 **OCS Post-Secondary Planning 2021**

***A rough outline detailing how to apply to***

***UNIVERSITY***

1. **Gather information about Post-Secondary Programs**
* Visit [**https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/**](https://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca/)for program info, fees, scholarships, virtual and in person tours/events
* Attend the virtual Ontario University Fair on **Tuesday October 26th**

**https://www.ontariouniversitiesfair.ca/**

* OCS Virtual University Fairs in October and November – visit [**https://www.ocscommunity.ca/grade-12**](https://www.ocscommunity.ca/grade-12)
* Visit myBlueprint.ca/tcdsb – ‘Post-Secondary’
* Conversations with guidance, family, friends, program counsellors etc.
1. **Apply to Ontario Universities @ OUAC – https://www.ouac.on.ca/ouac-101/**
* **Important Dates:**
* January 13th – deadline to submit completed applications
* May 27th – latest date to receive a response from universities
* June 1st – earliest date you may be required to respond to an offer & provide finances
* **Important Information:**
* The application processing fee is $150 (non-refundable) for 3 program choices
* Additional program choices at $50/program
* **Steps in Applying:**
* Watch the How-To Videos found at the link:

[**https://www.ouac.on.ca/101-tutorials/**](https://www.ouac.on.ca/101-tutorials/)

* Refer to the Application Guide at the link:

[**https://www.ouac.on.ca/guide/101-guide/**](https://www.ouac.on.ca/guide/101-guide/)

* Click “Create My OUAC Profile”
* Fill out “Create My OUAC Profile” and enter a username and password
* Enter the OUAC PIN you have been provided
* Complete all tabs and submit with processing fee
1. **Plan your finances**
* Consider applying for OSAP at

[**https://www.ontario.ca/page/osap-ontario-student-assistance-program**](https://www.ontario.ca/page/osap-ontario-student-assistance-program)

* Research scholarships & bursaries, websites listed below:
* [**yconic.com**](http://www.yconic.com)
* [**scholarshipscanada.com**](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com)
* [**tcdsb.org/FORSTUDENTS/AwardsScholarshipsBursariesContests/Pages/default.aspx**](https://www.tcdsb.org/FORSTUDENTS/AwardsScholarshipsBursariesContests/Pages/default.aspx)
* [**canada.ca/en/services/benefits/education/student-aid.html**](https://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/education/student-aid.html)
* **studentscholarships.org**
* [**ScholarTree.ca**](http://www.ScholarTree.ca)
* **grantme.ca**
* [**proliteracy.ca**](http://www.proliteracy.ca/) (for financial planning support)