



# Film in Vaughan

In the heart of southern Ontario's York Region, located just north of Toronto, Vaughan is a destination that has it all. From urban living in the Vaughan Metropolitan Centre (VMC) to 900-acres of sprawling outdoors at North Maple Regional Park, Vaughan's diversity of locations can fit into any category, era or season your production needs.

Vaughan presents significant opportunities across the creative industries and professional services, including but not limited to: retail, performing arts, film, fine arts and design, financial and legal services, and real estate.



*Designated Survivor*  
Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival



*Star Trek: Discovery*  
Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival

# Art & Film in the City

## Art

The McMichael Canadian Art Collection welcomes more than 56,000 visitors annually. It is home to a permanent collection of more than 6,400 works of art by famed artists, including the Group of Seven and their contemporaries. It also houses the work of many First Nations, Métis, Inuit and other Canadian contemporary artists who have contributed to the development of Canadian art.

## Film

There are many locations ideal for film productions throughout the city. Film studios and past locations include: the Kleinburg Film Studios, the McMichael Canadian Art Collection, the Doctor's House (a historic event space on Kleinburg's main street), City Hall and conservation areas.

Vaughan is also home to the established and internationally recognized Vaughan International Film Festival, which celebrated its 10th anniversary in 2022.



*The Boys*

Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival



*Molly's Game*

Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival



*The Handmaid's Tale*

Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival



*Resident Evil*

Courtesy of the Vaughan International Film Festival

# Location Matters

With a picture perfect location, Vaughan is a:

- 15 minute drive from Toronto Pearson airport;
- 40 minute commute by subway from the Vaughan Metropolitan Centre to Toronto's Union Station; and
- 90 minute drive from the Rainbow Bridge at the Canada-U.S.A. border.

The rising skyline of our new downtown core, Vaughan Metropolitan Centre, is complemented by charming historic villages, friendly residential neighbourhoods and protected conservation lands. Find that perfect balance between a vibrant city with urban living and picturesque forested views where nature remains the star.

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