



Grade 12 Planning 2016-17– Graduation & Post-Secondary

This list is meant as a general overview to be used as a guideline in planning and preparing; it is not exhaustive! Students must check individual schools' websites to ensure that they are meeting all requirements and deadlines and for further school/program specific information.

✓	Time of Year	Student Responsibility	Guidance Supports
<input type="checkbox"/>	On-going, all year long	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Check school email account ▶ Research Scholarship opportunities, deadlines & requirements vary ▶ Required 40 hours of community service – No 40 hours, No Prom ticket!! ▶ Achieve success in all courses 	W. Hollinger will send links about various student opportunities: <i>community service hours, visits, scholarships, open houses, etc</i> **Guidance section of school website also has valuable info
<input type="checkbox"/>	September to November	Research, research , research! <i>Programs, schools, admissions criteria, campus life, sports, supports, etc.</i>	Attend scheduled visits with Reps from Colleges & Universities <i>(sign up in Guidance, see calendar)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Th. Oct. 20th – 6:30-9 pm	Attend U.I.P. – reps from all 21 of Ontario universities will be here to answer questions	P. Fogarty CSS is hosting this event, free to attend
<input type="checkbox"/>	Th. Oct. 27th – 9-10:30 am	Attend C.I.P. – all Ontario colleges will have a rep present to answer your questions	Sign up in Guidance for field trip over to Georgian Orillia campus
<input type="checkbox"/>	End of November Deadline = Jan. 11th, 2017 Feb 3rd = last date for changes	Apply to University through OUAC when PIN has arrived (www.ouac.on.ca/101) <i>\$150 / 3 choices (\$50 per choice/change)</i>	Computer labs will be booked for students who want assistance; dates TBA, sign up in Guidance
<input type="checkbox"/>	End of November Deadline = Feb. 1st, 2017 for equal consideration	Apply to College online through website www.ontariocolleges.ca <i>\$95 / 5 choices (max = 3 at same college)</i>	Computer labs will be booked for students who want assistance; dates TBA, sign up in Guidance
<input type="checkbox"/>	Feb. 1 st , 2017	Applications to Highly Competitive Programs must be received by this date	Download the Highly Competitive Program Charts
<input type="checkbox"/>	January – June	Inform Guidance if you've applied to school(s) outside Ontario / Canada	A transcript will be sent at the end of each semester
<input type="checkbox"/>	November – April	Visit the schools that you've applied to and determine which is a good fit for you – <i>tour the campus, ask to sit in a class and/or meet with program advisor</i>	Colleges / Universities offer Preview days and Open Houses , see the list from Mrs. Hollinger and check websites for dates
<input type="checkbox"/>	April 27 th , 2017	Deadline to submit Grad Profile <i>(end of January if not returning sem 2)</i>	This information is used by the OSS Scholarship Committee
<input type="checkbox"/>	May 1st, 2017	Deadline to confirm college offers	<i>Make an appointment with your Counsellor to discuss options, contact schools for clarification or further information, make alternate plans for next year if necessary, etc</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	May 26 th , 2017	Latest date by which you can expect to receive an offer from universities	
<input type="checkbox"/>	June 1st, 2017	The earliest date you may be required to respond to an Ontario university offer of admission and make a financial commitment	
<input type="checkbox"/>	June 15 th , 2017	Ontario colleges – Tuition deposit deadline	
<input type="checkbox"/>	June 29 th , 2017	Commencement @ 3 p.m.	To be held at Rotary Place

HELPFUL RESOURCES FOR POST-SECONDARY PLANNING

Our School Website:

oss.scdsb.on.ca

> Guidance tab, *Future Planning*

Apprenticeship: www.apprenticesearch.com
<http://www.apprenticetrades.ca/en/>

Workplace: <http://jobsearch.ca>
www.careersintrades.ca

College: www.gotocollege.ca
www.ontariocolleges.ca
www.accc.ca

University: www.electronicinfo.ca
www.aucc.ca

General Info: www.schoolfinder.com
www.CampusStarter.com
www.apsip.com (*for FNMI students*)

Postsecondary Loans & Grants: www.canlearn.ca
www.fundyourfuture.ca
<https://osap.gov.on.ca> (*website is refreshed in the spring; do not apply until you confirmed the school you are going to attend!*)

Scholarships & Bursaries: www.studentawards.com (*forwards to new Yconic site*)
www.scholarshipscanada.com
www.indspire.ca (*for FNMI students*)

**** Visit the websites for each of the schools you've applied to and search for Scholarships and Bursary information; look for general scholarships, entrance scholarships, awards, as well as program-specific scholarships.**

Apply for these early, even before you know if you've been accepted. Check each deadline and criteria carefully as they vary greatly.