

SPECIALIST  
**HIGH SKILLS**  
MAJOR

**Robert Bateman High School**  
**HOSPITALITY & TOURISM**



**Program Overview:**

The Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) is designed to meet the needs of every student by preparing them for the post-secondary transition into apprenticeship training, college, university or entry into employment.

Completing a Hospitality and Tourism SHSM recognizes that students have completed the necessary credits, skills, certifications and co-op placements required for the designation on the graduation diploma. Earning a SHSM designation will make students more prepared for a career in the Hospitality Industry.

**Students will:**

- Make informed career choices
- Engage in experiential learning through job shadowing, work experience and co-operative education
- Earn sector recognized certifications
- Demonstrate safe operation of industry related equipment
- Use Ontario Skills Passport to document demonstration of essential skills and work habits
- Select required courses from a ministry approved framework



## Course Package

The program includes:

- 4 Hospitality Credits  
(Culinary, Baking or Restaurant Services)
- 1 Senior Math Credit  
(Grade 11 or 12 depending on the pathway chosen)
- 1 Senior English Credit
- 2 Co-op Credits
- 1 Senior Business or Science Credit

## Who would be interested in the program?

This program, beginning in grade 11 is designed for any student interested in a career in the Hospitality & Tourism Industry.

## Some traditional hospitality fields include:

- Chef
- Pastry Chef
- Kitchen Manager
- Line Cook
- Caterer
- Hotel Manager
- Health Inspector
- Teacher
- Event Planner
- Restaurant Owner

## Program Delivery Schedule

This is a 2 year program and students must complete both years successfully to be granted the SHSM designation on their diploma.

## Application Details and Contact information:

Applications are available in "student services". For further information please contact:

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