



Do you have a NHS Gradbook?



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Nepean High School Graduates 2010

Networks: Nepean High School

Interested In: Graduate Information

Mini-Feed

Displaying 1 story.

Today

Student Services is presenting you with graduate information to help answer all of your questions.

You are online now.



Websites for Career Information and Exploration

✓ www.careercruising.com

(username: ottawa,
password: 26280)

✓ www.osca.ca

✓ www.edu.gov.on.ca

✓ www.ilc.org/cfm/CM/

✓ www.jobfutures.ca

✓ www.schoolfinder.com

✓ www.canlearn.ca



Websites for Apprenticeship Careers

- ✓ www.edu.gov.on.ca/skills.html
- ✓ www.tradeability.ca
- ✓ www.careersintrades.ca
- ✓ www.apprenticetrades.ca
- ✓ www.promotingskilledtrades.com



Universities

- ✓ Degree
- ✓ 3 to 4 years
- ✓ OSSD
- ✓ 6 Gr.12 U or M
- ✓ OUAC
- ✓ \$115 for 3 choices

Colleges

- ✓ Diploma
- ✓ 2 to 3 years
- ✓ OSSD
- ✓ ENG4C + Prerequisites
- ✓ OCAS
- ✓ \$95 for 5 choices

Collaborative Bachelor Degrees: Algonquin/Ottawa...Nursing, Journalism Algonquin/Carleton...Information Technology, Network Technology

(OUAC application)

Articulations: Algonquin/Ottawa...Commerce/Journalism (enter 3rd year of Bachelor's Degree upon completion of college diploma)

New at Algonquin: Applied Degrees...Interior Design, E-Business, Photonics....etc. OCAS application. Degrees granted by the College.



Ontario Universities

Algoma

Brock

Carleton

Guelph

Lakehead

Laurentian

McMaster

Nipissing

OCAD

Ottawa

Queen's

RMC

Ryerson

S.W.Laurier

Toronto

UOIT

Waterloo

Western

Windsor

York



Class of 2009 Top 8 Universities

Carleton

Dalhousie Ottawa

Guelph

Queen's

Toronto

Waterloo

Western

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Application Process



Ontario Universities'
Application Centre

Applying On-line to Ontario's Universities

COMPASS.101 for Ontario Secondary School Students

www.ouac.on.ca/101/



STEP 1: your COMPASS Access Codes

Your guidance counsellor will give you a confidential letter containing your access codes in late November:

PIN (Personal Id #)

Your PIN is confidential! Don't share it with anyone else!

School Number

Student Number

These numbers allow you to access your COMPASS.101 application



STEP 2: Research Your University Options

- ✓ Check out www.electronicinfo.ca (eINFO) - a complete guide to Ontario Universities. More help: university websites, U.I.P., campus tours, & recruiter visits to NHS.
- ✓ Once you've made your program choices go to www.ouac.on.ca/101/ to access tutorials and complete your application. View **COMPASS.101** booklet as a guide.
- ✓ Talk to counsellors, family, teachers and friends for advice.
- ✓ OUAC Questions? 519-823-1940 extension: 556



STEP 3: Mark your Calendar

- ✓ October/November 2009: Counsellors visit classes to distribute information about EINFO and application access codes (late November).
- ✓ January 13, 2010: Latest date to submit completed on-line applications and fees to the OUAC.
- ✓ February 5, 2010: Recommended last day to make changes to your application to be eligible for early admission.
- ✓ May 25, 2010: Latest date by which all secondary school applicants shall expect a response from an Ontario university. Such a response could be: 1) an offer of admission 2) a refusal or 3) a deferral pending the receipt of specific additional information.
- ✓ May 28, 2010: Earliest date by which Ontario universities may require a response to an offer from an Ontario Secondary School Student.



STEP 4: Pay for your application - \$115.00

You have the following three options:

1. **Visa/Mastercard:** You will need the card number, expiry date and the cardholder's name.
2. **Internet / Telephone Banking:** You will receive an account number from the OUAC when you submit your application.
3. **Cheque / Money Order:** You must send the cheque or money order by mail within two weeks of submitting your application electronically.



Let's Get Started!

The screenshot shows the OUAC website interface. On the left is a navigation menu with the following items: OUAC Home, About OUAC, Undergraduate Applications, Professional Applications, News and Stats, Contact OUAC, Site Index, About This Site, and Links. The main content area features a header for 'Ontario Universities' Application Centre Undergraduate Applications' and a sub-header for '101 Application Process On-line Application Process'. Below this, there is a paragraph explaining the on-line process for currently enrolled students. At the bottom, there are two highlighted boxes: one for 'Apply On-line! For new users and applications in progress.' and another for 'Review and Change Your Completed Application'.

Ontario Universities' Application Centre
Undergraduate Applications

101 Application Process
On-line Application Process

If you are currently enrolled in a daytime program at an Ontario secondary school and your school has registered for the on-line process, you will use COMPASS.101, OUAC's on-line application to apply for admission to Ontario's universities. However, if you have one year or more of postsecondary education, please **DO NOT** use this form. See your guidance counselor for assistance.

If you decide to return to an Ontario secondary school day program second semester and have already completed a 105 application, please see your guidance counsellor for instructions on how to proceed. The fees paid through the 105 application process are non-refundable but may be used towards your secondary school application, if applicable.

» **Apply On-line! For new users and applications in progress.**
Using the login information provided by your guidance counsellor or school official, complete the on-line application.

» **Review and Change Your Completed Application**
Once you have submitted your on-line application, you can browse this site to review/change your application information and/or review/respond to any university offers of admission.

You will access the on-line application at: www.ouac.on.ca/101/

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Application Process

ONTARIO
COLLEGES .CA

OCAS: Ontario Colleges
Application Services

Applying Online to Ontario Colleges

The Ontario High School Application Tutorial

Ontario Colleges Application Service 2009



Ontario Colleges

Algonquin

Centennial

Durham

George Brown

Kemptville

Northern

St. Lawrence

Sheridan

Cambrian

Conestoga

Fanshawe

Georgian

Lambton

Mohawk

Ridgetown

Sault

La Cite Collegiale

Canadore

Confederation

Flemming

Humber

Loyalist

Niagara

St. Clair

Seneca



Before you get Started

Checklist:

- Explore your college options.
- Check out college websites, publications and tours.
- Research program admission requirements.
- Take a look at the online Program Locator (www.ontariocolleges.ca) or Ontario College Guide.
- Have a valid email account.
- Think of a unique username and password.
- Know your Ontario Education Number (OEN).
- Know your correct address and postal code.
- Have a credit card number, including expiry date, (VISA, MasterCard or American Express), if you plan to pay online.



Important Dates: OCAS

Fall 2009: Applications may be submitted on-line to OCAS in early November. OENs will be available from Ms. Huard in Student Services after Nov. 1st.

February 1, 2010: Applications received at OCAS by this date will be given equal consideration by the colleges. After this date, applications are processed, but considered by the colleges on a first-come, first-served basis. Earliest date that applicants may receive an offer of admission. Earliest date that applicants may confirm an offer.

May 3, 2010: Applicants must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission to their chosen program through ontariocolleges.ca

June 15, 2010: Earliest date that colleges may require payment of tuition fees.



Did you know?

- ✓ The \$95 application fee is non-refundable
- ✓ You can make 5 program choices, with no more than 3 choices at any one college
- ✓ Submit only 1 application! Application fees paid on “duplicate” applications are non-refundable.
- ✓ When you apply online OCAS receives your application immediately.
- ✓ You will have your payment confirmed immediately if you pay by credit card.
- ✓ You can apply 24/7 from any internet-connected (windows-based or Mac) computer with recent browser versions.



Here's what you do!

- ✓ With your OEN, set up your own online account and create your personal username and password
- ✓ Keep this information in a safe place, you will need it to log on to your application
- ✓ Write down your OCAS application number
- ✓ Complete your application
- ✓ Verify your academic information
- ✓ Make changes to your application online
- ✓ Pay the application processing fee
- ✓ Print a copy of the Application Verification
- ✓ Complete additional requirements for admission
- ✓ Acknowledge acceptance of a college offer



Applying out of Province

- ✓ Electronic applications directly to the institutions
- ✓ OUAC will send marks to McGill, Bishop's, Concordia, UBC, Simon Fraser, U.Victoria & Dalhousie if you include your OUAC Number on your application!
- ✓ Student Services will send your transcript to other post-secondary institutions at your request!! Ms. Huard needs to know where you have applied and when to send them!



Finances Per Year

	University	College
Tuition and Fees	5289-7395	2800
Books and Supplies	1300	1200
Room and Board	7485-8190	8000
Personal Expenses	2000	2000
Totals (approx.)	16074-18885	14000



Paying the Bills

- ✓ Savings from work
- ✓ Co-op Programs
- ✓ Scholarships
- ✓ Bursaries
- ✓ Student Loans
- ✓ Family



Scholarships

Entrance...average of best 6 Grade 12U or M courses, no application req.

Eg. Carleton	95+	\$4000 x 4 years
	90-94.9.....	\$3000
	85-89.9.....	\$2000
	80-84.9.....	\$1000 (all renewable at A-)

Prestige...application required/90%/extracurricular/volunteer/leadership.

Nepean H.S....apply through Student Services for school nomination.

Researching Scholarships

- ✓ www.studentawards.com
- ✓ www.canlearn.ca
- ✓ www.scholarshipscanada.com
- ✓ www.electronicinfo.ca (use "searchable



OSAP: Ontario Student Assistance Plan

- Apply on-line in the mid-May
- Amount based on family income....increases if more than one child is pursuing post-secondary studies
- Repayable once student is employed
- Bursaries also available
- Use the OSAP calculator to determine \$
- Loans are portable...out of province or country
- www.osap.gov.on.ca
- www.formalforms.com/studentloanapplications



LD Students in University/College:

Students with Learning Disabilities have access to all accommodations and provisions that have been provided in high school through their IEP.

Orientation sessions offered at most campuses.



- Do your homework: check Viewbooks and School Websites, visit campuses and attend post-secondary Information Sessions hosted by Nepean
- Talk to Counsellors, Teachers, Parents, Recruiters, Coaches and Ex-Knights
- View Application Tutorials on-line at OUAC or OCAS websites.
- Check www.nepeanhighschool.com – Student Services – “Grads. Section” for Scholarship Information, Grad Newsletter, Campus Tours, University/College Visits, and this Graduate Information Power Point.
- All Grad Requirements by June 24/2010

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Questions

Thank You & Good Luck!



Questions?

Please sign-up today!



Dream.

Learn.

Inspire.

WEBSITES FOR CAREER INFORMATION AND EXPLORATION

www.careercruising.com – login: Ottawa, password: 26280

www.ilc.org/cfm/CM/

www.jobfutures.ca

www.onwin.ca

www.osca.ca

www.canlearn.ca

WEBSITES FOR APPRENTICESHIP CAREERS

www.edu.gov.on.ca/skills.html

www.tradeability.ca

www.careersintrades.ca

www.apprenticetrades.ca

www.promotingskilledtrades.com

COLLEGE

www.ontariocolleges.ca

www.gotocollege.ca

UNIVERSITY

www.electronicinfo.ca

www.degreesindemand.ca

www.oncampus.macleans.ca/education/rankings

www.schoolfinder.com

SCHOLARSHIPS

www.studentawards.com

www.canlearn.ca

www.scholarshipscanada.com

www.electronicinfo.ca

www.millenniumscholarships.ca