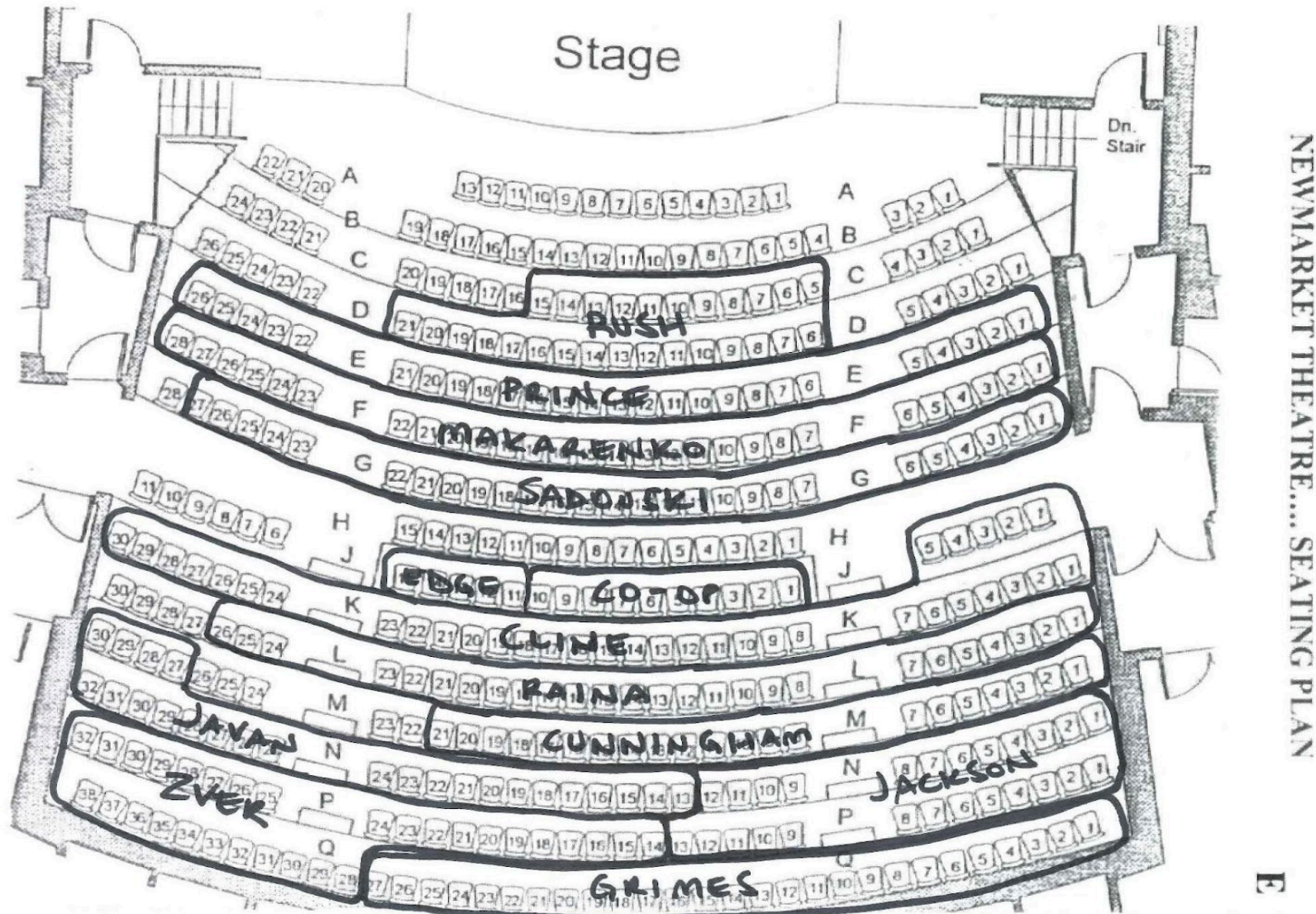


Tuesday October 3rd 2023



Welcome Graduating Class of 2024!



Newmarket High School Gr.12 Kick Off Presentation

www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance



Post Secondary Planning Meetings For NHS Students

Tuesday October 3rd	Thursday October 5th	Wednesday October 18th	Dec. 12th to 14th Sign - up for small group "apply" sessions
All presentations can be found on the Google Classroom and the Newmarket High School Website, under the Guidance tab.			
<u>Period 5</u> Kick off, including Scholarships	<u>Period 2</u> University Pathway Information Session	<u>Period 1</u> College Pathway Information Session	<u>Tuesday Dec 12</u> Period 1 & 3 <u>Wednesday Dec 13</u> Period 2 & 4 <u>Thursday, Dec 14</u> Period 5 Sign up information will be available in November



Important Deadlines

January 15, 2024

Deadline to apply to
University (OUAC)

February 1, 2024

Deadline to apply to
College (OCAS) for
equal consideration



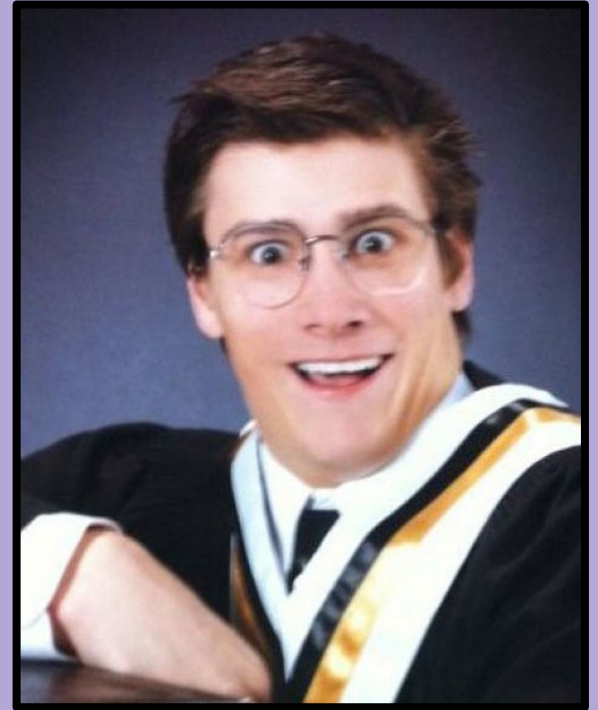
Grad Photos

November 20 to 24

Sitting Fee

approx. \$40

(includes 11x17 class composite)



POST SECONDARY FAIRS



23 universities
24 colleges
apprenticeships
workplace

October 12th @
Huron Heights
from 6-8 pm



www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance



Newmarket

Graduation

Thursday, June 27th,
2024



Prom

Thursday, May 30th,
2024

PROM



Graduation Requirements

- ✓ 18 Compulsory Courses
- ✓ 12 Elective Courses
- ✓ Successful completion of Literacy Requirement
- ✓ 2 Online Learning Credits
- ✓ 40 hours of Community Involvement



What do you need to graduate from high school?

30 Credits: 18 Compulsory Credits and 12 Optional Credits

Compulsory credits are comprised of the following:

- 4** credits in English (1 credit per grade)*
- 3** credits in Mathematics (1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
- 2** credits in Science
- 1** credit in Canadian History
- 1** credit in Canadian Geography
- 1** credit in The Arts
- 1** credit in Health and Physical Education
- 1** credit in French as a Second Language
- 0.5** credit in Career Studies
- 0.5** credit in Civics

In addition, students must complete:

- ☒ 12 optional credits†
- ☒ 40 hours of community involvement activities
- ☒ the provincial literacy requirement
- ☒ earn at least two credits through Online Learning ****

Plus ONE compulsory credit from each of the following groups:

Group 1

- English (including the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Course)
- French as a Second Language, Classical Languages, International Languages
- Indigenous Languages
- Canadian and World Studies
- First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Studies
- Social Sciences and Humanities
- Guidance and Career Education
- Cooperative Education***

and

Group 2

- Health and Physical Education
- The Arts
- Business Studies
- French as a Second Language**
- Cooperative Education***

and

Group 3

- Science (Grade 11 or 12)
- Technological Education
- French as a Second Language**
- Computer Studies
- Cooperative Education***

* A maximum of 3 credits in English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Literacy Development (ELD) may be counted towards the 4 compulsory credits in English, but the fourth must be a credit earned for a Grade 12 compulsory English course.

** In groups 1, 2 and 3, a maximum of 2 credits in French as a Second Language can count as compulsory credits, one from group 1 and one from either group 2 or group 3.

*** A maximum of 2 credits in Cooperative Education can count as compulsory credits.

**** Families who wish to opt out their child from the Online Learning graduation requirement should speak to their child's school.

† The 12 optional credits may include up to 4 credits earned through approved Dual Credit courses.

^ Student's achieving an OSSD Red Seal Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) diploma will have additional requirements based on their particular program.

Submit your Community Involvement Forms



Notification and Completion of Community Involvement Activities

Student Name		Student Number	
Student Telephone	Email Address	Grade	Age

For all community involvement activities, please provide all of the information indicated below. Submit this form to the school Guidance Office when you have completed community involvement activities. PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED PRE-APPROVAL FOR ANY ACTIVITY YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED APPROVAL FOR THIS IN THE PAST.

ACTIVITY (describe your specific duties)	PRE APPROVAL COUNSELLOR/ SIGNATURE & DATE	COMPLETION DATE OF COMPLETION	ORGANIZATION	SUPERVISOR'S CONTACT INFORMATION	SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE
TOTAL HOURS					

Student Signature	Date
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date

Secondary School
Principal Name

This information is collected and used pursuant to the Education Act. The information will be used to document the Community Involvement Diploma Requirement.



Eligible activities include:

Elementary Schools – assisting with school events, school councils, activities for children;

Secondary Schools – organizing or providing leadership of school activities or clubs that benefit the school and/or community;

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

Community Spaces and Events – volunteering in galleries, libraries, arts & cultural events, community productions or other opportunities (outside of credit courses) for time spent learning about traditional cultures such as language, cooking, knowledge, skills, and stories;

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

Children/Youth Programs – assisting with children/youth programs, volunteering in a 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;

Environment, Conservation and Sustainability Projects or Initiatives – planting flowers/trees, 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);

Public Service Agencies – volunteering for activities sponsored by the police or fire department;

Political Organizations – municipal, provincial, and federal recognized political organizations that reflect the values and priorities of the YRDSB; except for York Region District School Board trustees or trustee candidates;

Religious Organizations – assisting with programs, special events;

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

Sports and Recreation – coaching, managing, organizing special events, assisting with projects/events

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

Virtual Opportunities – organizations must be based in Ontario and run by an adult/adults for charitable purposes.

Ineligible activity include:

- is a requirement of a class or course in which the student is enrolled (i.e., cooperative education portion of a course, job shadowing, work experience);
- takes place during the time allotted for the instructional program on a school day. However, an activity that takes place during the student's lunch breaks or "spare" periods is permissible;
- takes place in a logging or mining environment, if the student is under sixteen years of age;
- takes place in a factory, if the student is under fifteen years of age;
- takes place in a workplace other than a factory, if the student is under fourteen 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 tradespersons whose trade is regulated by the provincial government;
- involves banking or the handling of securities, or the handling of jewelry, works of art, antiques, or other valuables;
- consists of duties performed in the home (i.e., daily chores) or personal recreational activities;
- involves activities for a court-ordered program (i.e., community-service program for young offenders, probationary program);
- involves participation in extra curricular activities for which a student stands for school-wide election; and
- any work for a School Board Trustee or Candidate

Liability Insurance

The school board's liability insurance carried with Ontario School Board's Insurance Exchange (OSBIE) will provide coverage for the students and the community sponsors from any lawsuits that may arise from the students' activities in the community involvement program during the 40 hours of volunteer work required for those activities that are eligible. The board's insurance policy will only cover hours that have been pre-approved. This includes any hours beyond the mandatory graduation requirements.

For more information: <https://www2.yrdsb.ca/schools-programs/secondary-school/experience-secondary-school/graduation-requirements/community>

001464



Secondary Online Learning Graduation Requirement Opt Out



Secondary Online Learning Graduation Requirement Opt Out

About the Online Learning graduation requirement

Students are now required to earn two Online Learning credits to earn their OSSD, beginning with every student who entered Grade 9 in the 2020-21 school year. The graduation requirement is intended to support students in developing familiarity and comfort with working and learning in a fully online environment, as well as developing digital literacy and other important transferable skills that will help prepare them for success after graduation and in all aspects of their lives.

Meeting the Online Learning graduation requirement should not pose a barrier to graduation for students. As with all learning, students taking online courses will have access to the support they need through their school, (e.g., Individual Education Plans, guidance, and services for English-language learners).



Academic Records

Full Disclosure

November 29th
Mark will stay on
transcript



NEWMARKET HIGH SCHOOL

505 Pickering Cres.
Newmarket, Ontario
L3Y 8H1

Tel: 905.895.5159
Fax: 905.895.5726

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students:

We hope this correspondence finds you and your family well.

The purpose of this email is to share:

1. semester 1 midterm reporting dates for all students;
2. full disclosure dates for all students in Grade 11 and/or Grade 12 courses; and
3. key dates and information for potential graduates applying to Ontario colleges and/or universities.

Semester 1 Midterm Reporting - All students

York Region District School Board will be issuing electronic copies of the Semester 1 midterm report cards between November 20-22, 2023. The electronic copy will be sent to the student's GAPPS email and instructions on how to access the report will be emailed to all families prior to their release.

Full Disclosure for Grade 11 and Grade 12 Courses

For 2023-2024, the course withdrawal date (Full Disclosure) will be 5 instructional days from the last possible date the mid-semester report is issued (November 22, 2023). Full Disclosure date for Grade 11 and Grade 12 courses is November 29, 2023. If a student withdraws from a Grade 11 or 12 course on or prior to November 29, 2023, then the course will not be recorded on the Student Transcript. If a student withdraws from a Grade 11 or 12 course after the Full Disclosure date, the withdrawal (W) is entered in the credit column, and the student's mark at the time of withdrawal is recorded as a percentage in the achievement column of the transcript.

OUAC and OCAS Upload for Potential Graduates

Identifying information will be shared through a secure transmission to the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC) and the Ontario College Application Service (OCAS) to support students with



Transcripts

Ontario Post -
Secondary
Transmissions are
uploaded
automatically on
set dates

For example:
Sem.1 midterm
marks Nov.17th

The screenshot shows the Newmarket High School website. The header includes the York Region District School Board logo and the school name. The navigation menu has links for Newmarket H.S., School Information, News & Events, Departments & Programs, Students, Parents, Guidance, Library, and School Council. The breadcrumb trail indicates the path: Schools > Newmarket H.S. > Guidance > Requesting a Transcript or Report Card. The main content area is titled 'How to Request a Transcript'. A question, 'Are you a current Newmarket High School Student?', is circled in purple. Below it, instructions state that if the answer is YES, users should email Ms. Pressley at karen.pressley@yrdsb.ca. A list of required information includes Name, Date of Birth, Student Number, and Reason for Request. A note at the bottom states that processing time for transcripts is three to five business days. A large orange arrow points to the circled question.

Students with Exceptionalities

- Educational institutions have a legal obligation to provide reasonable accommodations that promote equity for people who have disabilities. Given that each student's needs are unique, services and accommodations are established on an individual basis and based on the documentation provided.
- Students may also qualify for additional financial assistance for specialized equipment or services while studying at University and College.
- To qualify for consideration, access to services, academic accommodations and assistive technology students are responsible for identifying themselves and providing the post-secondary school with relevant/recent documentation
- Check out the transition resource guide.

www.transitionresourceguide.ca



MOBYSS

The mobile youth clinic is a safe space to speak to mental or medical health professional. On staff is a nurse practitioner, youth mental health worker and a peer support specialist. 100% free and no Health Card needed!



NHS Guidance Counsellors

Ms. Perin	A – Fi
Ms. Mulrine - Gorman	Fo - Lao
Ms. Calleja	Lar - Shah
Ms. Laidlaw	Shak - Z

YOU CAN DO IT.
We can help.



Book an appointment via TeachAssist

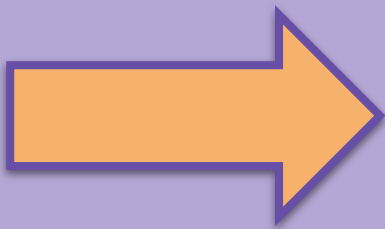
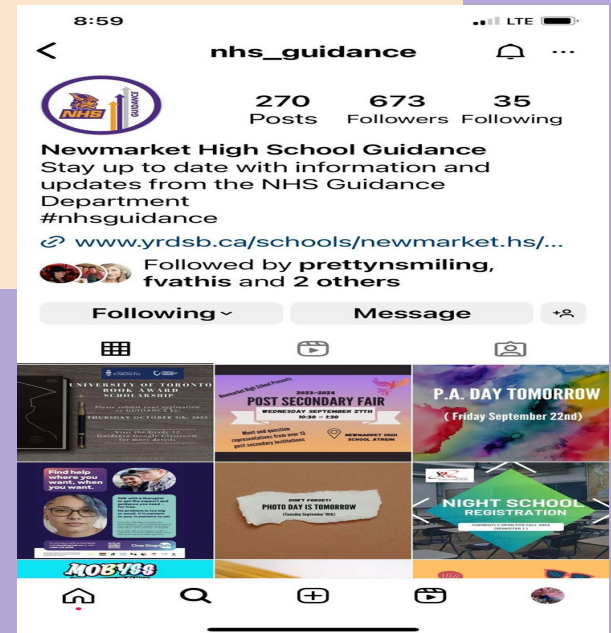


Communication

Create and use **ONE** professional email address for post-secondary correspondence.

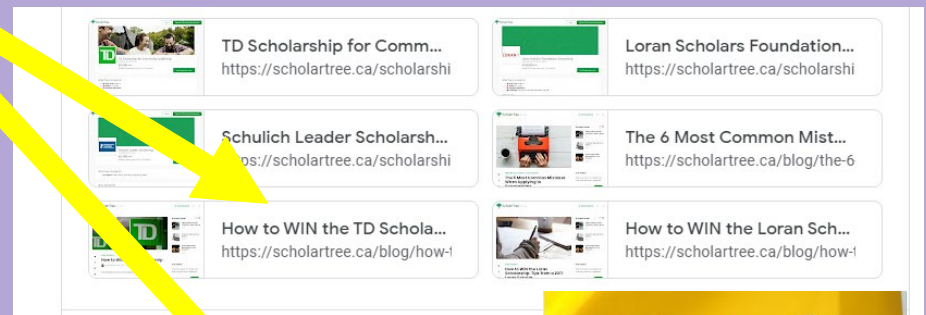
NHS Guidance will communicate important information through:

- Google Classroom
- Announcements
- Instagram @nhs_guidance



www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance





Scholarships, Awards and Bursaries



What are the differences?

Scholarships

Scholarships are usually based on merit & academic excellence but may also include criteria such as financial need.

- *Entrance Scholarships*
- *Merit Scholarships*
- *School - Nominated Scholarships*
- *Athletic Scholarships*

Awards

Awards combine academic criteria and non - academic criteria such as community service, leadership and financial need.

- *High School Awards
(available 2024)*

Bursaries

Bursaries are designed to assist students with financial need.

They are a non-repayable sum of money awarded to help finance post-secondary education including as tuition, books and/or residence.



Who offers scholarships?

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

Ar

Scholarships for Arts students

[View Scholarships](#)

BI

Scholarships for Black students

[View Scholarships](#)

Bu

Scholarships for Business students

[View Scholarships](#)



What are the criteria?

Well-Rounded

- Strong Academics
- Community Involvement
- Extra Curricular Activities
- Leadership Roles

Specific Skills

- Essay Writing
- Multimedia
- Math
- Science/Technology
- Athletics
- Public Speaking
- Employment



Scholarship Research



Scholarship Report

A summary of
scholarships by month.
(eligibility, award, contact information and deadlines)

A very useful resource!

It will be shared on the
google classroom.



Scholarship Canada

SCHOLARSHIPS CANADA ▾

Dashboard

Featured Scholarships

New!

Browse Scholarships

Resources ▾

Discover

Log in

Sign Up

Get Instantly Matched to Scholarships

See Your Matches

Already a member?

Search for Scholarships...



www.scholarshipscanada.com



www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance

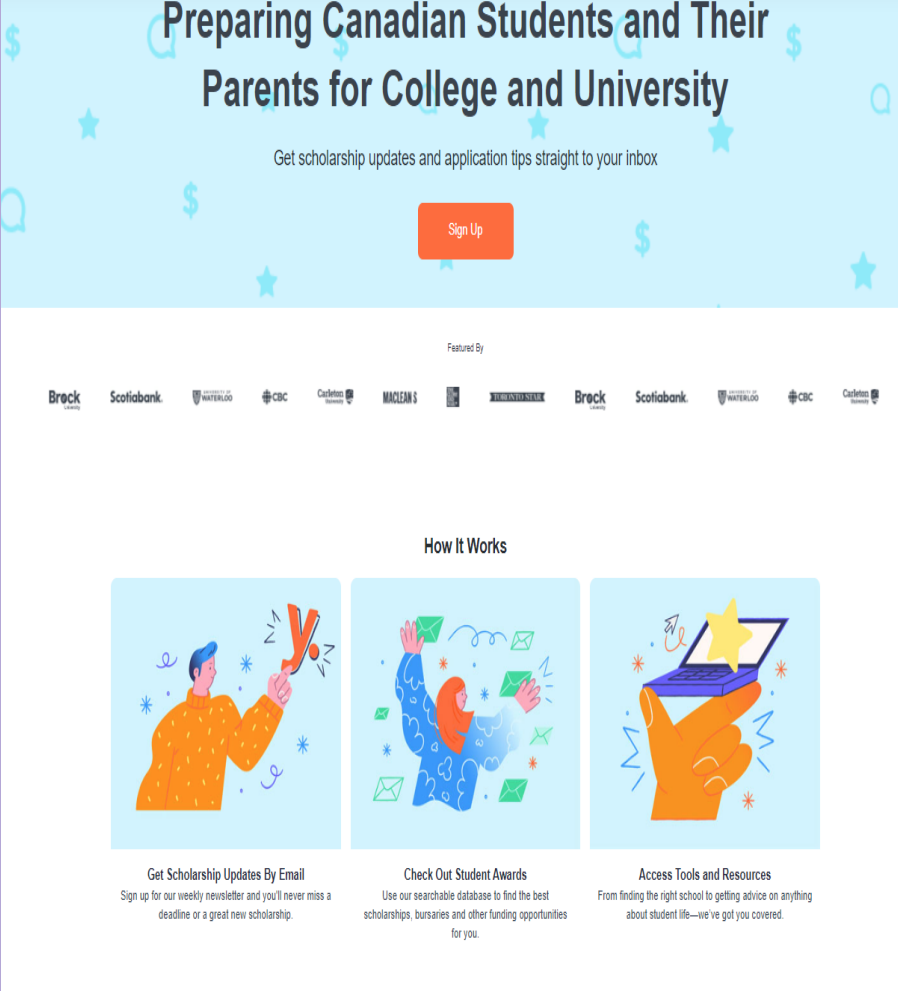


Newmarket

Yconic

- Sign up to receive weekly email about student awards and new scholarships, application deadline reminders and student deals.
- Monthly email with scholarship news and resources
- View Student Awards database for scholarships, bursaries, awards and campus guides, post-secondary tips and tricks.
- Regular scholarship news and updates on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#).

<https://yconic.com/>



The screenshot shows the Yconic website homepage. At the top, a light blue banner features the title "Preparing Canadian Students and Their Parents for College and University" in a bold, dark font. Below the title, a smaller line of text reads "Get scholarship updates and application tips straight to your inbox". A prominent orange "Sign Up" button is centered on the banner. The banner is decorated with faint icons of dollar signs, stars, and the letters 'Q' and 'U'. Below the banner, a section titled "Featured By" displays a row of logos for various partners, including Brock University, Scotiabank, University of Waterloo, CBC, Carleton University, Maclean's, and others. The main content area is titled "How It Works" and contains three illustrated cards. The first card, "Get Scholarship Updates By Email", shows a person in an orange sweater holding a large red 'Y' with a checkmark. The second card, "Check Out Student Awards", shows a person in a blue patterned dress surrounded by green envelope icons. The third card, "Access Tools and Resources", shows a hand holding a laptop with a star icon. Each card has a brief description of the service below the illustration.

Preparing Canadian Students and Their Parents for College and University

Get scholarship updates and application tips straight to your inbox

[Sign Up](#)

Featured By

Brock University Scotiabank UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO CBC Carleton University MACLEAN'S

How It Works

Get Scholarship Updates By Email
Sign up for our weekly newsletter and you'll never miss a deadline or a great new scholarship.

Check Out Student Awards
Use our searchable database to find the best scholarships, bursaries and other funding opportunities for you.

Access Tools and Resources
From finding the right school to getting advice on anything about student life—we've got you covered.

Ontario Universities Info

HIGH CONTRAST FRANÇAIS ABOUT CONTACT FAQs HELP Search

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 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.

www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca

www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance



Newmarket

University Specific Scholarships

Scholarships

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

Most universities also offer scholarships to applicants from outside Ontario and Canada, and upper-year and mature students. [Contact the universities directly](#) for more information about these scholarships, as they are not listed on OUInfo.

Sort By

University ▼

683 Scholarships

A-G H-M N-O P-T U-W X-Z

Algoma University Alumni Award I

Algoma University
\$2,000

DEADLINE
Jun. 30, 2023

Algoma University Alumni Award IV

Algoma University
\$2,000

Find a Scholarship

Keyword

☒ Show Advanced Search Options

University

Dollar Range

Location

Application Required?

Grade Range

Renewable?

SEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS



Scholarship Research

Admission Bursaries

Queen's University

Students must demonstrate financial need.

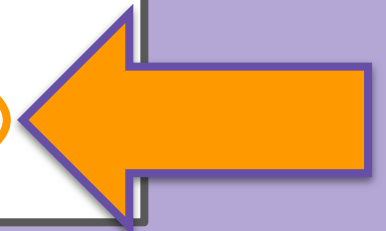
Overview

Scholarship Summary

Quantity	Unlimited
Application Required	Yes
Value	Up to \$6,500
Renewable?	No
Deadline	Feb. 15, 2022

UNIVERSITY WEBSITE

MORE INFORMATION



Ontario Colleges



ontariocolleges.ca by OCAS

NEWSLETTER APPLY / LOG IN FRANÇAIS

Applying **Colleges** Programs FAQ

APPLY NOW

Already have an account? [Log in.](#)

COMING SOON – Programs starting August 2023 - July 2024

www.ontariocolleges.ca



www.yrdsb.ca/schools/newmarket.hs/guidance



Newmarket

Scholarship Research

College Tuition Fees in Ontario



Financial Assistance – Scholarships, Bursaries, Grants and Loans



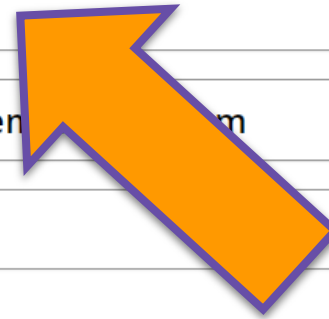
Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP)



Ontario Crown Ward Postsecondary Application Fee Reimbursement Program



Budgeting Advice



Scholarship Preparation

- 📁 **Plan ahead** and know the requirements, eligibility criteria and deadline for applications.
- 📁 Consider your **digital footprint**
- 📁 Prepare your **resume** and **order transcripts** .
- 📁 Request a **letter of recommendation** from teachers and/or community members at least 3 weeks before submission.
- 📁 Make a **Guidance appointment** to review your application. Bring your resume, rough drafts, and letters of recommendation. Leave plenty of time before the deadline.



Scholarship Application Process

- ✓ Complete your applications
- ✓ Seek feedback from family and teachers
- ✓ Meet with your counsellor to review your application



School Nominated Scholarship

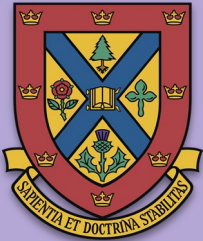
- ✦ University of Toronto Book Award
- ✦ Queen's University Chancellor's Scholarship
- ✦ Western University National Scholarship Program
- ✦ Schulich Leader Scholarship



UNIVERSITY OF
TORONTO



**SCHULICH
LEADER
SCHOLARSHIPS**



Western
UNIVERSITY • CANADA



Remaining Nominated Scholarships.

Queens Chancellor Western National

Schulich Leadership

Award:

- Renewable for 3 additional years (4 total). Must maintain a full course load & 3.5 GPA each yr.
- \$9000 per year, total \$36,000

Eligibility:

- Superior academic ability (90% Gr. 11 & current gr. 12)
- Creative & original thinking
- Proven leadership qualities
- Must apply to Queen's University by Nov. 20th



Deadline :

- Nov. 3rd, 2023 @ 3pm (to Guidance)
- Nominee must submit application to Queens by Dec. 8th, 2023

Award:

- Nominee can apply to any national scholarship listed below:
 - Beryl Ivey Continuing Entrance \$72,000
 - President's Entrance \$70,000
 - President's Entrance \$65,000 & \$50,000
 - Faculty Entrance \$30,000
 - National Study Abroad \$5,000
 - National Merit Awards \$2,000

Eligibility:

- Min. 90% average
- Exceptional leadership & achievement in extra curriculars
- Creative & innovative thought
- Community service & school life
- Must be a full-time Western student (main campus)
- Beryl Ivey Continuing has a financial need component.



Deadline:

- Jan. 11th, 2024 by 3pm (to guidance)
- Submit to Western by Feb. 14th, 2024

Award:

- Very prestigious and large Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM) scholarship
- \$100,000



Eligibility:

- Academic & Leadership Excellence
- Possible Financial Need
- Student must pursue Science, Technology, Engineering, & Mathematics (STEM) in post secondary in NOT medical field
- Must attend 1 of the following:
 - Saskatchewan, Alberta, Calgary, UNB, Montreal, Victoria, Waterloo, U of T, Western, Manitoba, Laval, Simon Fraser, UBC, McGill, McMaster, Ottawa, Queen's, York, Memorial, Dalhousie

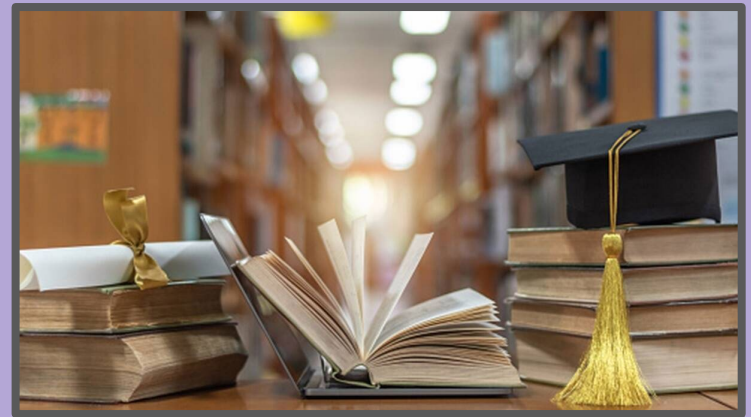
Deadline:

- Feb. 20th, 2024 (to guidance)
- Must submit by Jan. 26, 2024

School Nominated Scholarship

Scholarship descriptions and application forms will be shared on the Google Classroom.

NHS nominated candidate will be selected by the **NHS Scholarship Committee**. Only selected nominees can apply directly for the scholarship.



Ontario Assistance Program OSAP'

Presentation coming Spring 2024

- Financial AID that helps pay for college or university.
- OSAP offers funding through grants and loans.
- You will automatically be considered for both grants and loans when you apply. [OSAP LINK](#)

Grant

- A gift of money ! You do NOT have to pay it back

Loan

- Money you need to repay after you're done school



IN THE END,
WE ONLY
REGRET
THE CHANCES
WE DIDN'T
TAKE.

TV



