



## College & University Application Seminar

**Glendale Secondary School**  
October 18, 2024

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## Welcome & Meeting Norms

Good afternoon everyone! Thanks for coming!

A few reminders:

- Please pay attention
- Put your devices away
- If you have a question, please ask it at the end of the presentation
- Information is posted on the Glendale Guidance HUB page for review

## Why Choose College?

- Less theory and more practical experience
- Over 600 degree programs offered
- A career focused education
- Preparation for highly competitive programs

*ex. Pre-Technology*

- Preparation for some university pathways

*ex: General Arts & Sciences*

## Four Kinds of Programs

- Apprenticeship Programs
- One year Certificate Programs
- Two- and Three-Year Diploma Programs
- Four Year Degree Programs

## Admission Requirements

- Apprenticeship programs require a job in the field
- Certificate programs may only require a diploma
- Diploma programs require specific courses that are “C” course types like ENG4C1 or MCT4C1
- Degree Programs require six 4U or 4M courses like ENG4U1 and five more

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## Collaborative College/University Programs

- Some universities and colleges have programs that allow students to earn both a degree and a diploma (usually need 4U/4M courses to be accepted)
- Some programs use the university (OUAC) application
- MOST programs use the college ([ontariocolleges.ca](http://ontariocolleges.ca)) application

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## Four Questions Before Applying

1. What program do you want?
2. What colleges offer that program?
3. What are the required courses?
4. Are there minimum required marks?

## How College Admissions Work

### Scenario 1

- A program has 85 seats and 60 students apply--everyone is admitted!

### Scenario 2

- A program has 100 seats and 2000 students apply
- Only students with minimum grade of “75%” in English are given an initial offer
- If any of those students say “no,” the college moves down the list (i.e. “74%”)



## How Glendale Communicates

November 2024

- Demographics and marks history are due to OCAS--this was already sent electronically. OCAS requires marks history for all courses taken from grade 9, 10, 11 and 12

February 2025

- Marks upload (semester 1)

April 2025

- Any additional marks and currently enrolled courses are sent

July 2025

- All final marks and proof of graduation sent

## Important Dates

Deadline for applying to college (date for equal consideration)

- February 1, 2025

Earliest offer date—only for open programs

- November 1, 2024

Deadline to confirm an offer

- May 1, 2025
- we recommend you don't wait until May 1!

Earliest date for tuition deposit

- June 1, 2025

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Do Your Research!

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## International Applicants

You are a citizen of another country and do not have permanent residency status in Canada.

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## Find a Program

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*Program information reflected below is related to Canadian applicants. International applicants should check the college website to confirm program availability, application requirements, and other information.*

### Explore by category:

<a href="#">Agriculture, Animal &amp; Related Practices</a>	<a href="#">Arts &amp; Culture</a>	<a href="#">Business, Finance &amp; Administration</a>
<a href="#">Career &amp; Preparation</a>	<a href="#">Computers &amp; Telecommunications</a>	<a href="#">Culinary, Hospitality, Recreation &amp; Tourism</a>
<a href="#">Education, Community &amp; Social Services</a>	<a href="#">Energy, Environmental &amp; Natural Resources</a>	<a href="#">Engineering &amp; Technology</a>
<a href="#">Fire, Justice &amp; Security</a>	<a href="#">Health, Food &amp; Medical</a>	<a href="#">Media</a>
<a href="#">Professions &amp; Trades</a>	<a href="#">Transportation &amp; Logistics</a>	

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## Which colleges offer my program?

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Filter by:		Results: 1 - 19 of 19
College ▾	Architectural Technician (Weekend Offering) (0188W01F) ▾	
Campus ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   Sep 2020   ● Closed   Website 🔗	
Program Category ▾	Architectural Technician/Technology (0188X01F) ▾	
Program Length ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   Jan 2021   ● Open   Website 🔗	
Start Date ▾	Architectural Technician/Technology (0188X01F) ▾	
Credential ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   May 2021   ● Open   Website 🔗	
Language of Instruction ▾	Architectural Technician/Technology (0188X01F) ▾	
Program Availability ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   Sep 2020   ● Closed   Website 🔗	
Program Level ▾	Architectural Technician/Technology - Co-Op (0188X03F) ▾	
Program Type ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   Jan 2021   ● Waitlisted   Website 🔗	
Program Delivery ▾	Architectural Technician/Technology - Co-Op (0188X03F) ▾	
Highly Competitive ▾	Algonquin   Campus: Ottawa   Full Time   May 2021   ● Open   Website 🔗	

## Check the program's website


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Architectural Technician (ARCH) ▾  
Loyalist | Campus: Main | Full Time | Sep 2020 | ● Closed | Website 🔗

Architectural Technician (420) ▾  
Mohawk | Campus: Fennell (Hamilton) | Full Time | Jan 2021 | ● Open | Website 🔗


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**Program Details**

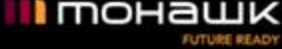
 **Program Length:** 2 Academic Years (Periods Of 8 Months)  
**Program Code:** 420  
**Credential:** Diploma  
**Program Level:** Post-Secondary  
**Program Type:** Regular  
**Language:** English  
**Entry Level:** Semester 1  
**Highly Competitive:** No  
**Program Status:** ● Closed

Architectural Technician (PATCN) ▾  
Sheridan | Campus: HMC (Mississauga) | Full Time | Jan 2021 | ● Open | Website 🔗

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## Check the program's website (cont.)




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# Architectural Technician - 420

**Ontario College Diploma**  
Two years

Focus on building designs and detailing, estimating and construction materials, and become a vital architectural team member.



How to Apply

**Overview**

Tuition and Fees

Admission

Experiential Learning

### Program Highlights

- Learn the essentials of the building and construction field in two academic years.
- Understand how to apply green building fundamentals and sustainability concepts.

### Canadian Domestic Students

Fennell Campus (FF) <a href="#">📍</a>	
Jan 2021	<a href="#">📅 Open</a>

### International Students

Fennell Campus (FF) <a href="#">📍</a>	
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## Admission Requirements

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### Admission

#### Domestic and International student admission requirements

- OSSD or equivalent ([Mohawk Academic Upgrading, GED](#)) including:
  - Grade 12 English, C or U or equivalent
  - Grade 12 Mathematics; MAP4C  $\geq$  80% or MCT4C; or any U or equivalent\*
  - Grade 10, 11 or 12 Design Technology recommended

**Note:** Applicants that do not satisfy minimum requirements will be provided an alternate offer to [Pre-Technology](#) as a pathway to desired program. Successful graduates from this program will be considered for advanced standing into original program choice.

Options are available for [mature applicants](#).

#### Language Requirements for International Students:

- See below for accepted equivalents for Grade 12 English:
  - Successful completion of [GAS-EAP \(478\) Program](#) Level 8
  - [TOEFL](#) minimum score of 550 (80 Internet based)
  - or [IELTS](#) Academic minimum score of 6.0 overall with no band less than 5.5
  - More information about acceptable certificates, can be found on the [International Admission Requirements](#)

Applicants whose first language is not English will be required to demonstrate proficiency in English. Options are available

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Jan 2021	<a href="#">🔗</a> Open
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Sep 2020	<a href="#">Apply as an</a>
Jan 2021	<a href="#">international student</a>

#### Have questions about applying?

[Connect with us, we're here to help!](#)

#### Custom viewbook

Create your own custom viewbook and personalize your Mohawk experience.

[Build your viewbook now](#)

#### Additional Information






















[International Eligible](#)

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## Interested in a Specific College?

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Explore by college:

 Algonquin	 Boréal	 Cambrian
 Canadore	 Centennial	 Conestoga
 Confederation	 Durham	 Fanshawe
 Fleming	 George Brown	 Georgian
 Humber	 La Cité	 Lambton
 Loyalist	 Michener	 Mohawk
 Niagara	 Northern	 Ridgetown campus

## Ready to Apply?

- Create an account on [ontariocolleges.ca](https://ontariocolleges.ca)
- **DO NOT use your school email account (HWDSB)**
- Use a **PERSONAL** email account so you continue to have access to it beyond high school
- The school does not have access to your account and cannot help you to recover your password or your username if you forget
- You don't need to upload a transcript or request a transcript from the school—transmission happens automatically

## Apply to Five Programs!

- Students apply to a maximum of **FIVE** programs
- Only **three** can be at the same college  
*for example: 3 programs at Mohawk, 1 at Humber and 1 at Fanshawe*
- Cost is **\$150** regardless of how many programs (1 or 5) and there may be additional fees depending on the program
- Looking for programs starting August/September 2025 or January 2026

## How to Apply?

- [Watch the YOUTUBE VIDEO](#) on how to apply
- Remember that the fees have changed (**\$150** for 5 programs)

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## What do you need by the end of June 2025?

- High school diploma (OSSD which includes OSSLT and community involvement hours)
- Grade 12 English--ENG4C *or* ENG4U (there is no benefit to taking U courses if you are going to get a low mark)
- other required courses? (i.e. biology? math?)
- other? check carefully!
  - portfolio? letter of experience? audition? interview?
- Summer school courses that you plan on taking this summer DO NOT COUNT (past ones do)
- Elearning courses are seen as the same as F2F

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## Grades

- Colleges do NOT post admission averages
- Colleges post **minimum grades** (*i.e. 70% in ENG4C*)



## Upgrading?

- Colleges will use the highest attempt, not the most recent (this is good!)
- Colleges will sometimes wait for summer school grades and re-evaluate your application in August



## What is in your control?

- Not much! Colleges have policies and worrying about them won't help you!
- **Do your very best in EVERY course, especially the courses required for your program**
- Do your research and be prepared for deadlines

## Applying to University? Documents to Help You

- Video Tutorials
  - <https://www.ouac.on.ca/101-tutorials/>
- Application Checklist
  - <https://www.ouac.on.ca/resources/>
  - <https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/checklist>

## Ontario Universities Fair 2024

- In-person fair already happened in early October
- Go to [Ontariouniversitiesfair.ca](https://ontariouniversitiesfair.ca) for more information
- Virtual Information Session on November 21, 5-7 pm
  - <https://form.jotform.com/acadiate/ouis-registration>

## Ways to Connect

- OUInfo ([www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca](http://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca)) is enhanced to include new ways for students to engage with Ontario universities
  - virtual tours, virtual events
  - videos and webinars
  - connect with university representatives
- Visit each university's Overview page to see these new features
- OUInfo is a starting point for your research
  - the best sources of information are the universities themselves

## Official Search Tool of the Universities

[www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca](http://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca)

- Programs
- Prerequisites
- Admission Averages
- Tuition
- Scholarships
- Residence Information

## Sign up to stay connected!

\*Required

### Connect with Ontario's Universities

\*First/Given Name \*Last/Family Name \*Email Address Anticipated Start Date

First/Given Name Last/Family Name Email Address Choose ▾

\*Choose the universities you want to receive information from.

<input type="checkbox"/> Algoma University Sault Ste. Marie, Brampton	<input type="checkbox"/> Brock University St. Catharines	<input type="checkbox"/> Carleton University Ottawa	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Guelph Guelph, Guelph-Humber
<input type="checkbox"/> Lakehead University Thunder Bay, Orillia	<input type="checkbox"/> Laurentian University Sudbury, Hearst	<input type="checkbox"/> McMaster University Hamilton	<input type="checkbox"/> Nipissing University North Bay
<input type="checkbox"/> OCAD University Toronto	<input type="checkbox"/> Université de l'Ontario français Toronto	<input type="checkbox"/> Ontario Tech University Oshawa	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Ottawa Ottawa, Saint Paul University
<input type="checkbox"/> Queen's University Kingston	<input type="checkbox"/> Royal Military College of Canada Kingston	<input type="checkbox"/> Ryerson University Toronto	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Toronto Toronto, Mississauga, Scarborough
<input type="checkbox"/> Trent University Peterborough, Oshawa	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Waterloo Waterloo, Reunion University College, St. Jerome's University	<input type="checkbox"/> Western University London, Main Campus, Brescia University College, Huron University College, King's University College	<input type="checkbox"/> Wilfrid Laurier University Waterloo, Brantford
	<input type="checkbox"/> University of Windsor Windsor	<input type="checkbox"/> York University Toronto, Keele, Glendon Campus	

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**PROGRAMS**  
WHAT INTERESTS YOU?

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**APPLICATIONS**  
WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW



## Browse by Category

Agriculture, Food, Forestry, Resource Management, Vet Sciences

39 programs in the following areas:

Forestry & Arboriculture | Others in Veterinary Sciences, Agriculture & Related Subjects | Food & Beverage Studies | Animal Science | Agriculture Sciences | Agriculture

Architecture, Building & Planning

20 programs in the following areas:

Planning (Urban, Rural & Regional) | Others in Architecture, Building & Planning | Landscape Architecture

## Find a Program

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**SEARCH ALL PROGRAMS**

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Biological Sciences

262 programs in the following areas:

Psychology | Sport & Exercise Science | Zoology | Others in Biological Sciences | Molecular Biology, Biophysics & Biochemistry | Botany | Genetics | Microbiology | Biology

Business & Administrative Studies

236 programs in the following areas:

Management Studies | Marketing | Others in Business & Administrative Studies | Human Resource Management | Hospitality, Leisure, Sport, Tourism & Transport | Business Studies | Finance | Accounting

Computer Science

191 programs in the following areas:

Information Systems | Others in Computer Sciences | Software Engineering | Health Informatics | Games | Computer Generated Visual & Audio Effects | Computer Science | Artificial Intelligence

Creative Arts & Design

152 programs in the following areas:





Imaginative Writing | Music | Others in Creative Arts & Design | Paper Crafts | Fine Art | Drama | Crafts | Dance | Design Studies | Cinematics & Photography

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## Browse All Programs

### Search Results

#### Sort By

Program Name ▾

1378 Programs

**A** B C D-E F-G H I J-L M N-P Q-S T-Z

Accounting Compare  
University of Guelph  
English | GBK | Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program

Accounting Compare  
Brock University  
English | BK | Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program | Enrollment: 685 (total for all Business programs)

Accounting Compare  
Ontario Tech University  
English | DBG | Exp. learning: Co-op or internship option available | Enrollment: 250

Accounting and Financial Management (Co-op Only) Compare  
University of Waterloo  
English | WXY | Exp. learning: Co-op program | Enrollment: 370

Accounting (BA 3 year) Compare  
Algoma University  
English | JAA | Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program | Enrollment: This is an open enrollment program. First-year admissions are not capped.

Accounting & Finance Compare  
Ryerson University

### Find a Program

Program Code or Keyword


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## Search and Compare Programs

Business (co-op available) (Thunder Bay and Orillia) Lakehead University English   AE   Exp. learning: Co-op or internship option available   Enrollment: Open Enrollment		Compare ✓
Business Economics Brock University English   BE   Exp. learning: Co-op program   Enrollment: 1,364 (total for all Social Science programs)		Compare ✓
Business Economics York University – Glendon Campus English & French   YGE   Exp. learning: Practicum or internship option available   Enrollment: 400 (total for all programs)		Compare ✓
Business I McMaster University English   MB   Exp. learning: Co-op or internship option available   Enrollment: 800		Compare ✓
Business Management Ryerson University English   SBE   Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program   Enrollment: 1,580		Compare ✓

## My Comparisons (by grade range)

### My Comparisons

Sort By

Program Name

Compare By:

Grade Range

Business Economics

**Brock University**

English | BE | Exp. learning: Co-op program | Enrollment: 1,364  
(total for all Social Science programs)

75–80%

Compare



Business Economics

**York University – Glendon Campus**

English & French | YGE | Exp. learning: Practicum or internship  
option available | Enrollment: 400 (total for all programs)

75–80%

Compare



Business I

**McMaster University**

English | MB | Exp. learning: Co-op or internship option available |  
Enrollment: 800

85–90%

Compare



Business Management

**Ryerson University**

English | SBE | Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this  
program | Enrollment: 1,580

80–85%

Compare



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Study

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Guide (ON Transfer)

## My Comparisons (by prerequisite)

### Business Economics

#### Brock University

English | BE | Exp. learning: Co-op program | Enrollment: 1,364 (total for all Social Science programs)

ENG4U

MHF4U (min. 65%) or MCV4U (min. 65%)

Compare



### Business Economics

#### York University – Glendon Campus

English & French | YGE | Exp. learning: Practicum or internship option available | Enrollment: 400 (total for all programs)

OSSD or equivalent

A minimum of six 4U/M courses, including ENG4U (French-language high school applicants can present FRA4U)

A combination of U/M courses are accepted

4U French recommended for Anglophones

MHF4U and MCV4U recommended

Compare



### Business I

#### McMaster University

English | MB | Exp. learning: Co-op or internship option available | Enrollment: 800

ENG4U

MHF4U, MCV4U

**Note:** If you do not have MDM4U, you will be required to complete Statistics 1LO3 in Level I.

Compare



### Business Management

#### Ryerson University

English | SBE | Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program | Enrollment: 1,580

English (ENG4U/EAE4U preferred)

1 of MCV4U, MHF4U or MDM4U (MCV4U is preferred)

Compare



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## Details on the Program

### Business I

McMaster University

✓ Compare

Overview Requirements Admission Contact

#### Program Summary

University	McMaster University
Degree	Bachelor of Commerce, BCom
OUAC Program Code	MB
Grade Range	87-90%
Experiential Learning	Co-op or internship option available
Enrollment	800
Instruction Language	English

#### Subjects of Major Interest

Accounting
Finance
Human Resources
Information Systems
Marketing
Operations Management
Strategic Management

UNIVERSITY WEBSITE

PROGRAM WEBSITE

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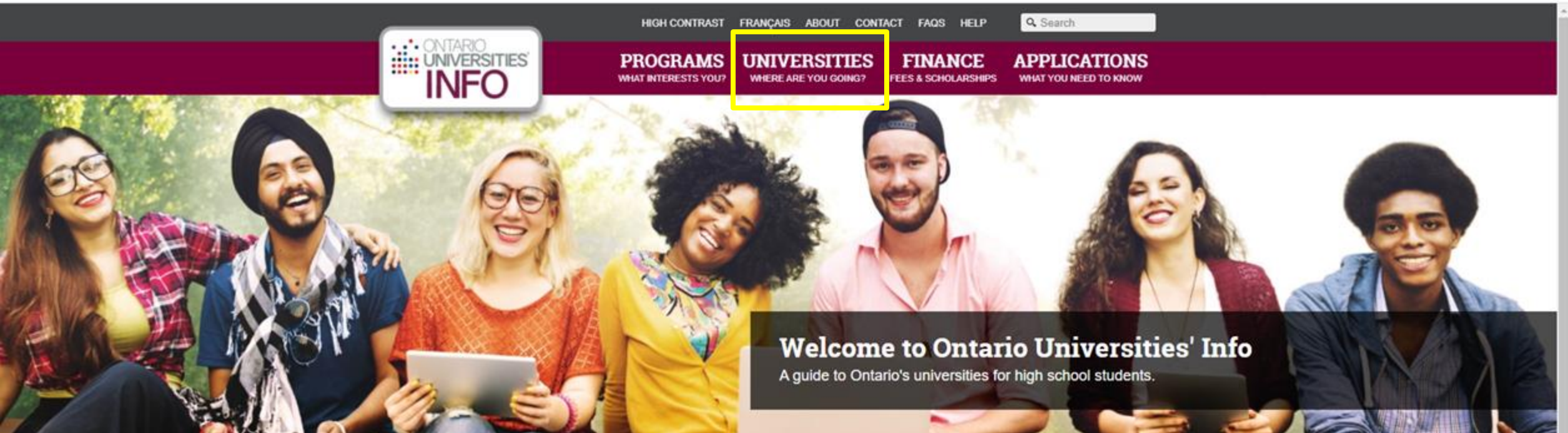
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## McMaster University



The screenshot shows the top portion of the Ontario Universities' Info website. At the top, a dark grey navigation bar contains links for 'HIGH CONTRAST', 'FRANÇAIS', 'ABOUT', 'CONTACT', 'FAQS', and 'HELP', along with a search bar. Below this is a maroon banner with the 'ONTARIO UNIVERSITIES' INFO logo on the left and four main menu items: 'PROGRAMS' (WHAT INTERESTS YOU?), 'UNIVERSITIES' (WHERE ARE YOU GOING?), 'FINANCE' (FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS), and 'APPLICATIONS' (WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW). The 'UNIVERSITIES' link is highlighted with a yellow box. The main content area features a large photograph of seven diverse students smiling. Overlaid on the bottom right of this photo is a dark grey box with the text 'Welcome to Ontario Universities' Info' and 'A guide to Ontario's universities for high school students.'

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## McMaster University

### Algoma University

SAULT STE. MARIE AND BRAMPTON | 53 PROGRAMS

### Brock University

ST. CATHARINES | 75 PROGRAMS

### Carleton University

OTTAWA | 60 PROGRAMS

### University of Guelph

GUELPH | 43 PROGRAMS  
TORONTO GUELPH-HUMBER | 7 PROGRAMS

### Lakehead University

THUNDER BAY AND ORILLIA | 45 PROGRAMS

### Laurentian University

SUDBURY | 129 PROGRAMS  
HEARST | 4 PROGRAMS

### McMaster University

HAMILTON | 26 PROGRAMS

### Nipissing University

NORTH BAY | 30 PROGRAMS

### OCAD University

TORONTO | 17 PROGRAMS

### Université de l'Ontario français

TORONTO | 4 PROGRAMS

### Ontario Tech University

OSHAWA | 46 PROGRAMS

### University of Ottawa

OTTAWA | 245 PROGRAMS  
OTTAWA – SAINT PAUL | 25 PROGRAMS

### Queen's University

KINGSTON | 27 PROGRAMS

### Royal Military College of Canada

KINGSTON | 3 PROGRAMS

### Ryerson University

TORONTO | 67 PROGRAMS

### University of Toronto

TORONTO | 27 PROGRAMS  
U OF T MISSISSAUGA | 12 PROGRAMS

### Trent University

PETERBOROUGH | 172 PROGRAMS  
OSHAWA | 76 PROGRAMS

### University of Waterloo

WATERLOO | 47 PROGRAMS  
WATERLOO – CONRAD GREBEL  
WATERLOO – RENISON | 2 PROGRAMS  
WATERLOO – ST. JEROME'S | 1 PROGRAMS  
WATERLOO – ST. PAUL'S

### Western University

LONDON | 18 PROGRAMS  
WESTERN – BRESCIA | 9 PROGRAMS  
WESTERN – HURON | 3 PROGRAMS  
WESTERN – KING'S | 6 PROGRAMS

### Wilfrid Laurier University

WATERLOO | 41 PROGRAMS  
BRANTFORD | 21 PROGRAMS

### University of Windsor

WINDSOR | 55 PROGRAMS

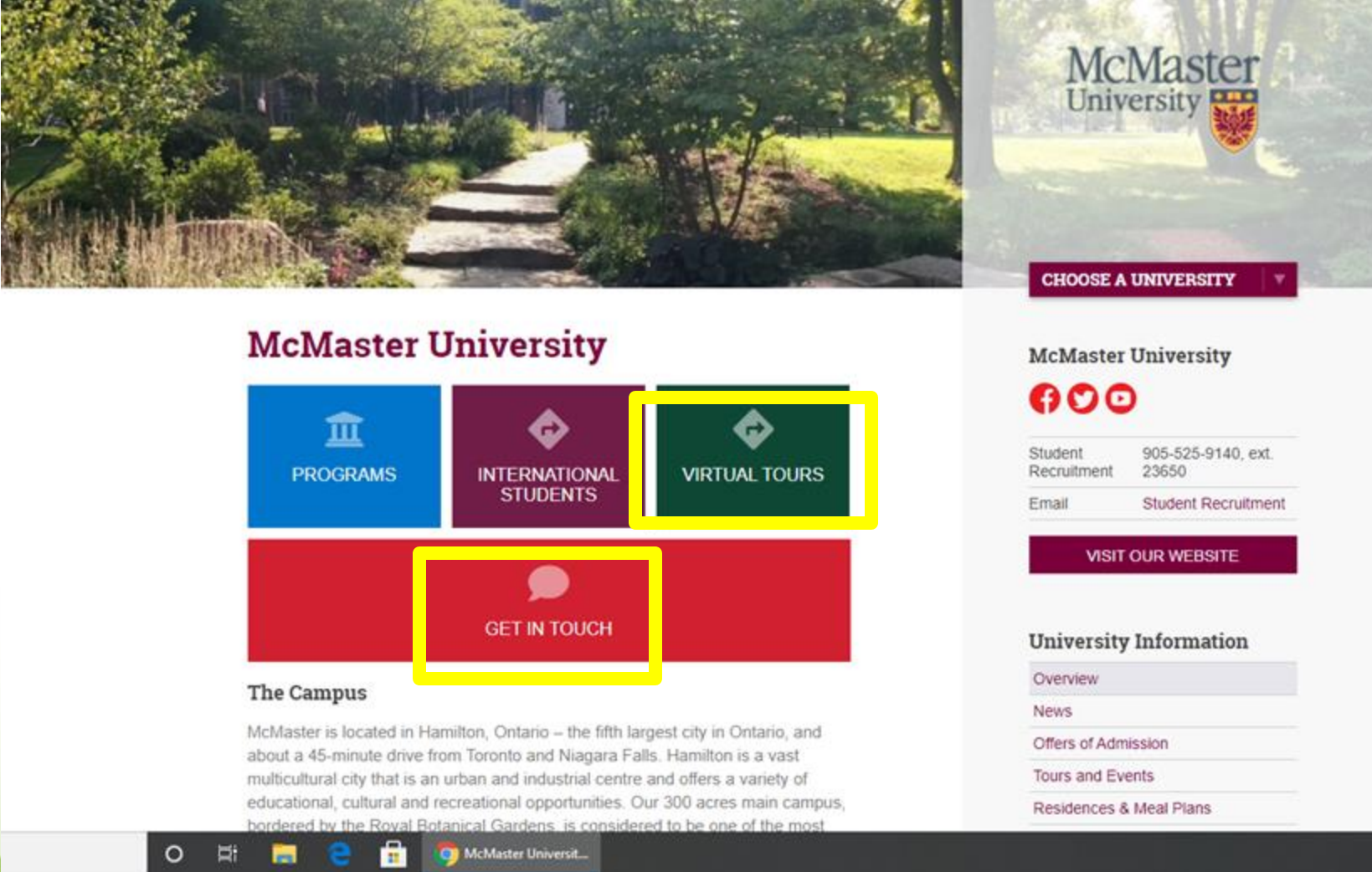
### York University

TORONTO | 107 PROGRAMS  
YORK – GLENDON | 26 PROGRAMS



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## Book a Virtual Tour and More!



The screenshot displays the McMaster University website. At the top, there is a banner image of a stone path leading through a lush green campus. Below the banner, the McMaster University logo is visible. The main navigation area features four colored buttons: a blue button for 'PROGRAMS', a purple button for 'INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS', a green button for 'VIRTUAL TOURS' (highlighted with a yellow border), and a red button for 'GET IN TOUCH' (also highlighted with a yellow border). To the right of the navigation buttons, there is a sidebar with social media icons (Facebook, Twitter, YouTube), contact information (Student Recruitment: 905-525-9140, ext. 23650; Email: Student Recruitment), and a 'VISIT OUR WEBSITE' button. Below the sidebar, there is a 'University Information' section with links to Overview, News, Offers of Admission, Tours and Events, and Residences & Meal Plans. At the bottom of the page, there is a section titled 'The Campus' with a brief description of the university's location and campus features.

**McMaster University**

**CHOOSE A UNIVERSITY**

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**University Information**

Overview

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**The Campus**

McMaster is located in Hamilton, Ontario – the fifth largest city in Ontario, and about a 45-minute drive from Toronto and Niagara Falls. Hamilton is a vast multicultural city that is an urban and industrial centre and offers a variety of educational, cultural and recreational opportunities. Our 300 acres main campus, bordered by the Royal Botanical Gardens, is considered to be one of the most



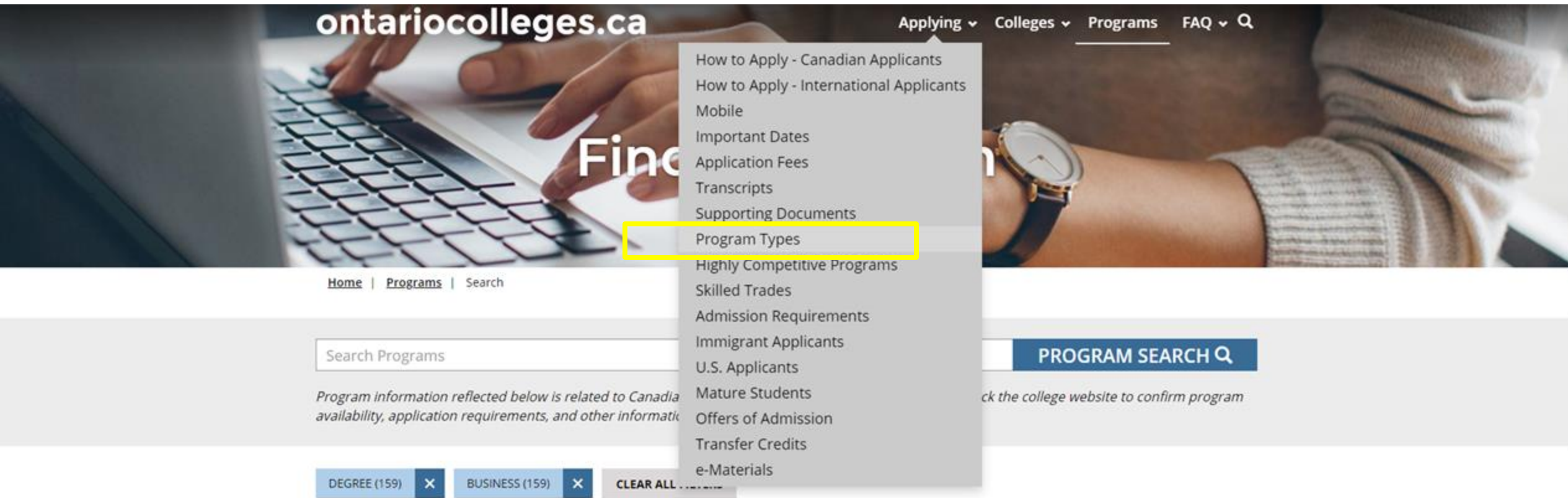
## Fall Preview Days

- All universities will host some type of campus experience—some are virtual and some are in-person events—these are happening now!
- <https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/universities/events> for details on each university and search for what interests you

## Spring Open Houses

- All universities will host **March Break** or **spring** events
- Many universities have in-person activities advertised
- Sign up with each university to receive their specific information

- An excellent search tool - over 600 degree programs to browse



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## Collaborative Degrees and Diplomas

- The benefits of BOTH university and college experience!
- <https://www.ouac.on.ca/guide/collaborative-university-college-programs/>
- Details are listed for each university and with which college they are collaborating

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## Collaborative Degrees and Diplomas

McMaster University

All programs are taught on the McMaster University Campus.

### McMaster University and Mohawk College

OUAC Program Code	Program Name	Program Notes
MPT	Automation Systems Engineering Technology 1 Co-op (BTech)	Apply through the OUAC.
MAT	Automotive & Vehicle Engineering Technology 1 Co-op (BTech)	Apply through the OUAC.
MRS	Bachelor of Science in Medical Radiation Technology	Apply through the OUAC.
MNM	Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN)	Apply through the OUAC.
MTT	Biotechnology 1 Co-op (BTech)	Apply through the OUAC.
MET	BTech – Degree Completion Program (BTech)	Apply through the OUAC; some postsecondary studies required.
MRM	Nursing Post RPN (BScN)	Apply through the OUAC.

## Four Year Degree Programs

- Remember that some colleges offer degrees
- B.Sc.N. programs are a popular option for a highly competitive nursing field
- Colleges offer 100's of degrees; some are identical to a university, some are more practical
- You **may** have to apply through OCAS website ([ontariocolleges.ca](http://ontariocolleges.ca)) which has a separate fee of \$150



## Time to Apply!

- You can apply NOW! You no longer need a PIN to create an account
- Your OEN (status sheet, report card) is needed
- Use a personal email account—NOT YOUR HWDSB account
- Student A—current student—MOST students
- Student B—no longer registered at Glendale student
- **Deadline is January 15, 2025**

## Videos to Help You Apply

- The following tutorials guide you through [OUInfo](#) and the 101 application.
- Ontario Universities' Info
  - [How to Use OUInfo: Your Starting Point for Researching Ontario's Universities](#)
- How to Apply
  - [Tutorial 1: How to Create Your OUAC Account](#)
  - [Tutorial 2: How to Browse and Add Programs to Your Application](#)
  - [Tutorial 3: How to Complete Your Application](#)
- After You Apply
  - [Tutorial 4: How to Edit Your Completed Application](#)
  - [Tutorial 5: How to Respond to an Ontario University Offer](#)
- [View these videos in an alternative format \(PDF, PPT\).](#)

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[www.ouac.on.ca](http://www.ouac.on.ca)

## Ready to Apply?

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 **OUAC** Ontario Universities'  
Application Centre

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Help](#)



### Ready to Apply?

Once you've decided which programs you're interested in, it's time to start your application to Ontario's universities.

[Apply Now](#) 



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## OUAC account

### Log In

Username (required)

Username: Required field.  
[Recover your username](#)

Password (required)

Password: Required field.  
[Forgot your password?](#)

Log In

### Create Account

**Notes:**

- You will use your username and password in all OUAC applications.
- Do not create more than 1 account.
- Do not use an account created by someone else.

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Create My Account

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### Basic Information

First/Given Name (required)

Middle Name(s)

Last/Family Name (required)

Date of Birth (Format: yyyy-mm-dd) (required)

Year Choose Month Choose Day Choose

Next

[Return to Log In](#)

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## Fees



Last updated: September 20, 2023

### Undergraduate – Fees

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- **All fees are non-refundable.** We will not forward your application to any universities until you submit full payment to the OUAC. We will not refund fees for withdrawn university choices.
- **Reminder:** There may be additional fees if you change your program choices after you have paid.

### Fees

All fees are in Canadian funds.

#### 1. Base Application Fee: \$156



- For your initial 3 program choices.
- Required of all applicants.

#### 2. Additional Choice Fee: \$50/choice



#### 3. International Service Fee: \$10



#### 4. Supplemental Program Fee



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- Supplemental program fees cover the cost of individual faculty admission processes. The supplemental program fee is non-refundable and you pay it along with your OUAC application fee.

#### Supplemental Program Fees

University	Fee
McMaster University – Engineering	\$50
University of Toronto – Architecture	\$45
University of Toronto – Commerce	\$50
University of Toronto, Faculty of Arts & Science – Computer Science	\$50
University of Toronto – Engineering	\$42 (current Ontario high school students) <b>or</b> \$65 (not current Ontario high school students)
University of Toronto – Medical Radiation Sciences	\$47
University of Waterloo – Accounting	\$53.25
University of Waterloo – Engineering	\$53.25
York University – Some programs in the School of Arts, Media, Performance & Design	\$25

## Fees

### Payment Options

- Credit/Debit card (VISA, MasterCard, American Express, VISA Debit or Debit MasterCard).
- Online banking through selected Canadian banks and credit unions only. (This normally takes 2-5 business days to process.) You must make all payments in Canadian funds.
- Flywire (for international payments only). You can pay the Canadian dollar fees in the currency of your choice. This may take 2-5 business days to process.



## Goals for November

- Students logged into OUAC and/or OCAS with a username and password
- Verify your details are correct--including grades!
- Tentatively choose and save at least one program
- Make sure semester two courses are accurate\*\*
- \*\*Elearning courses—Out Of Board cause issues—make sure these are accurate
- \*\*Don't change courses for semester 2—this causes issues as well

## Early Offers

- Students have NO CONTROL over this
- Only some universities use this marketing strategy
- Your application must be paid in full

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## Early Offers--*WHY so popular?*

- Students who are not likely to receive an offer from a competitive program cannot influence the university's decision by applying early
- This is not how early offers work
- Early offers are extended to students who are **HIGHLY QUALIFIED**
- Early offers do not take away seats from other students  
are there are no bonus points for applying early

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## Early Offers--*example*

- McMaster University--Life Sciences
  - Anticipated Admission Range: **87% - 90%**
  - Your admission range:  
**86%, 87%, 88%, 89%, 90%, 91%, 92%**
- Early offers are going to students in the 90's
- Early offers are NEVER extended for programs that require an audition, portfolio or extensive supplemental information or applications

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## Early Offers--*Which grades are used?*

- ROUND 1 (December)
  - grade 11 and grade 12 4U/4M final grades from courses that you may have completed early, and mid-semester grades from this current semester in progress (November upload)
- ROUND 2 (March)
  - semester one final grades and some grade 11 marks
  - this is the round usually referred to as “early offer”
- FINAL OFFERS (May)
  - semester one final and semester two mid-semester grades

## Early Offers\*

- Universities will use final grades in required courses from grade 11 (3U/3M courses) where final grades in 4U/4M courses are not ready
- They combine these with any 4U/4M final grades that may be available
- **\*NEW--universities are asking us to send them mid-semester grades in November**



## Key Dates

- **December 8, 2024**
  - Suggested deadline for Glendale students
  - All students should have their application submitted and paid
  - Applications can still be amended after applying
- **January 15, 2025**
  - Deadline for Ontario Universities' Application Centre
  - Students who have not applied by this date may not be considered for their university choices
  - Programs not requiring supplemental information *might* still accept applications
  - DO NOT WAIT--the site often crashes (usually the financial part)

## Key Dates (cont.)

- **February 2025**
  - Semester 1 final marks are submitted to OUAC
  - **Students must check the accuracy of these marks**
  - Elearning, summer and night school courses are often missed (you need to check!)
- **March 2025**
  - Early offers of admission begin (some exceptions)
  - Students not eligible will be reconsidered in May

## Key Dates (cont.)

- **April 2025**
  - Semester two, mid-semester grades are submitted to OUAC
- **May 29, 2025**
  - the latest date by which all applicants shall expect:
    1. an offer of admission
    2. a refusal, or
    3. a deferral pending the receipt of more information

## Offers of Admission

- **ALL** offers of admission are **conditional** until you meet ALL requirements of admission
- Each conditional offer of admission will state the **requirements** of the offer
  - *example, must maintain an 80% average*
- ALL conditional offers of admission will be **confirmed or rescinded** in JULY after final grades are submitted to OUAC on July 2025

## After May???

- Students who do not receive an offer here must consider other options
- Some universities will post available programs in June--through ***Admission Information Services***
- Students can amend their application at this time and be considered for programs with available space



ACCEPT!

- **DEADLINE** by which you must reply to a university offer:

**JUNE 1, 2025**

## Residence or Student Housing

- Usually guaranteed for first-year students in university (but sometimes are based on academic averages)
- On or near the school campus
- Your room in residence may be single or shared. A shared room costs less than a single room. Some universities offer only shared rooms for 1st year students.
- Ex., Mohawk College--\$8831 (first come, first served, Fennell campus only)
- Ex., McMaster University--\$6250 to \$10,400 (meals not included and MUST be purchased \$5120-\$5720); academic average was 89% for this past year
- Once you are accepted into a program, you will receive notifications on how to apply to residence and the cost as well as meal plan options; deadlines are STRICT!

### Ontario's Transfer and Pathways Guide

- What is Course Transfer?
- Course Transfer is when a student is granted credit by one program or institution for courses taken at another program or institution. Courses that are evaluated as sufficiently similar are deemed course equivalent.
- Search for Course Transfers in two ways:
  - Courses that you have completed or are on track to complete, and
  - Courses that you may be interested in taking elsewhere with a Letter of Permission.
- What are the reasons you might consider transferring?
- Students transfer for a variety of reasons, which could include:
  - Personal circumstances
  - Change of interest or professional goals
  - Combining or upgrading credentials
  - Transferring may result in a student being awarded courses or credits from previously completed studies/program.

- Where can you transfer?
- A student's transfer options are **UNLIMITED!** The Ontario Pathway & Transfer Guide has thousands of searchable [program pathways](#) and [course transfer opportunities](#) between publicly funded colleges, universities, and Indigenous Institutes in Ontario.
- Things a student should consider when thinking about transfer:
  - Costs (application fees, transfer fees, relocation fees, etc.)
  - Right fit (institution, program, student services, student engagement)
  - Interested in transferring to Ontario from another province or territory, or transferring out of Ontario? Learn more about [transferring to and from Ontario](#).

## Specific Questions—Nursing

- [Undergraduate Programs - School of Nursing \(mcmaster.ca\)](#)
- [Nursing \(BScN\) - 731 | Mohawk College](#)
- Please note that the Post-Diploma RPN to BScN (E) Stream is only offered at the Mohawk site: [Mohawk College](#).
- The Post-Diploma RPN to BScN (E) Stream is designed for college-trained Registered Practical Nurses (RPNs) who wish to obtain their baccalaureate nursing degree (Bachelor of Science in Nursing, or BScN). The (E) Stream builds on the knowledge and skills acquired in the practical nurse diploma program. The curriculum is planned for three academic years of full-time study at Mohawk College.
- Upon graduation, students wishing to engage in the professional practice of nursing and use the title Registered Nurse are subject to qualifying examinations and other requirements by the licensing body, the [College of Nurses of Ontario](#) (CNO).
- **\*Note:** All students must review the CNO's [Requisite Skills and Abilities \(PDF\)](#) and assess their ability to meet the criteria set forth in this document.
- You cannot transfer from Mohawk to McMaster for Nursing—you must apply to get into this program
- [Casper for 2024/25 Test Takers - Take Casper \(acuityinsights.app\)](#)

## Scholarships & Bursaries

- Check out the Glendale Guidance HUB page for more AND use **GOOGLE!!**
- Create a profile at [ScholarshipsCanada](#)
- Create a profile at [Student Awards](#)
- Create a profile at [Yconic](#)
- [McMaster Access Program](#)—for equity-seeking students
- Entrance scholarships to university/college vary by school—automatically considered based on marks
- Glendale scholarships/bursaries--ONLY apply to students who are attending post-secondary in the fall (if you are taking a gap year, you are not eligible)



## OSAP

- You cannot apply to OSAP unless you have applied to college/university FIRST
- Combination of grants (you don't pay back) and loans (you pay back)
- Must have SIN and parents' tax information
- OSAP expects that your parent(s) will help with your education costs. Parent refers to your birth or adoptive parent(s), step-parent, or official sponsor(s). How much they need to contribute depends on their income, how many dependent children they have and how many of these children are also in full-time postsecondary studies.
- Aid estimator for OSAP opens in the spring for September 2025 start
- [OSAP: Ontario Student Assistance Program | ontario.ca](https://ontario.ca/osap)

## Post-Secondary School Fair—November 12th

- Representatives from Ontario colleges and universities will be in attendance
- Glendale cafeteria—no need to travel!
- Glendale students/classes will be invited to attend from 11 a.m. to 3 pm
- Mohawk, Niagara, Sheridan, McMaster, Brock...and more will be in attendance!

## QUESTIONS?