

Suggested School Name:	What is the rationale or idea behind the new name you have submitted? Why do you think this is an appropriate name for the school?	Community you belong to:
Chris Hadfield Collegiate	Chris Hadfield is a Canadian hero who grew up in Sarnia. He had big dreams and goals and worked very hard to become an astronaut. He is a very inspirational person who is highly educated and is an exceptional role model. He also attended an LKDSB school in the past.	SCITS-St. Clair Consolidated School
Clearwater Secondary School	The area St.Clair Secondary is located in was the former municipal area of Clearwater before amalgamation with the city of Sarnia. Variations could also include: Clearwater Collegiate Institute and Technical School I think it reflects the heritage of the area, and of Sarnia's beautiful waterfront.	Brights Grove
Col. Chris Hadfield Secondary School	I think it is a good name as it creates a whole new direction for the new school community. Col. Hadfield is one of the most prominent members of the Sarnia community, and is know throughout the world. He is an inspiration to young people everywhere, and constantly engages them, even from space! This name might help to inspire the youth as they begin a new school community in Sarnia.	St. Clair
Dr Allen R Wells Secondary School	Dr Wells was one of the Directors of the former Lambton County Board of Education, retiring from that position in 1989. I believe he was well respected by the administrators, teachers and support staff of that board during employment with the Board. He is a man that didn't have an easy childhood and if you read his book that was published a few years back called "The Winter Count" you will find out the determination he had to succeed even with many obstacles in front of him. He is a very scholarly gentleman with a great sense of humour. I'm sure that some of the trustees on the current board will remember him as being a very dedicated educator. I hope you will strongly consider him when selecting a name for the new secondary school.	Sarnia
East High Wildcats	I used to watch high school musical a lot when I was younger and always wanted to go to that school so I think it would be a great idea to make it that	Sarnia
South Sarnia Wild Cats	Once a wild cat , always a wild cat	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	I believe this name (or anything along the lines of it) is appropriate because Commander Chris Hadfield is from Sarnia, Ontario. More importantly, he was the first Canadian to walk in space.	

St. Clair Institute and Technical School (SCITS)	It is an appropriate name because it honours both schools. Also, I would like to see the "SCITS" name continue in our community because it is the oldest school in the city and I feel that the name should continue on to the new building taking with it the rich traditions of SCI in Sarnia.	SCITS
James Doohan Secondary School (or Collegiate Institute)	Although known for his tenure on TV, Doohan battled at Juno on D Day, took six bullets, and survived. His resolve embodies the "grit" of the people of Sarnia. Plus, the mascot could be the "Scotties." How cool is that?	
James Doohan Memorial Secondary School	His family moved from Vancouver to Sarnia, Ontario. Doohan attended high school at the Sarnia Collegiate Institute and Technical School (SCITS), where he excelled in mathematics and science. His home town is known as Sarnia, On and I believe naming the school after him would be a great way to honour him and a fitting tribute.	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	I think that naming the school after one of Sarnia's hometown hero and as well someone who has accomplished so much in science and technology be an appropriate name of the school. Hadfield's contributions to Canada's space program and in the international space community, and a resident to southern lambton county	High Park
Imperial Secondary School	Sarnia celebrated it's 100th anniversary in 2014. In May 1914 Prince Arthur, who was the Governor-General of Canada, arrived in Sarnia with his daughter Princess Patricia to grant official city status. He nicknamed Sarnia "the Imperial City" Potential Mascot: Eagles Potential Colours: Burgundy, gold, black	
SCITS- St. Clair Consolidated School	I think that this name is fair to both SCITS and St. Clair students. This way, both schools are represented, and not forgotten	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Chris Hadfield Secondary School is an ideal name for the consolidated school for a few listed reasons. For one, the name stays neutral on the previous names, and cannot possibly convey some sort of message that the secondary school is merged in any sort of way. And two, Chris Hadfield is quite an awe-inspiring figure in present Sarnia, mainly because of his many contributions to the City Of Sarnia in one way or another. Because of his international recognition in his two space expeditions, Sarnia has gained a place of good standing on the map. And unlike some famous figures, Hadfield still holds Sarnia close to his heart and frequently makes as many trips back as possible. Hadfield is a figure of Sarnia and inspired fresh, young minds across the city and encouraged them to realise their potential. And just like Hadfield, schools are primary building blocks for encouraging adolescents to realise their potential. Therefore, Chris Hadfield Secondary School is a must.	Sarnia
SARNIA southern hybrids	The two schools merged together become hybrid and one another	Scits
Sarnia southern hybrids	Appropriate	Scits

Welton Cardiff or Cardiff Welton SS	SCITS is located in the Welton neighbourhood and St. Clair is located in the Cardiff neighbourhood.	SCITS
St.Clair Institute Technologies (SCITS)	We combine both names, therefore merging the two pasts rather than erasing them. Everyone's happy. :)	Sarnia
Huron Shores High School	Lake Huron, as part of the Great Lakes, is truly one of the natural wonders of the world, and something that all Sarnians are immensely proud of.	Sarnia
Clearwater Collegiate Coyotes or Comets	Clearwater ---by Clearwater area and Sarnia is now a member of the best beaches group. Colligate to honour SCITS history Coyote because it sounds good and we have enough around I would also choose Comets for our connection with Space and Chris Hadfield	Plympton -Wyoming
Colonel Chris Hadfield Secondary School	As col. Hadfield attended school in our area and has become well known in Canada, I believe it would be an an honor he deserves.	Sarnia
Sarnia Secondary School	Sarnia needs a namesake school. It has had one since the first formal school board decided to consolidate the numerous smaller schools, most of which met in homes, into the "Sarnia" Grammar School in 1848 (see the book, A History of Sarnia's Public Schools). Although this school was not built until 1851, since, that time there has been a school that bore the City's name. I advocate that the new school maintain the naming convention in Ontario of "Secondary School" and take on our City's name, creating a "Sarnia Secondary School." Chatham has a namesake school, Lambton has a namesake school, Petrolia has a namesake school, Blenheim has a namesake school, and on and on. It would be a travesty for the historic city of Sarnia not to have a single school with its name. It is historically consistent, and yet looks forward with a fresh new name, distinct enough from either of the two consolidated schools, and yet similar enough to continue some proud traditions from each. While the citizens of Sarnia may mourn the loss of an historic building, they can be excited about the fresh vigour and creativity that accompanies a new school that carries their beloved city's name.	Sarnia

St. Clair Institute and Technical School (SCITS)	My idea is to merge the two school names into on name, it makes sense and it's including both mes so no one can get mad.	St. Clair secondary school
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N. Paquette Secondary	She was a giving person that was helping students in the community and her charity continues to keep helping out.	Camlachie
S.C.I.T.S	because I love scits ♥	

<p>Vimy Ridge Secondary School,</p> <p>Vimy Ridge Memorial Secondary School,</p> <p>Vimy Ridge High School,</p> <p>Vimy Ridge Memorial High School</p>	<p>Our new renamed school will be functioning in September 2017. The Battle of Vimy Ridge was fought in April 1917 (began April 9, 1917). The world and in particular Canada will recognize the 100 year anniversary of this important historical event for our nation in 2017. As citizens of Canada we will also be celebrating 150 years of Confederation in 2017. The significance of all three of these events in 2017 has prompted this idea. It would be fitting as a new generation of Canadian students enter this consolidated school that its name reflects a time in our Nations history where many historians and great writers, consider the Canadian victory at Vimy a defining moment for Canada, when the country emerged from under the shadow of Britain and felt capable of greatness. What a legacy is that for our newest generation as surely the feeling of achieving greatness in whatever we do, can be an inspiration for our students as they move forward. Also equally important to all Canadians, present and hopefully all in future, is that we remember the sacrifices of Canadians who have served this great Nation to provide us the freedom and opportunities presented to us. While Vimy Ridge was a defining moment in our history as a Nation, it did come with enormous sacrifice. Over 3598 Canadians were killed and another 7,000 were wounded in this battle for freedom. A Victory at significant cost is something that as a Canadian we must never forget.</p> <p>Canadians would act with courage throughout the battle. Four Canadians would earn the Victoria Cross, our country's highest medal for military valour. The capture of Vimy was seen as more than just an important battlefield victory.</p> <p>For the first time all four of our Canadian divisions attacked together, where soldiers from all regions of Canada were present at the battle. Brigadier-General A.E. Ross declared after the war, "in those few minutes I witnessed the birth of a nation." I am not an historian, however when I consider that we will reach 100 years since this great achievement for our Country in 2017, I simply believe this would be a terrific legacy to honour our past in this way, but also to encourage remembrance for our future generations. Should the committee see fit to consider this school name, I would also suggest consideration for adopting a school team name that might include one of the following: Valiants - This would honour valiant men and women who gave wartime service to Canada during the last of four centuries. More historical information can be obtained from the Valiants Foundation www.valiants.ca Battallion Raiders Voyageurs There is of course more information regarding Vimy Ridge that can be obtained for review. One of these would be Veterans Affairs Canada. I did a small amount of research of Canadian schools who already have the school name of Vimy Ridge. I personally only found 2 which were: Vimy Ridge Academy - Edmonton Alberta Vimy Ridge Public School - Ajax Ontario Submitted By: Hugh Devin 588 Riverside Drive Corunna ON N0N1G0 Attachment: Canada Remembers the Battle of Vimy Ridge, Veterans Affairs Canada</p>	<p>Corunna</p>
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<p>Parkway District Secondary School,</p> <p>Parkway South Secondary School,</p> <p>Bluewater Parkway Secondary School,</p> <p>Bluewater Valley Secondary School, West</p> <p>Lambton Secondary School</p>	<p>The rationale and idea that I had for choosing the name (s) submitted was to capture as best as possible the geographic area which the facility will serve. While I considered Sarnia and Sarnia South, as well as Murphy Road or Wellington Street as possibilities for names, I felt alone none of these would best capture who the school serves. While I suppose there could be an argument that none of the names submitted fully defines the geographic area of which the facility will serve, I think that argument might apply to any of our schools. What I did try and accomplish with the names was to move from the past, yet capture an identity that the majority of the students who will attend could embrace. The only name that I personally would not favour (if I was a student which I am not) is West Lambton Secondary School. The reason I would not favour this name is simply that it is too broad of a school name or identifier. It meets the general criteria, however would not be at the top of my list, unless it was the only public high/secondary school in West Lambton. The remaining names I believe should all offer students; parents; administration and the community stakeholders the ability to see where the name could align with their geographic area. I removed the word St. Clair from St. Clair Parkway, as I understand names that included reference to SCITS or St. Clair would not be considered. While I would have preferred to keep such an important geographic indicator as St. Clair, I still believe anyone who is living or has lived in this region could still easily identify with Parkway. The importance of Parkway is that the road/communities stretches from Sarnia to the North to beyond Bickford Line to the South. As this encompasses the geographic area the facility will serve. The use of District or South was to try and further define the geographic area, but not sure I have succeeded on this score. The South was to identify the portion of Sarnia that the school will serve as well it aligned with communities that it will serve that is actually south of Sarnia. The names under Bluewater are proposed to again capture the communities the school will serve, yet include a somewhat dual historic name. All communities the school will serve can identify with Bluewater as a historic regional name they live in. But also this name is historic in that the community of Bluewater once resided in the area this school will serve. It also was a community sitting in the middle of yet another historical name in our Community. That being Chemical Valley. The name Bluewater Valley was an idea that attempted to bring together all of our communities that the school will serve. I believe most people in those communities identify with both Bluewater and the Valley. I believe all of the names that were submitted in this specific criteria are appropriate names for the new consolidated school, but I recognize that they may not be perfect or preferred by the larger stakeholders. I hope though they are considered as possible candidates. Should the committee see fit to consider any of the above school names in this criteria, I would then suggest consideration of one of the following names for school teams: Thunderbirds - This name would align with Ojibwe tradition. Phoenix - A mythical name that captures renewal Voyageurs Pirates Blue Devils The latter three names might identify with water which is all around the students that this school will serve.</p>	<p>Corunna</p>
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<p>Sarnia Lambton Secondary Schools</p>	<p>Most secondary schools have been named after their location. i.e. Chatham Kent Secondary School.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>St. Clair Institute and Technical School</p>	<p>This name keeps the traditions of both schools - it is still St. Clair, and it is still SCITS. This allows both school communities and the public to keep using names they are familiar with, and represents the joining of the two populations, in a joining of the names.</p>	<p>St Clair</p>

Twin Bridges High School	Twin Bridges is a big landmark in our community. Twin Bridges-connecting 2 schools together.	Sarnia
James Doohan District High School	The late James Doohan "Scotty" actor from Star Trek attended SCITS and Sarnia was his home town.	Sherwood Village
Michael Bradley District High School	Mayor Mike Bradley has been our Mayor since 1988. I feel that we need to recognize his accomplishments; and one of the best ways is to name a new school after him. Twenty eight years as Mayor shows that people of Sarnia care. I was a student at SCITS in 1954-55.	Sarnia Ontario
Sarnia Collegiate Secondary School	Sarnia Collegiate is representative of the city as well as being historical. This name also allows St Clair to keep their acronym of SCSS.	Sarnia Collegiate
St. Clair Institute and Technical School. (SCITS)	It allows the blending of the two schools to carry on in our community, recognizing that both have unique strengths that should be remembered.	Sarnia
River Vally Secondary School	I believe that River Vally Secondary School would be an awesome name for the new school because, there is lots of history behind the name. The St. Clair river represents our geographical location in Ontario, Canada. Its also important in the industrial and recreational industries. The Vally represents Sarnias idustrial history witch put Sarnia on the map.	Camlachie
SARNIA COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE AND TECHNICAL SCHOOL	Keep it at the current building on Wellington St., and everything the same. That's the only rational idea. Otherwise you might as well call it "Schooly McSchoolface" or "The Board of Education School of Kids Who Can't Read Good But Want to Learn Good and Do Other Stuff Good Too". My point is, this entire process has been a slap to the face of every graduate of SCITS and every person that was against this consolidation, and doing so with any other name will be too. KEEP IT SCITS BLUE BOMBERS	SCITS
Noel Paquette	Her charity gives back to the local schools	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	I think Chris Hadfield is a true Canadian hero and he is originally from the Sarnia area. I think he is a wonderful role model for our students to look up to.	Sarnia
Sarnia Central Collegiat	I figured since both schools are packed with history why not bring a historical name back? The st Clair site is a Los pretty central to the city and I think it would mean a lot to the community to bring central back to life.	Scits

<p>Sherwood Secondary School</p>	<p>Since the school is located in Sherwood Village area I felt Sherwood Secondary would be a great name and easy for people new to the area to associate the name with the district. The name Sherwood means "bright", "wooded glen". The "Bright" represents the students that attend the school and the "wooded glen" represents the nature preserve located to the north of the school. The numerology Interpretation Qualities of the word Sherwood mean "Leader and Visionary" which today's youth aspire to be. The colours which represent the word Sherwood are Black and Purple. These could be the new school colours. I researched the crest for Sherwood and it shows a Knight in Armour. I feel the represents the fight the two schools have gone though to remain strong through this transition.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Huron High School</p>	<p>Our wonderful community is situated on beautiful Lake Huron. It receives flow from both Lake Superior and Lake Michigan - much like our new high school which will be a combination of the student body from the two former high schools. It rolls nicely off the tongue and is all inclusive and historical.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Great Lakes Secondary School</p>	<p>It's a geographical name that lends itself to nicknames, such as the Lakers. It should not be offensive to any particular groups and pays tribute to our surroundings.</p>	<p>SCSS</p>
<p>St. Clair Institute and Secondary School</p>	<p>St. Clair and Sarnia Collegiate are both a massive part of Sarnia and the surrounding area's heritage. Using the name suggested above is a nice middle ground for the two schools as they both get to keep the name of the school they love so much. Merging the two names is the same as merging the two student bodies. The name makes the two schools become one. Using "St. Clair Institute and Secondary School" as the name leaves no room for students or staff to have to feel uncomfortable or like they're offending someone. The name as suggested can be shortened to "St. Clair" or "S.C.I.&T.S." I feel as though the name would make all the students and staff feel more at home during the merger and leave a safe gateway to learning to unify as one community and it would be lovely to have the name symbolize the unifying of the two schools as well.</p>	<p>Corunna</p>
<p>South Sarnia Secondary School (S4)</p>	<p>The name is straightforward and obvious but the students and staff could have a lot of fun with S4. It's a modern name and it is different enough that neither set of students would feel slighted.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Chris Hadfield Secondary School</p>	<p>Commander Chris Hadfield is a household name around the globe in the field of space of space exploration and one of Sarnia's most famous citizens.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Cosmos Collegiate</p>	<p>We have seen so much in the news regarding space -- The New Horizons Probe which brought us pictures of Pluto, the recent photos of Jupiter from the Juno space probe, --- just to name a few. There is also the fact that Chris Hatfield is from Sarnia -- I don't know about you but I find it really neat to have been born in the same city as the first Canadian to walk in space, as well as commander of the ISS. I know we already have an airport named after him, but I feel like naming a school after someone such as him or a "space themed name" would be be inspiring! Also, I can't tell you how many teachers have that "Shoot for the moon, even if you miss you'll land amongst the stars" quote up in their classroom.</p>	<p>Ottawa -- Scits Alumni</p>

St Clair Institute and Technical School	It includes both St.clair and Scits. Both community's are represented	
Southern Collegiate Secondary School	There would be two public secondary schools in Sarnia- Northern and Southern. Keep it simple.	St. Clair (Sarnia)
Schooyl Mc Schoolface	Because the whole process is a farce....you already have a name picked so just announce it	SARNIA
St. Clair Scits	St. Clair is where my daughter went to school in the Special needs class. Since St Clair is not the school moving there is no reason they can't keep their name. So St.Claire goes first then add the name Scits and they also keep their name. St. Clair Scits. Thank you	Sarnia
St. Clair Institute and Technical School	I consider this to be a fair name for the consolidated school as both school names are included so it will not upset any students, and for the students loosing the scits building, the short form of "st. Clair institute and technical school" would still be S.C.I.T.S	Sarnia
Bluewater Collegiate	Bluewater is associated with our area because of our location on Lake Huron and the Great Lakes. The name combines the blue from SCITS and the river name of St. Clair and would be a good blend of the two schools.	Sarnia
St. Clair Institute and Technical School	As a graduate of St. Clair it would be nice to still have St. Clair in the name, but also use SCITS as an acronym. The best of both worlds..	Sarnia
Wellington Warriors	Something they both have in common.	St. clair
Huron Technical Trade and Vocational Secondary School	I think this school should be able to include all elements of what a high school should be offering and teaching our children in the class today. The building has the land to be able to grow on. The name Huron is because of the beautiful blue fresh water lake we live on in this city.	Sarnia Lambton
Schooly McSchoolface	It's a very popular option that will no doubt win the public's heart. https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2016/apr/17/boaty-mcboatface-wins-poll-to-name-polar-research-vessel	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Chris Hadfield is an excellent role model, a scientist, a musician, a communications/social media expert, humanitarian, Canadian and most importantly roots to Sarnia and the local area. His legacy is felt both locally and nationally. Further, the school's nickname could be "The Rockets."	Secondary Teacher LKDSB
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Chris Hadfield is a well respected and admired former member of the community.	Delaware

Shannon R Callahan High School	Named after a young woman who positively affected a lot of people in Sarnia and was taken away from us to early. Shannon passed away in 2013 at the age of 34 from an unknown cause. Always smiling and cheering others up around her, Shannon was a great person that loved living in Sarnia.	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Chris Hadfield contributed to our society in a positive way, attracting interest in space and our world across the world. He has inspired many youth to be interested in space and sciences. Seeing as he is from Sarnia area, it would be appropriate to name the a school in Sarnia after him.	Sarnia
Col. Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Chris Hadfield has made a significant contribution to Sarnia, Canada and the world. He is universally known and I think it would be a fitting tribute to him. (The school teams could be the Astros, and the school colours could be White, for the stars, Black for the night sky and Gold, for the sun.) Just a thought.	Sarnia
Huron Collegiate Secondary School	The name Huron is significant since it is the name of the Great Lake that Sarnia is situated on. The lake is a source of enjoyment for all Sarnians. As well, the name huron represents the Native American tribe of people that migrated across the Great Lakes.	
Duke of Connaught Secondary School (or Vocational Institute)	According to Sarnia lore, Sarnia was dubbed "The Imperial City" by the Duke of Connaught and his daughter, Princess Patricia, during their visit in the early 20th century.	
Noelle Paquette Collegiate and Technical School	Noelle was an inspiration for all residents of our schools and community. Her legacy continues on after her passing and so many children are benefitting from her legacy.	SARNIA
All Saints High School	This school is a meld of St. Pats and St Christopher not to mention the feeder catholic schools in the area with Saints in their name. This would give the primary schools a feeling of belonging to something bigger.	Corunna
Le Griffon Secondary School	The Griffon was the ship of Rene-Robert Cavelier, Saleur de La Salle. He (LaSalle) and 32 or so crew sailed the St. Clair River and Lake Huron. The ship sank in 1679. The name fits well because Sarnia, Point Edward and St. Clair Township are the main Communities that the new school will host. All located on St. Clair River. Point Edward has a plaque to the Griffon (under Bluewater Bridges). Nickname of teams: Griffins Mariners Crew	Sarnia
Mike Bradley High	He is a long running mayor who also ran for M.P. He loves the city of Sarnia. He has been behind a lot of changes. He is always able and willing to talk to anyone and everyone. If he is not in his office he will call back as soon as possible.	Sarnia
Nicole Paquette memorial school	It would be a tribute to a teacher whose legacy fund continues to improve the lives of students in need to name a school after her.	Sarnia

Three Fires Secondary School	The Three Fires (Confederacy) represents the significant contribution of the regional First Nations in the development and oft-times defence of historical Sarnia.	Sarnia
SCITS (St. Clair Institute & Technical School)	I think this is an appropriate name for the new school because it still has both names in it. Instead of having the sc in SCITS meaning "Sarnia Collegiate" it will now mean "St. Clair". This would keep both schools happy as both names would still be kept in the new name.	
Sarnia Combined Educational Institute For Teens	The 2 high schools are in the city of Sarnia and they are combining into one school so I feel the name " Sarnia Combined Educational Institute For Teens" seems it up perfectly	St Clair HighSchool
Central Sarnia District Consolidated School	It doesn't have any relation to the two schools, and is named more based on location. It's lame but it's different.	
1. Freeman Talbot Secondary School OR 2. James Doohan Secondary School OR 3. George Olah Secondary School OR 4. Vendome Collegiate & Vocational School	1. Freeman Talbot - Founder of Sarnia - Arrived at "The Rapids" in 1827 as part of the area's first survey team tasked with plotting out the future Sarnia and Moore Townships. 2. James Doohan- Chief engineer Montgomery "Scotty" Scott on the U.S. series Star Trek. But before becoming Scotty, Doohan had a long resume of CBC roles. Doohan was born in Vancouver and grew up in Sarnia, ON. He served with the Royal Canadian Artillery in the Second World War and stormed Juno Beach on D-Day. 3. George Olah - Won the Nobel Laureate in Chemistry and Research at Dow Chemical which is a critical industry to our area. 4. Vendome Collegiate & Vocational School - Was a state of the art hotel & historic landmark in downtown Sarnia that drew in many visitors to Sarnia.	CORUNNA/SARNIA
Noelle Paquette Secondary School	She has done a lot for the students and the Board	Sarnia
Sarnia Collegiate Secondary School	Keep some of the history of SCITS and merge with St Clair Secondary School will have the initials SCSS. First two words from SCITS and last two from St Clair.	Sarnia
Noelle Paquette Memorial High School	Many of the students attending high school now were recipients of Noelle's gifts and her dedication as a teacher, friend, and nurturer. Naming the school after her would truly honour the wonderful person she was.	Sarnia
Noelle Paquette Memorial	Her positive impact on the youth in this community is well known and she and her family deserve this honour.	Sarnia

Saint Clair Institute and Technical School	Both schools at the time of consolidation will remain very loyal to their previous schools. With this proposed name, both schools will be able to keep their name. Both aspects of the separate schools' names will be represented in this new name. Both are historical and geographically relevant - SCITS having been around for over 100 years, and St. Clair representing the township and river. To shorten the name, it can either be the traditional name of SCITS, or the newer and beloved St. Clair. The name appeases to all parties involved in the consolidation.	Corunna
St. Clair Institute and Technical School	It can be called St. Clair or SCITS and both will be correct.	Sarnia
St. Clair Institute and Technical School	The idea is that you do not lose the tradition behind either of the schools. That way, it can be SCITS, or St. Clair for short	Lambton County
St. Clair Institute and Technical School	It combines both school names and can be shortened to SCITS or St. Clair	
St. Clair institute and technical school	It allows both school names to stay in the community, one is not better than the other so I believe both names should exist together. This would also save many fights between the two schools!	Courtright/Lambton county
St. Clair Institute & Technical School	This name gives both schools some reliability, it's still SCITS, it's still St. Clair	SCITS
st. clair institute of technology	Both schools should be represented but this way all the current apparel/uniforms and stationary would not be wasted..... St. Clair or scits.	sarnia
St. Clair Institute & Technical School	I know for a fact that the trustees do not want the SCITS or St. Clair names in the new name at all. But I do believe that this name will bring peace to the two merging schools. The two names are both so historical, and I believe putting them together is what is in the best interest of the students, teachers, public, etc. Both of our schools do not want to see our schools names disappear into history. Please take time to consider this name. Thank you.	Corunna, ON

Marian Engel Secondary School;	I would the new school named after Marian Engel. She is a Canadian Author, who lived in Sarnia for awhile, and herself attended S.C.I.T.S. She was appointed to the Order of Canada. She is a Canadian icon whose legend will live on for at least a hundred years. Marian Engel Secondary School.	
David Chilton;	Another suggestion is David Chilton. Sarnia is his hometown, and he maintains a cottage near here. He wrote, "The Wealthy Barber", and appears on "Dragon's Den".	Sarnia
D.O. Gibson; East Sarnia Secondary School or Eastern Secondary School	Another suggestion is D.O. Gibson, the popular singer and Toronto teacher who teaches and sings against bullying, etc. Another suggestion is: East Sarnia Secondary School or Eastern Secondary School.	
Noelle Paquette Memorial School	because she was a great person and has inspired a community to come together after her very tragic death	sarnia
South Sarnia Secondary School	Easy to remember, geographically makes sense, neutral to both schools	corunna
St.Clair Institute & Technical School (SCI&TS)	Sarnia Collegiate institute and technical school via. St.Clair Institute & Technical school. (Keep the SCITS name in different form) ie. As it is evolving.	
Sarnia Central Collegiate	Using some area history. Let's bring back the name of the first high school that closed. Maybe garnet, grey and gold as well.	Sarnia
Southern Sarnia Secondary School	The school will be located in the southern end of Sarnia. Also, the abbreviation for the school is simple.	
SCITS St.Clair Institute & Technical School	St Clair Institute & Technical School. It combines both names but leabes the name of the oldest school in Sarnia alive.	scits
Southern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School	Since we now only have two secondary schools in our system and one is already named Northern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School which will be home to all students living north of the 402 Highway, I feel that the new school should be called Southern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School as it will be the new school for all students living south of the 402 Highway.	Sarnia

Gord Downie High	I have submitted this name request, because Gord Downie lead singer of the Tragically Hip, for one has a great influence on Lambton County. For example: "Festival of good things" and "Art Walk" and "Cure for Cancer research". Gord has donated to local charities within Sarnia-Lambton for young people. Secondly, Gord Downie is a Canadian Icon for Canadian Music and Arts. Gord Downie and his band "The Tragically Hip" are as Canadian as you get. Finally. For all the contributions personally given from Gord Downie himself and the Band. I think naming a school after his accomplishments and success as a Canadian Musician would give students in the community a sense of PRIDE and Honor to become successful and respect one another. As well as, Gord's current battle with Brain Cancer. This would be a fantastic opportunity for Sarnia-Lambton to keep an amazing Canadian Icon Legend Alive. Thank you for your consideration and time.	Sarnia-Lambton
Sarnia Central Collegiate	Historically speaking, Sarnia Central was the last public high school closed in Sarnia and it would be nice to honour it. The use of Sarnia and Collegiate in the name honours SCITS. The site of the school is St. Clair represented.	Sarnia
Southern Sarnia Secondary School	The school is on the southern side of Sarnia and there is also a northern high school so why not make it a southern high school	Sarnia
St. Clair Institute & Technical School	This name incorporates both Saint Clair and SCI&TS in a way that I believe the community will both approve of and enjoy. Both faculty, community, alumni, and students could all embrace this name I believe	Corunna
Allen Wells Secondary School	My first one-on-one with Allen was in the staff room during Summer School. He was a "breath of fresh air" - humorous and wise. I wish I had him as a teacher. I would have listened in math classes! He taught at SCITS and many of his students became math teachers. Allen taught at SCITS starting in 1955. He was Math Department Head, a Superintendent, and Director of Education for the Lambton Kent Board. Upon retirement he became an administrator with Community Awareness Emergency Response (CAER), taught at Lambton College, and was an instructor at several faculties of education. Over the years Allen has volunteered with many organizations. Wells and his wife Eleanor have four children. He is 85 years old. His son Paul is the Political Editor of MacLean's. He has written several books on the political scene. To quote former Principal, Phil Brain "Allen Wells is one of the World's truly great guys."	Camlachie, ON
Howard Watson Secondary	Councillor Howard Watson initiated and spearheaded use of abandoned tracks in Sarnia and the Nature Path was born! It is one of the most used resources in Sarnia by the people of our community. Also, many out of town people who use it with family have stated how lucky we are to have this trail moving across and out of the town of Sarnia. Great way to travel and stay active whether you walk, run or bike. This deserves strong recognition. Also.... The track that is attached to the site of the new school is known as Howard Watson Track.	Sarnia

Bluewater Secondary School (BSS or BWSS)	It describes the area we are in and is totally new without including any history or relation to SCITS or SCSS. I think it is appropriate because the school is located in Sarnia which is located on the water. It relates to the area, because of things like the bluewater bridge, bluewater dental etc.	
Blue Water Secondary School or Sarnia Southern Secondary School or Wellington St. Secondary School	Blue Water is for the village that was established in an area that was then surrounded by the Chemical companies that built and supported Sarnia. We still have blue water to enjoy recreationally and sustain our lives. (not spelled like the closed secondary school/juvenile detention centre in Goderich). Both amalgamated schools in south Sarnia in comparison to Sarnia Northern and that is what it is called at out of town competitions. Wellington St. as a pick in reference to the street both schools reside on.	Sarnia
St. Clair Institute Technical School	I am not really up to date on the board naming this new consolidation of scits and st Clair high schools in sarnia . May I suggest the name St . Clair Institute. Technical School (scits) that way they could still have the name of the school for both school students. Thanks for your time	
Sarnia Collegiate and Technical School	SCITS was legendary in Sarnia. As a kid I always wanted to go to SCITS because it seemed like the coolest place on the planet. I literally moved back to Sarnia after leaving just to go to SCITS. Some variant of the name to honour the SCITS name and tradition would be appreciated after the years of spirit and general amazingness that school had.	
Col. Christopher Hatfield secondary school	Sarnia has claimed Chris as one of our own. What an honour for a school to be named after him.	Sarnia
Chris Hadfield Collegiate and Technical School	As one of the few Canadian astronauts Chris Hadfield greatly popularized science and manned space programs. He went school in Sarnia and still has a cottage in the area.	Sarnia
James Doohan Collegiate Institute and Technical School	James Doohan grew up in Sarnia, served in WW2 was wounded, had a notable career in acting where he often popularized education and engineering. He still has family in the area.	Sarnia
Oodenawi Secondary School	Oodenawi is an Ojibwe term that means 'community'. I believe the school name I have suggested is fitting for a new school that represents the consolidation of two historic communities, while simultaneously paying tribute to Sarnia's Anishnaabe culture and essence.	I have been part of the St. Clair community for 13 years.

<p>Alan R. Wells Secondary School</p>	<p>I chose this name as both schools are on Wellington Street so there is geographic unity in the name. The street name is coincidental to the wonderful man, author and former local teacher, superintendent and Director of Education. His contributions deserve to be remembered fondly and respectfully and naming an institute of education is only fitting. I reference Tyler Kila's article from the Observer as a list of some accomplishments. "Retired educator Allen Wells is bidding farewell to Sarnia. Wells, 85, and his wife Eleanor are moving to a retirement community in Oshawa next week to be closer to family. His departure comes after the Alberta-born man, following globe-trotting teaching gigs in Sierra Leone and Barbados, arrived in Sarnia in 1955 to teach math at SCITS. From there, he rose to director of the public school board before going on to stints as an administrator with Community Awareness Emergency Response (CAER), as a teacher at Lambton College, and as an instructor at faculties of education in Hamilton, London, Windsor and others. The father of four has also acted as chairperson at the United Way, secretary of the annual Central Forum speaker series, and held dozens of other volunteer positions. "He's one of the world's truly great guys," said Phil Brain, a former principal during Wells' tenure as education director for the former Lambton County Board of Education. "When he was first superintendent, he was quite a different kind of person than normally became superintendents," said Brain. Most were status-quo backers, he said. "Allen had experience all over the world, is incredibly well read, is very interested in his own personal learning; so he brought a different view of things, and it was very healthy." Wells' biting humour and propensity to see the best in people are also credits to his character, he said. "I wish him well." Wells, who in recent years authored a biography of former Prime Minister William Lyon Mackenzie King, said he would have preferred to stay in Sarnia, but it makes sense to be closer to family. Speaking at his for-a-while-yet home in Sarnia on Thursday, his humour shone through as he self-deprecatingly recalled teaching mathematics to his first class in the</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
	<p>mid-1950s. "Almost all of them became math teachers because if they couldn't teach themselves they weren't going to learn anything," he said. He recalled volunteering with minor hockey and soccer programs in town, and with the Bluewater Buccaneers marching band, as his kids were involved with the programs. In Oshawa, there are no immediate plans, he said, but a greenhouse on site at his new home could let him ply his horticultural genetics training. "So I'm kind of looking forward to that," he said. Reflecting on Sarnia, he said he's appreciated the kindness of people here, as well as the mild weather — after being raised in Vermilion, Alta., where the mercury dipped to more than -50C. TKula@postmedia.com I encourage your selection of Alan R. Wells Secondary School as a fitting choice for the new school's name.</p>	
<p>St Clair Institute Technical School (short form scits)</p>	<p>Both schools still have the name they want .plus it keeps the history going on the name scits and only changes is words st clair instead of Sarnia collegiate</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>

Catherine Wilson	<p>Catherine Wilson The Foundation website states: "The Foundation is committed to improving the quality of life of the citizens of Sarnia-Lambton by providing scholarships to S.C.I.T.S. High School and community agency grants. We use the interest and income generated on funds from Ms. Catherine Wilson's estate to provide grants and scholarships to the Sarnia community." "The Catherine Wilson Foundation was founded to improve the quality of life of Sarnia Lambton area residents through the distribution of income from the permanent endowment fund of Catherine Wilson to a broad range of eligible organizations and activities that provide support where there is genuine need and build on the strengths of the community." "without discrimination because of race, colour, creed, sex, age, sexual orientation, marital status or disability." Catherine Wilson was an English high school teacher for over 35 years at Sarnia Collegiate Institute & Technical School (S.C.I.T.S.) located in Sarnia, Ontario. Before her death, she established the Catherine Wilson Foundation in order to make contributions to her school and the community. She selected a previous student and her optometrist to assist her in the management of the foundation. Over the years, she supported many local</p>	
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endeavors including scholarships to S.C.I.T.S. students and to the school's library. Recognizing early, that Sarnia-Lambton residents required accessible primary care physicians, she was one of the first financial sponsors in support of the recruitment of doctors to the Sarnia area. She supported vision care in Sarnia as a result of her own experience with vision issues, specifically, macular degeneration. She has supported in the past the Ivy Institute in London as well as local support of the CNIB. Catherine was a long time member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church located in downtown Sarnia. Her foundation has provided St. Andrew's with much needed capital for the maintenance of this beautiful church. The foundation provides support for students and education without discrimination. Just because the students are no longer at S.C.I.T.S., where she taught, doesn't mean she wouldn't want to continue to boost their academic endeavours. She had no knowledge of what was to become of the building, but wanted to support the students who would learn in Sarnia. In the past, this organization has played a large role in supporting students from the south end and naming the new school, with her in mind would be a grand gesture especially considering the SCITS Library that was named after Ms Wilson will no longer exist. Please visit <http://www.theobserver.ca/2016/07/11/late-scits-teacher-established-foundation-to-support-community>.

SCITS (St. Clair Institute & Technical School)	<p>As a St. Clair alum who loved my school & also knows that SCITS was beloved as well, this name pays tribute to the staff, students, & history of both schools while still being something new.</p>	St Clair
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Noelle Paquette Memorial	This beautiful young woman cared so very much about all students in our community. She went above and beyond to ensure our children had what they needed to get through their schooling. Even after her tragic passing her family has carried on her selfless legacy with the Noelle Paquette fund for children in schools in our community. This beautiful woman deserves this honorable recognition.	Sarnia
Noelle Paquette Memorial	We should honour this wonderful young teacher who was stolen away from us far too soon. She would have touched so many young minds in such a positive way and if the school is named after her; in some small way she still will!	Sarnia
Elijah Harris Secondary School	According to the Sarnia Historical Society, Elijah Harris was Sarnia's first school teacher in 1832. This name suggests a new beginning for our community that pays tribute to one of Sarnia's earliest advocates for education. Source: http://www.sarniahistoricalsociety.com/story/port-sarnia-village/	I have been a member of the St. Clair community for 13 years.
Noelle Paquette secondary school	Local advocate for children and education before and after her passing	Enniskillen
Noelle Paquette Memorial	Noelle was an active member of our community during her short life. She dedicated herself to education and her students. In her death, the charity in her name has given so much to the students of Lambton County. I think it would be an amazing way to honour her and her family.	Sarnia Lambton
Noelle Plaquette Memorial	Noelle embodied the educational experience before she was tragically taken from us all. She was a pillar of educators, and in her passing united and steeled a community to support and broaden the education of young people in our community. She worked tirelessly to improve the standards of living for children at risk, implemented programs to do so out of her own pocket. Noelle is the spirit of our community. Her memory that in which should never be forgotten.	Sarnia
Southern Collegiate Secondary School	Other than AMSS, the other school is commonly known as Northern and to symbolize a healthy, productive commitment to both schools, the distinguishing feature should merely be a reference to geography. Further, the ARC has been referring to the Consolidated	LKDSB
	School area and the Sarnia Southern area schools, so the name already has plenty of precedence. Finally, since Northern has the Vikings in Red, White and Black, and since the Consolidated School needs a new mascot, they might consider being the Southern Knights while incorporating Black, White, Blue and Purple in their uniforms. Vikings and Knights also balance the presentation of the two schools —Northern Vikings, Southern Knights. With regard to competitive situations, such as athletics, the goal should always be to create a healthy, productive rivalry.	
Howard Watson Secondary	Already submitted this but forgot one thing.... Our nickname / mascot would be Trailblazers!! Take care everyone!	Sarnia
Noelle paquette memorial	A beautiful way to honour a young person in our community lost in a terrible tragedy. Noelle was also an active educator. This gesture would go a long way towards helping this community heal.	Sarnia

Nicole Paquette Memorial School	To honor Ms Paquette for the wonderful things her foundation does.	Sarnia
Noelle Paquette Memorial	It would be a beautiful honor to memorialize someone who dedicated their life to teaching. Please do this for this community.	Sarnia lambton
Bluewater Secondary School	This area has so much plinked to 'blue water' but no school is yet connected to our beautiful water surroundings. We need a name to be proud of for the new school. Sure not associated to the former names. And it seems that anything 'south' mentioned in the name gives the school a negative vibe because some people think the south part of Sarnia has a stigma. We don't want to start fresh with already a negative association i guess.	
Lambton District Secondary School	Consolidation	Aamjiwnnang first nation
Scarlet United Secondary School	My idea behind the school name was to use a word that will describe our school with a great meaning. United meaning come or bring together for a common purpose or action. In this case, St. Clair and SCITs coming together to build a stronger and better community for our education. I thought Scarlet would be a great name because it's fancy and I want our colours to be burgundy and darkish grey.	St. Clair Secondary school
Lambton South Secondary School	We have Lambton College which is well recognized in the community. Why not have a Secondary School that is also associated with its technical and educational values recognized.	Lambton Shores
Southern Community High School	The location and it is a community coming together, and it is a High School. We have two High Schools, one in the north and now one in the south.	Sarnia
South Sarnia Secondary School	I chose the title above for the new school because each part represents its own thing. South, which is a shorter term of Southern, represents where in Sarnia the school is located plus, the word south is more likely to end up in a students mouth than Southern. Sarnia is also the city the stunning school will be located in. And, of course, Secondary School is what the building is. However, I ponder that this name will be more effective on students than on parents, but in the end, it's the students decision to take the journey into our new high school. Also, the mascot I had in mind was a Serpent. With the Serpent as our mascot, I think our brand new school will stand out like the stupendous staff and students already do. Thank you for your consideration.	Corunna

Colonel Chris Hadfield Collegiate	I believe that naming the high school after Col Chris Hadfield is an excellent manner to recognize one of Sarnia's most outstanding former residents who has excelled in his career as an Astronaut. A neutral name, someone of Col. Hadfield's caliber brings the two communities together as one. He is someone our community is extremely proud of and a school in his name is a legacy that can carry into the future. The School colours could reflect the original schools that are consolidating together; blue and purple. It could also be an opportunity to involve the school's namesake and find out what his favourite colours are. The Team name could be reflective of space in general such as Astros, Orbits, Meteors, or Apollos, or more specific such as Commanders (his title while on the International Space Station), Atlantis (first space shuttle mission) or Endeavours (second space shuttle mission when he walked in space). Likewise, the school's mascot could follow a similar theme. I sent in an email to Col Chris Hadfield asking him a few questions that would be able to help in the selecting of colours, team name and team mascot. If this name is selected I will certainly share his responses. Best of luck in selecting a name.	Taught as a supply teacher at SCSS and a classroom teacher at SCITS
Southern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School	Northern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School in the North end and Southern Collegiate Institute & Vocational School in the South end. Makes sense to me...	SCITS
Noelle Memorial Secondary School	Noelle Paquette's fund raisers have donated so much money to the Lambton schools, I think it would be great to have a school named after her.. another way for her to live on in our community.	Sarnia Lambton
Karen Caughlin Memorial School	This was a young girl who was taken to early and she deserves to be remembered.	Sarnia
James Doohan Secondary School	Since we have already honoured many of our local famous people example: Chris Hadfield Airport and since James Doohan attended SCITTS I believe it would be fitting to name the school in his honour. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/James_Doohan "Doohan attended high school at the Sarnia Collegiate Institute and Technical School (SCITS), where he excelled in mathematics and science."	Sarnia/Lambton
Sarnia Southern High School	Based on the location of the school. Sarnia will have two public high schools - Northern and... Southern? It makes the most sense.	
John G. Simcoe Secondary School	When the Constitutional Act of 1791 created Upper and Lower Canada, John Graves Simcoe was appointed the FIRST Lieutenant Governor of Upper Canada...which Sarnia Ontario would have been located in. I feel the name is not only historic but appropriate as not only the history or development of Canada, but Ontario --Upper Canada.	
Hadfield high school	This would be a great name for a school because Chris Hadfield is from the community and would have been able to achieve what he had without the education he received.	Corunna
Noelle Paquette Memorial Secondary School	A good way to honour a local teacher.	Sarnia

<p>Colonel Chris Hadfield Collegiate</p> <p>(also submitted yesterday but more details below)</p>	<p>Note Yesterday I submitted the name Colonel Chris Hadfield Collegiate (CCHC). I emailed Chris Hadfield for some ideas.</p> <p>Here is his response: Hi Joeleen, Thank you so much for writing into us, and for your interest in having a school named after Chris in Sarnia. Currently, there are schools in Mississauga, Milton, Whitby, and Bradford named for Chris, and he is delighted on your intention to add Sarnia to that list, it would also be the first high school named after him. I will provide below all of Chris's suggestions in regards to team name and mascot, as well as his favorite animal and colours he chose.</p> <p>Team Name: Commanders, Astronauts, Explorers, Captains, Voyagers, Rockets, Apollo, Orbiters, Hunters, Hawks or anything that correlates with Hadfield as in begins with an "H" Team Mascot: Astronauts, Wolverines, Koalas, Osprey, however it would depend on the decision of the team name. Favorite Animals: Wolverines and Koalas Color Schemes: Red & White, Blue & Gold On behalf of Chris and everyone at CH Inc., thank you for considering Chris in the naming of the new high school, we wish you all the best! Cavel Wilson Administrative Assistant Chris Hadfield Inc. www.chrishadfield.ca Here is the email that I sent to him: Hello Col Hadfield I am submitting a name proposal for the new high school in Sarnia where you were raised as a young boy. I've got a name (Colonel Chris Hadfield Collegiate) but I'm stumped on two things: 1 School Colours 2 Team Name & Mascot So I thought, if the naming committee selects this name, perhaps I should just ask you to provide some ideas! So my questions are: 1. What are your favourite colours? 2. What would you suggest as a team name? (Thinking space related but perhaps you have a better idea) 3. What would you suggest as a team mascot based on the answer to the second question? (Again could be space related)</p> <p>4. What is your favourite animal? Thank you so much for your responses. Please reply to all three of my email addresses so I don't miss your response. With sincere admiration, Joeleen MacDonald I thought it was wonderful that no other Secondary School has been named after him. It would be unique to Sarnia. Wouldn't it be awesome to invite Col Hadfield to the grand opening? The connections he has to this area will continue onwards after the opening of the school.</p>	<p>Former teacher at SCITS</p>
<p>Isabell Carter Secondary School</p>	<p>Long time Educator and Trustee with the Lambton Kent DSB. She made a difference to education in our community. A person students could aspire to be like. An excellent role model. An extract from her obituary: Isabell was a teacher, consultant and later a Trustee with the school boards in Lambton and Kent Counties. She devoted her life to loving her family, educating children and serving her community.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Ironwood Secondary School</p>	<p>The ironwood, or "blue beech" tree, although it is not a beech, is native to our area. While not the name of a person nor an event, the important contribution of trees, in general, to the happiness and the health of our citizens, makes them worthy of commemoration and celebration. Further, this name evokes positive imagery that the students who attend Ironwood Secondary School will be, metaphorically, growing in every way: figuratively, putting down roots; endeavouring to change with the seasons of life; and perhaps even coming to appreciate the wisdom and calmness of silence; all while becoming forever more steadfast, strong, beautiful and resilient, throughout their school lives and their future careers, as they branch out by reaching higher, further, and wider than they ever might first have imagined. It is a solid and trustworthy school</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>
<p>Chris Haddfield High School</p>	<p>Chris Haddfield is a member of the Sarnia- Lambton community who has done great things globally. After his time on the space station, Chris continually met with students to continue teaching students about space.</p>	<p>Sarnia</p>

Ironwood Collegiate Institute	My rationale is listed on my previous entry for Ironwood Secondary School but I like the idea of the initials I.C.I., being a symbolic nod from our own Chemical Valley to another respected chemical corporation with the same initials - the parent company of C-I-L Paints Inc.	Sarnia
Noelle Paquette Secondary School	Because the Noelle Paquette foundation has given so much to the Ikdsb students I think it would very fitting .	Forest
Chris Hadfield Secondary School	Hadfield is s Sarnia hero, and a Canadian treasure. He's also a wonderful role model for our kids.	Sarnia

Which stakeholder group do you belong to? (145 Responses)

