

## January

- Jan. 16(at 11:59 pm): Application deadline to OUAC – online application
- Continue to check and apply for scholarships, grants and bursaries
- Continue to update your portfolio (if required for programs requiring a portfolio)
- Continue to attend post-secondary open house/s at Colleges/ Universities

## February

- Feb. 1: Equal consideration deadline for college applications received at OCAS for programs starting in September
- Feb. 5: Earliest release of offers by colleges to applicants
- Feb 8: Sem 1 Final Grades upload to OCAS/OUAC
- Begin applying for residency (provided you have accepted an offer of admission and have a college or university student number)
- Continue to check and apply for scholarships, grants and bursaries

## March

- Continue to check and apply for scholarships, grants and bursaries
- Check spam and emails for communication from Colleges/Universities
- Attend any scheduled Grad meetings
- Check OUAC/OCAS profile for accuracy

***You may apply for OSAP as soon as you have submitted an OCAS or OUAC application.***



## April:

- April 24: OCAS./OUAC midterm grades for second-semester courses uploaded
- April 27: FULL DISCLOSURE (last drop date before it shows on transcript)
- Continue to check and apply for scholarships, grants and bursaries
- Continue to update your portfolio (for programs requiring a portfolio)
- Begin to research OSAP
- Attend Grad Meeting

## May:

- May 1 - College Applicants must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission through OCAS. After this date, the college will determine the date the confirmation of acceptance is due
- May 27 – Expect to receive a response from an Ontario University by this date. Such a response will be one of the following: (1) an offer of admission (2) a refusal (3) a deferral pending the receipt of some specific additional information
- Attend Grad meetings
- Monitor OSAP status and application
- Monitor residence and tuition deposit due dates

## June:

- June 1: The earliest date by which Ontario universities require a response to offers
- Attend Grad Breakfast: **date TBA**
- Monitor OSAP status and application
- Check OUAC/OCAS profile for accuracy
- Monitor residence and tuition deposit due dates
- Final Marks Uploaded to OUAC.OCAS on July 2



# A Post-Secondary Checklist

The purpose of this checklist is to help you prepare for your transition to post-secondary studies. We recommend you create a folder to keep all important information. Also record all dates in a calendar or personal electronic device.

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## Do I have what I need?

The courses I have selected for Grade 12 meet the admission requirements for post-secondary programs at the schools I wish to attend

I am on track to earn my OSSD by the end of this school year (30 credits, literacy test or OLC 40, 40 hours of community service)

I have visited [www.ontariocolleges.ca](http://www.ontariocolleges.ca) and/or [www.electronicinfo.ca](http://www.electronicinfo.ca) and/or [www.ontario.ca/page/apprenticeship-ontario](http://www.ontario.ca/page/apprenticeship-ontario) and have researched programs and admission requirements (courses, mark requirements, portfolios, auditions, interviews, CPR, first aid)

I have started researching scholarships, grants and bursaries (some scholarships have early deadlines)

## September:

- Make sure your transcript is up-to-date and accurate (night school, summer school, international language courses and marks)
- Become aware of deadlines for:
  - o Post secondary applications
  - o Portfolio submissions
  - o Audition dates
  - o Financial aid applications, bursaries and grants
  - o Scholarships ([www.scholarshipscanada.com](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com), [www.studentawards.com](http://www.studentawards.com))
  - o Tuition
  - o Residency
  - o Other school Fees
- Check the Grade 12 Blog regularly

## October:

- Attend University and College Fairs: **Oct.25 UIP at HHS**
- **Oct 10th: CIP: Parry Sound H.S.**
- **Oct 26 CIP: Georgian (PA Day)**
- Attend College/University visits in seminar room
- Ont Uni Fair(OUF) **Sept 28-30**— Toronto
- You may begin applying to Ontario college programs. Apply at [www.ontariocolleges.ca](http://www.ontariocolleges.ca). Click on the 'apply' icon, then click on 'create new account'
- ⇒ Cost: (credit card is recommended.) \$95 for 5 program choices
- Attend Parent Post-Secondary Info Night: **Oct. 24th** at Parents Night

***You may apply to University as soon as your Pin # arrives - sign this out in Guidance.***

## November:

- Nov 23: FULL DISCLOSURE (last drop date before it shows on transcript)
- Get your OUAC PIN from your counsellor (usually November or Late Oct – Date TBA)
- Attend College/University visits in seminar room
- Continue to check and apply for scholarships, grants and bursaries
- Consider attending post-secondary open house/s at Colleges/ Universities
- Midterm Marks uploaded to OCAS (College only)

## December:

- Start applying to Ontario university undergraduate programs using your OUAC PIN: Apply at [www.ouac.on.ca](http://www.ouac.on.ca) and click on the 'Undergraduate Application (OUAC 101) Current Ontario Secondary School Students' icon, and then click on the '101 online application'. Then you will click on the 'Login' icon.
- Cost: (credit card strongly recommended) \$150 for 3 program choices.

Each additional program choice is \$50

