



OSHAWA

ONTARIO > TORONTO EAST

- www.oshawa.ca
- Located on the north shore of Lake Ontario
- Population: approximately 152,000
- 60 km east of Toronto

City/Suburb

PREPARE TO BE AMAZED!

The City of Oshawa - whose name originates from the Seneca native term for "crossing of a stream" - is full of small town charm. Yet its close proximity to Toronto offers residents the best of two worlds - the amenities of the urban city as well as the comforts of a suburban neighbourhood. Oshawa also offers a wide variety of shopping, medical, educational, cultural and recreational facilities with numerous activities and attractions for visitors and residents alike. Heritage is critical to Oshawa's identity, and the city is proud to display fabulous murals painted by Canadian artists on several downtown buildings. With a thriving arts scene and three first class post secondary institutions, this spectacular Lake Ontario city has become a dynamic multicultural community. New businesses, a premier sports and entertainment centre and a lovingly restored theatre have brought new vibrancy to the city's core.

Notable features:

- Many of Oshawa's cultural facilities and attractions stem from the interests of the McLaughlin family, the founding family of GM - General Motors Canada Ltd.
- Centre for automobile, aerospace and plastics manufacturing as well as the film industry
- Many parks for activities such as soccer, baseball and rugby
- Waterfront Trail
- OHL Hockey team (Oshawa Generals); Minor league baseball, lacrosse

Main Attractions:

- Canadian Automotive Museum: www.oshawa.ca/tourism
- Robert McLaughlin Gallery: www.rmg.on.ca
- Downtown murals
- Parkwood Estate: www.parkwoodestate.com
- General Motors Centre: www.generalmotorscentre.com
- Oshawa Zoo: www.ajaxdowns.com
- Windfields Farm: www.windfields.com (birthplace of Canada's most famous racehorse, Northern Dancer)
- Oshawa Kicks Soccer Club: www.oshawakicks.com (largest Soccer Club in the City)

Libraries: 4 public library

Shopping Malls: 2 (Oshawa Centre, 5 Points Mall) including clothing and music stores plus fast food eateries

Movie Theatres: 1 multiplex

High Schools: Several

Public Transit: Public bus system servicing Oshawa, Ajax, Whitby and Pickering; GO train/bus to Toronto

Transit to school may include: Public bus / School Bus / Walking

Average Temperatures: [° c]

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High	-2	-1	3	10	16	22	25	24	20	13	7	1
Low	-8	-8	-3	2	7	13	16	16	12	7	2	-5

Discover: TORONTO EAST



Toronto East ... A pleasant mix of rural charm and urban sophistication

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The communities of Toronto East (officially known as Durham Region) are located immediately east of the City of Toronto and offer students the ease and amenities of city life while maintaining a small town appeal. This area offers numerous year-round recreational activities including water and land sports, while at the same time offering easy access to the many attractions of Toronto.

Location: 40-60 km east of downtown Toronto

Outdoor Sports: Boating • Cycling • Fishing • Golfing • Hiking • Hockey • Horseback Riding • Ice Skating • Mountain Biking • Rollerblading • Skating • Skiing • Snowboarding • Snowmobiling • Snowtubing

Recreation for students:

- Art Galleries • Coffee shops • Festivals • Fruit Farms (apples, strawberries, corn) • Libraries • Music concerts • Movies • Museums • Parks • Restaurants (formal and fast food) • Ski Resorts (5 in the area) • Shopping malls & centres • Sports • Theatre • Youth recreational centres

Why Toronto East?

- Close to Toronto - 30-50 minute drive to downtown Toronto
- Safe, welcoming communities
- Growing neighbourhoods - new schools
- All communities are joined by one common transit system
- Great value experience



SKI & SNOWBOARDING HILLS



YEAR-ROUND OUTDOOR ADVENTURES



TEEN-FRIENDLY AMENITIES



EXCELLENT SCHOOLS



TORONTO: 40-60 km



NIAGARA FALLS: 190 km



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