WELCOME GRADUATING CLASS OF 2021

POST-SECONDARY PLANNING MEETINGS FOR STUDENTS AT NHS

Thursday October 1 st		Tues. Oct. 6th & 21st (cohortB during lunch 11am-12pm) Wed. Oct. 7th & 22nd (cohortA druing lunch 11am-12pm)	Wednesday October 21 st	Thursday November 19 th
ALL PRESENTATION GUIDANCE TAB	NS WILL BE UPLOAD	DED TO THE NEWMARKET HIG	H SCHOOL WEB	SITE, UNDER THE
Grade 12	Grade 12	Google meets will be	College,	How to Apply?
Information	CCS's	offered for follow-up	Workplace	OCAS Applicant Info
Session	distributed in	questions regarding	&	(Ontario College
	Homeroom	University pathway	Apprentice	Application Service)
Scholarship	classroom for	presentation	ship Pathway	
Information	Student Review		Information	OUAC Applicant Info
	*Students at		Session	(Ontario University
University	Secondary		*Follow up	Application Centre)
Pathway	Virtual School		google meets	*Follow up google
Information	will receive their		TBD	meets TBD
Session	CCS via email			

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

January 15, 2021

• Deadline to apply to **University (OUAC)**

February I, 2021

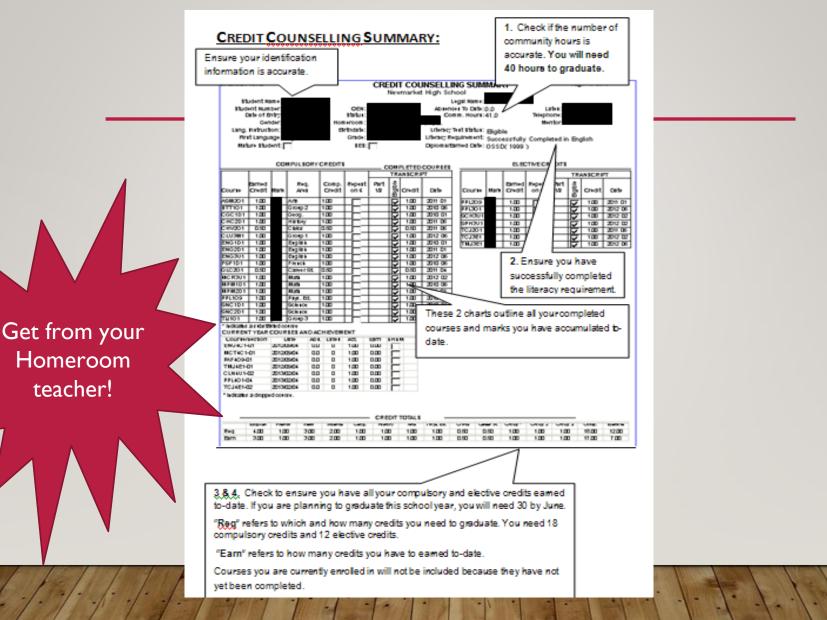
Deadline to apply to College (OCAS) for equal consideration

GRAD PHOTOS

DATE: November 23 – 30

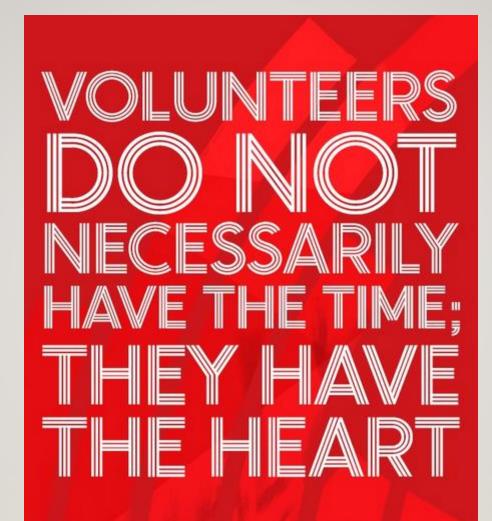
SITTING FEE: approx \$30 (includes 11X17 class composite)

HOW TO READ YOUR CCS



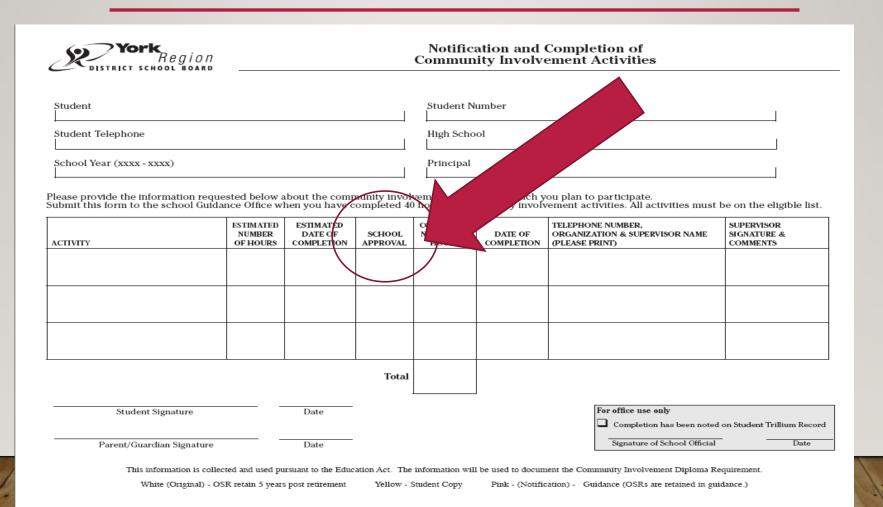
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Is Compulsory Courses
- I 2 Elective Courses
- Successful completion of the Literacy Requirement
- 40 hours of Community Involvement



ELIZABETH ANDREW

SUBMIT YOUR COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT FORMS



What types of activities are ineligible?

Ineligible Activities are activities that may not be included in community involvement hours by students as outlined by both the Ministry of Education and the York Region District School Board. An ineligible activity is an activity that:

- involves any work for a for-profit organization;
- is a requirement of a class or course in which the student is enrolled;
- takes place during the time allotted for the program on a school day with the exception of that takes place during the student's lunch breaks periods, which is permissible;
- takes place in a logging or mining environment, if the st is under 16 years of age;
- takes place in a factory, if the student is under 15 years of age;
- takes place in a workplace other than a factory, if the student is under 14 years of age and is not accompanied by an adult;
- would normally be performed for wages by a person in the workplace;
- involves the operation of a vehicle, power tools, or scaffolding;
- involves the administration of any type or form of medication or medical procedure to other persons;
- involves handling of substances classed as "designated substances" under the Occupational Health and Safety Act;
- requires the knowledge of a tradesperson whose trade is regulated by the provincial government;
- involves banking or the handling of securities, or the handling of jewellery, works of art, antiques, or other valuables;
- consists of duties normally performed in the home or personal recreational activities;
- involves a court-ordered program;
- involves any volunteer work for a York Region District School Board Trustee; or
- involves participation in extra-curricular activities at secondary school, or any position for which a student stands for school-wide election.

What types of activities are eligible?

Eligible Activities are volunteer activities that may be counted towards 40 community involvement hours that must be accumulated by students as a graduation requirement. Eligible activities are those activities that provide services to improve the community or well-being of its members and may be performed for not-for-profit organizations. If an activity does not fall within the categories approved by the Board, and is not on the list of ineligible activities students must obtain written approval from the principal before beginning the activity.

Elementary Schools - assist with school events, assist School Councils, activities for children;

Secondary Schools - organization and leadership of school activities that benefit the community;

Animal Care - volunteering in a zoo, animal shelter, or on a farm;

Arts and Culture - volunteering in galleries, libraries, community productions;

Charitable Organizations - assisting with special events, programs, clerical tasks;

Children/Youth Programs – assisting with children/youth programs, volunteering in a not-for-profit child care centre or camp;

Community Organizations - assisting with special events, food banks, community support services, shelters, clerical tasks;

Community Service for Individuals - assisting community members in need;

Environmental Projects – flower/tree planting, beautification projects, recycling projects, recycling depot;

Health Agencies – volunteering in hospitals, hospices, Canadian Blood Services (volunteering to organize or assist with a blood donor clinic), donating blood (time required to donate);

Law Enforcement Agencies - volunteering for activities sponsored by the police;

Political Organizations – activities related to legitimate and recognized political organizations; municipal, provincial and federal political activities except for those supporting York Region District School Board Trustees;

Religious Organizations - assisting with programs, special events;

Senior Citizens - assisting in seniors' residences, providing services for seniors in the community;

Sports and Recreation - coaching, organizing special events, assisting with projects/events; or

Service-Focused Club Activities – activities that expand community service to others beyond the school day (holiday dinner participation, environmental action activities, etc.).

If an eligible activity also falls within the definition of ineligible activities, the activity will be deemed ineligible.

Where a blood donor clinic takes place during the school day, hours will only be provided to students volunteering during their lunch, spare periods or before and after school.

Activities at for-profit organizations such as private camps, child care centres, or farms, will not be eligible.

Liability Insurance

Students and community sponsors are only covered by the Board's insurance plan for liability losses arising from the students' defined activities within the 40 hours of community involvement or other limit set by the high school if the Notification and Completion of Planned Community Involvement Activities form is completed.

Community sponsors will be responsible for ensuring that their liability insurance will protect them for their involvement in this program.

For more information, visit the YRDSB website http://www.yrdsb.edu.on.ca/communityinvolvement

IMPORTANT NOTE REGARDING ACADEMIC RECORDS

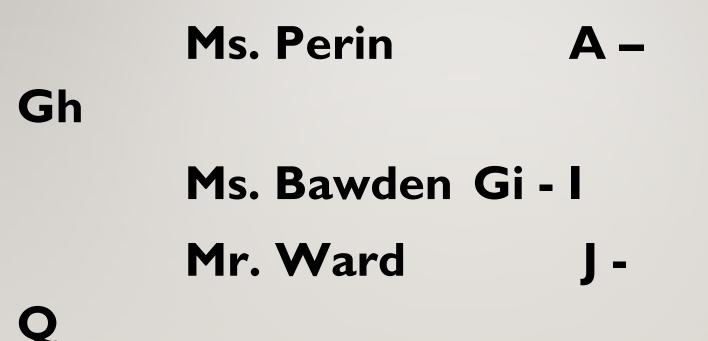
There will be a one-time release of grades and other identifying information for all students in Grade 12, using secure transmission technology to the **Ontario University Application Centre** and the **Ontario College Application Service** in support and in anticipation of all post secondary applications. If you would like more information about this, please contact your assigned guidance counsellor.

STUDENTS WITH EXCEPTIONALITIES

- Students identified with a disability can receive academic accommodations and may also qualify for additional financial assistance while studying at University and College
- To qualify for consideration, access to services, academic accommodations and assistive technology <u>students are responsible</u> for identifying themselves and providing the post-secondary school with relevant and recent documentation
- Check out the transition resource guide for Ontario students with disabilities at:

www.transitionresourceguide.ca





NEW – Book an appointment via TeachAssist for 2020-21 Ms. Calleja R - Z

EMAIL COMMUNICATION

- USE ONE <u>'PROFESSIONAL'</u> EMAIL ADDRESS

- GUIDANCE WILL COMMUNICATE IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO THE GROUP THROUGH YOUR YRDSB GAPPS EMAIL ACCOUNTS

- BE SURE TO REDIRECT YOUR GAPPS EMAIL TO YOUR 'PROFESSIONAL' EMAIL ADDRESS

- REMEMBER TO CHECK YOUR 'PROFESSIONAL' EMAIL ADDRESS ON A DAILY BASIS





SCHOLARSHIPS -INFORMATION



WHAT IS A SCHOLARSHIP?

A non-repayable sum of money awarded to a student to help finance post-secondary education.

 These funds are used for post- secondary education purposes: tuition, books and/or residence



TYPES OF SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

Entrance Scholarship

Automatic consideration based on an admission average

- Merit Scholarship
- School Nominated Scholarships
- Athletic Scholarship
- Bursaries/Grants (based on financial need)
- High School Awards

Available at NHS April 2021



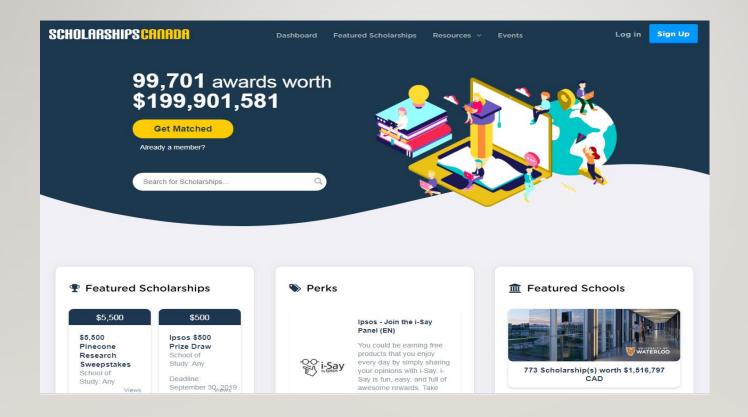
WHO OFFERS SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS?

- Employers
- Companies
- Charitable Organizations / Associations
- Government
- Post Secondary / Schools
- Religious Organizations

SOME SCHOLARSHIP MYTHS – BUSTED!

- You must be a high academic achiever, or have an amazing talent to win scholarships.
- There is a scholarship 'season'.
- Applying for scholarships with a small award amount is not worth the time and effort.
- Scholarships are only for those students attending University.
- Millions of scholarship dollars go unclaimed.

DO YOUR SCHOLARSHIP RESEARCH! Scholarshipscanada.com



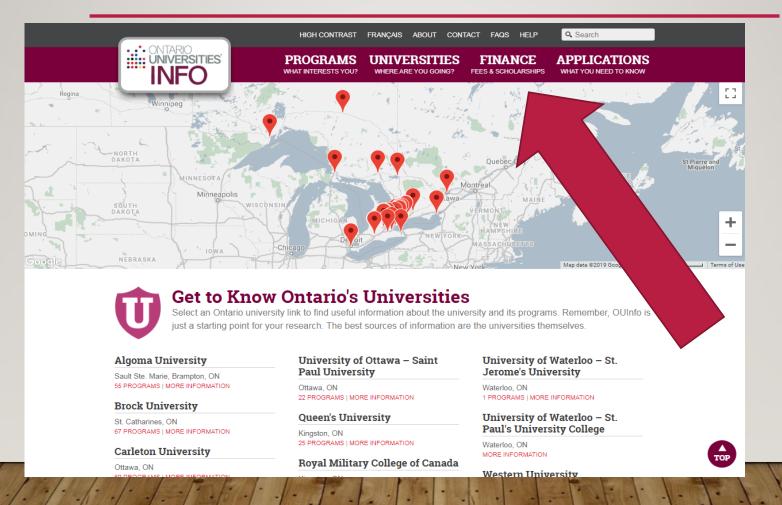


START YOUR RESEARCH NOW!

Some schools have early deadlines for Admission Awards. Check the Entrance (Admission) Awards of any school you are interested in ASAP. You don't want to miss out on potential financial assistance!

DO YOUR SCHOLARSHIP RESEARCH!

www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca



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Scholarships

These scholarships are primarily available to high school students from Ontario, Canada, applying to first-year university.

Most universities offer scholarships to applicants from outside Ontario and from outside Canada, as well as upper-year and mature students, but these scholarships are not listed on OUInfo. Contact the universities directly for further information.

Sort By				
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626 Scholarships	A-G H-L	M-O I	P-T U-W	X-Z
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Algoma University Alumni Award IV			DE	ADLINE
Algoma University \$2,000			Jun.	30, 2020
Algoma University Award of Excellence	– Bronze			
Algoma University				
\$1,500 (Renewable)				

Algoma University Award of Excellence - Gold

Find a Scholarship

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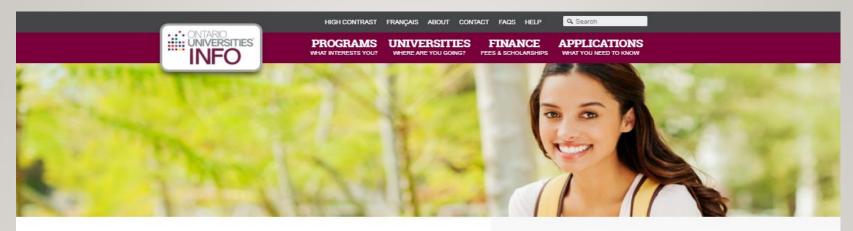
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Tuition and Fees

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP



Chancellor's Scholarship

Queen's University

Secondary school official nominates candidate based on superior academic ability, original and creative thinking, and proven leadership qualities.

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Quantity	50	Application Required?
Application Required	Yes	
/alue	\$36,000 (\$9,000 x 4 years)*	Grade Range
Renewable?	Yes	
Deadline	Dec. 1, 2019	Renewable?

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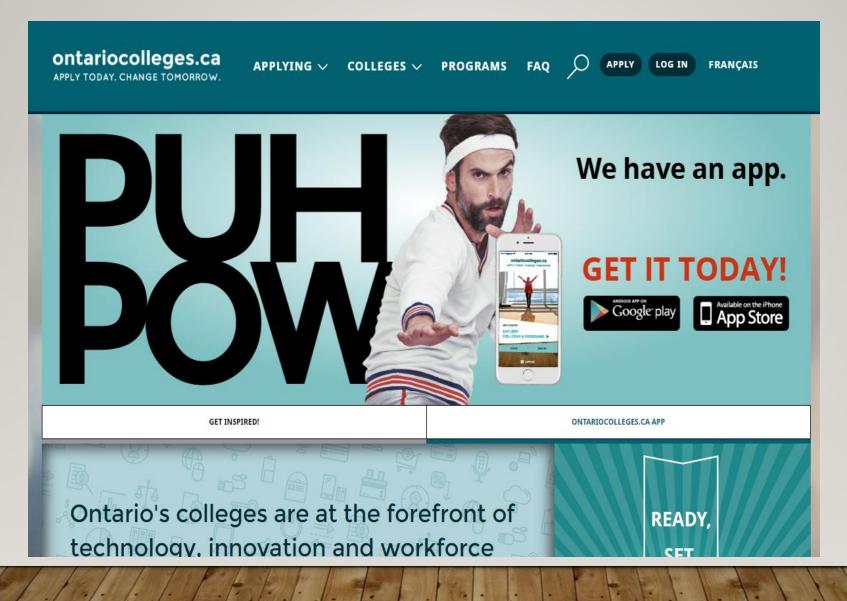
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Paying for College: Tuition and Financial Assistance

Home | Colleges | Paying for College

A college education in Ontario is one of the most cost-effective means of acquiring the skills and knowledge you need to have a prosperous and rewarding career. As you start out on your chosen career path, it's important to have a realistic set of expectations regarding the expenses associated with attending college.

Although college tuition costs are typically lower than university costs, there are variations from college to college, from program to program and between the different types of college programs. In addition to your tuition fees, you will also need to budget for books, supplies, housing and other related living expenses.

You may be able to supplement your own income and savings with scholarships, bursaries or loans. It pays to do some research into what types of financial assistance you may qualify for.

College Tuition Fees in Ontario	\sim
Financial Assistance – Scholarships, Bursaries, Grants and Loans	~
Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP)	~
Ontario Crown Ward Postsecondary Application Fee Reimbursement Program	\sim
Budgeting Advice	~

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ARE YOU AN APPROPRIATE CANDIDATE?

Well-rounded

Strong Academics Community Involvement Extra Curricular Activities Leadership Roles

• Specific Skills - Strengths in a following area:

Essay Writing, Multimedia, Math, Science/Technology, Athletics, Public Speaking or Employment

APPROPRIATE CANDIDATES ...

- Complete their own scholarship research and applications!
- Remain motivated throughout the application process.
- Seek feedback from family, mentors, teachers and counsellors prior to submitting an application.
- Have clean social media accounts online reputations matter!





HOW CAN THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT HELP YOU?

- A copy of the "Scholarship Report" will be emailed to your YRDSB GAPPS account bimonthly – a very useful resource!
- Meet with your counsellor to review your application, prep for an interview, etc.

BEFORE YOU APPLY

- **Plan Ahead**. Check scholarship timeline and do your research.
- **Prepare resume** and order transcripts.
- Request a letter of recommendation from teachers and/or community members – at least 2 weeks before submission of the rough draft.
- Make a Guidance appointment with your guidance counselor to review your progress. Be sure to bring your resume, rough drafts, and letters of recommendation. Leave plenty of time before the scholarship/award deadline.
- Know everything there is to know about the scholarship (expectations, requirements, eligibility, deadline for applications).

5 School Nominated Scholarships

- Loran Scholars Program
- University of Toronto Book Award
- Queen's University Chancellor's Scholarship
- Western University National Scholarship Program
- Schulich Leader Scholarship

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NHS Scholarship Nominations are determined by

Committee Review of Student Nomination Packages:

- Loran Scholars and University of Toronto National Scholarship are due soon.
- Interested students are requested to submit via email the NHS scholarship nomination package by: Thursday October 6, 2020 at 3 pm
- All other school nominated scholarships require the same package on dates to be determined.

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NOMINATION PACKAGES

Are currently available on the NHS wesbite, under the Guidance tab.

