Year End Celebrations!

Important Information for Potential Grads

April 17, 2025

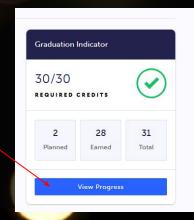
Graduation Reminders From Guidance

25 GRAD GOOGLE CLASS CODE: CC43350

Review of GRAD REQUIREMENTS AND CERTIFICATE INFO was disseminated FEB 19 in THIS PRESENTATION

- Social Justice Application Final Year- Application opens May 1
- 40 hours of Community Hours Due: May 1st Please get them into the Guidance Office ASAP -online applications must be printed and signed by supervisor with contact information

- You must complete an online course OR Opt Out (on your Course Selections or a paper copy from Guidance) in order to graduate
- Double check your credit count and that all of your COMPULSORY COURSES have been completed. Look at the Grad Tracker on myBlueprint. If something doesn't seem right, make a guidance appointment.



 FINISH STRONG and make sure you have all your prerequsites- all Post- Secondary offers are conditional.

 GRADE BUMPS WILL NOT HAPPEN AFTER MARKS HAVE BEEN ENTERED!!!! Be in class and doing the work when it is asked of you!



Ontario Scholar

- Six Grade 12 courses any pathway average 80%
- Dual Credits & Co-op Count (as long as coop is linked to a grade 12 course)—but *not* for U entrance
- Unlike Honour Roll, credits earned outside of Huron Heights also count toward Ontario Scholar designation.

For more information visit the Ministry of Education website.

OCAS/OUAC Upload & Full Disclosure Dates

OUAC/OCAS Upload- Morning of Thursday, April 24, 2025

Students must OFFICIALLY (with the right paperwork) drop a course that they do not want to be sent to OUAC/OCAS by

end of day April 23, 2025

Full Disclosure Day- Tuesday, May 6, 2025

Students will have until this date to drop a course without a mark appearing on their transcripts.

Accepting Post- Secondary Offers

- You must go to OCAS or OUAC to accept (for Ontario Schools)
- If you accepted one offer and change your mind then you can accept the new offer. <u>Your other offer will become void.</u>
- Due Dates to Accept:
- OCAS May 1, 2025 (Earliest Payment June 1)
- OUAC June 2, 2025 Confirmation of acceptance must be made to university and earliest date universities can ask for financial commitment

Read your emails from the Institutions for Dates of expiry of offers - and financial commitment

What if I don't Get any offers but I still want to go to College or University?

- About Being Denied Admission Start Here
- You can look for programs with openings:
- OUAC -https://www.ouac.on.ca/docs/101/ais_flyer.pdf

OCAS-https://www.ontariocolleges.ca/en/fag/offers-of-admission

- Deferrals require special permission with reason (cannot attend another post secondary school) - one of the reasons you can only accept one offer!
- Make a Guidance appointment if you would like support with next steps

Credit Strengthening Summer

- 2 weeks in summer to upgrade a course that you have passed.
- ☐ This can be helpful for situations where you might need a certain grade for entry into a program, or to help increase your knowledge for the next grade level
- You will need to contact the post secondary institution to ask if they will hold your place until the course is over
- □ Summer School applications opened April 15. Credit Strengthening options should be posted by the end of this week
- Acceleration options available

Graduation Awards

Huron Heights Application for Self-Nominated Graduation Awards

Deadline: Friday, May 9th



25+ Monetary Awards

Don't Miss out!!!!



Student loans, grants, scholarships and bursaries

OSAP- Ontario Student Assistance Program

OSAP Aid estimator - Find out how much you could get to help pay for your postsecondary education

2024-2025 online OSAP application open for full-time students and part-time students and

micro-credential programs

Where to find money that can help you pay for a college, university or apprenticeship program after high school.

Money for Apprenticeship Training

Home > Education and training > Apprenticeship and industry training

Financial supports for apprentices and sponsors

Learn about provincial and federal financial supports for apprentices and employers. Find out if you qualify and how to apply.

On this page

- Overview
- 2. Support for apprentices in any trade
- 3. Support for apprentices with disabilities
- 4. Support for apprentices in Red Seal trades

- 5. Support for training in a non-Red Seal trade
- 6. Ontario's employer supports
- 7. Federal employer supports



- Tools grant
- Apprenticeship Development Benefit
- Supports for Apprentices with Disabilities
- Canada Apprentice Loan
- Apprenticeship Completion Bonus

Let us Celebrate with YOU! Tell Us where you are going!

https://bit.ly/HuronPostsecondarySurvey



This link will be posted to the classroom and posters in your Gr 12 Homeroom

Let us know what you are doing next year!

Please complete before Grad



When: June 5th, 2025

Doors Open: 5:00pm-5:30pm (no entry after this time)

Event ends: 9:00pm

- Dinner event
- Outdoor tented venue

Where:

Willow Springs Winery

5572 Bethesda Rd

Stouffville, Ontario

Staff Contacts: Ms. Macdonald

Ms. Papageorge

Things to look forward to:

- Beautiful scenic photo opportunities: vineyard and willow tree pond
- Served hors d'oeuvres and signature drinks
- Full dinner with delicious buffet
- Indoor and outdoor seating
- DJ and dancing



- Tickets will be sold through School Cash Online
- Cost: \$110/Student
- Ticket sales
 - Begin Tuesday, April 22, 2025 (9:00am)
 - End Thursday, May 15, 2025 (midnight)
 - Guest forms available Thursday, April 17,
 2025 @ the attendance window
- NO extensions will be provided

Remember:

- Tickets are sold on a first-come, first-served basis
- Tickets are non-transferable (you cannot give or resell your ticket to someone else)
- Tickets are non-refundable -once you buy it, it's yours!

 Allergies or Dietary Restrictions?
 Fill in the dietary restrictions Google Form link on School Cash Online when you purchase your ticket

Buy your tickets as early as possible to avoid disappointment!

A guest is someone who is either a Huron student who is NOT in Grade 12 or a person who does not attend Huron.

- Guest Forms will be available at the attendance window beginning Thursday, April 17th. Must be submitted by Thursday, May 15, 2025
- Forms MUST be filled out completely by Guest,
 Parent/Guardian (under age 18) AND their school Admin and handed to Ms. Wiltshire at the Attendance window with Photo ID and \$110.00 attached (by cash or cheque only)
- Incomplete forms will not be accepted and tickets will not be reserved
- Admin will review the form and confirm approval

GUESTS

- Must be 21 or under
- Must agree to same conditions as a Huron student
- Agree to Huron Heights contacting their current school/parents/guardians/reference/workplace
- Must provide proof of identity with official photo ID (student card/drivers license...)
- Both sides of the guest form must be completed (photo ID and money must be attached

BE SAFE ON PROM NIGHT

Information and tips to ensure everyone has a safe and enjoyable experience to end the school year.

Pre and Post Prom Events

- The administration and staff of Huron Heights Secondary School have <u>not</u> organized nor does it sanction any before or after Prom activities/events.
- Students are reminded to make responsible choices and encourage their peers to do the same. Making an unwise decision can ruin your special evening and your future.

- being under the influence and/or in possession of alcohol or illegal substances is not permitted at York Region District School Board events
- all Board policies and procedures apply to all activities associated with the Prom
- leave the event without compensation if either you or your guest is asked to leave or has to leave for any reason
- you may not be granted admission if friends traveling in the same limo/vehicle are under the influence or if drugs/alcohol are found

If you attend Prom, you agree to...

- respect all those in attendance, and follow the direction of supervisors
- not be under the influence or in possession of drugs and/or alcohol
- display the contents of bags/purses/jackets/personal belongings as a condition of entry
- the confiscation of any inappropriate items as identified by supervisors
- make arrangements to be picked up by 9:00 p.m., the end of the prom

Student Contract

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Do not drink alcohol or use drugs and drive
- Do not enter a vehicle with a driver who is under the influence of alcohol or drugs
- Have some extra money in case of emergency
- Make sure a trusted adult is available should you require assistance for any reason
- Make sure you have a cell phone with a fully-charged battery

 Police
- If possible, utilize alternative means of transportation such as public transit, taxis, limousines or get a ride from a responsible adult
- If operating a motor vehicle, try to anticipate the actions of other drivers. Driving defensively is something that should be practiced at all time

Tips From York Regional Police

Graduation Breakfast

- June 12, 2025
- During period 1 (9:00 10:25)
- Breakfast will be served
- Please complete survey before Wednesday, April 30, 2025
- Review of graduation expectations (arrival time, marshalling, additional graduation protocol)
- Grad packages including tickets, gowns, etiquette brochure)



The Valedictorian is a graduating student chosen by their peers to represent their graduating class by giving a valedictory speech.

This student:

- demonstrates the character traits of respect, empathy, accountability, courage, and honour.
- has demonstrated a commitment to student life through active involvement in a variety of school activities.
- has contributed in a positive way to the Huron Heights Secondary School community.
- is respected by staff and students.