A Brief Report On The Battle of Neighborhoods | Finding a Better Place in Scarborough, Toronto.

## 1. Introduction:

The purpose of this Capstone Project is to help people in exploring better facilities around their neighborhood. It will help people making smart decision on selecting great neighborhood in Scarborough, Toronto.

People are migrating to various states of Canada and are searching for good housing prices and reputated schools for their children.For ease of accessing to Cafe, School, Super market, medical shops, grocery shops, mall, theatre, hospital,etc.

This Capstone Project aims to create an analysis for the people who are migrating to Scarborough to search a best neighborhood as a comparative analysis between neighborhoods.This project includes median housing price and better school according to ratings, crime rates of that particular area, road connectivity, weather conditions, good management for emergency, water resources both fresh and waste water and excrement conveyed in sewers and recreational facilities.

It will help people to get awareness of the area and neighborhood before moving to a new city, state, country or place for their work or to start a new fresh life.

## 2. Data Section:

Data Link: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_postal_codes_of_Canada:_M>

We will use Scarborough dataset which we scrapped from wikipedia on week 3, which consists of latitude,longitude and zip codes.

Foursquare API Data:

We will need data about different venues in different neighborhoods of that specific borough.  
In order to gain that information we will use “Foursquare” locational information. Foursquare is a location data provider with information about all manner of venues and events within an area of interest. Such information includes venue names, locations, menus and even photos. As such, the foursquare location platform will be used as the sole data source since all the stated required information can be obtained through the API.

After finding the list of neighborhoods, we will then connect to the Foursquare API to gather information about venues inside each and every neighborhood. For each neighborhood, we have chosen the radius to be 100 meter.

The data retrieved from Foursquare contained information of venues within a specified distance of the longitude and latitude of the postalcodes. The information obtained per venue as follows:

1. Neighborhood

2. Neighborhood Latitude

3. Neighborhood Longitude

4. Venue

5. Name of the venue e.g. the name of a store or restaurant

6. Venue Latitude

7. Venue Longitude

8. Venue Category

**Map of Scarborough**

