

## OUR CURRICULUM

Our high school program integrates into its small classes the curriculum of *Kolbe Academy* ([www.kolbe.org](http://www.kolbe.org)), a well-established and respected program with a focus on the sources of Western thought, and a challenging course of studies across the disciplines. Students will receive a solid grounding in Greek and Roman classics, English Literature, Catholic Theology, Modern Languages, European and Canadian History, Mathematics, and the Sciences.

## OUR TEACHERS AND TEACHING

The high school program is overseen by a Head Teacher in collaboration with both the Director and Principal of the school. Courses are taught by a team of teachers and experts, and include lectures, as well as group-work and guided discussion.

Our teachers participate in ongoing pedagogical and spiritual formation, and they strive to be witnesses of faith to their students. They are in regular communication with parents regarding the progress of students and any areas of concern.

## FEES AND ADMISSION

The amounts shown on our fee schedule do not cover the cost of educating a student. Through the generous donations of benefactors and the active involvement of all school families in our fundraising projects, we are able to keep the school affordable and accessible to families of all economic means.

### FEES FOR 2010/2011

Per High School pupil: \$4 680.00

### APPLICATIONS

Admission is determined through an application procedure which includes an application form, a personal interview, and evaluation of academic records and work samples for students who completed their elementary schooling elsewhere. Please contact the school office for an application kit.

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# *The Francis de Sales Centre at Mary, Mother of God School*



**High School Education  
in the Catholic Tradition for  
Young Men and Women**

Through the high school program at *Mary, Mother of God School*, students are formed as young Catholic men and women in an intensive, individualized academic program combined with an active spiritual life and ongoing community service.



*St. Francis de Sales*

### GROWTH AS CHRISTIANS

Formation in the Catholic Faith is essential to high school education at *Mary, Mother of God School*. Drawing from the riches of the Catholic tradition, and under the patronage of the Virgin Mary, St. Francis de Sales, and St. John Bosco, staff and students join in daily prayer, weekly Mass, monthly Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, and the celebration of the annual cycles of the liturgical calendar.

Students learn to recognize themselves and one another in their love for Christ, the centre of the school's life and mission, and to express their love for God and neighbour in concrete forms of service.



*Mary, Mother of God*

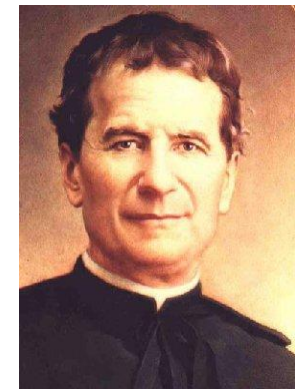
### DEVELOPMENT OF THE HUMAN PERSON

The school seeks to provide each student with opportunities to develop leadership abilities and individual gifts and talents, linking this with service to the Church and the building up of civilization.

Students participate in physical education and arts programs offered throughout the city, in curriculum-based school trips, as well as extra-curricular school clubs.

In order that students may develop habits that will enable them to decide and act wisely according to the Catholic moral tradition, the school provides mentorship, structures, and incentives that cultivate virtue and heighten moral awareness.

*Reason, religion, and kindness* – the pillars of St. John Bosco's educative method – summarize the method used by our teachers to inspire students to rise to their full human and Christian potential. Rules are in place to benefit and protect the students, and are enforced with Christian charity.



*St. John Bosco*

Ongoing mentorship and follow-up help students maintain a healthy balance between work and leisure, academic and family life, study and friendship, fostering the students' personal well-being and happiness.