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**Toronto**

## Contact Information

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## University Information

### Student Population

* Approximately 50,000 students from 175+ countries, across the Keele, Markham and Glendon campuses.

### New Programs

* Our Markham Campus opened in fall 2024. Its new undergraduate programs revolve around the core themes of work-integrated learning, technology and entrepreneurship:
  + Communication & Media Studies: Communication, Social Media & Public Relations (Bachelor of Arts [BA])
  + Computer Science for Software Development   
    (Bachelor of Applied Science [BASc])
  + Creative Technologies (Bachelor of Fine Arts [BFA])
  + Digital Technologies (BASc)
  + Entrepreneurship & Innovation (Bachelor of Commerce)
  + Financial Technologies (Bachelor of Science)
  + Sport Management (Bachelor of Sport Management)
  + First Year Engineering Core Program
  + First Year Science Program

### Program Changes

* **New:** Co-Op is now available in the Faculty of Science, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies and BA Digital Media.
* Theatre-Performance Creation is now a direct-entry program that students can apply to in their OUAC Undergraduate application.
* **New:** First Year Exploration offered at Glendon Campus.
* **Suspended Programs** (for new admission only) – **Keele Campus:** Biomedical Physics, Classics and Classical Studies, East Asian Studies, Environmental Biology, Gender and Women’s Studies, Germanic Studies, Hellenic Studies, Indigenous Studies, Italian Studies, Jewish Studies, Portuguese and Brazilian Studies, Spanish, Religious Studies. **Glendon Campus:** English, Global History and Justice, Sociology, Spanish and Latin American Cultures and Societies. **Note:**While these degree programs are suspended,   
  in-demand courses covering their subject matter will still be offered.

### Campus Tours and Events

* Kate Duncan, Senior Planner, On Campus Recruitment & Events [kduncan@yorku.ca](mailto:kduncan@yorku.ca)
* We collaboratively plan customized opportunities for school groups.
* Campus tours are available both virtually and in person: <https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/tours>.
* Spring Open Houses:
  + Glendon Campus: Saturday, March 29, 2025
  + Markham Campus: Saturday, April 5, 2025

## Admission and Transition Information

### Fall Offers of Admission

* Offers are based on 6 U/M courses, including prerequisites.
  + December-January: Six 3U/M and/or any final or midterm 4U/M grades.
  + February-March: Six final 4U/M courses and/or 3U/M courses.
  + April-May: Six 4U/M courses (final and midterm grades).
* We confirm final admission conditions when we receive July academic results.

### Alternative Offers of Admission

* If a student is not admitted to the program they have applied to, but is admissible to another program, we provide an alternative offer.

### Accessibility Services

* Available through our Student Accessibility Services and Student Counselling & Development offices. <https://accessibility.students.yorku.ca>

Grade 11 Grades

* We use Grade 11 grades for early consideration for many programs.
* All offers based on Grade 11 grades are conditional on Grade 12 final grades, including prerequisites and completion of the OSSD.

### Supplemental Application

* Most programs consider grades only, with the following exceptions:
  + BFA programs require an evaluation or audition.
  + Digital Technologies requires a supplementary application and interview with an employer.
  + The Schulich School of Business requires a supplementary application.
  + The Glendon bilingual International Studies & Business Administration Dual Degree program requires a supplementary application.
  + The Concurrent Education programs at Keele and Glendon campuses require a Supplementary Information Form.

### Ranking on OUAC Application

* Program choice ranking does factor into admissions decisions.
* We encourage students to rank their choices honestly.

### Tuition Deposit

* $300 deposit due on the 15th of the following month after enrolling in courses. Deadlines: <https://sfs.yorku.ca/fees/deposit>.
* $2,000 non-refundable deposit due for international tuition-paying students prior to enrollment and in order to receive a Provincial Attestation Letter.
* The deposit is part of the tuition cost and not an additional fee.

### First-year Course Selection Process

* Incoming students receive online or in-person academic advising.

### Support for Transition to University

* YU START student transition program | <http://yustart.yorku.ca>
* Academic and social orientation | <http://orientation.yorku.ca>
* BE YU: Black Excellence at York University <https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/black-excellence>
* YU PREP: Summer modules for new university learners <https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/yu-prep>

### Dual Credits/SHSM Programs

* SHSM program students may join an on-campus reach-ahead program. Email [kduncan@yorku.ca](mailto:kduncan@yorku.ca) for more information.

### English Proficiency Requirements

* Students whose first language is not English may meet our proficiency requirements if they have completed at least 4 years at an accredited English-medium high school.
* Accepted English-language tests include Duolingo, IELTS and TOEFL. York University Language Institute pathways also available.

<http://futurestudents.yorku.ca/requirements/language-tests>

## Admission Policies

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

* AP: Students with completed AP courses with grades of 4 or 5 may receive up to 30 credits of transfer credit.
* IB: Students with completed IB Higher Level courses with grades of 5 or better may receive up to 30 credits of transfer credit, depending on the program.

<https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/advanced-secondary-cegep>

### Deferral

* Most programs will consider a deferral request for up to 1 year.
* Students must accept their offer of admission and complete our deferral form.
* Deferrals are not offered for the Bachelor of Business Administration, Nursing, Design or Social Work programs.

### Repeated Courses

* We will accept the highest grade.

### Special Consideration

* Students can complete an additional information form to tell us about any extenuating circumstances, health condition or diagnosed disability that may have affected their academic performance. | [https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/requirements/  
  extenuating-circumstances](https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/requirements/extenuating-circumstances)

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

* We accept all Ministry-inspected and -approved courses.
* Prior to registering for courses at a private school, students should ensure it is approved by the Ministry of Education.

### Transfer Credit

* We are a leader in transfer credit assessment and pathway opportunities. | <http://futurestudents.yorku.ca/transfer>

## Scholarship and Financial Aid Information

### Bursaries

* York bursaries are worth up to $2,000 and help cover costs such as books and supplies.
* Students must complete the Scholarships, Awards & Bursaries Application. | <http://futurestudents.yorku.ca/funding>

### Automatic Entrance Scholarships

* Renewable Automatic Entrance Scholarship amounts are based on final admission average and range in value from $1,000 to $3,500 per year.
* Automatic Entrance Scholarships are now renewable at all tiers to recipients who maintain the minimum required grade point average (GPA).
* **Notes:**
  + If a student’s GPA drops below the renewability threshold, they can now regain their Automatic Entrance Scholarship for the following academic year once they bring their GPA back up to the minimum required.
  + A student’s total award value over 4 years will vary between $1,000 and $14,000.
  + All students entering with a final admission average of 80% or higher will be eligible to receive a $1,500 Study Abroad Award (packaged with the Automatic Entrance Scholarship) if they participate in a formal exchange experience.

### Additional Scholarships

* The Tentanda Via Award, valued at up to $40,000 (over 4 years’ renewability), will be awarded to45 domestic students. This award recognizes students who have demonstrated resilience in overcoming personal barriers in the pursuit of a university education, or who are leaders who have demonstrated a commitment to making a difference.
* The Schulich School of Business offers the Schulich Real Property Alumni Association Leadership Award for Black Communities (1) and Indigenous Communities (1), each valued at up to $30,000.
* Our numerous prestigious scholarships include the Governors’ Awards of Distinction ($32,000) and the Avie Bennett Award ($30,000).
* **New:** Bennett Family Award for Black & Indigenous Students, $30,000 over 4 years.
* **New:** Bennett Family First Generation Award, $30,000 over 4 years.
* **New:** Bennett Family Jane & Finch Award, $30,000 over 4 years.

### Scholarship Deadline

* Deadlines may vary by funding or award type:

<https://futurestudents.yorku.ca/funding>.

* Most scholarships have an application deadline of February 15 or April 1, 2025, for document submission.

## Residence Information

### Deposit Fee

* $750 non-refundable room deposit to secure residence reservation.
* Due in June 2025.

### Guaranteed Residence

* We guarantee residence to first-year students admitted directly from an Ontario high school who apply by the June 2, 2025, housing guarantee deadline. | <https://www.yorku.ca/housing/apply>
* 4-year residence is guaranteed for international tuition-paying students.

### Residence Options

* Undergraduate housing is available for all 3 campuses.
* All buildings are co-ed, though same-gender floors and washrooms are available.
* The Quad at York is an unaffiliated student residence complex on our Keele Campus. | [https://quadatyork.ca](https://quadatyork.ca/)

### Online Application

* <https://www.yorku.ca/housing/apply>

### Application Deadline

* Residence guarantee for first-year students: June 2, 2025.

# NotesQuick 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?

x Yes

☐ 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?

$300 domestic, $2,000 international

## Residence

### How much is the deposit for residence?

$750

### Is residence guaranteed?

☐ Yes

x Yes, with conditions

☐ No

### What is the 2025 residence application deadline?

June 2

### Residence options:

x Dorm

x Apartment/Suite

☐ Townhouse

### Where can students apply for residence?

## https://www.yorku.ca/myfileScholarships and Entrance Awards

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

80%+

### Are entrance scholarships renewable?

x Yes

☐ No

☐ See details

### What is the entrance scholarship value range?

$1,000-$3,500

### Are prerequisites considered in determining scholarship amounts?

x Yes

☐ No

### Is an application required?

☐ Yes

☐ No

x Some scholarships