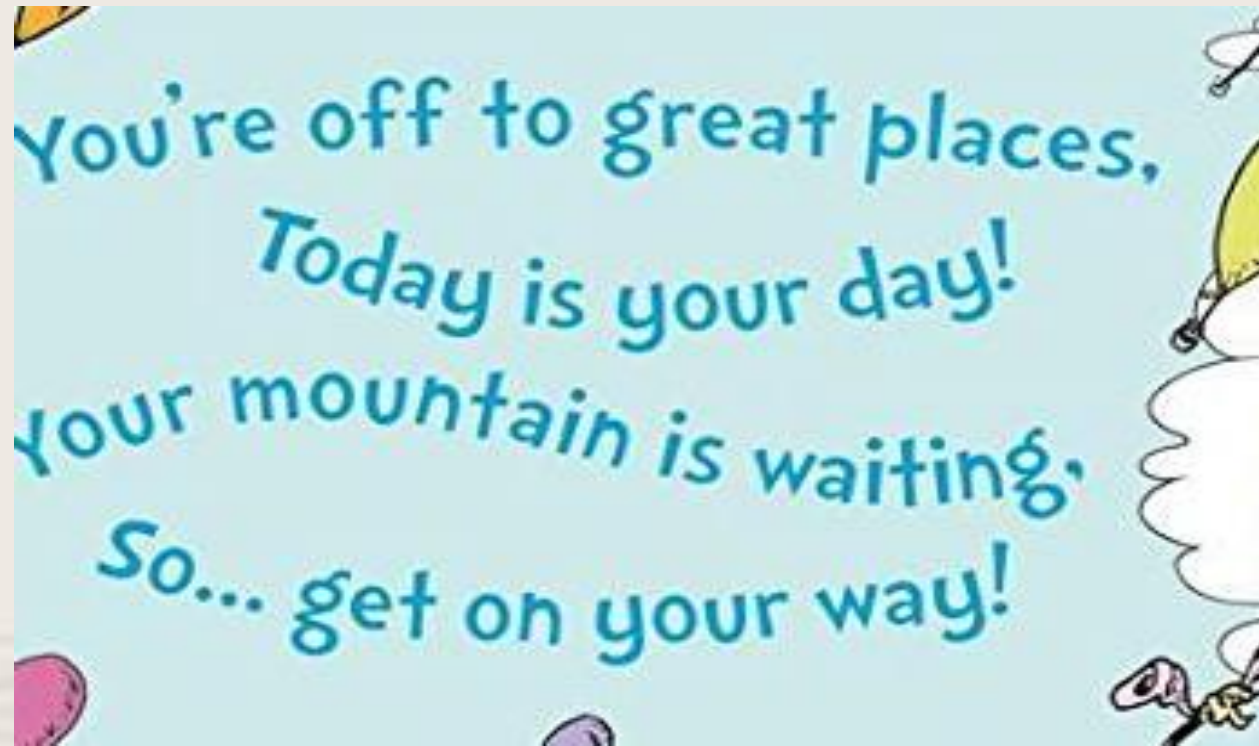


How to apply to University....



University requirements

- ❑ OSSD -30 credits
 - 40 hours of community service
 - literacy test
- ❑ Completion of 6 - 4U or 4M courses
 - including ENG 4U and any specific pre-requisites
- ❑ REQUIREMENTS VARY- check ONTARIO UNIVERSITIES INFO
www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca



Don't' have the requirements but want to go?

Consider:

- Attending college and then transferring to university later (see www.ontransfer.ca)
- Fanshawe college offers preparatory programs that allow you to explore your interests and bridge the gap → **see page 21 of the Fanshawe viewbook**



<http://www.ouac.on.ca/ouac-101/>

GETTING STARTED:

- Research programs using Ontario Universities Info (www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca)
- Watch the 'How to Apply to University' (available on Beal website, Guidance/College and University)
- Click on Undergrad (101) Online Application (for new applications and applications in process)
Note the '*101 Resources*' on the side of the page (How-to Videos, Common Questions, etc.)

- Click '*Apply Now*'

First time logging on? You must first create a profile.

- Click 'Create MY OUAC Profile', at the bottom of the page

Make sure it is easy to remember you will use this from now on

- "*My Access Codes*". Enter your information from your Application
Access Code Letter that includes:
your school #, student # and PIN (case sensitive).

Be sure to keep this information private.

- Click '*Save*'

*****SEE HANDOUT FOR MORE DETAILS *****



APPLICATION DEADLINE

WEDNESDAY January 15, 2020

Apply before Christmas break- Don't leave it until the last minute

Fee \$150 for the first 3 university/ program choices and \$50 for each additional choice

Useful links:

- www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca
- <http://www.ouac.on.ca/ouac-101/>
- <https://www.ouac.on.ca/101-tutorials/#ouinfo>
- <https://www.ontario.ca/page/osap-ontario-student-assistance-program>
- <https://www.scholarshipscanada.com/>
- <https://yconic.com/>
- <https://www.tvdsb.ca/en/parents/awards-directory.aspx>
- www.etscanada.ca
- www.ielts.org
- https://www.ouac.on.ca/guidance/docs/resource_guide_2019.pdf



General Information

DO YOUR RESEARCH!!!

Go to www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca

Attend University Information Sessions and Open Houses and see the campuses

Ontario Regional University Fair

- **Monday November 4, 2019 9:00am-10:45 am - Medway High School**
- **Thursday November 7, 2019 6:00pm- 8:00pm St. André Bessette Catholic S.S**



Types of Programs

- Four year degrees
- Co-op programs and Internships
- Collaborative degrees Fanshawe / Western, Sheridan/ U of T etc.
- Colleges also offer 4 year degrees
- See website below for degree programs offered at colleges

www.ontariocolleges.ca



OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- Repeated Courses- Check Policies for individual schools
https://www.ouac.on.ca/guidance/docs/resource_guide_2019.pdf
- Summer School/night school /elearning- Make sure these are accurate on Credit Counselling Summary
- Be aware of additional applications, portfolios, etc. that may be used in selection process and their deadlines
- Deferrals – Must apply and not automatic
- English Proficiency Test
TOEFL TEST - www.etscanada.ca
IELTS TEST - www.ielts.org



Scholarships

Entrance

- Automatic
- Based on marks
- Some are renewable

The Big Ones

- Application required
- Marks, volunteer work and leadership
- Athletic-athletic ability / 80% average
- See guidance website → Scholarships
- ?'s see your counsellor

Beal student Profile for School and board scholarships needs to be completed and submitted in Semester 2

- **Date TBA**



Application Fees

University

- \$150 for 3 choices (3 choices per university including affiliates)
- Additional choices → \$50.00 each

International Students

- Apply the same –Fees would be different

ONCE AT UNIVERSITY- EXPECTED EXPENSES

Tuition, Books, Supplies \$ 9,800-\$16,800 depending on program of study (Western 2020 entry point)

Residence \$7,410- \$9,720 (Western 2020)



\$\$\$ Financial Assistance \$\$\$

- OSAP website – **Presentation Wednesday April 8th, 2020 @ 10:00**
in Guidance Career Center
- Bursaries
- Scholarships –Entrance
- Institution based scholarships
- General scholarships (yconic.com and scholarshipscanada.com)



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Applying outside Ontario

- Application deadlines VARY and you must apply to each university individually
- DO YOUR RESEARCH!!!
- SEE YOUR COUNSELLOR



JOB MARKET RESEARCH

Visit www.ontario.ca

- Check trends/outlook for the job market in Ontario
- Link to stats Can to research info across Canada



NEXT STEPS.....

- Research –REQUIREMENTS and **MEET DEADLINES!!**
- Pick the right fit for you!!
- SAVE YOUR \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$
- See Guidance website
- Have a backup planjust in case
- Do your best and realize that there are lots of PATHWAYS to get you to the same place!!!!

