



**2025–2026**  
**Undergraduate Handbook**  
**York University**





# RIGHT THE FUTURE™

Amazing things happen when diverse communities work together to create positive change. Together, we are making things right for our communities, our planet and our future.

## Welcome!

York University is one of Canada's most diverse and research-intensive universities, and a leader in the *Times Higher Education Impact Rankings* for advancing the United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals. At a time when global issues ranging from political conflict and inequalities to climate change are increasingly complex, York's values of excellence, connectedness, access and impact are critical. I look forward to welcoming you here at York where you will have access to high quality programs and a rich learning environment comprised of faculty, staff and students making a difference in their disciplines and their communities.

### **Rhonda Lenton**

President and Vice-Chancellor  
York University



# York by the Numbers

**\$100M**

awarded in  
scholarships

**16,000+**

students are first in their  
family to attend university

**53,000+**

students from  
175+ countries



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## Land Acknowledgment

York University recognizes that many Indigenous Nations have longstanding relationships with the territories upon which York University campuses are located that precede the establishment of York University. York University acknowledges its presence on the traditional territory of many Indigenous Nations. The area known as Tkaronto has been care taken by the Anishinabek Nation, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Huron-Wendat. It is now home to many First Nations, Inuit and Métis communities. We acknowledge the current treaty holders, the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. This territory is subject of the Dish with One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, an agreement to peaceably share and care for the Great Lakes region. Learn more about land acknowledgments and York's Indigenous protocols at [go.yorku.ca/indgprotocols-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/indgprotocols-ug).

# A Community of Changemakers

York students, faculty, staff, alumni and community partners are united in our commitment to inclusion, community engagement and social and economic justice.

[go.yorku.ca/why-york-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/why-york-ug)

**Building a more inclusive future.** By providing \$1 million in support of Indigenous research and working with refugees at the Centre for Refugee Studies for more than 35 years, York is working to reduce inequality. About 16,000 of York’s students are the first in their family to attend university.

**Creating a just and sustainable future.** York is responding to the global climate crisis through the Faculty of Environmental & Urban Change. York researchers are working on a diverse range of projects with local and global partners, including the Ecological Footprint Initiative, which tracks human consumption of renewable resources around the world.

**Championing justice for marginalized communities.** Osgoode Hall Law School at York, one of the top law schools in Canada and recognized among the best in the world, is teaching tomorrow’s leaders to become champions for social impact by helping those who have been, and continue to be today, left behind by our legal system.



York University ranks among the world’s top post-secondary institutions in supporting the United Nations’ global sustainable development goals in the *Times Higher Education Impact Rankings*:

- **#2 in the world** for no poverty
- **#13 in the world** for sustainable cities and communities
- **#33 in the world** for reduced inequalities



“In my role as a research assistant in the *Infrastructure Beyond Extractivism* project, I interrogated the battery minerals supply chain in Ontario. I was given the opportunity to actively participate as an ally in courtrooms on Indigenous consultation cases, and in prestigious environmental law conferences with fellow activists.”

**Tomisona Oludairo** (she/her),  
Sustainable Environmental Management '24

# Research with a Purpose

Get involved and make a difference with student research opportunities that contribute to York's commitment to social justice, sustainability and the public good. Through research, you can strive to better understand the world around you.

## Opportunities include:

- Research practicums and placements
- Paid and volunteer research positions
- Undergraduate research fairs
- Labs and field courses

## Creating a Better Future Through Research

### Addressing Homelessness

through the Canadian Observatory on Homelessness



### Tackling Socially Responsible AI

through a \$318-million Connected Minds program



### Supporting Women-led Product and Service Ventures

through the Entrepreneurial Leadership & Learning Alliance



### Leading Research in Disaster and Emergency Management

through the York Emergency Mitigation, Engagement, Response and Governance Institute



# A Space for Everyone

York's campuses are spaces where bold ideas take shape and lifelong connections are made. Here you'll find your home away from home, a welcoming community of friends and your new favourite study spots and restaurants.

## Travel to, from and between campuses with ease

**3**  
public transit stations

**8,200+**  
parking spaces

### York-operated shuttle buses

between our three  
campuses and free  
for students

### VanGO Mobility Service

to help students with  
disabilities travel from  
classes on our Keele Campus

### 24/7 access to bicycles

across our Glendon and  
Keele Campuses through  
three Bike Share stations

## Keele Campus

Walk the scenic paths of our **large-scale campus**, a thriving community hub enhanced by its location in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA), featuring athletic facilities, studios, labs, residences, restaurants and green spaces.



## Glendon Campus

Located in the heart of Toronto, Glendon is our **founding campus** where globally-focused programs, research and hands-on learning opportunities develop the changemakers of tomorrow.



## Markham Campus

Academic programs and research at our **newest campus** revolve around the core themes of technology and entrepreneurship and how they are driving innovation.



# In the Heart of a Vibrant City

York's Keele Campus is located just a subway ride away from downtown Toronto or uptown Vaughan Metropolitan Centre. With two subway stations on our Keele Campus, as well as a network of buses, GO transit and light rail transit, you can easily explore the diverse neighbourhoods, parks, sporting events and concerts in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA).

## Toronto: a City to Love

**Largest city in Canada**

**Safest city in North America**

*(The Economist, 2024)*

**2<sup>nd</sup>**  
largest financial hub  
in North America

**1,500+**  
parks and 500+  
music venues



**York University is thrilled to be the official university partner of the Toronto Raptors basketball team!**

With this partnership, York students will have access to exclusive networking opportunities with the Toronto Raptors, one-of-a-kind experiences and other engagements.



**OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY PARTNER  
OF THE TORONTO RAPTORS**

# Build Confidence and Community

York offers many ways to get involved, make friends and maximize your university experience.

## Find Your Club

Discover new communities and pursue your interests by choosing from 350+ student organizations, clubs, councils and groups.

[go.yorku.ca/studentlife-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/studentlife-ug)



## Cheer for Your Team

Display your school spirit for your fellow York Lions, who hold 37 national titles and 180 provincial banners. Varsity games are free for students to attend.

[go.yorku.ca/varsity-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/varsity-ug)



## Colleges Make a Big University Feel Small

You will be placed in one of York's nine colleges after accepting your offer of admission. Benefit from a close community where you can study, attend social activities, get academic help, work and volunteer.

[go.yorku.ca/colleges-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/colleges-ug)



## Home Away from Home

Join 2,700+ students living on York's campuses in our 10 residences. Choose from a single or double room with shared common spaces and enjoy the convenience of a residence meal plan or request a suite where you can cook on your own, with an optional meal plan.

York's Residence Life team creates a supportive community experience with amazing opportunities to make friends from around the world and be part of a diverse academic community. [go.yorku.ca/housing-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/housing-ug)



## View Residence Rooms:

Scan the QR code to view photos of our residences at Keele Campus.

[go.yorku.ca/resgallery-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/resgallery-ug)



## Residence Costs (CAD \$) (for two semesters)

### Traditional Style

- Single: \$8,600 – \$8,900
- Double: \$7,900 – \$8,200

### Suite (includes kitchenette)

- Single: \$9,300 – \$11,100
- Double: \$9,300 – \$9,800

### Meal Plans\*

- \$3,300 – \$6,500 (depending on room/suite type)

Visit [go.yorku.ca/residence-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/residence-ug) for a full breakdown of costs and details for the upcoming year as above estimates are based on the previous academic cycle and are subject to change.

\* Halal, kosher and vegetarian options are available.



## Off-Campus Housing:

Explore alternative housing options through listings, roommate boards and renter resources.

[go.yorku.ca/offcampus-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/offcampus-ug)

# Your Partners in Success

Caring student peers, advisors and staff empower you to be your best self with a wealth of resources designed to support your academic, social, physical and mental well-being.

Here are some ways we look forward to supporting you in maximizing your student experience at York.



## ✓ Develop Your Academic Skills

Learners of all backgrounds are welcomed and supported. Whether you're preparing for your first exam, developing your study habits or practicing your academic writing skills, we've got you covered.

- Student Accessibility Services
- Writing Centre
- Libraries
- Learning Skills Services
- Academic Advising

## ➤ Transition to York Confidently

Prepare for a seamless start to university, with online preparatory modules, workshops and customized supports for equity-deserving groups.

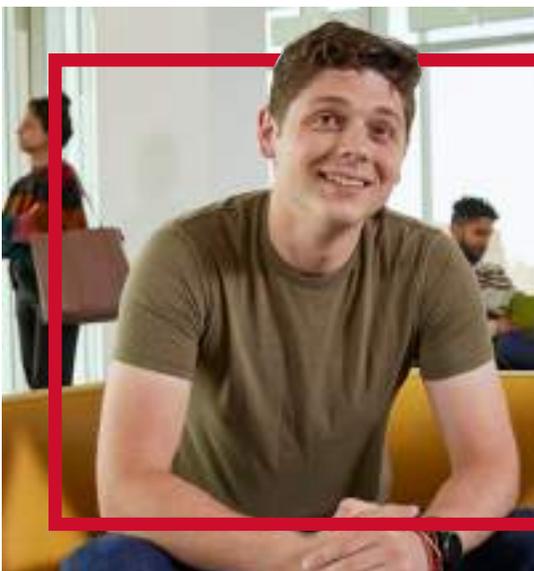
- YU Prep
- Black Excellence at York University (BE YU)
- YU START
- York University Orientation
- Project Advance offered by Student Accessibility Services

## ✕ Support Your Whole Self

Your wellness is essential for effective learning and personal success. Build your sense of community, health and well-being.

- Athletics & Recreation
- Centre for Indigenous Student Services (CISS)
- Student Counselling Health & Well-being
- Student Community & Leadership Development

To learn more, visit [go.yorku.ca/services-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/services-ug).



“Student Accessibility Services at York helped me manage my academic assignments and tests by providing me with alternate accommodations. Support from student services and my professors allowed me to confidently explore both my passion for the arts and my goals for the future.”

**Colin Arthurs** (he/him), Visual Arts-Studio '24

[go.yorku.ca/colin-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/colin-ug)

# Go Beyond the Classroom

York offers unique learning experiences in and out of the classroom, meaningful job opportunities and career coaching. Create positive change in your community, workforce and the world as you build skills that give you a competitive career advantage.

## Jumpstart Your Career

### Get Hands-On Experience

York provides many unique opportunities to build career skills and connections throughout your degree, from co-op to research courses, to industry practicum. Visit our program webpages for more information on experiential learning activities specific to your Faculty or area.

[go.yorku.ca/programs-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/programs-ug)

### Prepare for the Future

York's Career Centre helps you explore careers and prepare for your job search through one-to-one advising, resumé writing, interview prep, career fairs, networking events and access to a central job board and alumni connections during your studies and up to two years after you graduate.

[go.yorku.ca/careerprep-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/careerprep-ug)

### Tackle the Problems of Today

Gain valuable experience doing work that matters through the Cross-Campus Capstone Classroom (C4). Hone your critical, creative and strategic thinking abilities by working on multidisciplinary teams with students from across the University, designing effective solutions to real-world challenges. C4 has connected 1,200+ students with over 100 community and industry partners.

[go.yorku.ca/c4-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/c4-ug)

### Earn a Digital Badge

Boost your resumé by completing York's free Microlecture Series in Sustainable Living, taught by our world-renowned experts.

[go.yorku.ca/microlecture-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/microlecture-ug)

## Did YU Know?

York University alumni have been hired by globally recognized employers, such as:

- Apple
- Deloitte
- Google
- NASA
- Sanofi
- Tesla
- Amazon
- TikTok

## Last Year:



# 37,445

**experiential education** opportunities were available to York students.

# 14,450

**employment opportunities\*** were available to York students.

\* including part-time, full-time, internship, co-op and new graduate opportunities.

"I chose York for its hands-on experience, community and co-op opportunities. The university's emphasis on practical learning in a diverse community aligned perfectly with my goals. Working in a pharmaceutical company as a co-op student allowed me to apply and expand the theoretical knowledge gained during my studies."

**Samin Tavakoli** (she/her), Biochemistry '24

[go.yorku.ca/samin-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/samin-ug)



# Scholarships and Awards

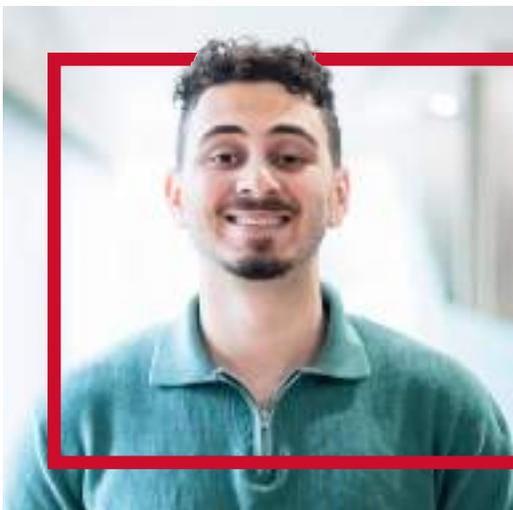
We look forward to celebrating your achievements and supporting your success with a variety of financial awards. Some York University scholarships are automatically awarded, while others require an application. Explore details and a full list of awards at [go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug).

## York Automatic Entrance Scholarship

Available to domestic high-school applicants admitted to a direct-entry undergraduate program.

This entrance scholarship is automatically applied, renewable at all levels and can be regained when you recover the minimum required GPA. Recipients of this scholarship who choose to participate in an exchange program during their second, third or fourth year will also receive the York University Study Abroad Award, valued at \$1,500.

Admission Average	Total Value of Award
95-100%	\$14,000 (\$3,500 x 4 years)
90-94.9%	\$8,000 (\$2,000 x 4 years)
85-89.9%	\$6,000 (\$1,500 x 4 years)
80-84.9%	\$4,000 (\$1,000 x 4 years)



“The Schulich Leader Scholarship has helped relieve a lot of financial stress, which allows me to focus on my studies and spend time giving back to the York community.”

**Luca Filippelli** (he/him), 4<sup>th</sup> year Computer Engineering  
[go.yorku.ca/luca-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/luca-ug)

## Celebrating Excellence

We also offer many other financial awards to recognize your academic excellence, leadership and resilience, in addition to automatic entrance scholarships.

**Note:** Some scholarship applications are due in February. Scholarship values and eligibility are subject to change.

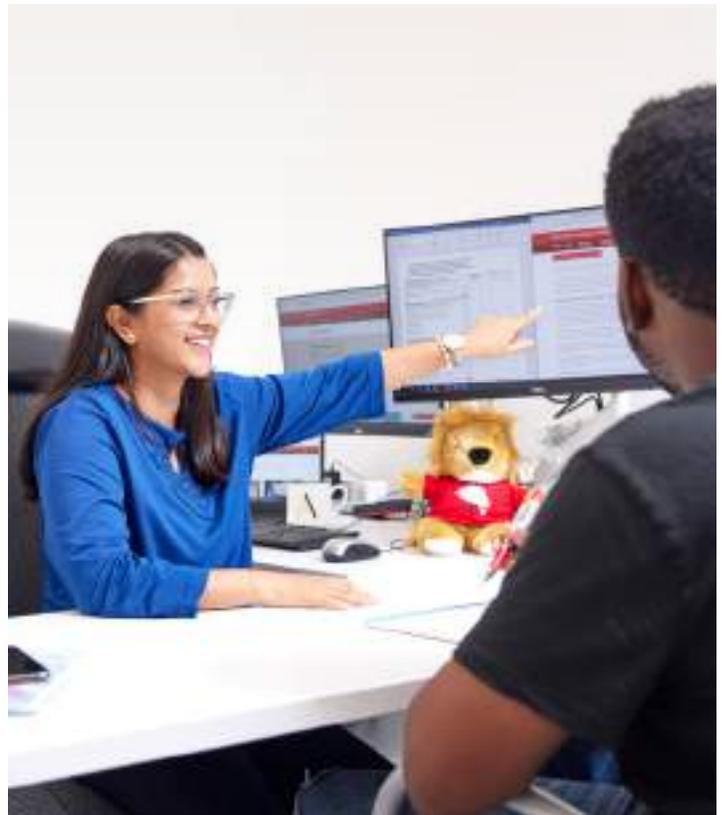
Award Name	Value of Award(s)
Schulich Leader Scholarship	\$100,000 – \$120,000 (over 4 years)
<i>Tentanda Via</i> Award	\$40,000 (over 4 years)
Governor’s Award of Distinction	\$32,000 (over 4 years)
Award of Achievement	\$24,000 (over 4 years)
Bennett Family Award for Black and Indigenous Students	\$30,000 (over 4 years)
Bennett Family First Generation Award	\$30,000 (over 4 years)
Bennett Family Jane & Finch Award	\$30,000 (over 4 years)

Additional entrance scholarships and financial awards are offered by York’s academic Faculties and/or programs.  
[go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug)

# Financing Your Degree

Your education is an exciting investment that requires careful planning.

- **Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP):**  
If you're an Ontario resident, apply for loans and non-repayable government grants.
- **Out-of-Province Students:** Apply for funding through your home province.
- **External Funding:** Part-time students, students with dependents and those returning to school for skills development may be eligible for various federal and provincial grants.
- **Campus Employment Program:**  
Eligible students can participate in on-campus work opportunities through York's Research at York (RAY), Work/Study and Leadership, Engagement and Ambassadorship (LEAP) programs.
- **Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards:**  
You can apply for York University's financial awards, without an offer of admission.



Learn more about your eligibility for funding options: [go.yorku.ca/finance-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/finance-ug)

## Fees and Expenses

Below is a list of some expected costs for your first year. This list represents an estimate only. For course and program fees, visit [go.yorku.ca/fees-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/fees-ug).

After accepting your offer, domestic students are required to pay a \$300 deposit in order to enrol in courses. This non-refundable deposit is part of your tuition fee and will be credited to your student account.



2024–2025 Expenses (for two semesters)	Domestic Student (Ontario) Estimated Costs (CAD \$)	Domestic (Out of Province) Estimated Costs (CAD \$)	International Student Estimated Costs (CAD \$)
Average full-time tuition (30 credits) + compulsory supplementary fees*	\$7,200 – \$12,900	\$7,600 – \$11,300	\$34,800 – \$43,300
Textbooks and supplies*	\$1,400 – \$2,600 Varies by program	\$1,400 – \$2,600 Varies by program	\$1,400 – \$2,600 Varies by program
Residence housing (on campus)	\$7,900 – \$11,100	\$7,900 – \$11,100	\$7,900 – \$11,100
Meal Plan	\$3,300 – \$6,500	\$3,300 – \$6,500	\$3,300 – \$6,500
Health Plan	\$281	\$281	\$1,038**
<b>Estimated Totals***</b>	<b>\$20,100 – \$33,400</b>	<b>\$20,500 – \$31,800</b>	<b>\$48,500 – \$64,600</b>

\* Tuition fees and costs include the fall and winter terms and vary slightly by program.

To view estimated tuition fees by program, visit [go.yorku.ca/fees-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/fees-ug).

\*\* Health Plan fee includes UHIP plus York Federation of Students or Glendon plan.

\*\*\* Estimated totals are based on the 2024-25 academic year. Fees are subject to change.

# Pursue Your Passion. Find Your Program.

Benefit from engaging programs that offer innovative course design and diverse experiential education opportunities.



## Ontario High-School Admission Requirements

All Ontario high-school applicants to York University **MUST** meet the general admission requirements:

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD);
- six 4U/4M courses, including ENG4U or FRA4U;
- all applicable program and Faculty requirements; and
- proof of language proficiency (if applicable).

[go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug)

**Note:** Meeting the minimum requirements or admission grade average ranges listed online or within York University's publications should not be viewed as a guarantee of admission. Additional prerequisite requirements and grade minimums may apply.

**For full details regarding admission requirements, visit [go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug).**

### Applying from a high school outside of Ontario?

See page 17 for secondary school course equivalents in your province.

### Applying as a transfer or mature student?

Visit [go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug) to view admission requirements based on your current education and/or credentials.

## Degree Legend

<b>BA</b>	Bachelor of Arts
<b>BASc</b>	Bachelor of Applied Science
<b>BBA</b>	Bachelor of Business Administration
<b>BCom</b>	Bachelor of Commerce
<b>BDEM</b>	Bachelor of Disaster and Emergency Management
<b>BDes</b>	Bachelor of Design
<b>BEd</b>	Bachelor of Education
<b>BEng</b>	Bachelor of Engineering
<b>BES</b>	Bachelor in Environmental Studies
<b>BFA</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Fine Arts
<b>BHRM</b>	Bachelor of Human Resource Management
<b>BHS</b>	Bachelor of Health Studies
<b>BPA</b>	Bachelor of Public Administration
<b>BSc</b>	Bachelor of Science
<b>BScN</b>	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
<b>BSM</b>	Bachelor in Sport Management
<b>BSW</b>	Bachelor of Social Work
<b>iBA</b>	International Bachelor of Arts
<b>iBSc</b>	International Bachelor of Science



Across eight undergraduate Faculties, Keele Campus offers a range of exciting programs, purposeful, cutting-edge research and state-of-the-art academic, arts, technology and athletic facilities.

## School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design (AMPD)

[yorku.ca/discover/ampd](https://yorku.ca/discover/ampd)

**Realize your creative potential at AMPD.** With 30+ competitive degree programs, 300,000 square feet of premier facilities and a global network of 20,000+ alumni who are creative industry leaders, AMPD is a place for inclusive excellence, purposeful curiosity and career mobility.

School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design (AMPD)	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Cinema & Media Arts (BA)	ENG4U
Cinema & Media Arts – Media Arts (BFA)	
Cinema & Media Arts – Production (BFA)*	
Cinema & Media Arts – Screenwriting (BFA)*	
Dance (BFA)*	
Design (BDes)*	
Digital Media (BA)	ENG4U 4U Math (minimum 75%) 4M Arts ( <i>recommended</i> )
Integrative Arts (BFA*)	ENG4U
Music (BFA, BA)*	
Theatre (BA, BFA*)	
Theatre – Performance Creation (BFA)	
Visual Arts – Art History (BA)	
Visual Arts – Studio (BFA)*	
<p><b>*NOTE: Supplementary Application Requirement</b> In addition to applying for admission to York, applicants to some AMPD programs must complete an audition, interview and/or portfolio review. Find out more at <a href="https://ampd.yorku.ca/apply">ampd.yorku.ca/apply</a>.</p> <p><b>Supplementary Application Deadline for Guaranteed Consideration</b> Winter 2025: <b>November 6, 2024</b> Fall 2025: <b>February 5, 2025</b></p>	

## Faculty of Education

[yorku.ca/discover/edu](https://yorku.ca/discover/edu)

**Leaders supporting future leaders in education.**

As one of the top Faculties of Education in the country, we provide an environment where students are encouraged to be bold and challenge the status quo to uncover new possibilities in the advancement of education.

Faculty of Education	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Concurrent BEd (BEd)*	ENG4U
Concurrent BEd French (BEd)*	
Consecutive BEd (BEd)	Requires a recognized degree.
Educational Studies (BA)	ENG4U
Technological BEd (BEd)	For requirements, visit <a href="https://go.yorku.ca/tech-bed-ug">go.yorku.ca/tech-bed-ug</a> .
<p>* Program unavailable to transfer credit students.</p> <p><b>NOTE: Supplementary Application Requirement</b> In addition to applying for admission to York, applicants to the Concurrent Direct Entry Bachelor of Education must complete a supplementary application. Note, Consecutive and Technological Education BEd applicants must apply by <b>December 1, 2024</b> through OUAC Teacher Education Application Services at <a href="https://ouac.on.ca/teas">ouac.on.ca/teas</a>.</p> <p><b>Supplementary Application Deadlines:</b> <b>Consecutive BEd and Technological Education: December 18, 2024</b> <b>Concurrent BEd: April 1, 2025</b> Details: <a href="https://go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug">go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug</a></p>	

## Faculty of Environmental & Urban Change (EUC)

[yorku.ca/discover/euc](https://yorku.ca/discover/euc)

**Climate Crisis. Urbanization. Inequity.** Join EUC in a call to action facing people and the planet. Gain the fundamental knowledge, critical thinking skills, hands-on experience and global perspectives necessary to develop solutions and make positive change.

Faculty of Environmental & Urban Change	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Cities, Regions, Planning (BES)	ENG4U
Environmental Arts & Justice (BES)	ENG4U
Environmental Science (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Global Geography (BA)	ENG4U
Sustainable Environmental Management (BES)	
Undeclared Major (BA, BES)	

# Faculty of Health

[yorku.ca/discover/health](http://yorku.ca/discover/health)

**Become part of a growing, connected network** that leads constructive change in health and healthcare across Canada and the globe — building a healthy world for all.

Faculty of Health	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Global Health (BA)	ENG4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
Global Health (BSc)	ENG4U, 4U Math SCH4U or SPH4U
Health Studies (BHS)	ENG4U 4U Math ( <i>recommended</i> )
Health Policy, Management & Digital Health (BHS)	
Kinesiology & Health Science (BA)	ENG4U, 4U Math SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
Kinesiology & Health Science (BSc)	ENG4U, 4U Math SCH4U or SPH4U
Neuroscience: Kinesiology & Health Science (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U All prerequisites must have been completed within the last five years. No prerequisite below 80%.
Neuroscience: Psychology (BSc)	
Nursing: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Entry (BScN)	For requirements, visit <a href="http://go.yorku.ca/sec-entry-ug">go.yorku.ca/sec-entry-ug</a> .
Nursing: 4-year Direct Entry Program (BScN)	ENG4U, 4U Math, SBI4U SCH4U or SPH4U No prerequisite below 70%.
Nursing: Post-RN for Internationally Educated Nurses (BScN)	For requirements, visit <a href="http://go.yorku.ca/intl-nursing-ug">go.yorku.ca/intl-nursing-ug</a> .
Psychology (BA)	ENG4U
Psychology (BSc)	ENG4U, 4U Math SCH4U or SPH4U



# Lassonde School of Engineering

[yorku.ca/discover/lassonde](http://yorku.ca/discover/lassonde)

**Want to create a better world? So do we!**

Lassonde empowers you to put ideas into action and push the world forward. Through co-op programs, an entrepreneurship incubator, student clubs and prototyping spaces, you will become the next generation of creators who will tackle the world's biggest challenges.

Lassonde School of Engineering	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Computer Science (BA, iBA)*	ENG4U, MHF4U One other 4U Math ( <i>MCV4U recommended</i> )
Computer Science (BSc, iBSc)*	ENG4U, MHF4U SCH4U or SPH4U One other 4U Math ( <i>MCV4U recommended</i> )
Computer Security (BA)*	ENG4U, MHF4U One other 4U Math ( <i>MCV4U recommended</i> )
Computer Security (BSc)*	ENG4U, MHF4U SCH4U or SPH4U One other 4U Math ( <i>MCV4U recommended</i> )
Digital Media (BA)	ENG4U 4U Math (minimum 75%) 4U/M Arts or equivalent ( <i>recommended</i> )
Earth & Atmospheric Science (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SPH4U SCH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Engineering (BEng)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SCH4U, SPH4U No prerequisite below 70%.
All prerequisites must have been completed within the last five years. * Required: Minimum Math average of 75% and no Math grade below 65%.	

# Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies (LA&PS)

[yorku.ca/discover/laps](http://yorku.ca/discover/laps)

Join a Faculty that's ranked in the top 10 in Canada across several disciplines. With highly flexible and interdisciplinary degree options, LA&PS lets you study what you love and learn what you need.

Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
African Studies (BA)	ENG4U
Anthropology (BA, iBA)	
Business & Society (BA)	
Business Economics (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Children, Childhood & Youth (BA)	ENG4U
Classical Studies/Classics (BA)	
Cognitive Science (BA)	
Commerce (BCom)	ENG4U, MHF4U
Communication & Media Studies (BA, iBA)	ENG4U
Creative Writing (BA)	Minimum of one full year of undergraduate studies and a portfolio evaluation. For more information, visit <a href="http://go.yorku.ca/cwrw-ug">go.yorku.ca/cwrw-ug</a> .
Criminology (BA)	ENG4U
Disaster & Emergency Management (BDEM)	ENG4U MHF4U or MDM4U
East Asian Studies (BA)	ENG4U
Economics (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
English (BA)	ENG4U
English & Professional Writing (BA)	
Financial & Business Economics (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )



Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies (continued)		
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses	
French Studies (BA, iBA)	ENG4U	
Gender & Women's Studies (BA)		
German Studies (BA, iBA)		
Global Political Studies (BA, iBA)		
Health & Society (BA)		
Hellenic Studies (BA)		
History (BA, iBA)	ENG4U, 4U Math	
Human Resource Management (BHRM)		
Human Rights & Equity Studies (BA)	ENG4U	
Humanities (BA, iBA)		
Indigenous Studies (BA)		
Individualized Studies (BA)*	ENG4U Second year entry only	
Information Technology (BA)**	ENG4U, MHF4U	
Information Technology (BCom)**		
Interdisciplinary Social Science (BA)	ENG4U	
International Development Studies (BA, iBA)		
Italian Studies (BA, iBA)		
Jewish Studies (BA)		
Law & Society (BA)		
Linguistics (BA)		
Philosophy (BA)		
Political Science (BA, iBA)		
Portuguese & Luso Brazilian Studies (BA)		
Professional Writing (BA)		
Public Administration (BPA)		ENG4U, 4U Math
Religious Studies (BA)		ENG4U
Sexuality Studies (BA, iBA)		
Social Work (BSW)***		
Sociology (BA)		
Spanish (BA)		
Speech & Language Sciences (BA)**	ENG4U, 4U Math	
Undeclared Major (BA)	ENG4U	
Work & Labour Studies (BA)		

\* Minimum of one full year of undergraduate studies.

\*\* Math prerequisites must have been completed within the last five years.

\*\*\* A Supplemental Admission Information Form is required for transfer and mature students. [go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug](http://go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug)

# Schulich School of Business

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Join Canada's global business school and immerse yourself in a cutting-edge business education with direct program access from day one. Schulich develops responsible leaders who balance business and the public good.

Schulich School of Business	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Business Administration (BBA)	ENG4U (minimum 70%) MHF4U (minimum 70%) MCV4U or MDM4U ( <i>MCV4U recommended</i> ) No more than two 4M courses. BBA does not accept mature students and transfer students from universities or colleges.
<p><b>NOTE: Supplementary Evaluation Requirement</b> In addition to applying for admission to York through the OUAC, applicants to Schulich must submit a supplementary application. Apply no later than <b>January 15, 2025</b> to allow time to receive your supplementary application details. Details: <a href="http://go.yorku.ca/suppapp-ug">go.yorku.ca/suppapp-ug</a> <b>Supplementary Evaluation Deadline Fall 2025: February 3, 2025</b></p>	

# Faculty of Science

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Develop a scientific mindset that's valued by employers in all sectors and join a collaborative community that shares your curiosity and passion.

Faculty of Science	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
<b>Chemical and Physical Sciences</b>	
Chemistry (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U, SCH4U One additional 4U or M Science MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> ) SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Physics & Astronomy (BSc)	ENG4U, SPH4U, MHF4U, MCV4U SCH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
<b>Life Sciences</b>	
Biochemistry (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U, SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Biology (BSc, iBSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Biomedical Science (BSc, iBSc)	
Biophysics (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SPH4U, SCH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Biotechnology (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Environmental Biology (BSc)	
Environmental Science (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U, SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Neuroscience (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U ( <i>No prerequisite below 80%</i> )



Faculty of Science (continued)	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
<b>Mathematics &amp; Statistics</b>	
Actuarial Science (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U
Applied Mathematics (BA)	MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Applied Mathematics (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Data Science (BA)	ENG4U, MCV4U MHF4U (minimum grade of 75%)
Data Science (BSc)	ENG4U, MCV4U MHF4U (minimum grade of 75%) SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
Mathematics (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Mathematics (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Mathematics for Education (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Mathematics for Education (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Statistics (BA)	ENG4U, MHF4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Statistics (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
<b>Science, Technology and Society</b>	
Science, Technology and Society (BA)	ENG4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
Science, Technology and Society (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
<b>Other Science Programs</b>	
Undecided Major (BSc)	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
All prerequisites must be completed in the past five years. Applicants who do not have the prerequisite requirement may provide a personal statement to support their application. <a href="http://go.yorku.ca/statement-ug">go.yorku.ca/statement-ug</a>	

# Glendon Campus

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Prepare for in-demand careers while gaining global perspective, leadership capabilities and professional skills on a safe human-scale campus. Enhanced with an immersive multilingual environment and international exchange opportunities, Glendon programs will help you stand out in a diverse and competitive workplace.

Glendon Campus	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Biology (BSc, iBSc)	ENG4U or FRA4U MHF4U, SBI4U, SCH4U SPH4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Business Economics (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U MHF4U ( <i>recommended</i> ) MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Communications (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Economics (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U MHF4U ( <i>recommended</i> ) MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
English (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Ethics and Political Philosophy (BA, iBA)	
First Year Exploration BA	
French Studies (BA, iBA)	
Global History and Justice (BA, iBA)	
International Studies (BA, iBA)	
International Studies & Business Administration / Études internationales et administration des affaires (iBA/BBA Dual Degree)*	
Linguistics, Language and Society (BA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Mathematics (BA)	ENG4U or FRA4U MHF4U MCV4U recommended
Political Science (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Professional Translation (BA, iBA)	4U English (ENG4U, EAE4U or equivalent) 4U French (FRA4U, FIF4U, FEF4U or equivalent) Translation exam is required for transfers.
Psychology (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Psychology (BSc, iBSc)	ENG4U or FRA4U SCH4U or SPH4U 4U Math

## Glendon Campus (continued)

Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
Sociology (BA, iBA)	ENG4U or FRA4U
Spanish and Latin American Cultures and Societies (BA, iBA)	
<b>English/French Bilingualism is not an admission requirement to most Glendon programs.</b> If English is your dominant language, most programs offer flexible language requirements where you only have to take two courses (6 credits total) in French at your level of proficiency.	
<b>*NOTE: Supplementary Application Requirement</b> In addition to applying for admission to York, applicants to this Glendon program must complete a supplementary application.	

# Markham Campus

[yorku.ca/markham](http://yorku.ca/markham)



Markham Campus provides a world-class education with innovative teaching, small class sizes and hands-on training like co-ops for all undergraduates and internships for all graduate programs.

Markham Campus	
Degree Programs Offered	Required High-School Courses
<b>School of the Arts, Media, Performance &amp; Design</b>	
Creative Technologies (BFA)	ENG4U
<b>Lassonde School of Engineering</b>	
Computer Science for Software Development (BASC)*	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U One other 4U Math ( <i>recommended</i> ). No prerequisite below 70%.
Digital Technologies (BASC)*	ENG4U, MHF4U One other 4U Math ( <i>recommended</i> ). No prerequisite below 75%.
First Year Engineering Core Program*	ENG4U, MCV4U, MHF4U, SCH4U, SPH4U No prerequisite below 70%.
<b>Liberal Arts &amp; Professional Studies</b>	
Commerce (BCom)	ENG4U, MHF4U
Entrepreneurship & Innovation	
Communication & Media Studies (BA): Communication, Social Media & Public Relations	ENG4U
Financial Technologies (BSc)*	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U MCV4U ( <i>recommended</i> )
Sport Management (BSM)	ENG4U MHF4U or MDM4U
<b>Faculty of Science</b>	
First Year Science Program*	ENG4U, MHF4U SBI4U or SCH4U or SPH4U
* All prerequisites must have been completed within the last five years.	

# National Secondary School Course Equivalents by Province

This table outlines the Grade 12 secondary school courses for all provinces and territories in Canada that are considered equivalent by York University.

	English	French	Biology	Chemistry	Physics	Calculus	Algebra (Pre-calculus)
<b>Alberta</b>	ELA30-1	French 30	Biology 30	Chemistry 30	Physics 30	Math 31	Math 30-2 or Math 30-1
<b>British Columbia</b>	English 12 or English 12 First Peoples	French 12	Biology 12	Chemistry 12	Physics 12	Calculus 12	Foundations of Mathematics 12 or Pre-calculus 12
<b>Manitoba</b>	English 40S	French 40S	Biology 40S	Chemistry 40S	Physics 40S	Pre-calculus Math 40S	Pre-calculus Math 40S
<b>New Brunswick</b>	English 120, 121 or 122	French 121 or 122 or French Immersion 120	Biology 122	Chemistry 121 or 122	Physics 121 or 122	Pre-calculus B 120	Pre-calculus B 120
<b>Newfoundland &amp; Labrador</b>	English 3201	French 3200 or 3201	Biology 3201	Chemistry 3202	Physics 3204	Math 3207 or 3208	Math 3204 or 3205 or 3200
<b>Northwest Territories</b>	ELA30-1 or English 30	French 30	Biology 30	Chemistry 30	Physics 30	Math 31	Math 30-2 or Math 30-1
<b>Nova Scotia</b>	English 12	French 12	Biology 12	Chemistry 12	Physics 12	Calculus 12	Pre-calculus 12
<b>Nunavut</b>	ELA30-1 or English 30	French 30	Biology 30	Chemistry 30	Physics 30	Math 31	Math 30-2 or Math 30-1
<b>Ontario</b>	ENG4U	4U French	SBI4U	SCH4U	SPH4U	MCV4U	MHF4U
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>	English 621	French 621	Biology 621	Chemistry 611 or 621	Physics 621	Calculus 611B	Algebra 621A or 621B
<b>Saskatchewan</b>	English A30 and English B30	French 30	Biology 30	Chemistry 30	Physics 30	Calculus 30	Math B30 and C30 or Pre-calculus 30
<b>Quebec CEGEP</b>	2 semesters of English/anglais	French / français	Biology 1	Chemistry 1 and 2	Physics 1 and 2	Calculus 1	Linear Algebra 1
<b>Quebec Grade 12</b>	Grade 12 English	Grade 12 French	Grade 12 Biology	Grade 12 Chemistry	Grade 12 Physics	Grade 12 Calculus	Grade 12 Linear Algebra
<b>Yukon</b>	English 12 or English 12 First Peoples	French 12	Biology 12	Chemistry 12	Physics 12	Calculus 12	Foundations of Mathematics 12 or Pre-calculus 12

# Transfer and Mature Students

Whether you've been out of school for some time, or are looking to transfer from another institution, York offers flexible learning options and pathways to help you continue your educational journey.

## Transfer Students

### Am I a Transfer Student?

A transfer student has completed prior post-secondary education at an accredited college or university, or is currently studying at one.

### How Do I Transfer My Credits?

If you completed any courses at a post-secondary institution, we will assess you for transfer credits at the time of admission. You will receive a preliminary assessment of transfer credits on your offer of admission, if eligible.

### How Are Transfer Credits Assessed?

Transfer credits are assessed based on:

- academic equivalency to York courses;
- the number of courses you have completed;
- grades achieved; and
- how your previous post-secondary studies fit with the program to which you've been admitted.

Depending on the program you are admitted to, you may be required to complete additional courses to meet program-specific requirements.

We will provide you with a transfer credit statement once you have accepted our offer of admission. It will list the number and type of York credits you are eligible to receive toward the program to which you have been admitted.

To find out more about transfer pathways and credit assessment, visit [go.yorku.ca/transfer-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/transfer-ug).

### Curious About Your Credits?

Check out the Course-to-Course Transfer Guide to find out how many transfer credits may count toward your degree program. [go.yorku.ca/ontransfer-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/ontransfer-ug)



### Pathway for Ontario College Students



York's articulation agreements offer a simplified, guaranteed transfer process for college transfer students.

York has agreements with six different Ontario colleges, which guarantee students a set amount of transfer credits for the completion of a specific program.

[go.yorku.ca/articulation-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/articulation-ug)

# Mature Students

## Am I a Mature Student?

The definition of a mature student can vary widely depending on self-identification, academic background and, of course, age. At York, we consider you to be a mature student if you:

- are at least 20 years old by the end of the calendar year when you are admitted to York;
- have been out of full-time, high-school studies for at least two years or have returned to upgrade after a two-year absence; or
- have completed less than one year of college- or university-level courses.



## Helping You Begin

York provides a number of bridging and academic transition programs that help students acquire the background needed for university study, build educational capacity and encourage a diverse student population.

Learn more at [go.yorku.ca/bridging-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/bridging-ug).

## Tailored Support for Mature Students

Starting university after being away from school for an extended time is a big step. York provides dedicated support services to guide you along the way and that consider your academic, professional and personal development.

### Atkinson Centre for Mature & Part-time Students

Get support as a mature student through orientation, transition and student success workshops and a peer mentor program designed to support the needs of adult learners.

### York University Mature Students Organization

Participate in social and community events throughout the year to make the most of your student experience at York.

## Automatic Entrance Scholarships for Transfer and Mature Students

For a complete list and details about scholarships and awards for transfer and mature students, visit [go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug).

**Note: Conditions apply.**

Award Name	Value of Award(s)
York University Mature Student Entrance Scholarship	\$3,000
Provost's Award	\$500 – \$1,000
Dr. R. Lenton Scholarship for Mature Students	\$1,000



“I’ve seen so much change in the last 20 years in terms of diversity and accommodations for disabilities. It’s the reason I came back to earn my degree. One thing I like about York and my Faculty is they want people who have lived experience, because that lived experience could be a valuable contribution to academia.”

**Katherine Hirbod** (she/her), 4<sup>th</sup> year Environmental Studies

[go.yorku.ca/katherine-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/katherine-ug)

# How to Apply

## 1. Understand Your Application Requirements

### What You Need to Apply: Ontario Secondary School Applicants

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD);
- six 4U/4M courses, including ENG4U or FRA4U;
- all applicable program-specific requirements;
- a supplementary application (if required for the program); and
- a proof of language proficiency (if required).

To see if you meet English proficiency requirements, visit [go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug).

### Are You Applying as an Out-of-Province, Transfer or Mature Student?

Visit [go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/requirements-ug) for your specific admission requirements.

*Meeting the minimum requirements or admission average ranges listed online or within University publications is not a guarantee of admission [go.yorku.ca/disclaimer-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/disclaimer-ug).*

## 2. Submit Your Application

After reviewing admission requirements and prerequisites for your program of interest, submit your admission application through the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC) at [ouac.on.ca](https://ouac.on.ca). Applicants from outside of Ontario or with previous post-secondary education may apply directly via the York University application for most programs. Visit [go.yorku.ca/apply-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/apply-ug) for details.

## 3. Submit Required Documents (if required)

Once you receive access to your MyFile account, you may start uploading any outstanding required documents to our system. Required documents may include: official transcripts (unofficial grades may be uploaded for conditional admission), proof of language proficiency and supplementary information (if required). Your MyFile account will provide details if additional documentation is needed.

Visit [go.yorku.ca/applied-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/applied-ug) for document information and submission/upload instructions.

## 4. Submit Proof of English Language Proficiency (if required)

Programs at Keele Campus and Markham Campus are offered in English, while programs at Glendon Campus are offered in English and French. To gain admission, you may need to demonstrate proficiency in your program's language of instruction by presenting a minimum score on an accepted language test. To find out if you require a language test and how to submit your scores, visit [go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/lang2025-ug).

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## Application Deadlines

Your application deadline depends on when you'd like to start and where you're applying from. Visit [go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug)

Start Term at York	Application Deadline*
Winter 2025 (January)	November 1, 2024
Summer 2025 (May)	April 1, 2025
Fall 2025 (September)	January 15, 2025 ( <i>for Ontario high school applicants</i> )
	February 3, 2025 ( <i>for out-of-province and transfer/mature applicants</i> )

\*Some programs have additional supplementary application deadlines. Visit [go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/deadlines-ug) for details.



## Stay on Track

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### ✓ November

Join us for Fall Campus Day on **November 2, 2024 (Keele Campus), November 9, 2024 (Glendon Campus) and November 16, 2024 (Markham Campus).**

Learn about our exciting programs, student life at York and how to start your application. [go.yorku.ca/fcd-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/fcd-ug)

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### ✓ December

**Begin applying for York entrance awards and scholarships.** You do not need an offer of admission to apply. Scholarship deadlines vary but extend through April. Find out more at [go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/scholarships-ug).

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### ✓ January – February

**Submit your application(s) to York!**  
**Ontario secondary school applicants:** Be sure to apply before the OUAC application deadline **January 15, 2025**, for equal consideration.

**Submit your Supplementary Application or documentation** if required for your program.

Join us and meet the York community at our Virtual Applicant Receptions on **February 20 & 26, 2025.**

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### ✓ March – April

**Come and say hello!**

Join us for a campus tour, March Break visit or attend our Spring Open House to experience York and connect with the community. [go.yorku.ca/soh-ug](https://go.yorku.ca/soh-ug)

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### ✓ May – June

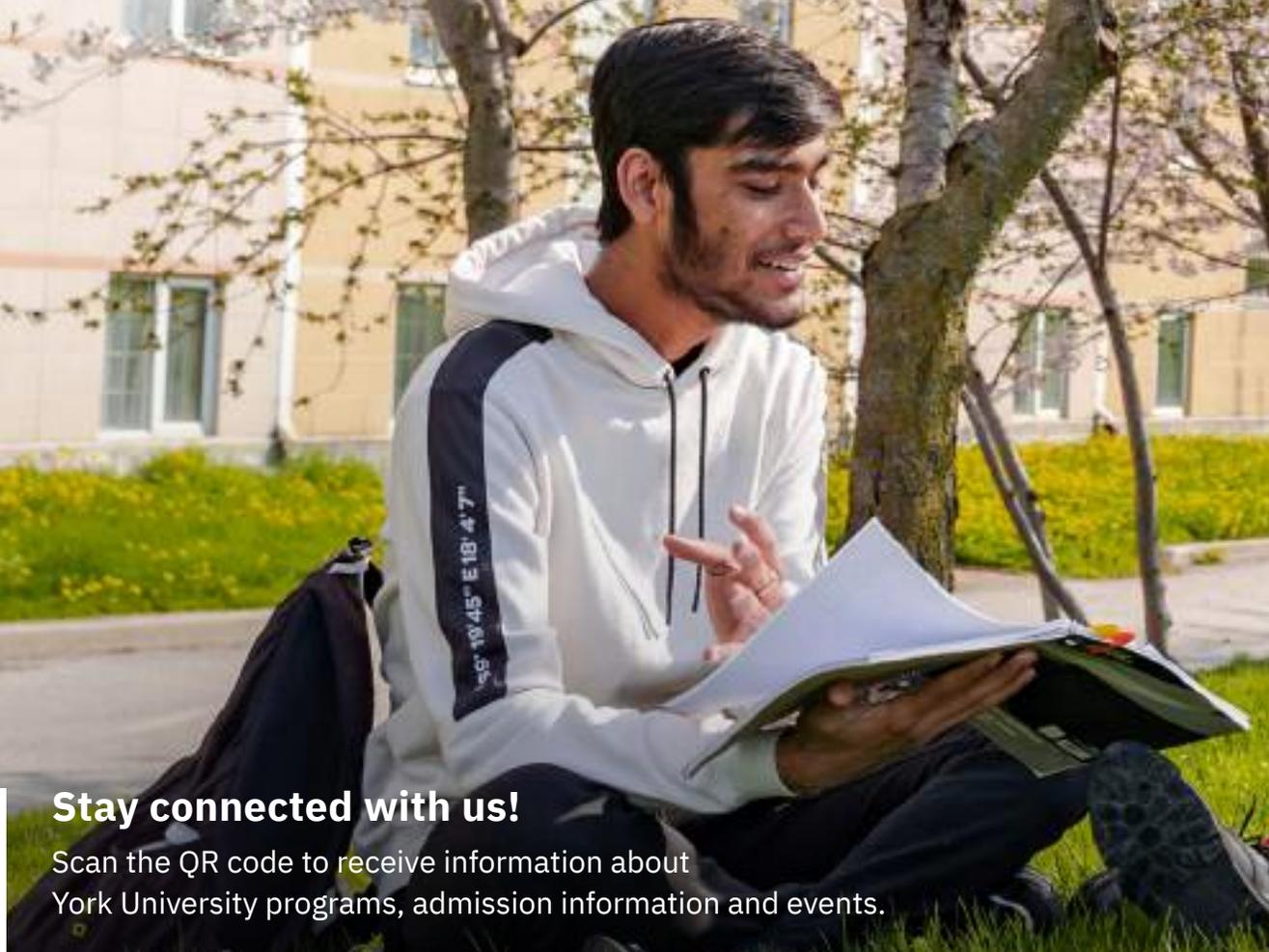
- Apply for guaranteed residence by **June 2, 2025** if you are an Ontario high school student and by **May 1, 2025** if you are an out-of-province high school student.
- Attend an academic advising session with your Faculty.
- Watch for details about your enrolment window to enrol in your first-year courses.

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