

THORNLEA SECONDARY SCHOOL

Welcome Class of 2022



Thornlea 2021-2022 College Application Process



- Ontario Colleges Application Centre
- https://www.on/ariocolleges.ca/en

How to Apply

ontariocolleges.ca

Apply to college any time and from anywhere

Contact Information:

- Customer Contact Centre can be reached Monday to Friday, from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm (519)763-2363
- E-mail: Ask-us @ontariocolleges.ca
- Toll Free Phone: 1-888-892-2228
- Email and you will get a response within 24 hours, service@ocas.ca

Identifying Your Top 3 Colleges (5 programs)

- My Pathway Planner (You)
- Family
- Friends
- Counsellors
- Teachers
- Administration



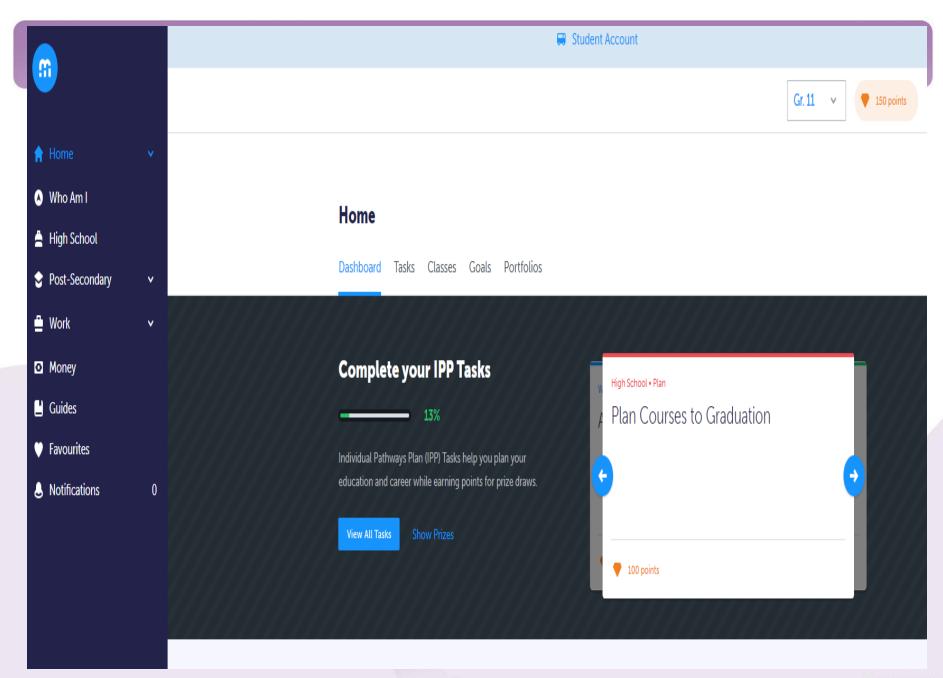
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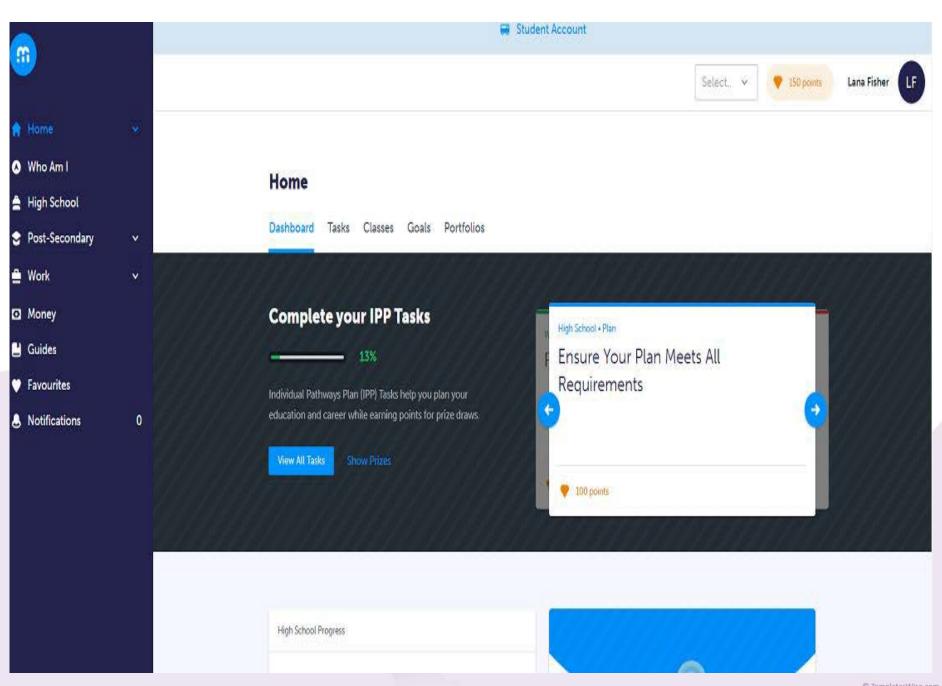


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I will respect any and all personal information entrusted to me while using the YRDSB MyPathwayPlanner platform. I will use it only as I am entitled to perform my work and learning related activities and will not improperly share it in any way that is disrespectful to the person to whom the information belongs. I will treat all personal information as confidential and will report any breaches of personal privacy to the Assistant Manager, Records Management/MFIPPA.

Please note: Clicking the login button above acknowledges your acceptance and adherence to the above statement and your understanding of the terms and conditions of the Board's Appropriate Use Policy#194.





Admission Requirements

- All colleges require ENG4C
- Applied Bachelor programs require ENG4U
- Some programs may ask for a Gr. 11 or Gr. 12
 Math
- Some programs may ask for a Gr. 11 or Gr.12 Biology/Chemistry

Admission Requirements - Part 2

- Complete any additional requirements:
- Auditions, portfolio submissions, supplementary information forms, and/or essays, etc.
- Careful make sure to follow all deadlines, do not be late.

Admission Requirements - Part 3

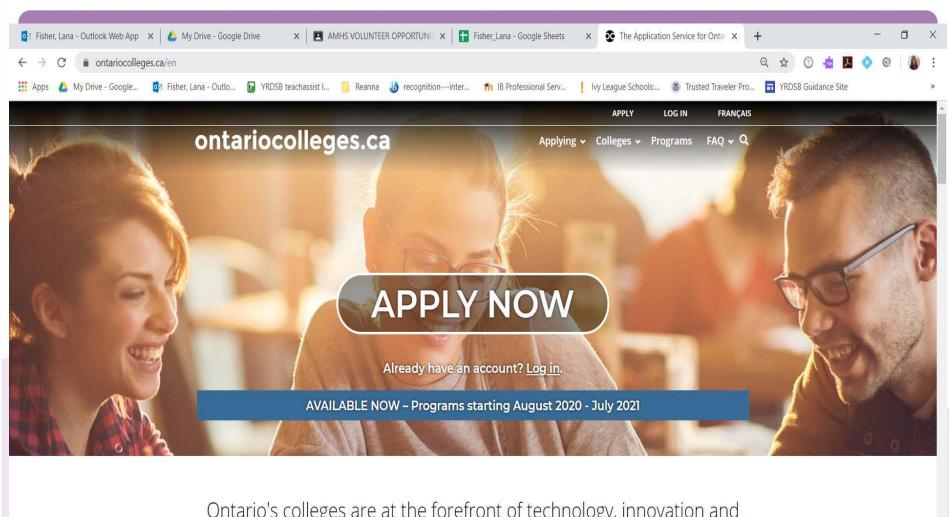
- Contact student services if applicable
- IEP, special circumstances, mental health issues, etc.
- Many offer programs over the summer or before the new school year begins
- Contact them as soon as you apply

On-Line Application Process



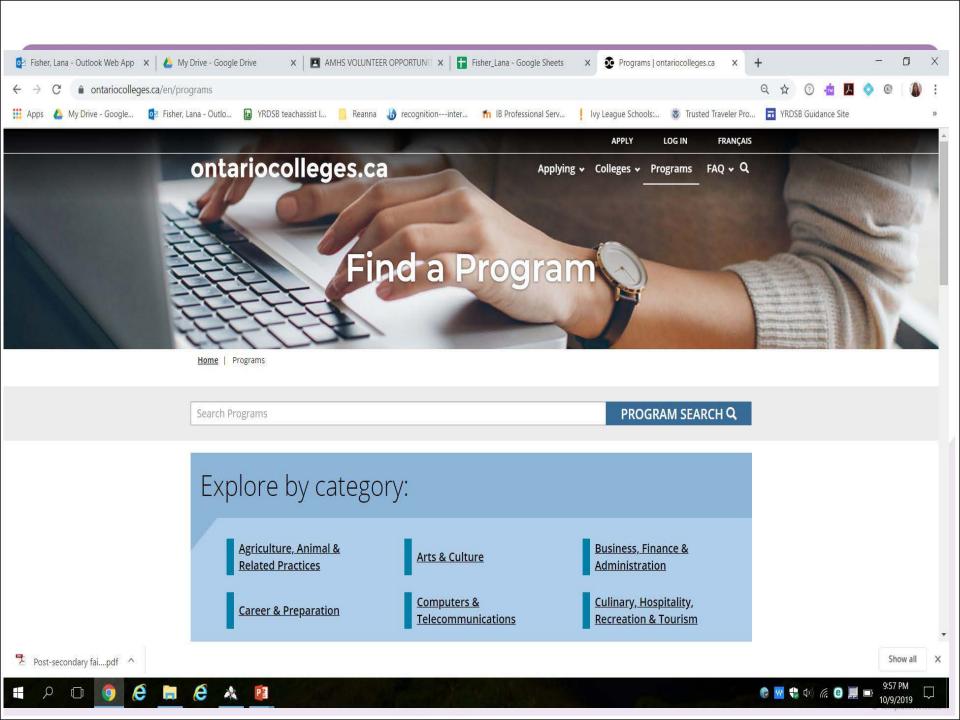
OCAS—Ontario Colleges Application System

- Research colleges
- Find a program
- Apply to colleges (make sure Sept. 2022)
- Thornlea S.S. automatically uploads, electronically, all transcripts for you



Ontario's colleges are at the forefront of technology, innovation and workforce development, preparing students for success in the cutting-edge careers of tomorrow.





College Application Process...

Fees:

- Up to a maximum of five choices \$95.00
- No more than 3 programs at any one college
- OEN Number and Legal Name
- All Fees are Non-Refundable
- You must pay for each change
- Apply for appropriate programs

After Applying...



- The Colleges
- Will establish contact with you via email
- Will let you know your status
- o Will communicate any next steps, extra requirements, financial information
- O Will offer admission (official confirmation through OCAS only!)

Financial Aid



 Once you have started your college application most colleges will allow you to apply to additional scholarships and bursaries

Ontario College Webpage



www.ontariocolleges.ca



Research Your College Options **

- □ Check out College publications, websites and tours.
- Talk to counsellors, family, teachers and friends.
- Write down your program choices, and keep them handy.

Mark Your Calendar

November 1, 2021: Earliest Offer Date

• This is the earliest date that colleges may begin to send offers of admission to programs for the upcoming academic year. Offers will continue to be issued until programs are filled or wait-lists are established.

February 1, 2022: Equal Consideration Date

- Apply on or before this date in order to receive equal consideration for admission to programs starting the following fall. After this date, colleges consider applicants on a first-come, first-served basis until programs are full.
- Note that applications to <u>Highly Competitive Programs</u> must be received by this date in order to be considered. As these programs receive a high volume of applicants, all seats may be filled by February 1.
- Applicants are encouraged to complete their applications well before the Equal Consideration Date, as website volumes on the online application are at their highest at this time.
- Many programs continue to accept applicants after February 1. Use our <u>Find a Program</u> tool at any time to find programs that are still open.

May 1, 2022: Deadline to Confirm Offers of Admission

- Applicants must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission by this date. Log in to your ontariocolleges.ca account to <u>confirm your offer</u>.
- Colleges may extend offers of admission after this date. Each college will set the deadline to confirm offers made after May 1, and this deadline will be communicated to you with your offer.

June 2022: Tuition Deposit Due at the Colleges

 The colleges require payment of a tuition deposit in June to secure your spot in your program. Each college sets its own tuition deposit amount and payment deadline. This information will be communicated to you by the college.

Paying for Your Application

You can pay for your application three ways:

- Online. With Visa (including Visa Debit), MasterCard or American Express. (Recommended)
- By phone. You can <u>contact us</u> to pay over the phone using a credit card. We accept Visa (including Visa Debit), MasterCard and American Express.
- Mailing a certified cheque / money order. Make the certified cheque or money order payable to 'ontariocolleges.ca' and be sure to include your 9-digit application number as well.

Equal Consideration Deadline:

Apply and Pay before:

•February 1st, 2022



Questions?



To everyone, remember to reach out to your guidance counsellor if you have questions or need support

 Please use this link to make a Guidance appointment with your Counselor.

http://bit.ly/thornlea