

OCAS AND OUAC APPLICATION TIMELINES 2020 – 2021

September Early Oct Mid Oct	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> start your research (ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca and ontariocolleges.ca) OCAS Transmission of course and transcript information create OCAS account and apply for highly competitive programs colleges begin to review applications
Nov 5, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OUAC Transmission of student data, course and transcript information OCAS Transmission of semester 1 (midterm marks)
Nov 18, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> distribution of OUAC PINs create OCAS accounts and passwords to apply for non-competitive programs
Nov 20, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OUAC to receive all midterm/final grades available for 4U/4M courses
End Nov	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> first date that OCAS will send information to the colleges earliest date a college can acknowledge a 2019 – 2020 application
Dec 17, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> FULL DISCLOSURE – all semester 1 courses that appear on your timetable after this date will be on your transcript
End Dec	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> you are strongly advised to complete ALL of your applications
AFTER YOU APPLY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> verification forms/acknowledgement letters are sent out log on to your account to verify your courses, marks, and other information
Jan 15, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> deadline to submit completed applications to OUAC; full payment must be made; you will receive a reference number you will need later
Feb 1, 2021 (OCAS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> deadline for students applying to OCAS for equal consideration OCAS applications will still be accepted after this date, but will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis until program is full first date for colleges to contact students with offers and students confirm
Feb 8, 2021 (OUAC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommended last date for students to submit all info to OUAC (including program changes and additional active choices) not a deadline, changes will be accepted and processed by OUAC at any time but pay attention to individual university deadlines - some may be earlier than February 4 changes may incur extra charges
*Feb 11, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OCAS and OUAC Transmission of semester 1 final marks, semester 2 projected courses (this is Bur Oak sending to application centres) application centres send marks to college and universities by early March
March to April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> conditional offers of admission through OUAC and OCAS READ ALL OFFERS for deadlines and conditions (the fine print) Language Proficiency Results deadlines—check school requirements
*Late April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OCAS and OUAC Transmission of semester 2 midterm marks to application centres
May 1, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Most common deadline for confirming an OCAS offer of admission
May 4, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OUAC Transmission of semester 2 midterm marks to universities FULL DISCLOSURE – all semester 2 courses that appear on your timetable after this date will be on your transcript (This date subject to change)
May 27, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The latest date secondary school applicants should expect a response from an Ontario university-- offer of admission, a refusal or a deferral pending the receipt of specific additional information
June 1, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earliest date by which Ontario universities may require a response to an offer of admission from an Ontario secondary student and a financial commitment of any kind (e.g., registration deposit, residence deposit, etc.)
June 15, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earliest date that colleges may require payment of tuition fees
July 6, 2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OCAS and OUAC Transmission of semester 2 final grades and proof of graduation to application centres application centres send marks to schools
*August 16, 2021 (OCAS) Aug 1 - 31 (OUAC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> proof of graduation and final marks due to OCAS collection of summer school grades (for those who have an agreement/granted extension with a particular university)

Mid-term marks outside of York Region schools, e-learning or continuing education

- All mid-term marks for York Region education will be automatically entered into Trillium for transmission to OCAS and OUAC
- Mid-term marks for another school board **can be** manually entered into OUAC in consultation with a guidance counsellor
- Mid-term marks from a private school **cannot** be entered into OCAS or OUAC by Bur Oak. The private school will need to notify the application centres of the mid-term mark. Once the course is complete and a final grade is assigned, this course can then be entered into Trillium to be included on the student transcript being maintained by Bur Oak.