GRADE 12 MEETING #1

What you need to know and how to find out more!

Monday September 30th, 2024



Introductions

Principal

Ms. Collier

Vice Principals

Ms. Moore

Mr. Balazs

Mrs. Presta

GRADE 12 IEPS... NOVEMBER MEETINGS



Mrs. Indelicato

Information the office needs! Please complete this survey now! The link was also emailed to you this morning.

MEDIA CONSENT

Yes, I agree and give my permission for the disclosure of my child's personal information in the forms described (e.g., photos/video/audio recordings of my child, name, written/creative work, social media/website/news media posts) as they participate in a modern learning environment under the guidance of their classroom teacher, and for sharing and celebrating their creative and academic accomplishments by school/board staff and local news media. I understand that once posted online, the student information may appear in other publications outside of HWDSB's control.

Mrs. Indelicato

1.. OCAS/OUAC - it's your job to check to ensure your marks are correct; Mrs. Indelicato can fix them if there is an error... email her!

2. Email communication - read your emails each day

packages will be ready in August

4. Transcripts and Enrollment letters for post-secondary schools – email Mrs. Indelicato your request: it takes 24 hours

5. Final marks coming from outside our board – you need to report them to us

3. Students graduating in January - grad

Please follow on Instagram for up-to-date information 1:27 LTE

dundasvalleyss_hwdsb



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83 482 69 posts followers following

Dundas Valley Secondary School

An empathetic culture of respect and learning through the lens of human rights.

BE YOU. BE EXCELLENT. #HWDSB #ItTakesAValley #GoGryphons ** > =

@ www.hwdsb.on.ca/dundasval... and 3 more

Following ~

Message











From Ms. Lewin and Ms. Van Puymbroeck

Senior Prom for Class of 2025

Thursday May 15, 2025

LIUNA Station, King George Ballroom 360 James St North, Hamilton

PROM COMMITTEE

Tuesdays at lunch in room 2014

on an as-needed basis.

Interested students welcome to join to help with decision making and fundraising.

Any questions, please see Ms. Van Puymbroeck (Ms. VP) or Ms. Lewin (in the Office).



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GILDAN HOODY



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GILDAN FLEECE CREW

GILDAN LONG SLEEVE TEE

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Class of 2025 Spirit Wear

- Store is now open!
- Will close on October 17th, you
 have just under three weeks to get
 what you need. No orders will be
 accepted after this time.
- Website is:

https://dvssgrad25.itemorder.co m or see the posters around the school.:)



Would you like your voice to be heard for prom? Join our meetings//get on our emailing list.

Scan this QR code to add your name to the email list.

All are welcome!

Mr. Fraser

Valedictorian Details

Coming soon... nominations will open semester 2!

If you plan to graduate in June... you need



30 credits

(18 required, 12 optional)



40 hours of community involvement



2 eLearning Credits

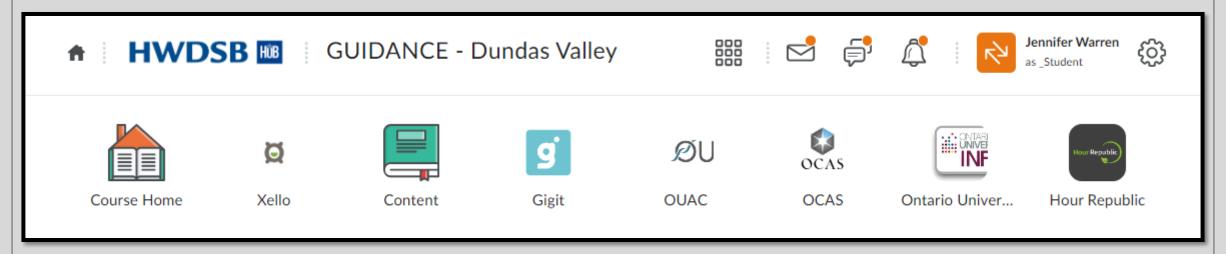
(or Opt Out)



Successful completion of the OSSLT or OLC4O



Hour Republic Support



This is where you enter your community involvement hours!





or come to the galaance office to cha

Book an Appointment

Announcements

If you need help... videos are located on the Guidance HUB course page.

HOUR REPUBLIC! V

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Jennifer Warren posted on Sep 21, 2023 9:35 AM

Here are the links to the content on how to sign up for Hour Republic and how to record hours (including the hours for helping at home if you are in grades 10 - 12).

How To Sign Up For Hour Republic

How to Submit Community Involvement Hours in Hour Republic

Hour Republic entering hours for helping at home



COMMENCEMENT 2025

THURSDAY JUNE 26TH, 2025

THE HAMILTON CONVENTION CENTRE



Commencement is different from Graduation

Commencement:

ALL Class of 2025 grade 12 students participate in the Commencement Ceremony, whether officially graduating or not.

For those who are graduating:

- Official January/June graduates will pick up their OSSD (Diploma) in August
- Graduates are eligible for DVSS graduation awards and scholarships



GRADUATION AWARDS

- oMarks based
- School involvement
- Community involvement
- •Helping others



Self Nomination Form-

Emailed to you today!

Available on the Guidance HUB course page

On the tables



Example 1:				
CATEGORY: (CIRCLE ONE)	LEADERSHIP	SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT	COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT	HELPING OTHERS
WHAT I DID:			IMPACT ON SCHOOL / COMMUNITY /	
Example 2:				
CATEGORY: (CIRCLE ONE) WHAT I DID:	LEADERSHIP	SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT	COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT IMPACT ON SCHOOL / COMMUNITY /	HELPING OTHERS
Example 3:				
CATEGORY: (CIRCLE ONE)	LEADERSHIP	SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT	COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT	HELPING OTHERS

Submit as soon as you complete it...

Final Due Date = Beginning of Semester 2

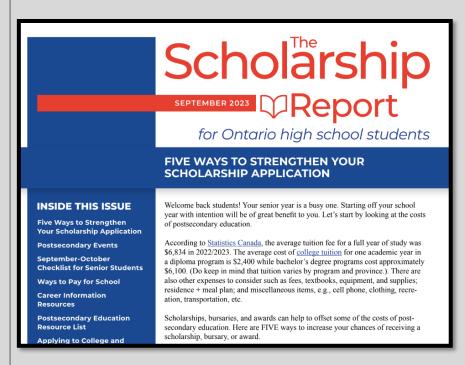
COMMUNITY / SCHOOL ENGAGEMENT: activities outside of school courses that you've engaged in / led

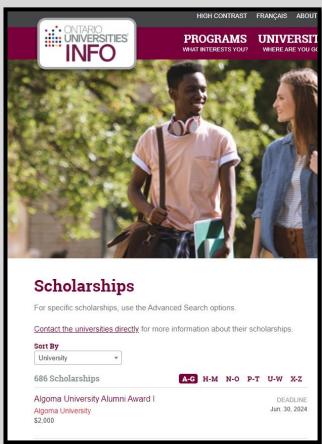
COMMUNITY (CLUBS, SPORTS, VOLUNTEER, ETC.)		EARS IN			SCHOOL - CLUBS / COUNCILS		EARS IN			SCHOOL - ARTS	YEARS INVOLVED (CIRCLE GRADES)			
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WORK / OTHER ACTIVITIES YOU'D LIKE TO SHARE		EARS IN			SCHOOL SPORTS		EARS IN			SCHOOL: HELPING / ADVOCATING FOR OTHERS	YEARS INVOLVED (CIRCLE GRADES)			
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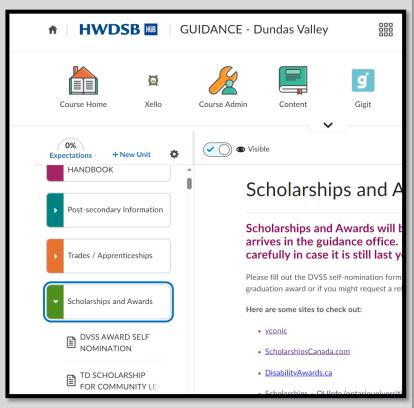
WHO ARE THREE STUDENTS IN GRADE 12 WHOM YOU ADMIRE FOR THEIR HELPFUL ATTITUDE, ADVOCACY FOR OTHERS, OR ABILITY TO LEAD BY EXAMPLE? FEEL FREE TO EXPLAIN WHAT YOU ADMIRE.						
TEET REE TO EXPERIN WHAT TOO ADMIRE.						
WILL YOU BE APPLYING FOR OSAP TO SUPPORT YO	DUR POST-SECONDARY PLANS?	YES:	NO:			

IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE WE SHOULD KNOW?

How do I find out about other awards/scholarships?









Two more big scholarships...

The Loran -

Due October 15th, **2024**

- application, letter of reference, 85% average, you must speak to leadership roles

Schulich Leaders Scholarship - ONE NOMINEE

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATH

 Are you going into STEM but not for medical school or research? We can nominate one student for this award.

STEM + ENTREPRENEURIAL

(i.e. you'd like to go into business)

Due January 29, 2025



Schulich

•Please submit your selfnomination for the Schulich by October 31st, 2024



What might be my first destination after high school?

Apprenticeship?

College?

Community Living?

CCE - take a course and work?

Gap Year?

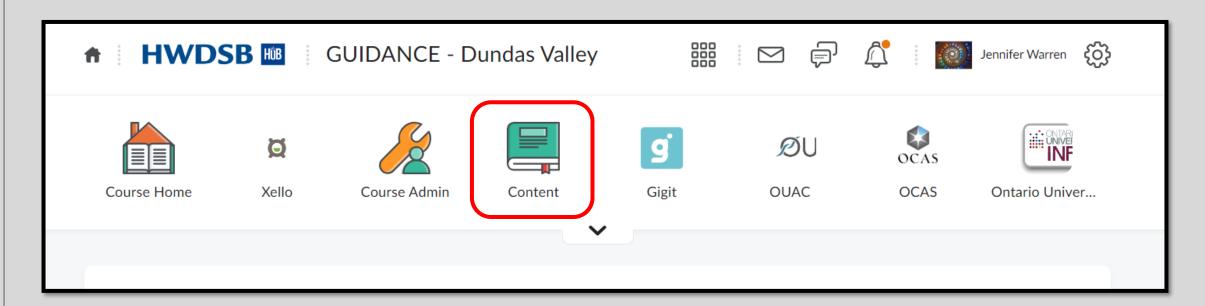
Return for a semester? (34 credit maximum unless you have an Individualized Education Plan)

University?

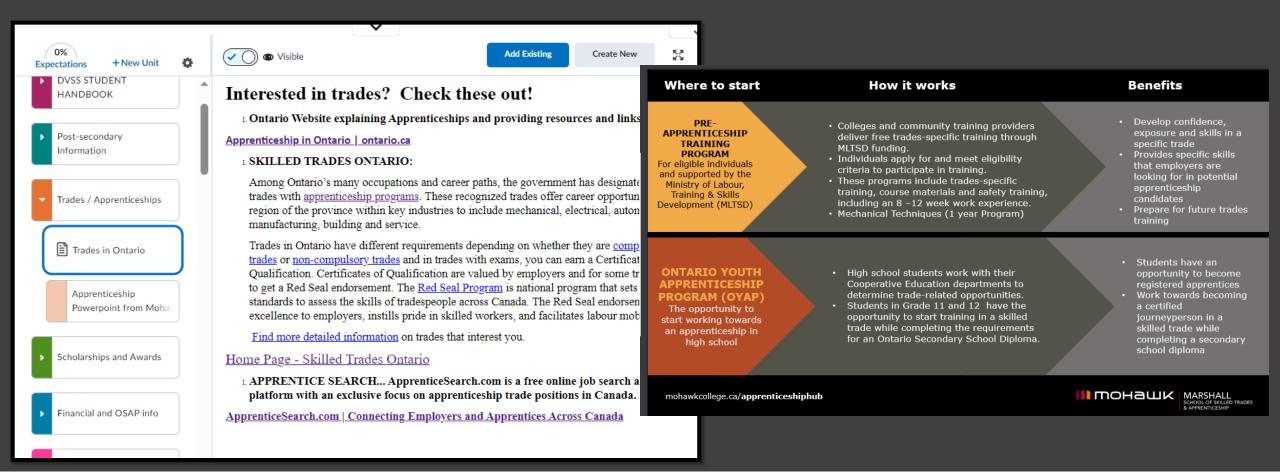
Work?



Apprenticeship – Helpful websites Click on "Content"







LINKS TO THE GOVERNMENT WEBSITES + A POWERPOINT FROM MOHAWK COLLEGE EXPLAINING THE APPRENTICESHIP PROCESS



WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU SOON...



6 BENEFITS OF WORKING IN THE SKILLED TRADES

INSIDE THIS ISSUE

6 BENEFITS OF WORKING IN THE SKILLED TRADES

DEFINITIONS

EXPLORE TRADES IN HIGH SCHOOL

FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR APPRENTICES

TRADES FROM THE FOUR TRADES SECTORS

Skilled trade: a career path that requires hands-on work and specialty knowledge.

The demand for skilled trades is high. There are real advantages to pursuing a skilled trade. Here are six reasons why pursuing a skilled trade is worth considering:

1 The trades industry provides job security.

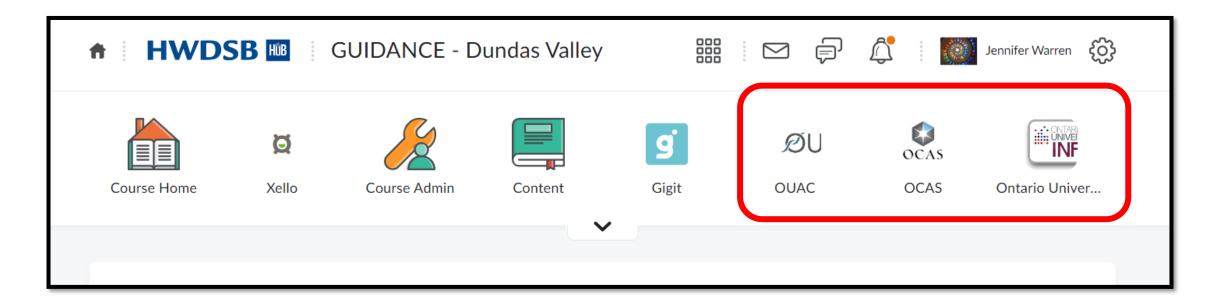
Skilled trades will always be in demand because these are jobs that maintain the infrastructure in our communities. These occupations provide essential services to our lives — from "building homes to manufacturing products, to servicing automobiles to preparing food." It is estimated that by 2025, 40% of all occupations will be in skilled trades. Many tradespeople today will be retiring in the next ten years leading to a shortage of skilled employees.

Skilled trades careers have great earning potential.

Individuals with certificates in Red Seal trades earn on average \$64,000 in their first



College and University... Helpful links:







ONTARIO COLLEGE APPLICATION SERVICE

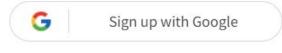


CREATE AN ACCOUNT





Sign up for the ontariocolleges.ca

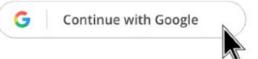


OR

Sign up with email

Have an account? Log in

What's New



Introducing Sign in with Google

You can now use the 'Sign in with Google' option to access your OCAS account!

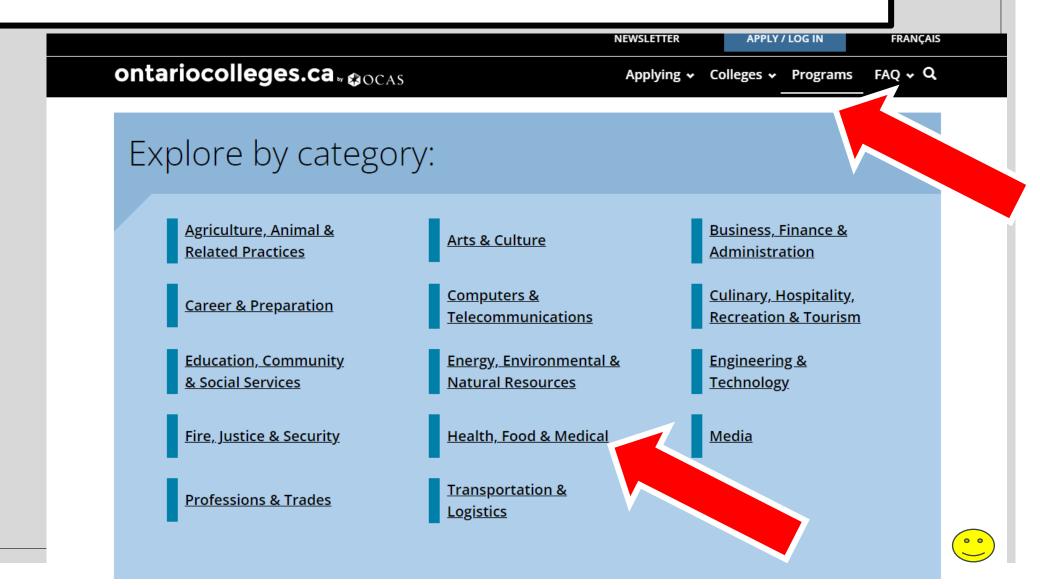
Learn More

Tip: For new users, we recommend using your personal email address to create an OCAS account.

Avoid using school email address because you may lose access to that email address once you graduate.

Do not use HWDSB email 3

If you don't know what you might like to study...



Addictions / Mental Health	Anesthesia	<u>Biotechnology</u>
Cardiovascular	<u>Chiropody / Podiatry</u>	<u>Dental / Denturism</u>
Dental Assisting	<u>Dental Hygiene</u>	<u>Diagnostic Cytology</u>
<u>Fitness / Health</u>	<u>Food Technology</u>	<u>Genetics</u>
<u>Gerontology</u>	Hearing	Holistic
<u>Laboratory Studies</u>	<u>Massage</u>	<u>Microbiology</u>
Nuclear Medicine	Nursing	Nursing - Bridging
Nutrition	<u>Opticianry</u>	Orthotics / Prosthetics
<u>Paramedic</u>	<u>Personal Support Worker</u> (<u>PSW)</u>	<u>Pharmaceutical</u>
Physiotherapy / Occupational Therapy / Rehabilitation	Radiation	<u>Respiratory</u>
<u>Ultrasound / X-Ray</u>		

What you can earn at college:

CERTIFICATE

DIPLOMA

ADVANCED

DIPLOMA

BACHELOR'S DEGREE

1 YEAR

2 YEARS

3 YEARS

3 - 4 YEARS
(AND YOU NEED 6 4U/4M CREDITS
TO APPLY)



WATCH OUT FOR "GRADUATE" CERTIFICATES

Diagnostic Cardiac Sonography (717)

Mohawk | Campus: Inst. For Applied Health Sci. | Full Time | May 2024 | ○ Open | Website &



Program Details

Through classroom, lab, simulation and clinical experience, apply knowledge and technical skills to deliver critical diagnostic cardiac images and data using sonographic technology.Program HighlightsNationally recognized and accredited program through Accreditation Canada EQUAL™.Develop field and... Read More

Program Length: 1 Academic Years

(Periods Of 8

Months)

Program Code: 717

Credential: Graduate

Certificate

Program Level: Post-Diploma

Program Type: Regular

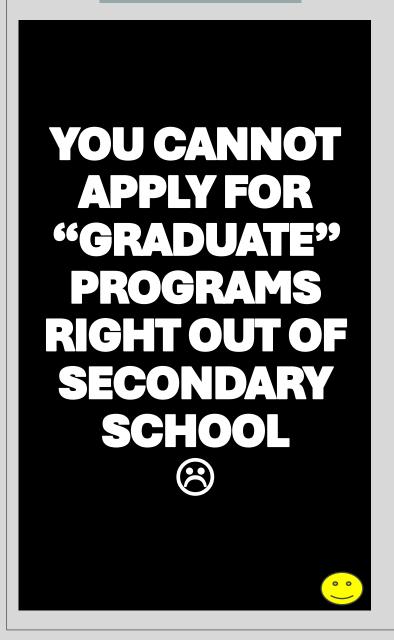
Language: English

Entry Level: Semester 1

Highly Competitive: Yes

Program Status: Open

APPLY NOW



APPLICATION DEADLINES AND FEES

Highly Competitive Programs:

Apply as soon as possible (October)

(e.g. nursing, paramedic, aviation)

Other Programs: February 1, 2025 There is a non-refundable fee of

\$150.00

The application fee includes up to 5 program choices (no more than 3 at any one college).



Mohawk College Open House Fennell Campus

Date: Saturday, November

2, 2024

Time: 10 am - 1 pm

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OCTOBER 2024

OCTOBER 2024

5PM - 9PM

9AM - 2PM

ENERCARE CENTRE HALL B EXHIBITION PLACE, TORONTO

FREE EVENT, NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

College Fairs

- Learn about all kinds of careers and the programs that will lead you into them
- Discover unique programs that are only offered at Ontario's colleges
- Learn about pathways between college and university
- Get all the information on how and when to apply
- Ask questions about campus life, housing and student services
- Get great advice on how to pay for your college education



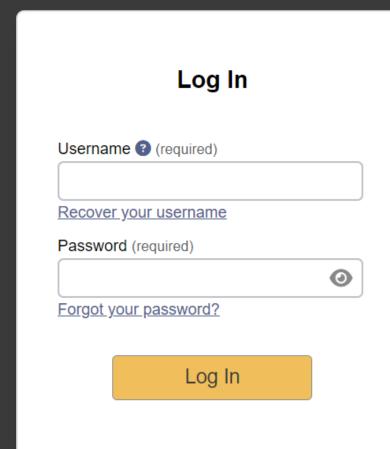


ONTARIO UNIVERSITY APPLICATION CENTRE





You need your OEN to apply... found at the top of every report card!



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.

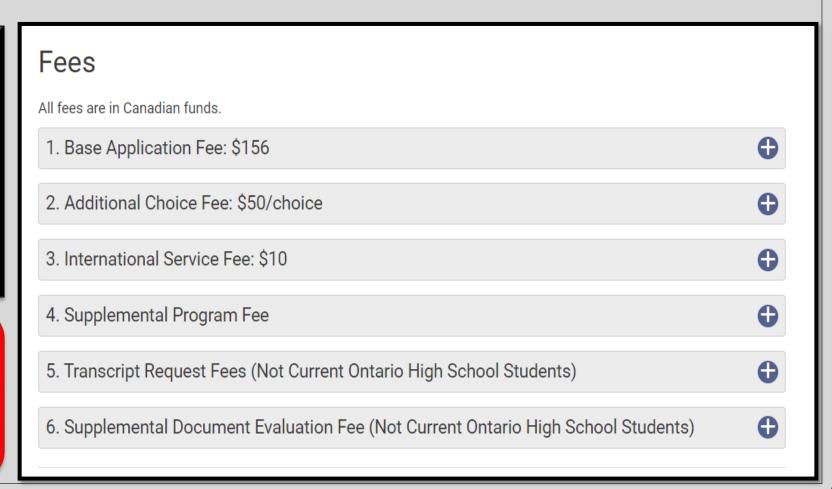
Create My Account



DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS AND FEES

JANUARY 15TH, 2025

OUR ADVICE:
APPLY IN DECEMBER



Please reach out to us if paying those fees would be a barrier for you!









Find a **Program**

Search for your ideal program and find out the information you need to apply, like prerequisites, grade requirements and more. Plus, compare your choices.



Choose a University

Get to know Ontario's universities and where they are located. Find out information about campus visits, residence costs and more!



How to **Apply**

Which application is right for me? Answer a few statements to guide you to the proper undergraduate application.



Upcoming Events

Trent University - Durham Greater Toronto

International Virtual Open House 2023



VIEW ALL EVENTS

University of Ottawa - Saint Paul University Winter Open House

October 19, 2023 View event details



Join us for the Ontario Universities' Fair (OUF): October 5-6, 2024

9:30 am to 5 pm, daily Metro Toronto Convention Centre (MTCC), South Building – Free admission

The OUF begins in...



Sign Up – OUEvents Pass 🛂

University Visits College and

COLLEGES	DATE, TIME, LOCATION	UNIVERSITIES	DATE, TIME, LOCATION
Mohawk	Thursday October 24, 2024 9:30 AM Room 2015	Trent	Tuesday November 5, 2024 10:00 AM Room 2015
Conestoga	Wednesday October 30, 2024 1:00 PM Room 2015	Waterloo	Thursday November 7, 2024 9:00 AM Room 2015
Fanshawe	Thursday November 7, 2024 12:30 AM Room 2015	Laurier	Friday November 8, 2024 9:00 AM Room 2015
		Western	Wednesday November 13, 2024 9:00 AM Room 2015
		Guelph	Thursday November 14, 2024 9:00 AM Room 2015
		Laurentian	Friday November 15, 2024 9:30 AM Room 2015
		McMaster	Tuesday November 19th, 2024 9:00 AM Library/Learning Commons

SIGN UP HERE AT THE END OF THIS PRESENTATION OR IN GUIDANCE

How to Apply Tutorials...

MONDAY OCTOBER 21ST:

HOW TO APPLY TO COLLEGE LUNCH -- ROOM 2015

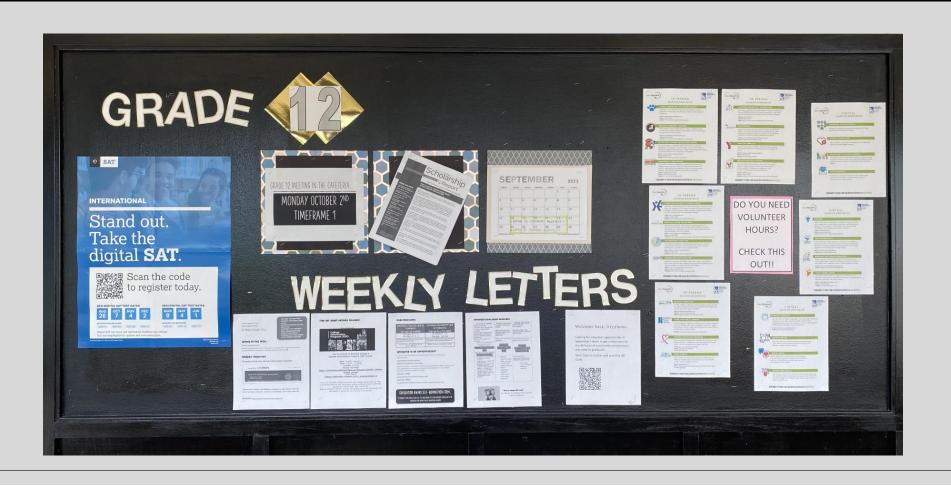
NOVEMBER: TBD

HOW TO APPLY TO UNIVERSITY

VIDEO RECORDINGS OF THE PRESENTATIONS WILL BE POSTED ON THE GUIDANCE HUB COURSE PAGE!



Weekly Letter and Bulletin Board





QUESTION TIME!

