

CLASS OF 2021



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**Huntsville High School -  
GRADUATES**

# AGENDA



- ❖ Welcome Parents and Graduates
- ❖ Choices After High School
- ❖ Applying to College
- ❖ Apprenticeships
- ❖ Applying to University
- ❖ College to University Programs: Collaborative Transfer Programs
- ❖ OSAP - Financial Aid

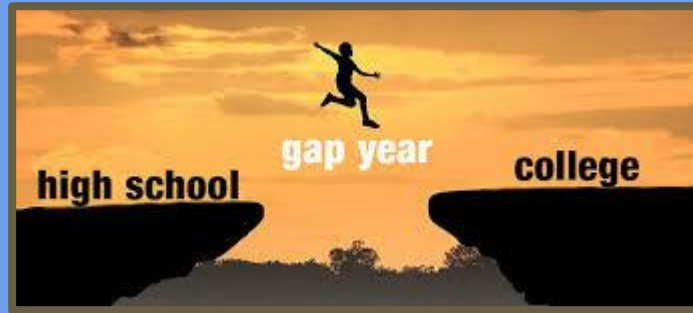


# HHS Guidance website Links



- ❖ The HHS Guidance Website has many helpful links and resources and is a resource for students and parents  
<http://hhs.tldsb.on.ca/guidancestudent-services/>
- ❖ Check the Grade 12 Blog regularly and check out notices outside of guidance

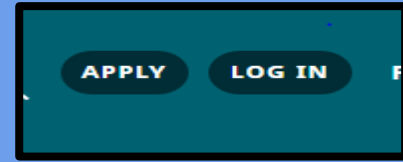
# Choices After High School



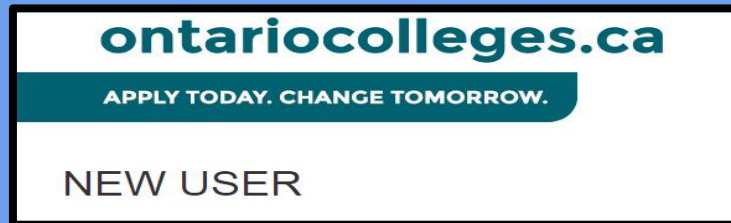
- ▶ Victory Lap: to upgrade or gain prerequisites
- ▶ Gap Year: Travel, Volunteer [My Gap Year](#)
- ▶ College
- ▶ Apprenticeship
- ▶ University
- ▶ Collaborative College to University Program



# COLLEGE APPLICATIONS



- ❖ Apply to college at <http://www.ontariocolleges.ca/home>
- ❖ There is no PIN Number for College Applications
- ❖ Click Apply to Set up a New User Profile
- ❖ Set-up your username and password and verify through email
- ❖ OCAS is open and students can begin their application



# College Applications



- ❖ Due date is Feb.1, 2021 (Equal Consideration)
- ❖ You can apply to 5 Programs for \$95
- ❖ 3 Programs can be at the same College
- ❖ You can add and delete programs without financial penalty even after your application is paid as long as you keep it to 5 applications
- ❖ Credit Card Payment is the Easiest Method

# APPRENTICESHIPS



- ❖ To explore Skilled Trades in Ontario follow the link to request a virtual presentation [Skills Ontario Presentation](#)
- ❖ Explore Apprenticeships in Ontario [Apprenticeships in Ontario](#)
- ❖ Explore the huge variety of Trades Pathways: [College of Trades](#)

# UNIVERSITY APPLICATIONS: OUAC 101

- ❖ To apply to University in Ontario you need your OUAC PIN(mailed out to home addresses this year). **If you did not get a PIN contact Guidance.**
- ❖ The PIN # Envelope shares clear instructions. If you lose the envelope or were not issued a PIN let Guidance know and we can generate one
- ❖ <https://www.ouac.on.ca/>
- ❖ For OUAC application have your Student Number and OEN(Ontario Education Number) available
- ❖ Your OEN is on your report card, student transcript and available in Guidance if you need
- ❖ <https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/>





# University Applications

- ❖ Due Date is January 15, 2021
- ❖ You can apply to 3 Universities for \$150
- ❖ Each additional choice costs \$50
- ❖ Paying with credit card is the easiest method: there is a \$ penalty for changing a choice





# College to University Transfer Programs

- ❖ On Transfer is a website dedicated to researching the many transfer programs [https://www.ontransfer.ca/index\\_en.php](https://www.ontransfer.ca/index_en.php)
- ❖ Transfer Programs are very popular these days and you graduate with 2 credentials: a diploma in a technical skill(College), a Degree in a like area of study(University). For example a Diploma in Computer Programmer to a Bachelor of Computer Science
- ❖ Generally transfer program take 4-5 years
- ❖ There are many collaborative programs that you can apply directly to [Collaborative College to Uni Programs](#)

# Acceptance and Deferrals



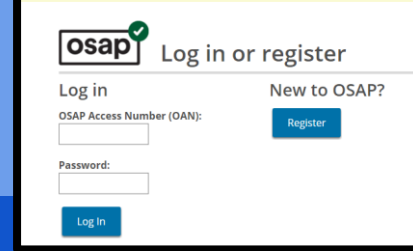
- Read the conditions carefully, all offers are conditional.
- Student may get an alternate offer if they did not get their first choice.
- Student accepts offers on OUAC(June 1)/OCAS(May 1).
- If student does not get accepted anywhere we can still help them find something.
- Make sure you visit the schools if you can.
- Colleges will not let you defer but sometimes Universities will. Check with guidance as we have a helpful resource.

# Funding Your Education \$\$\$

## 3 Categories of Scholarships [2021 HHS Post Secondary Funding](#)

Automatic	Student Applies	Student nominated
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Based on final marks so it is important to maintain grades even after an offer(conditional)</li><li>• Varies at each school so check out their financial aid scholarships <a href="#">Laurentian automatic scholarship</a></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Posted on the Grade 12 blog</li><li>• College or Uni schools scholarship links</li><li>• Parents workplace</li><li>• Do your background work: sign up for ScholarTree, Scholarships Canada &amp; read the scholarships report</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• There are many scholarships that students are nominated for by a committee at HHS in the spring:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>→ Stepping stone, top marks in disciplines, community service etc</li><li>→ Candidates work hard, set goals are achievement focused</li></ul></li></ul>

# OSAP: Financial Aid



The screenshot shows the OSAP login interface. At the top left is the OSAP logo with a green checkmark. To its right is the text "Log in or register". Below this, there are two columns: "Log in" and "New to OSAP?". Under "Log in", there is a label "OSAP Access Number (OAN):" followed by a text input field, and a label "Password:" followed by another text input field. A blue "Log In" button is positioned below the password field. Under "New to OSAP?", there is a blue "Register" button.

- ❖ OSAP applications:

<https://osap.gov.on.ca/OSAPSecurityWeb/public/login.xhtml>

- ❖ OSAP Aid Estimator

<https://osap.gov.on.ca/AidEstimator1718Web/enterapp/enter.xhtml>

- ❖ You can begin your application as soon as you have applied with the new OSAP
- ❖ Colleges and Universities have financial aid offices to help



The logo for the OSAP Aid estimator, featuring the OSAP logo with a green checkmark and the text "Aid estimator" to its right.

# WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

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