	Girls Soccer	Beyonders	Math Club
		Tennis Jr.	Breakfast Club	Peer Mediation
		Track & Field	BSAID	RAK Pack
		Ultimate Frisbee	Choir	Science Olympiad
			Cine Club	Sisterhood
			Computers Club	Sketch Club
			Dance Team	Spanish Club
			Dragonboat Team	Students' Council
			Drama Club	U.N. Simulation
			Drum Circle	Woodworking
			Envirothon Team	

