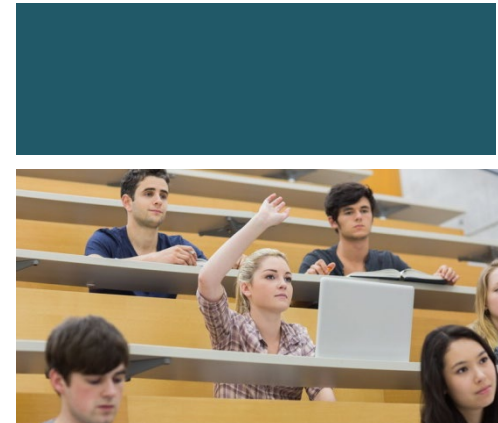


Ontario Universities' Application Centre

Everything You Need to Know
About the OUAC 2024



170 Research Lane Guelph, Ontario



Did You Know? (1 of 2)

- **Our first processing cycle was:**
1971-1972
- **Our annual application volume includes:**
200,000 individual applicants who file approximately
600,000 application selections
- **We process applications to:**
 - Undergrad, teacher education, medical, law and rehabilitation sciences programs
 - Special individual contracts related to graduate studies, part-time undergraduate studies, international studies and more

Did You Know? (2 of 2)

- **The OUAC provides services in:**
English and French
- **Our staff is made up of:**
85 full-time staff and approximately 10 part-time staff
- **The OUAC is a not-for-profit service:**
 - It operates under the auspices of the Council of Ontario Universities (COU).
 - It is fully funded through application and contract revenues and operates on a cost-recovery basis. Any excess revenue is transferred to the universities.

Where Do the Fees Go?

- The OUAC distributes approximately 80% of the application fee revenue it collects to the universities.
- The remaining revenue is used to provide services for students, parents and school officials.

Operational Mandates (1 of 2)

Core Services

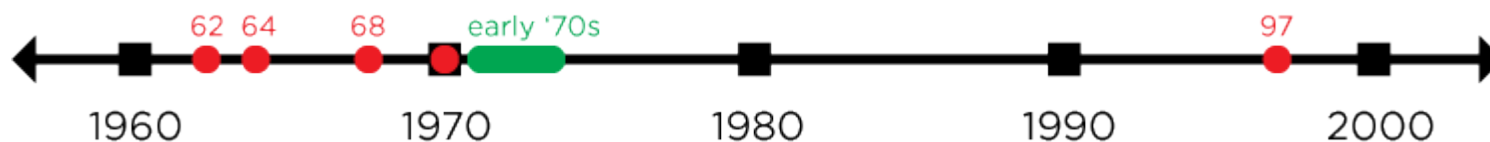
- Application processing
(Undergraduate, OLSAS, OMSAS, ORPAS, TEAS)
- OUInfo
- OUF, Regional Fairs
- OUETS
(EDI transcripts – variable transcript fees)

Operational Mandates (2 of 2)

Contract Services

- Processing graduate applications for **8** universities
- Processing undergraduate applications for **12** universities (**36** separate apps)
- Matching Nursing collaboration files with OCAS
- Transferring current Ontario high school students' grades out of province
- Collecting BC and CEGEP grades electronically

Recruitment and Ontario Universities



OUAC's Recruitment Roles

- Ontario Universities' Info
- Ontario Universities' Fair
- Ontario Universities' Regional Fairs
- Ontario Universities' Information Sessions
- Ontario Universities' Guidance Dialogues
- PIE Calendar
- SCSR and GCSR
- Data Collection

Undergraduate Application

Application and Tips

- Deadline for Group A applicants:
January 15, 2025
- Encourage students to apply early
- Maximum of 3 choices per university
- Video tutorials on the OUAC website show how to:
 - Create an account
 - Complete the application
 - Respond to offers of admission



Criteria for Group A Applicants

An applicant is a Group A applicant if **all** of the following are true:

- They are currently taking 1 or more courses at an Ontario high school
- and**
- They are under 21
- and**
- They have an OSSD or are working toward an OSSD with six 4U/M courses

Admission Information Service

- Opened June 5, 2024
- Allows students to determine which Ontario universities still have spots available in first-year undergrad programs



Haven't received an Ontario university offer?

Use the Admission Information Service (AIS)

Starting June 5, 2024, Ontario high school students can use the AIS to find possible openings at Ontario universities.

To begin your search, visit www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide and click:

[Search Open Programs](#)

Once you find an open program of interest, add it to your application.

Requirements:

- You will be completing or have completed the OSSD (or equivalent), including six 4U/M courses, by August 2024.
- You must have an average of at least 60%, although higher averages are usually required.

To find out more:

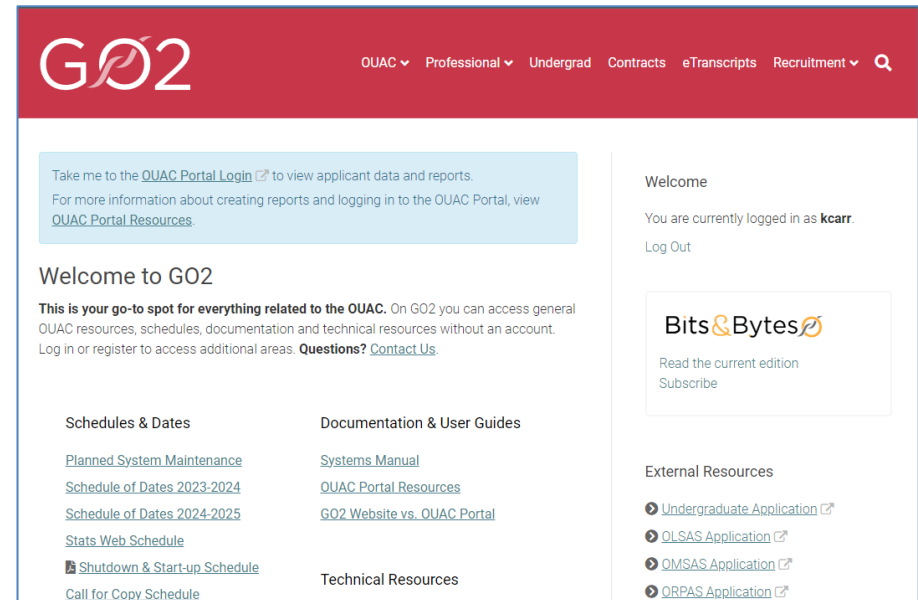
- Visit: www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide
- Call: 519-823-1063
- Email: undergradsup@ouac.on.ca

Vous n'avez pas reçu d'offre d'une université de l'Ontario?

www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide
www.ouac.on.ca/fr/premier-cycle-guide

The GO2 Website

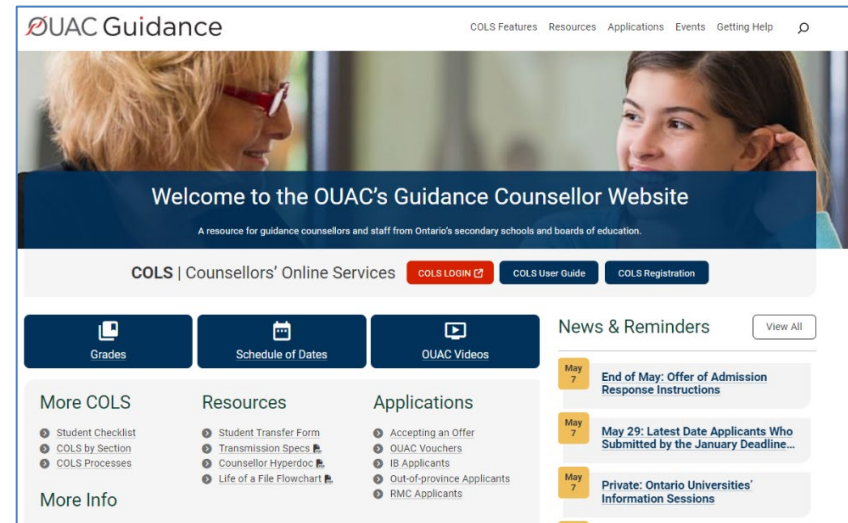
- Recruitment Guide
- Ontario Secondary School Info Report
- Schedules and Calendar
- OUAC Portal and info
- Links to online apps
- Meeting documents



go2.ouac.on.ca

The OUAC's Guidance Website

- **NEW** easier-to-use website
- Documents and services available for high school officials
- Voucher Program info
- PIE Calendar



www.ouac.on.ca/guidance

www.ouac.on.ca/guidance/fr

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August 2024



August 2024

The OUAC launches [Ontario Universities' Info](#) and begins posting application material with updated information for fall 2025 admission.

November 2024

Access COLS

[COLS Login](#)

[User Guide](#)

Quick Links



[Grades](#)



[Videos](#)



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News & Reminders

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May 7

[End of May: Offer of Admission Response Instructions](#)

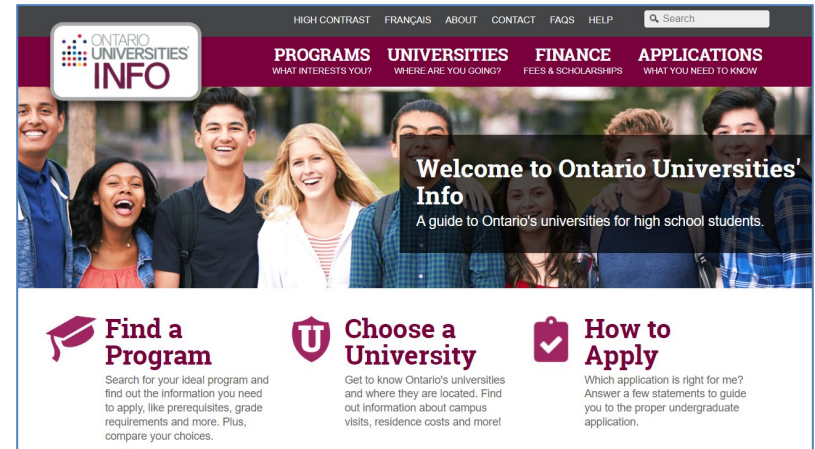
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[May 29: Latest Date Applicants Who Submitted by the January Deadline Can Expect a Response from an Ontario University](#)

OUIInfo Website

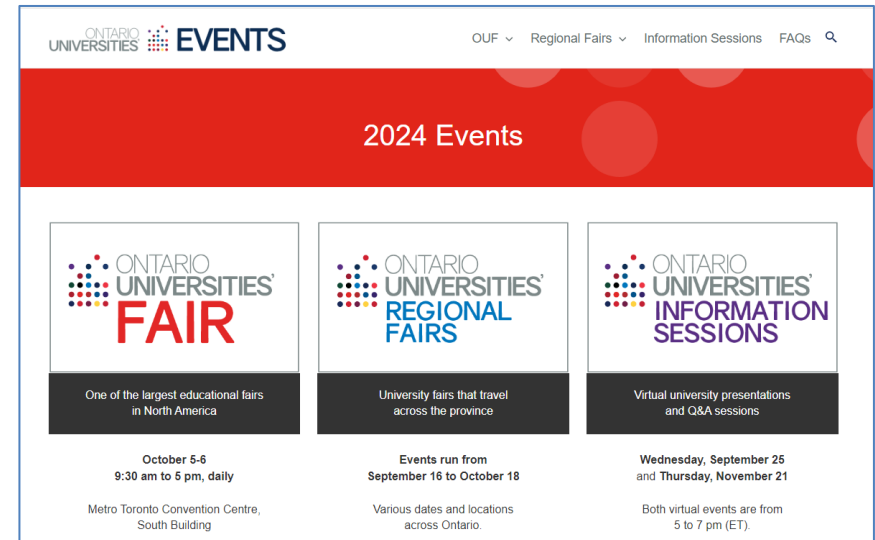
- A guide to Ontario's universities for high school students
- Find information about:
 - Programs
 - Universities
 - Prerequisites
 - Admission requirements
 - Campus tours
 - Residence and meal plans
 - Scholarships
 - And more!

www.ouinfo.ca
www.ouinfo.ca/fr



OUEvents Website

- Includes registration for all events
- General OUEvents info
- FAQs



www.ouevents.ca
www.ouevents.ca/fr

Fall 2024 In-person and Virtual Events

- **Ontario Universities' Fair**
October 5-6, 2024
at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre
- **Regional Fairs**
Various locations and dates from September through October (refer to events website for schedule)
- **Information Sessions**
Virtual events
September 25 and November 21 (5-7 pm)

Stay Connected!



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www.facebook.com/OntarioUnis



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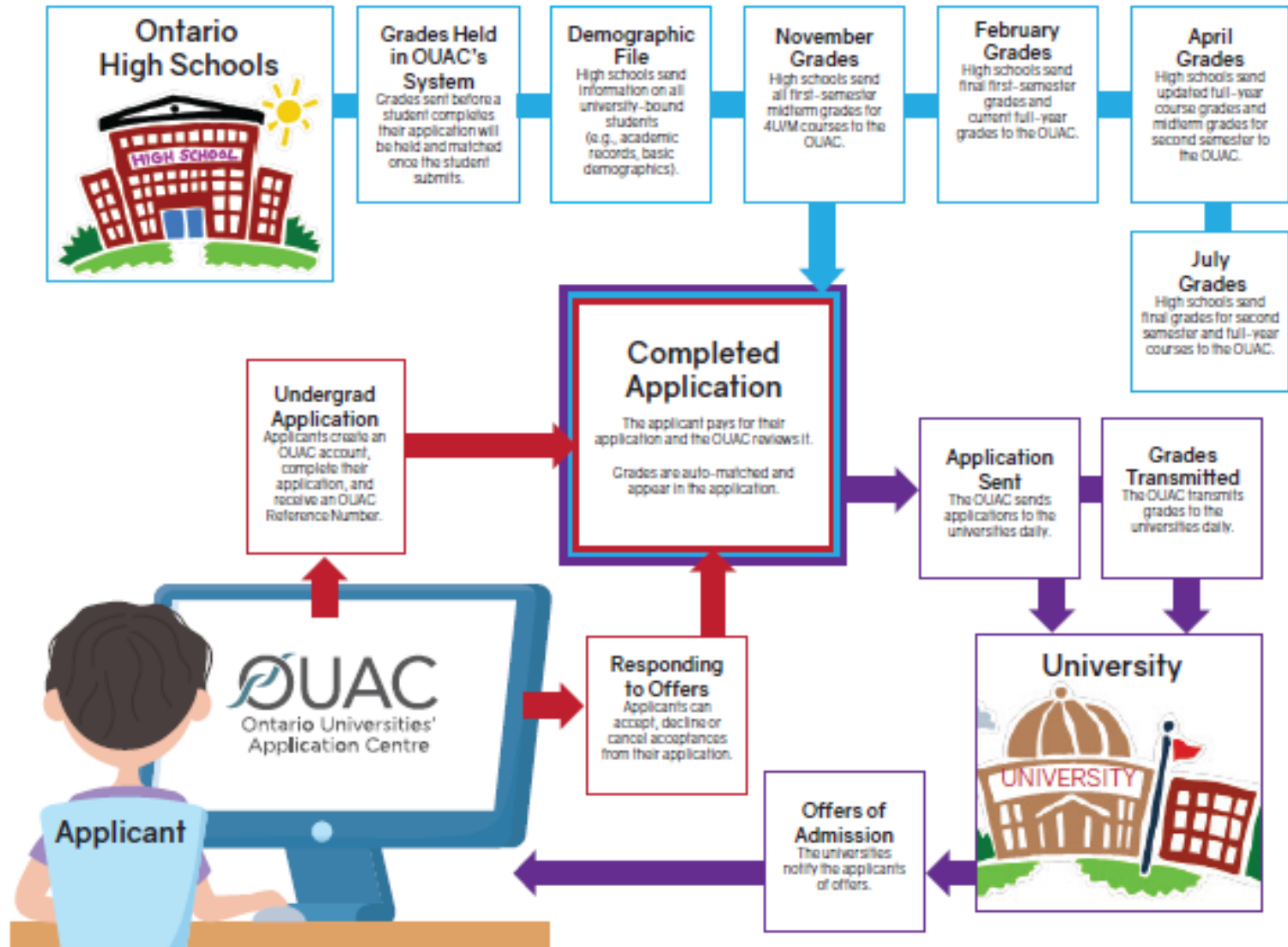
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How a Student's File is Created and Becomes a Completed Application

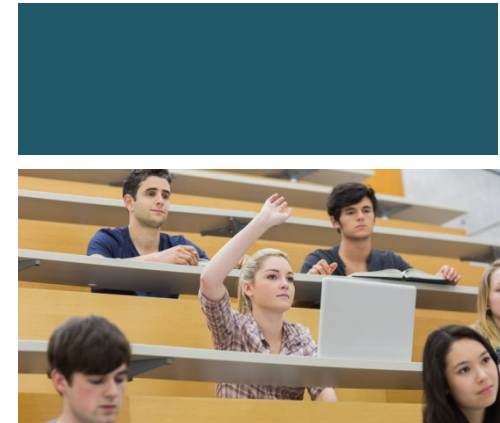


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Workshop Resources

This presentation and the Guide to the OUAC for University Recruitment Representatives are available at:

<https://go2.ouac.on.ca/resource/workshop-resources>

OUAC Ontario Universities' Application Centre

A Guide to the OUAC for Recruitment Representatives

GO2 Website
go2.ouac.on.ca

Visit the OUAC GO2 website – your “go-to” spot for everything related to the OUAC.

The Recruitment section features information about various university recruitment strategies, including OUInfo, the OUAC Regional Fair, the Information Sessions and Guidance Dialogues.

On the GO2 website, you will find:

- A calendar of dates/deadlines
- The Ontario Secondary School Info Report (guidance contacts)
- Meeting resources for the SCOR, SCOR, SCOR-EB and OUP
- Meeting tool kit for recruitment activities
- Future event dates
- The Recruitment Guide, SCOR Terms of Reference and more!

To register for access to an site you are a member of, visit: go2.ouac.on.ca/register.

New on GO2 in 2023:

- Information about data collection for recruitment events and how to obtain OUAC data collection form links
- Streamlined recruitment section and easier-to-find content.

OUInfo
An Important Resource for Ontario High School Students
ouinfo.ouac.on.ca

Students can find and compare information about Ontario universities, including:

- Programs
- Admission requirements
- Residence
- Meet your
- Scholarship
- Events

OUInfo is the only resource that is updated directly by the Ontario universities.

On the OUAC Information page, students can click “Get Information From University” to request information directly from the universities they are interested in.

Coming in September 2023: The New Undergraduate Application

This September, we will combine the 101 and 102 applications into 1 comprehensive Undergraduate Application.

There will be no 101 letters and no separate over what type of applicant the student is – just 1 smart application to complete.

We will be with you as every stage!

New how-to videos coming to the OUAC website soon.

For the latest updates: go2.ouac.on.ca/new-undergraduate-application

Helpful Links:

- Undergraduate Application Guide
www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide
- How to Create an Account
www.ouac.on.ca/how-to-create-an-account
- How to Apply
www.ouac.on.ca/how-to-apply
- How-to Videos
www.ouac.on.ca/how-to-videos

Important Dates for Current Ontario High School Applicants

JAN 15 2024 Deadline for applicants to complete their Ontario university application.

MAY 29 2024 The earliest day applicants may be required to respond to an offer. The offer may also have to give a financial commitment (e.g., registration or residence deposit, etc.).

JUN 3 2024 Last day applicants can expect a response from an Ontario university.

In an effort to streamline our resources and provide the most up-to-date content to Ontario's high school students, we will be moving some of our pages to the OUAC website this August.

Moving to OUAC in August 2023

Old Website	Guidance
University Student Transition Resources	OUAC
Ontario Universities' Indigenous Student Resources	OUAC
NEW! Equity, Diversity and Inclusion	N/A

go2.ouac.on.ca under "Recruitment"

Battle for the Belt

