



# Application for LPS Edge: Excellence in Hockey and Academics

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Thank you for expressing interest in the LPS Edge: Excellence in Hockey and Academics program! This innovative program is designed for high performance student-athletes who are eager to excel in both hockey and academics. It offers two high school credits, an opportunity for advanced hockey training, and the ability to develop essential athletic and academic skills.

The program focuses on high-level competitive hockey, providing elite training and competitive opportunities. It is a co-ed skills academy that promotes growth both athletically and academically, fostering teamwork, leadership, and character development. Students will work on improving their individual hockey skills while also enjoying the game and advancing their academic knowledge.

Whether you're seeking intensive prep hockey, diverse academic options, or the holistic support of a high school, LPS Edge offers everything in one comprehensive program. In their Grade 9 year, Academy participants will earn eight credits, including two through participation in the Hockey Academy. Students should expect 80-100 hours on the ice, with the remaining time spent in the gym, weight room, or classroom. Participation in this program ensures that students maintain full commitment to their academic responsibilities, as it is designed to take place for only half of the school day within a single semester. (Semester 1 at Hammarkjold and semester 2 at Westgate).

## Transportation & Fees:

Students will be provided with one-way bus transportation to or from the rink. Parents or guardians will be responsible for either picking up or dropping off their child. Due to facility costs (ice time) and bus transportation, there will be a participation fee of \$500.00 per student. The program fees contribute directly to providing students with access to high-quality coaching from elite instructors, enhancing their overall experience and development.

*Please note, students must have their own hockey equipment to participate in the program.*

## Program Eligibility:

The co-ed LPS Edge program is open to all 2025-2026 grade 9 student-athletes with experience in competitive hockey. If you have any concerns about transportation or the program fee, please reach out to the Principal of the High School.

Please complete the application below to be considered for the program. All sections must be filled out accurately for a complete submission.

**You belong here**

**Committed to the success of every student.**

# Student Information

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Prefer not to answer

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level in 2025-2026: ☐ Grade 9

## Home Address

Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Academic Achievement

☐ Term 1 Gr. 8 Report Card attached

# Parent/Guardian Information

## Parent/Guardian 1

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent/Guardian 2 (if applicable)

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# Transportation

LPS will provide one-way transportation to or from the rink. Do you have access to transportation for the other part of the trip?

☐ Yes

☐ No

# Hockey Experience

Please indicate your years of experience and the level of play you have participated in:

## Years of Experience:

- ☐ 1 year
- ☐ 2-3 years
- ☐ 3-5 years
- ☐ 5+ years

## Level of Play:

- ☐ Recreational (Rec)
- ☐ House League
- ☐ A
- ☐ AA
- ☐ AAA
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## What position do you currently play?

Select all that apply.

- ☐ Forward
- ☐ Defence
- ☐ Goalie

List any formal hockey programs you have participated in (e.g., clinics, camps, academies, etc.):

Have you been involved in any other hockey-related achievements? (e.g., awards, captaincy, tournaments, etc.):

# Hockey References

*(Please provide the names and contact details of two individuals who can speak to your hockey experience and character.)*

## Reference 1

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Reference 2

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

# High School Selection

Please select the high school you plan to attend in 2025-2026.

- ☐ Hammarkjold High School
- ☐ Westgate Collegiate and Vocational Institute

## Additional Information

Why are you interested in applying to the LPS Edge program?

What are your long-term athletic and academic goals, and how do you see the LPS Edge program helping you achieve them?

Are there any additional details you would like the selection committee to know?

## Parental Consent & Signature

By submitting this application, you, the parent/guardian, are giving your consent for the student's participation in the LPS Edge: Excellence in Hockey and Academics program. You understand that the program involves physical activity and that safety protocols will be in place.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**You acknowledge that spots in this program are limited, and completing an application does not guarantee acceptance for all students.**

## Student Signature

I, the student, understand the commitment required to be part of the LPS Edge program and am excited to pursue the opportunity for both athletic development and academic growth. I also agree to demonstrate sportsmanlike behavior on and off the ice, showing respect, responsibility, and integrity in all my actions and interactions with others

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Submission Instructions:

Please submit your completed application package to: [lps\\_edgehockey@lakeheadschoools.ca](mailto:lps_edgehockey@lakeheadschoools.ca) or to the main office of your current LPS elementary school.

The deadline for submission is **Wednesday, April 16, 2025**.

If you have any questions, contact us at [kathleen\\_andrews@lakeheadschoools.ca](mailto:kathleen_andrews@lakeheadschoools.ca) or call 807-625-5104.

We look forward to reviewing your application and are excited to see the growth and success you will bring to the LPS Edge: Excellence in Hockey and Academics program!

**Incomplete applications will not be accepted.**