



Newmarket High School University Information Presentation



Why Choose University?

- Specific career goals that require a university education
- You have a passion for academic learning
- You enjoy abstract concepts associated with academic and theoretical learning
- You are able to complete a majority of your work independently
- **Min. mid - 70s** average in six "U" or "M" level courses, including prerequisites (Must be Grade 12 courses)

University Terminology

FACULTY

Umbrella term for a department of learning

Examples: Faculty of Arts, Arts and Science, Applied Science and Engineering

PROGRAM

Specific area of study within a faculty

A set of courses one takes which will lead to a degree

Examples: Applied Science, Greek Studies, French, Mechanical Engineering





Types of Degrees

Undergraduate

- Students starting university are considered to be “undergraduate students”
- Working to earn a “Bachelor” degree
- Typically four years to complete

PROFESSIONAL DEGREES

A package of prescribed courses with some room for specialization within the subject area. Examples: Bachelor of Commerce (Business), Hon. Business Administration, Bachelor of Engineering, Bachelor of Science in Nursing

WHAT IF I WANT TO BECOME A DENTIST, LAWYER, DOCTOR, TEACHER?

Considered professional degrees and may have to earn an additional Bachelor degree
May also be required to write LSAT (lawyer) or MCAT (doctor)
Research your profession of interest for specific details

B.A. - BACHELOR OF ARTS

Humanities - English, Languages,
Philosophy
Social Science - Geography, History,
Psychology, Sociology

B.Sc - BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology
Chemistry
Physics
Mathematics
Computer Science

B.FA - BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Visual Arts
Music
Drama





Types of Degrees

Graduate

- Students who have completed a Bachelor degree and are now working toward a Master's degree in their field of study
- A Master's degree typically takes two years, a PhD (doctorate) can take an additional five to seven years

EXAMPLES

MA: Master of Arts

MASc: Master of Applied Science

MEng: Master of Engineering

MSc: Master of Science

MHSc: Master of Health Science

MEd: Master of Education

PhD: Doctorate





Choosing a Program

- Start thinking about your skills and interests
- Consider what kind of career or lifestyle you desire and your long term goals
- Visit the site, Ontario Universities Info, to browse universities and programs



ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/programs



Choosing a Program

Visit ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca

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ONTARIO UNIVERSITIES' INFO

PROGRAMS WHAT INTERESTS YOU? **UNIVERSITIES** WHERE ARE YOU GOING? **FINANCE** FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS **APPLICATIONS** WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Welcome to Ontario Universities' Info
A guide to Ontario's universities for high school students.



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.



Choosing a Program

Searching "Economics" results in 140 programs



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Search Results

Sort By
Program Name ▾

140 Programs **A-B** C-E F-M N-Z

Accounting (4 years) (French Immersion is available)
University of Ottawa
English I OTC I Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program I Enrollment: Open

Compare

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

Compare

Applied Economic Analysis
Brock University
English I BAE I Exp. learning: Co-op option available with this program I Enrollment: 1,364 (total for all Social Sciences programs)

Compare

Find a Program

Economics

☐ Show Advanced Search Options

SEARCH ALL PROGRAMS

Browse Programs


☐ Browse All Programs

☐ Browse by Category

☐ Browse by University

☒ Show My Comparisons

Discover Other Options

Collaborative University and College Programs 

Programs Requiring Prior University Credits





Choosing a Program

By clicking on a program, it will give you more information

Accounting (4 years) (French Immersion is available)

University of Ottawa

✓ Compare

Overview Requirements Admission Contact

Program Summary

University	University of Ottawa
Degree	Bachelor of Commerce, BCom
OUAC Program Code	OTC
Grade Range	Low 80s
Experiential Learning	Co-op option available with this program
Enrollment	Open
Instruction Language	English

UNIVERSITY WEBSITE

PROGRAM WEBSITE

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University of Ottawa

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Overview Requirements Admission Contact

Prerequisites

- ENG4U or FRA4U
- MHF4U
- MCV4U

If you are missing MCV4U, you may take an equivalent course at the University the summer before, or during, your first term.


IB and AP Requirements

- [IB Admission Information](#)
- [AP Admission Information](#)



Choosing a Program

Specific university websites will have the most up to date information

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Business Technology Management
Entrepreneurship
Finance
Healthcare Analytics
Human Resource Management
International Management

ACCOUNTING

Accounting allows you to build a solid foundation in financial and managerial accounting, auditing, and taxation. You will learn to produce accurate financial statements as well as cover increasingly complex topics in accounting. As part of your program, you are able to take all the courses required to apply for Ontario's Certified Professional Accountant (CPA) designation, or to be flexible and take a more general accounting stream.

The Honours BCom in Accounting is available in CO-OP and French immersion.

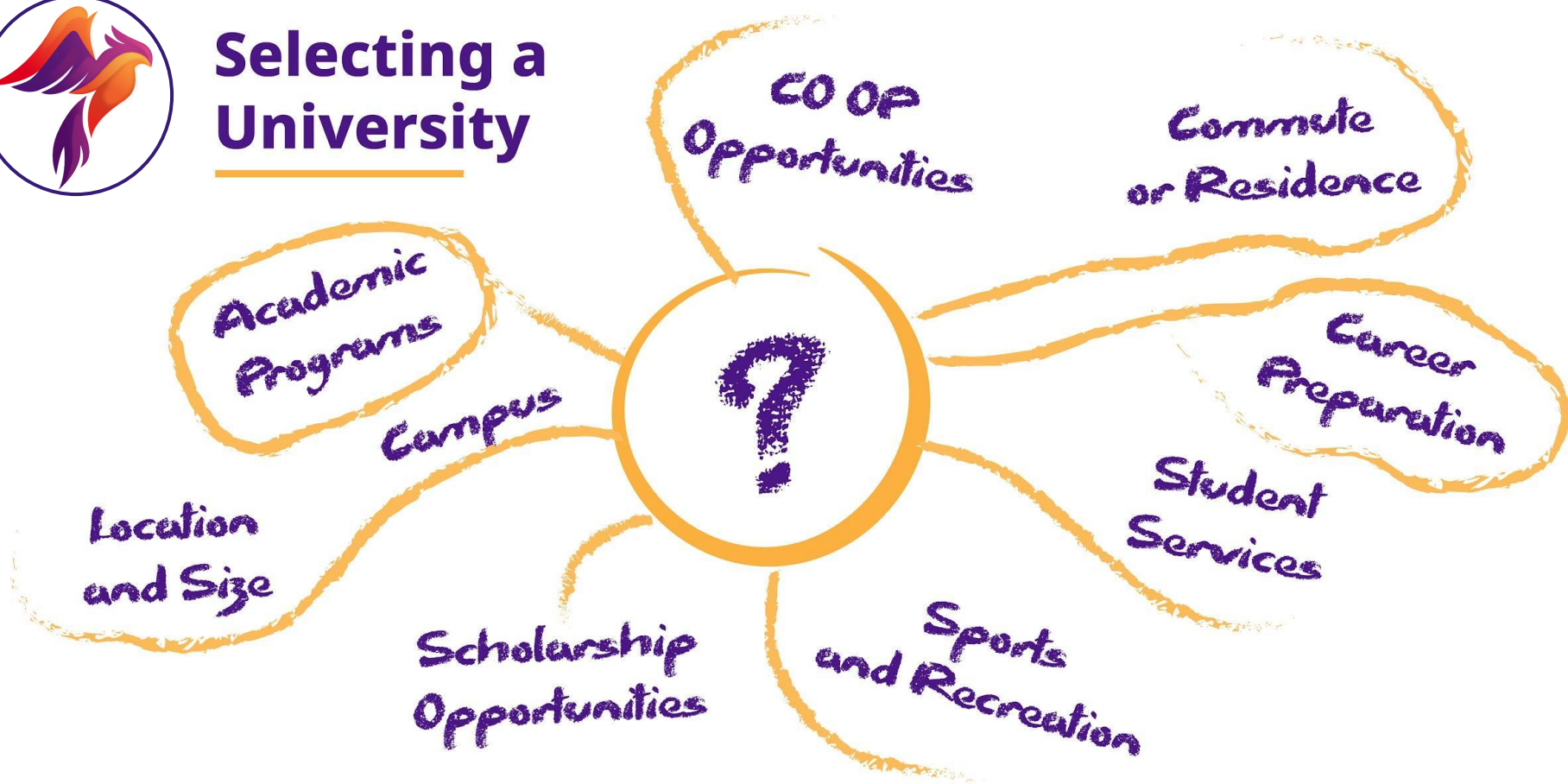
SAMPLE COURSES

Intermediate Accounting, Taxation, Cost Accounting, Auditing, Seminar in Accounting Theory, Management Control Systems, Special Topics in Financial Accounting, Case Studies in Accounting, and Advanced Accounting

Useful Information
[Courses](#)
[Sequence \(option\)](#) | [PDF](#) [104 KB]
[Sequence \(specialization\)](#) | [PDF](#) [105 KB]
[COOP](#)



Selecting a University





Selecting a University

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Do they offer what
I want to study?

Do I have the prerequisite(s)
for this program?

Do I want to continue
with graduate studies?

CO-OP/CAREER PREP

Can I gain experience
and get paid?

Are there internship
opportunities?

Are there employment
services for students?



Selecting a University

LOCATION AND SIZE

Do I like larger cities or
smaller cities?

Do I want to go to a large university
with a large campus, an affiliate
campus or a small campus?

VISIT THE CAMPUS

Strongly
recommend

Visit the campus on a virtual
open house

What is the feeling you have on
campus?



Selecting a University

COMMUTE OR RESIDENCE

Do I want to live at home?

How will I commute?

Do I want to live in residence?

Can I afford it?

SPORTS AND RECREATION

Am I able to play varsity sports?

Does the university/community
offer recreation opportunities?
(intermural sports, dance, yoga, etc.)

Will I be able to exercise? Does the
university have facilities I can access?



Selecting a University

STUDENT SERVICES

Am I able to access extra help?

Ex. study skills workshops,
success coaching

Academic or career advising?

Is this university accessible?

Ex. academic accommodations

The Key: Research

- Critical that you research everything
- Talk to parents, friends, teachers, family friends but do not rely on this information only
- Check the university's website or call for accurate information
- The only person responsible for your university application is **YOU!**



University Requirements

- Acceptance is based on SIX “U” or “M” level courses
- Prerequisite courses are included
- Some programs have minimum averages (Ex. 70% in ENG4U and MHF4U)
- Each university calculates averages differently
- Conditional offers will state averages you must maintain
- Important to be at the cut-off or even higher!

Courses must be
Grade 12

NOTE: Offers can be
rescinded in July once final
semester 2 marks are
received.



University Application Process

Visit the OUAC website -
www.ouac.on.ca

OUAC Ontario Universities'
Application Centre

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APPLY TO AN ONTARIO UNIVERSITY



UNDERGRAD (101)

Current Ontario high school
students



UNDERGRAD (105)

Canadian residents or international
applicants not currently attending
an Ontario high school



LAW

Ontario Law School Application
Service (OLSAS)



DEVELOPING SCIENCES



TEACHER EDUCATION



MEDICINE

TOP



University Application Process

- Your initial application includes ALL final grades from completed Grade 11 and 12 courses and a list of all current year courses and programs
- There is a one time release of other identifying information for all students in Grade 12 using secure transmission technology to the Ontario University Application Centre and the Ontario College Application Service in support of all post secondary applications. If you would like more information about this, contact your assigned guidance counsellor



University Application Process

- Students will receive information from OUAC, stating their school number, student number and PIN number in **late October**
- Keep your **PIN number** confidential
- Write down the **program code** found on the Ontario Universities Info website
- Apply online at OUAC using the **101 application**
- Prepare your online application and pay online



University Application Process

- \$150 for three choices (programs and/or universities)
- \$50 for each additional program choice beyond the first three.
Ex. If you add two additional programs/universities, you must pay \$100, in addition to the base application
- You can withdraw a choice then add another choice at the same institution at no cost
- Payments are non-refundable and can be made online using credit or debit card, telephone and internet bill payment services
- Applications will not be processed until payment is received



Supplemental Applications

- Some universities may require additional information to complete your application:
 - Interviews
 - Resumes
 - Auditions
 - Reference Letters
- There also may be non-refundable extra costs with supplemental applications

Please pay attention to due dates for all these requirements.



Supplemental Applications

- Read what is being asked of you carefully
- Optional? - You really should submit it
- Meet all deadlines
- Ask references well in advance if they would like to support you
- Create a professional email
- Need transcripts? - Provide at least two days notice and email Ms. Pressley

SEPARATE ACCOUNTS

Some universities may require you to create an account with their university during the application process

The university would then contact you through the account with important information - Ex. interview dates, audition dates, etc.

Carefully read what they are asking you!



Special Education Requirements

- Students will need to contact their university support centre
- Students would need to bring their most up to date IEP and psychological report (Check to see how current the psych assessment must be)
- Must create a transitional portfolio of important documents and keep the IEP their SERT gave them in October
- Possible disabilities grant offered through OSAP to cover technology or assistive equipment costs, as well as an update psychological report if needed.



Out of Province Applications

Apply through individual universities

Some will access your grades through
OUAC (Bishop's, UBC, Calgary, Concordia,
Dalhousie, McGill, UNB, Simon Fraser,
Victoria)

For out of country, apply directly to the
university

Watch deadlines and requirements

Transcripts require a minimum of two days notice





Financial and Deferrals

FINANCIAL MATTERS

Discuss with your family

Entrance scholarships - based on grades

Other scholarships - community
involvement, business

RESP - Registered Education Savings Plan

OSAP - Ontario Student Assistance Program

Aim to reduce your debt load while in school!

DEFERRALS

Policies vary from university to university

If granted, some universities request that you re-apply after your gap year (pay all fees). Even though you have the deferral

If you are interested in deferring admission, you must contact the university directly for more detailed information

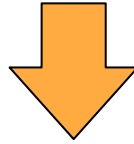
Important Dates 2022 - 2023

October 4, 2022	Deadline to let Guidance know if you do not want data shared with OCAS/OUAC this school year.
October 17-21, 2022	Students will receive information in their GAPPS email with their OEN, school MIDENT #, and OUAC PIN.
November 18, 2022	OUAC receives 1st semester mid-term grades
November 29, 2022	Full disclosure of 1st semester marks
January 12, 2023	Deadline to submit completed applications to OUAC
February 16, 2023	OUAC receives final grades for 1st semester
April 27, 2023	OUAC receives 2nd semester mid-term grades
May 8, 2023	Full disclosure of 2nd semester marks
May 29, 2023	Latest date all high school applicants who submitted their application by the January application deadline can expect a response from an Ontario university.
June 1, 2023	The earliest date an Ontario high school student may be required to respond to an Ontario university offer of admission and give a financial commitment (e.g., residence deposit).

University Fairs, Visits, and Open Houses

- NHS Post-Secondary Fair: October 13, 2022 (6:30 - 8:30 p.m.)
- Ontario Universities' Virtual Events:
October 11, 5-8 p.m., November 9, 5-8 p.m., and December 1, 5-8 p.m.

Check out more at

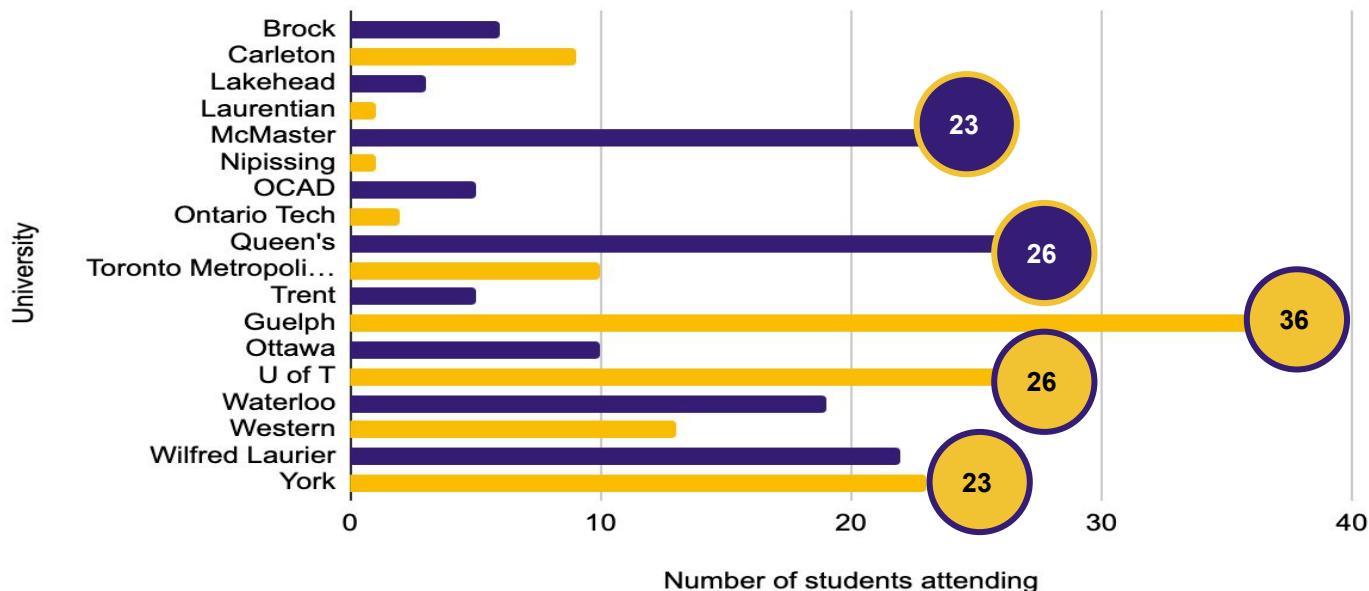


[Ontario Universities' Info Tours and Events](#)



2021-2022 OUAC Application Data

Where 2022 NHS Graduates Are Attending University



Schools that NHS
graduates
accepted offer of
admission June
2022



Parting Thoughts

- Take responsibility for your further education
- Create multiple plans (Plan A, B and C)
- Apply early! - At least a week before the deadline
- Arrive on time for interviews, auditions and portfolio presentations
- Think finances and get organized
- Do your research!