

Lifestyle:

Quality of life *is* not just an expression in Oakville



A high quality of life is one of the main reasons why businesses choose Oakville. Our enviable recreation and lifestyle options explain why we are a location of choice for international and national corporate head offices.

Coupled with our highly skilled labour force, proximity to major trade centres and advanced training and education opportunities, business leaders in our community simply enjoy the advantage of Oakville's exceptional living standards.

Located on the shores of Lake Ontario, our downtown area features both historic and modern architecture with buildings that house over four hundred fine shops, services and restaurants. With theatres, festivals, galleries, and more than 20 golf courses nearby, including the renowned Glen Abbey Golf Club, you'll never run out of leisurely pursuits and entertainment options.

With over 105 kilometres of on- and off-road cycling paths, over 150 kilometres of trails, 2,400 acres (972 hectares) of parkland and more than 200 parks, playgrounds, sports fields and 31 waterfront parks, Oakville has recreational opportunities for everyone.

Harbours

For boating enthusiasts, Oakville's extensive Lake Ontario shoreline includes two harbours: Bronte Harbour on Bronte Creek and Oakville Harbour on Sixteen Mile Creek near the downtown core. Owned by the town and operated by the Parks and Open Space department, these natural harbours accommodate several hundred sail and power boats, as well as recreational facilities.

[MoneySense Magazine ranks Oakville as one of The Best Places to live in Canada, 2016:](#)

- Oakville is #3 in Canada's best places to live 2016 (*MoneySense Magazine*)
- Average household income: \$149,948
- Oakville ranked as the # 2 best place in Canada to raise kids

For Oakville residents, lifestyle choices abound in our community. Located on the Lake Ontario shoreline, the downtown area features both historic and modern architecture with buildings that house over four hundred fine shops, services and restaurants.

Visitors and residents alike are delighted with the range of business opportunities, health services, cultural activities, shopping and both public and private schools.

New residents have a great selection in housing, which covers every income bracket - from heritage homes and luxury condos, to contemporary residences and waterfront properties.



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Resources

We're here to help. For more resources, click on any of the links below.

Photo Gallery of Oakville

Office & Industrial Space Available
in Oakville

Oakville Videos

Economic Development Annual Report

Quarterly e-Newsletter

Schedule a Phone Call

We're waiting to hear from *you.*

Contact our Economic Development team about establishing your company in the Town of Oakville.

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