

Halton Highlights September 2019

Preparing families for the new school year

Starting a new school year can be an exciting time and a big adjustment, especially for children beginning kindergarten or teenagers starting high school. To ease the transition back to school, Halton Region offers a variety of resources that can help your family thrive this fall.

Reporting immunizations

Some immunizations are required to attend school. Make sure your child's vaccines are up-to-date and reported to the Halton Region Health Department.

Supporting success at school

Check out our Ready, Set, Go! and Ready, Set, Whoa! programs for tips on setting positive routines, packing healthy lunches and other ways to help your family prepare for a great year.

HaltonParents

If you have questions or need advice about raising healthy children of all ages, contact Halton Region to speak with a public health nurse from our HaltonParents team.

To report your child's immunizations, find back-to-school tips or connect with HaltonParents, visit halton.ca or call 311.



Keeping children safe and healthy



Your cycling adventure begins in Halton

Halton is a destination for cyclists looking to stay active while enjoying our beautiful community. The region offers many on and off-road options to explore. From leisurely rides along the Lake Ontario waterfront to challenging routes across the Niagara Escarpment, there is something for everyone.

If you would like to experience Halton by bike, I encourage you to check out our cycling map to plan your next ride. It highlights eight routes of varying intensity—ranging from 36 to 100 km in length—as well as bike-friendly services and amenities you can visit along the way.

While many Regional roads feature off-road multi-use paths and dedicated on-road bicycle lanes, I would like to remind motorists, cyclists and pedestrians to stay safe and share the road.

To view our cycling map, visit halton.ca or download the OneHalton app.



Keeping you informed by highlighting what makes Halton a great place to live.

Gary Carr, Regional Chair

Connecting you with job and career opportunities

If you're searching for a job or looking for new career opportunities, Halton Region can help.

Each year, Employment Halton staff support more than 12,000 job seekers by helping them find and maintain employment. Employment services and one-on-one supports are available through the Region's Employment Resource Centres and online, including:

- hiring events and job fairs
- local job postings
- job placement and training
- youth employment programs
- addiction and mental health support

Our next job fair is on Tuesday, September 24 at the Oakville Conference Centre, located at 2515 Wyecroft Road in Oakville. We encourage job seekers to bring their resumé and join us between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. to network with local employers from various sectors, including technology, government, manufacturing, retail, hospitality and healthcare.

To learn more, please visit halton.ca or call 311.

Meetings at Halton Region

1151 Bronte Rd., Oakville, L6M 3L1

Visit halton.ca for full schedule.

September 11 9:30 a.m. Regional Council

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