# **Western University logo**Western University

**London**

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## University Information

### Student Population

* 44,354

### New Programs

* Introduction of Foods & Nutrition (OUAC code: EH) and Facility Studies & Human Development (OUAC code: EFS) modules in the new Brescia School of Food and Nutritional Sciences.

### Program Changes

* New OUAC program choice: Computer Science (OUAC code: ECS).
* OUAC program name change: Media, Information & Technoculture has been renamed Media and Communications Studies (OUAC code: EI). The content of this program remains the same.

### Campus Tours and Events

* Campus tours: <https://welcome.uwo.ca/visit>
* Online presentations: <https://welcome.uwo.ca/presentations>

## Admission and Transition Information

### Fall Offer of Admission

* We will offer admission to Group A applicants throughout the admission cycle from December 2024 until May 2025.
* If a student is taking a prerequisite in later terms, they must show in their OUAC application that they are enrolled in the course for us to evaluate their application.
* All offers are conditional upon maintaining the final average indicated on the offer of admission, successfully completing the Ontario Secondary School Diploma and meeting any additional admission conditions outlined at the time of an offer.

### Alternative Offers of Admission

* We do not extend alternative offers to other programs on Main Campus.
* Students who wish to be considered for more than one program should list each program as a separate choice in their OUAC application.

### Accessibility Services

* Accessible Education provides supports and services to students with disabilities at Western in all programs and faculties.

<http://academicsupport.uwo.ca/accessible_education/index.html>

* We welcome admitted students with disabilities to contact our office to learn about the support and accommodations we provide.

519-661-2147 | [aew@uwo.ca](mailto:aew@uwo.ca)

### Grade 11 Grades

* We will consider students’ overall Grade 11 performance.

### Supplemental Application

* There are 2 types of forms: Forms required for the student’s program and optional forms that provide the admission team more information about them.
* Students can review our supplemental forms at: <https://welcome.uwo.ca/forms>.

### Ranking on OUAC Application

* We will review all applications regardless of OUAC ranking.

### Tuition Deposit

* International undergraduate students will be required to make a   
  $2,500 admission deposit when they accept their offer of admission.

### First-year Course Selection Process

* Western Launch starts in May and runs until the end of August. Participants can:
  + Select and register in courses with an academic advisor.
  + Explore campus and get to know classmates.
  + Stay overnight in residence and learn about student life.
  + Develop skills and catch up on foundational concepts needed in first-year classes.
  + Learn about support services and other services at Western.
* Register at: <https://launch.uwo.ca/index.html>. Registration opens in spring 2025.

### Support for Transition to University

* Our Student Experience portfolio encompasses:
  + Academic Support & Engagement
  + Chaplains
  + Indigenous Services
  + Leadership & Learning
  + Sports & Recreation
  + Wellness & Well-being
* Our large Orientation Week and University Students’ Council provide a strong sense of both academic and community support.

[www.studentexperience.uwo.ca](http://www.studentexperience.uwo.ca)

### Dual Credits/SHSM Programs

* We do not recognize dual credits or SHSM programs in the admission process.
* Students who want to share their SHSM accomplishments with the admission team can detail them on the Extraordinary Extracurricular Activities and Contributions to Citizenship Profile under the Forms section of our website. | <https://welcome.uwo.ca/forms>

### English Proficiency Requirements

* If the applicant’s first language is not English, we may require proof of English-language proficiency. Typically, this is done through an official language test or through an English-as-a-second-language program.
* Tests must be written by March 2025. We will not accept scores from before January 1, 2023.
* More information (including English proficiency waiver requests): <https://welcome.uwo.ca/english> .

## Admission Policies

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

* AP: If a student achieves at least 4 out of 5 on their final AP exams, we will consider them for transfer credit to a maximum of 2.0 full credits, as approved by the appropriate faculty.
* IB: If an IB applicant has successfully completed the full IB diploma and meets our admission criteria, they may be eligible for transfer credit. Higher Level subjects with a score of 5 or higher will be reviewed by the Admissions Office.

### Deferral

* Students can request a deferral of admission for a period of one year.
* Admission scholarships for deferred students are based on the scholarship eligibility criteria in the year of registration. The Western Scholarship of Excellence and National Scholarships are not deferrable.
* Students must submit their deferral request online:  
  [https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/accept-offer/  
  request-to-defer-your-studies.html](https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/accept-offer/request-to-defer-your-studies.html).

### Repeated Courses

* If a student has 3 or more repeats, we will take the average of their attempts. If a student has 2 or fewer repeats, we will take the highest attempt.

### Special Consideration

* Western’s Special Consideration Profile provides an opportunity for students to share any extenuating circumstances that have adversely affected their grades.
* We encourage students with disabilities to contact Accessible Education: <http://academicsupport.uwo.ca/accessible_education>.

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

* We will accept online, summer, night and private school courses as long as the school is accredited through the Ontario Ministry of Education and offers the same rigorous curriculum and level of instruction that they would receive from their day school.
* When students take courses outside of a regular day school, it is their responsibility to ensure that all in-progress and final grades are uploaded to their OUAC Undergraduate application by the appropriate deadlines.

### Transfer Credit

* Canadian college students:  
  [https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/requirements/  
  transfer-student/canadian-college.html](https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/requirements/transfer-student/canadian-college.html)
* Canadian university transfers:

[https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/requirements/  
transfer-student/canadian-university.html](https://welcome.uwo.ca/next-steps/requirements/transfer-student/canadian-university.html)

## Scholarship and Financial Aid Information

### Bursaries

* [https://registrar.uwo.ca/student\_finances/  
  bursaries\_workstudy.html](https://registrar.uwo.ca/student_finances/bursaries_workstudy.html)

### Automatic Entrance Scholarships

* Our Admission Scholarships are based on admission averages. Some are renewable.
* International students are eligible for Admission Scholarship and for some of our President’s Entrance Scholarships.

[www.registrar.uwo.ca/student\_finances/scholarships\_awards](http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/student_finances/scholarships_awards)

### Additional Scholarships

* National Scholarships range in value from $2,000 to $100,000.

[www.registrar.uwo.ca/student\_finances/scholarships\_awards/  
admission/national\_scholarship\_program.html](http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/student_finances/scholarships_awards/admission/national_scholarship_program.html)

### Scholarship Deadline

* The National Scholarship application due date can be found on our website.

## Residence Information

### Deposit Fee

* $900 due June 4, 2025.

### Guaranteed Residence

* We guarantee residence for students graduating from high school who meet the conditions outlined at: <https://residence.uwo.ca>.

### Residence Options

* We have 12 first-year residences in 3 different room styles:
  + Traditional
  + Hybrid
  + Suite

### Online Application

* Online residence placement questionnaire due June 4, 2025.

### Application Deadline

* June 4, 2025  
  [https://residence.uwo.ca/applying/  
  important\_dates\_and\_deadlines](https://residence.uwo.ca/applying/important_dates_and_deadlines)

## 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?

$2,500 (int’l only)

## Residence

### How much is the deposit for residence?

$900

### Is residence guaranteed?

☐ Yes

x Yes, with conditions

☐ No

### What is the 2025 residence application deadline?

June 4

### Residence options:

x Dorm

x Apartment/Suite

☐ Townhouse

### Where can students apply for residence?

## https://residence.uwo.caScholarships and Entrance Awards

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

90%+

### Are entrance scholarships renewable?

☐ Yes

☐ No

x See details

### What is the entrance scholarship value range?

$2,500-$8,000

### Are prerequisites considered in determining scholarship amounts?

x Yes

☐ No

### Is an application required?

☐ Yes

☐ No

x Some scholarships