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**Toronto**

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## University Information

### Student Population

* 14,622

### New Programs

* The University of Toronto Scarborough’s (UTSC’s) Health Sciences Stream launched in fall 2024. Alongside their Bachelor of Science degree, students will earn a unique certificate in Pathways to Health Professions and get hands-on experience through paid co-op terms with some of the top hospitals, companies and research institutes in the region. The Health Sciences Stream is available to domestic and international students within the following admission categories:
	+ Life Sciences
	+ Physical & Environmental Sciences
	+ Psychology & Health Studies
* New programs in the Social Sciences & Humanities admission category: Aging & Society (Minor), Public Law (Major).

### Program Changes

* Co-op is now available for all Major and Specialist programs in the Life Sciences and Psychology and Health Studies admission categories.
* The Minor program in English Literature has been renamed Minor Program in English.
* The Minor program in Literature and Film Studies has been renamed Minor Program in Film Studies.

### Campus Tours and Events

* Campus tours: [www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/tours](https://utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/tours)
* Events: [www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/events-overview](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/events-overview)

## Admission and Transition Information

### Fall Offer of Admission

* We make conditional offers of admission in monthly rounds, beginning in January and concluding in May.
* We may invite applicants to some programs to join a wait list if we cannot make an offer of admission due to space limitations.

### Alternative Offers of Admission

* We automatically consider alternative offers of admission for applicants who are not eligible for their program of choice.
* Students who do not qualify for an offer of admission to UTSC may receive information directing them to our college pathway programs with Seneca and Centennial Colleges.

### Accessibility Services

* [www.utsc.utoronto.ca/ability](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/ability)

### Grade 11 Grades

* We will make conditional offers of admission based on available Grade 11 and Grade 12 grades, provided the OUAC record indicates enrollment in all required Grade 12 courses, including ENG4U. If a Grade 12 grade in a prerequisite subject is not available, we will use the grade in the corresponding Grade 11 course.

###  Supplemental Application

* We welcome students with varied lived experiences and whose activities demonstrate learning and/or leadership potential beyond their academic records. The Supplementary Application Form (SAF) is a safe space for students to tell us about their lives, interests and goals for attending UTSC. We are looking for engaged students of any background who bring diverse perspectives.
* The SAF is required for:
	+ Co-op International Development Studies
	+ Co-op Management & International Business
	+ Double Degree in Management & Finance (Bachelor of Business Administration) and Statistics – Quantitative Finance Stream (Bachelor of Science) (Regular and Co-op)
	+ Management (Regular and Co-op)
	+ Music Industry and Technology
	+ Paramedicine
* We will conduct interviews for select Co-op Management & International Business applicants.

### Ranking on OUAC Application

* We do not consider ranking on the OUAC application and encourage applicants to rank their choices honestly.

### Tuition Deposit

* No deposit required for domestic applicants.
* $3,000 admission deposit required for international students.

### First-year Course Selection Process

* First-year students choose their courses in July. UTSC students should refer to the relevant information on their JOIN U of T portal and visit the Next Steps website for more information. [www.utsc.utoronto.ca/nextsteps](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/nextsteps)

### Support for Transition to University

* We invite all new students to attend Get Started, UTSC’s academic orientation workshop.
[www.utsc.utoronto.ca/aacc/get-started-program](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/aacc/get-started-program)
* A wide range of other support services is available. [www.utsc.utoronto.ca/studentlife](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/studentlife)

### Dual Credits/SHSM Programs

* We do not recognize dual credits or SHSM programs in the admission process.

### English Proficiency Requirements

* Proof of English-language proficiency is required except for those:
	+ whose first language is English (i.e., the first language they learned at home as a child),
	+ who have achieved satisfactory progress in at least 4 years of full-time study in an English-language school system located in a country where the dominant language is English or
	+ whose first language is French and who have achieved satisfactory academic progress in at least 4 years of full-time study in Canada.
* We will include Grade 12 English in the admission average regardless of the English proficiency requirement.
[www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/english-language-facility](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/english-language-facility)

## Admission Policies

### Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB)

* AP: We may award admitted students transfer credit for AP examinations with a grade of 4 or 5 (sent electronically from the Educational Testing Services).
* IB: We may award admitted students transfer credit for IB Higher Level subjects with a minimum grade of 5 (sent electronically by IB).
* [www.future.utoronto.ca/transfercredit](http://www.future.utoronto.ca/transfercredit)

### Deferral

### Applicants may apply for a 1-year deferral of admission. We will consider deferral requests from applicants who have:

### accepted their offer of admission and paid the admission deposit (if required) and

### met all conditions of the offer of admission and confirmed that they do not plan to study at another postsecondary institution.

###  <https://uoft.me/deferrals>

### Repeated Courses

* We may give preference to students whose grades are the result of a first attempt at each course, particularly in prerequisite subjects.

### Special Consideration

* To request special consideration, a student must complete the Request for Special Consideration Form and submit supporting documentation. The student must submit the form and documents in the JOIN U of T portal.
<https://uoft.me/special-considerations>

### Summer/Night School, Virtual/e-Learning, Private School and Correspondence Courses

* We accept all Ministry-inspected and -approved courses.

### Transfer Credit

* Transfer credit policies for secondary and postsecondary studies will vary by curriculum and program.

[www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/transfer-credits](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/transfer-credits)

## Scholarship and Financial Aid Information

### Bursaries

* Students applying directly from high school should apply in January of their Grade 12 year with a preferred deadline of the end of February to ensure we consider them for needs-based admission awards.
[www.future.utoronto.ca/finances/financial-aid](http://www.future.utoronto.ca/finances/financial-aid)

### Automatic Entrance Scholarships

* Awarded to students who are admitted to UTSC from high school. We will notify students of their eligibility to receive an award at the time of admission. We will use the first grade attained for a repeated course.

### Additional Scholarships

* Students must complete the Awards Profile to be considered for other awards.
[www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/u-t-award-explorer](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/u-t-award-explorer)

### Scholarship Deadline

* Many awards based on financial need, leadership ability, community involvement and other special criteria require the completion of an Awards Profile.
<https://future.utoronto.ca/finances/awards/awards-profile>

**Residence Information**

### Deposit Fee

* $1,500

### Guaranteed Residence

* Students entering their first year of university in an undergraduate program who are interested in living on campus must apply using StarRez by March 31, 2025.

### Residence Options

* Harmony Commons, our 9-storey student residence for first-year students, features single and double occupancy rooms, an all-access style meal plan, integrated dining facility, and lounges and study spaces on each floor.
* Townhouses and apartment-style residence are available for
first-year, upper-year and graduate students.
[www.utsc.utoronto.ca/residences](http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/residences)

### Online Application

* Accessed through: <https://join.utoronto.ca>.

### Application Deadline

* March 31, 2025

## Notes

# Quick Compare Tool

[www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/guidance](http://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/guidance)

The OUAC Editor will input your changes into the tool.

## Admission Information

### Are Grade 11 marks considered in the admission process?

x Yes

☐ On a case-by-case basis

☐ No

### Are admission deferrals granted?

☐ Yes

x On a case-by-case basis

☐ No

### Are dual credits/SHSM considered in the admission process?

☐ Yes

x No

### Is OUAC ranking considered?

☐ Yes

x No

### Do you offer campus visit subsidies?

☐ Yes

x No

### How much is the tuition deposit?

$3,000 (international only)

## Residence

### How much is the deposit for residence?

$1,500

### Is residence guaranteed?

☐ Yes

x Yes, with conditions

☐ No

### What is the 2025 residence application deadline?

March 31

### Residence options:

x Dorm

x Apartment/Suite

x Townhouse

### Where can students apply for residence?

## <https://join.utoronto.ca/> Scholarships and Entrance Awards

### What is the automatic entrance scholarship admission average?

88%+ (domestic only)

### Are entrance scholarships renewable?

☐ Yes

☐ No

x See details

### What is the entrance scholarship value range?

$1,000-$12,000

### Are prerequisites considered in determining scholarship amounts?

☐ Yes

x No

### Is an application required?

☐ Yes

☐ No

x Some scholarships