



## Archbishop Denis O'Connor Catholic School

### Introduction

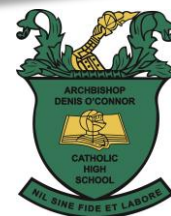
Welcome to Archbishop Denis O'Connor Catholic High School, we focus on the guiding principles that you seek in quality Catholic education: Excellence, Equity and New Evangelization. Our school motto is “Nothing without faith and work”.

The school is 53 years old and our first location was in Whitby, ON before moving to Ajax, ON in 1984. We welcome students of all faiths at our secondary school. We offer 21st century learning, academic results, faith formation and a safe, caring community that accepts and respects your child.



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**Interesting Facts**

- Our athletic teams are called the Chargers
- New renovated Learning Commons
- Musical theatre courses directly support the annual musical performances

**Specialty Programs**

- Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM): Health and Wellness, Non-Profit, and Construction
- Cooperative Education
- Dual Credit Program offered in Indigenous Studies and Aesthetics/Cosmetics
- Fitness courses available in addition to regular Physical Education classes for all grade levels

**Extra-Curricular Activities**

- Clubs include Art, Athletic Council, Black History, Dance, Drama, Eco-Club, GSA Club - Gay Straight Alliance, Games, Morning Jam – Rock/Pop and Blues, DOC Music Class, Peer Ministry, Prom Committee, Robotics, School Band, Choir, Social Justice, SOS – Stomp Out Stigma, Student Council, Think Pink – Bullying Awareness Program, T.Y.G. – Rap & Hip Hop, White Pine Reading.
- Athletic teams include basketball, soccer, volleyball, hockey, track and field, lacrosse, cross country running, swimming, tennis, frisbee football and golf.

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