



Simcoe Composite School

Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) Student Application Form



Student Information

Student's Name:	Student's ID Number:	Date of Birth: (YY/MM/DD)
Address and Postal Code:	Home Phone Number:	Cell Phone Number:
Email:	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	Present Grade (circle) 10 11 12
	<input type="checkbox"/> Female	

What is Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM)?

The Communication Technology SHSM provides students with a strong foundation for a wide variety of careers in the Video game design, Animation, Film, Graphic Design, and Photography industry. SHSM allows students to customize their high school experience to fit their career and interests. Offered in grade 11 and 12, an SHSM allows students to receive a specialized high school diploma that is recognized in the various economic sectors in all four pathways.

Benefits of the Communication Technology Program

- Learn to use professional equipment and software
- Learn essential skills for careers in the Video game design, Animation, Film, Graphic Design, and Photography industry
- Real workplace experiences
- Skills and work habits required for employment success
- Reach Ahead opportunities available including Trips to tour different facilities, recording studios, broadcasting departments and trade shows
- Gain specific training and certifications in the industry
- Sector-recognized certifications and training

Approval

I hereby agree to the participation of the above-named student in an SHSM Program of the Grand Erie District School Board.

Student's Signature:	Parent/Guardian's Signature:	Teacher Signature
Date: Year/Month/Day	Date: Year/Month/Day	Date: Year/Month/Day



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