

# The Toronto Police Service is looking for dedicated adults to work as School Crossing Guards

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## Crossing Guards come from a variety of different backgrounds.

- Some are retired persons looking to start a second career.
- Some are stay-at home parents looking for additional income.
- Some just want to help keep their communities safe.
- School crossing guards range in age from 18 to 80.

## Duties of a School Crossing Guard

- School crossing guards work at locations deemed too busy for children to cross without assistance.
- School crossing guards are responsible for ensuring elementary school aged children from Junior Kindergarten to grade six cross the street safely when travelling to and from school.

## Working hours for School Crossing Guards

- School crossing guards work every school day during the morning walk to school, the lunch period, and the afternoon walk home.
- Crossing guards are paid a minimum of three hours per day with travel and vacation bonuses.

## Qualifications to be a School Crossing Guard

### **To be eligible to apply as a school crossing guard you must:**

- Be eligible to work in Canada.
- Be a minimum of 18 years of age.
- Be able to verbally communicate in English.
- Must not be facing criminal charges or charges under a Federal Statute.
- Must not have a criminal record.
- Must meet minimum vision requirements
- Be certified by a qualified medical practitioner as medically fit to perform the duties of a school crossing guard.

## How to apply to become a School Crossing Guard

Contact the 11 Division School Crossing Coordinator at **416-808-1122** and make an appointment to apply.