

Open Minds. Brighter Futures.

This is the place.



Welcome to uOttawa

Our vibrant, diverse and thriving community is home to 48,000 students from Canada and around the world. Get ready to embark on a transformative journey of learning, personal growth and boundless discovery.

Among the **10 best** universities in Canada¹

550+ undergraduate and graduate programs

Member of the **U15** group of Canada's leading research-intensive universities

\$130 million in undergraduate scholarships and bursaries last year

World's largest bilingual English-French university

5th largest co-op program in Canada

9 out of 10 have a job within six months of graduating²

Among the **top 1%** of universities in the world

Member of the **U7+** Alliance of Universities committed to UN Sustainable Development Goals

More than **1 in 5** students are international students from **150+ countries**

¹ – Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2024.


² – 2022 Ontario Ministry of Colleges and Universities – Ontario University Graduate Survey of 2020 graduates, six months after graduation.

³ – Rankings 2024 by Maclean's.


The information in this brochure on programs of study, admissions prerequisites, scholarships, fees and other requirements is accurate as of August 2024. The University of Ottawa reserves the right to change program details and requirements without notice.




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explore@uOttawa.ca

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Where it all begins



Enjoy the perfect balance: A big city that's one of the top five safest and best places to live in Canada, with easy access to the great outdoors.

Tap into our renowned reputation

We consistently rank among the top universities in Canada and the world.¹

Embrace bilingualism

We are the world's largest English-French bilingual university. It's what makes us unique. You'll meet people from many different cultures here.

Chart your own course

Customize your degree from our exciting array of more than 550 programs and gain job skills as you study thanks to our focus on experiential learning.

Access cutting-edge tech jobs

Ottawa has North America's highest concentration of tech talent, and our Kanata North campus is part of Canada's largest tech hub.

Live in the heart of Canada's capital

Our downtown campus is within walking distance of great restaurants, shopping, concerts, festivals and art in a vibrant city teeming with high tech, scientific, health and public sector jobs.

1 - Based on Times Higher Education and QS World University rankings.

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To embrace bilingualism

It's totally up to you!

At the University of Ottawa, you can study in English, French or both. Being able to speak, understand and interact in both of Canada's two official languages — English and French — will boost your chances of finding a job and can significantly ease your path towards permanent residency in Canada.

As the world's largest English-French bilingual university, we offer language learning support to international students.

French immersion

Take at least 35% of your courses in French to receive the French immersion designation on your diploma. Boost your earning potential and job prospects.

Bilingual workers earn much more than unilingual English workers — 17% more in Ottawa, 40% more in Montreal and 32% more in Toronto.¹

80+ degree programs offer French immersion

Gain access to **\$36,000** for studying bilingually

Unique immersion courses, mentors, help centres and workshops to help you with your transition to university studies in French

Pass or fail grades for courses taught in French in your first two years of study (except for students in the Faculties of Science and Engineering)

Enhance your language skills

Our Official Languages and Bilingualism Institute (OLBI) offers English as a second language and French as a second language courses for all levels, from beginner to advanced.

1 – Statistics Canada, 2021 Census.

Good to know!

Write your assignments, lab reports and exams in your choice of English or French in nearly every course.

No French test required if you study entirely in English.



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To add value to your resume

Get a head start on your dream career. Not only do our many programs focus on learning by doing, but you can also find paid jobs on campus through our Work-Study Program. Gain valuable, transferable skills while studying.

Our focus on experiential learning ensures you apply classroom knowledge in real-life situations, enhancing your prospects for employment on completing your studies.

Get job-ready

Participate in **paid co-op** work terms in your **field of study** with our extensive network of more than 4,500 employers in the Ottawa-Gatineau region, elsewhere in Canada and abroad. Gain 16 months of valuable experience as you develop the work-ready skills that employers seek.

Typical sequence of study and co-op work terms

Year	Fall	Winter	Summer
1	Study	Study	-
2	Study	Study	Work term
3	Study	Work term	Study
4	Work term	Study	Work term
5	Study	-	-

Earn between **\$40,000 and \$60,000** over multiple work terms

5th largest co-op program in the country

Good to know!

Take advantage of the Government of Canada's Post-Graduation Work Permit (PGWP) program

You can apply for a PGWP up to 180 days after you receive notice of being awarded your degree. It's an open work permit that allows you to hold any job in Canada for any employer.

90% employment rate
6 months after graduation



EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Get worldly with an international exchange

Gain valuable insight into our interconnected world by studying abroad for one or two terms. Pay your tuition fees to uOttawa and receive a **mobility scholarship of up to \$2,000**. You can also expand your horizons abroad through field research courses, volunteering and co-op.

100+ partner universities

38 countries



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To be happy, well and thriving

We're here to help you take care of yourself. Dedicated professionals and fellow students who care about your health and wellness are always ready to provide advice and support along your journey.

Health and wellness on campus

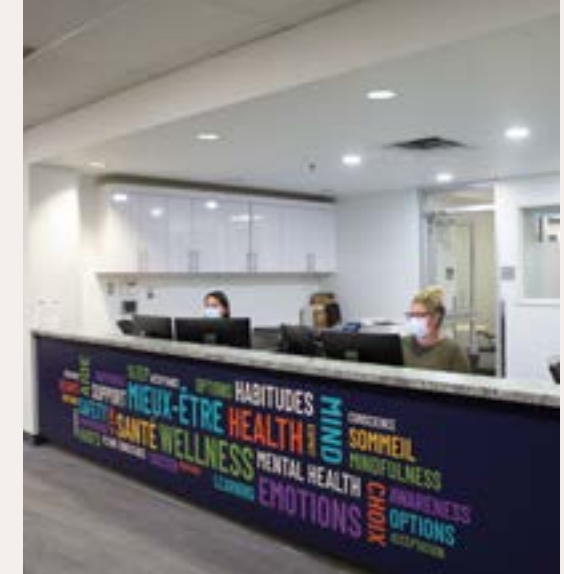
As a uOttawa student, you'll benefit from on-campus access to physical and mental health services and health education. The Student Health and Wellness Centre's multidisciplinary team includes physicians, nurses, psychotherapists, psychologists and psychiatrists working together in a shared care model. There's also a dental clinic, a physiotherapy clinic and a pharmacy on campus.

Academic accommodations

If you're living with a temporary or permanent disability, you'll have access to specialized learning resources tailored to your needs, which could include personal study plans and adapted exam transcription and interpretation services, assistive technologies and more.

Pet therapy

Spend some time with our friendly pet therapy dogs! Our program, offered in partnership with Ottawa Therapy Dogs and other local groups, offers a great way to ease stress.



Community and culture

Join a supportive community that highly values diversity and inclusion. Here are just a few of many groups on campus:



Dedicated international student support groups meet regularly. **International House**, run by the University of Ottawa Students' Union, also fosters connections.



The **Pride Centre**, run by the University of Ottawa Students' Union, represents a culture of affirmation for 2SLGBTQ+ students.



The **Racialized and Indigenous Students Experience Centre** works towards anti-racism and decolonization.

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Where we're all Gee-Gees

Embrace our school spirit by joining one of our winning varsity or competitive teams according to your gender identity, or by just showing up and cheering them on. You can also make new friends and stay active by taking part in one of our intramural sports and fitness activities.



Sport	Varsity Teams		Varsity Clubs			Intramural	Recreational
	W	M	W	M	All	All	All
Alpine skiing					•		
Artistic swimming					•		•
Badminton			•	•			•
Baseball				•			
Basketball	•	•				•	•
Cheerleading					•		
Dance					•		•
Dodgeball						•	
Equestrian			•	•			
Fencing			•	•			
Fitness and strength training							•
Flag football						•	
Football		•					
Golf			•	•			
Group fitness							•
Hockey	•	•				•	•
Lacrosse				•			
Martial arts							•
Multisport						•	
Nordic skiing			•	•			
Pickleball							•
Ringette			•				
Rowing			•	•			
Rugby	•			•			
Skating							•
Soccer	•			•		•	•
Softball			•				
Spikeball						•	
Squash			•	•			•
Swimming	•	•					•
Tennis			•	•			
Track and field and cross country			•	•			
Ultimate			•	•			•
Volleyball	•			•		•	•
Water polo			•	•			

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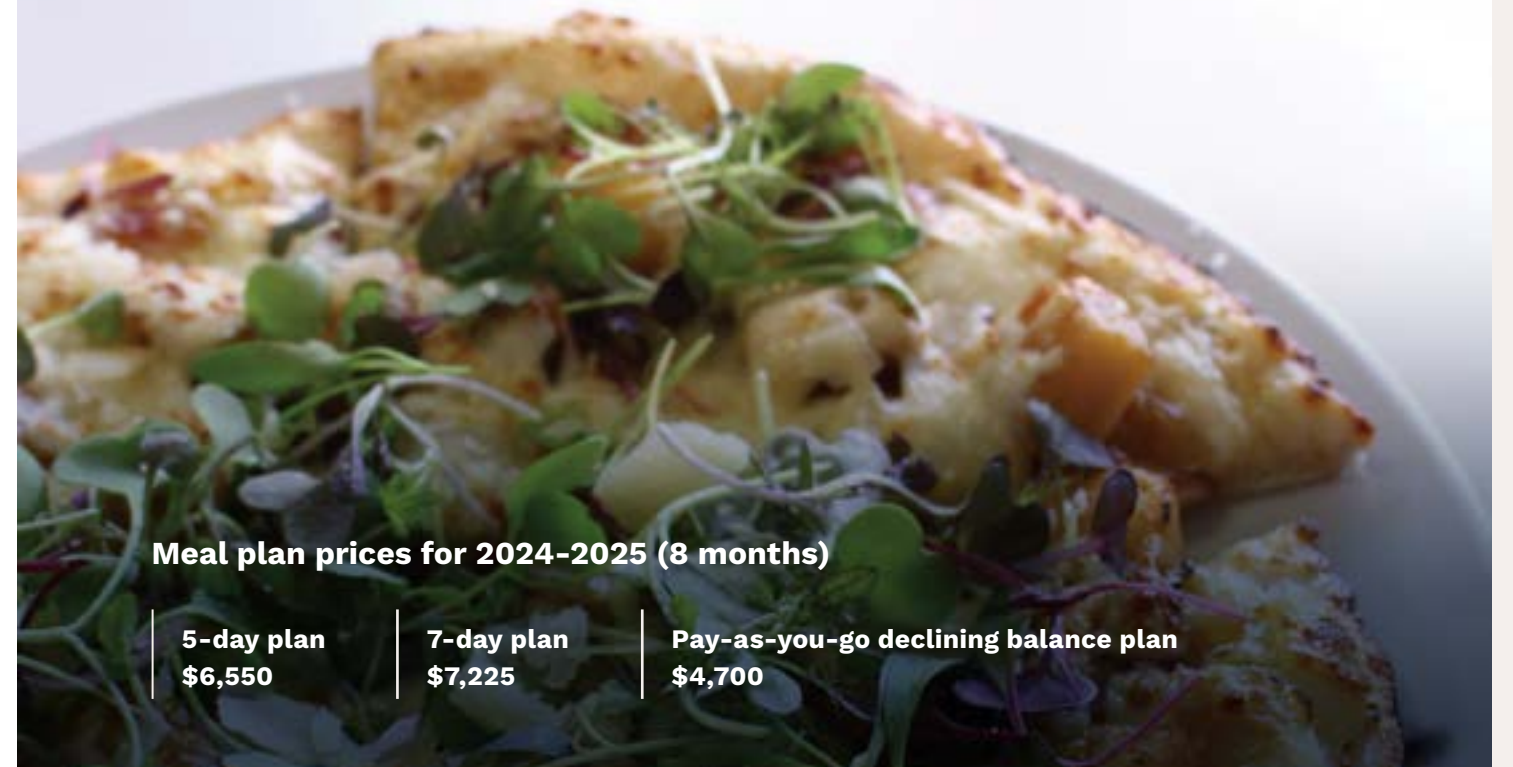


Interested in becoming a Gee-Gees athlete? Visit geegees.ca

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To dig right in

Eat like a foodie on a student budget. Fuel your body and your brain with our wide selection of outstanding on-campus dining options.



Meal plan prices for 2024-2025 (8 months)

5-day plan
\$6,550

7-day plan
\$7,225

Pay-as-you-go declining balance plan
\$4,700

Sustainability: A key ingredient in every recipe

- ◆ 100% compostable zero waste design
- ◆ Certified Fair Trade Campus
- ◆ First Canadian university with a 4-star Certified Green restaurant

Have any dietary preferences or restrictions?

You'll find a wide variety of meal options to suit your needs.

Gluten Free **Vegetarian** **Vegan** **Halal**

You also have a variety of yummy spots to choose from on campus to enjoy bubble tea, sushi, shawarma, Thai cuisine, coffee and more! Not to mention our **food truck festivals**, **Poutine Fest** and **free BeaverTails** during our annual Snow Festival.

Dining Hall

Our **award-winning**, all-you-care-to-eat Dining Hall is a student favourite — pay as you go or have unlimited access by purchasing a meal plan.

10 stations offering a variety of delicious meals

Registered dietician on site

Special meals and hours during religious holidays

Special events such as guest chef presentations and themed menus

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To live and connect

Ease into university life and get better grades. Living in residence is a great way to make friends, enhance your student experience, get involved in your community and benefit from academic support.

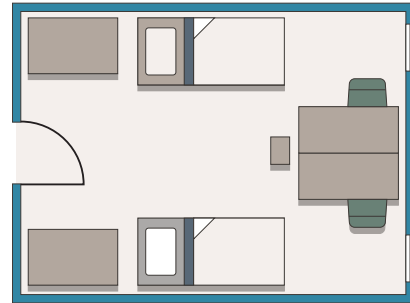
Guaranteed housing for first-year students*

Social activities, theme nights, sports tournaments, local volunteering and talks

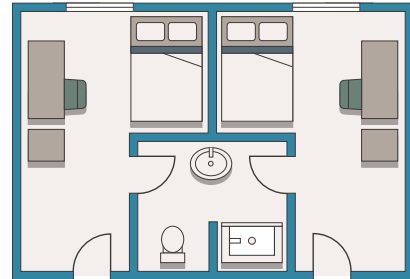
*To benefit from the housing guarantee for first-year students, you must be admitted to an undergraduate program starting in the Fall term and reserve your spot by paying a \$700 deposit by June 2, 2025. This guarantee doesn't apply if you've already completed more than five university courses or the equivalent.



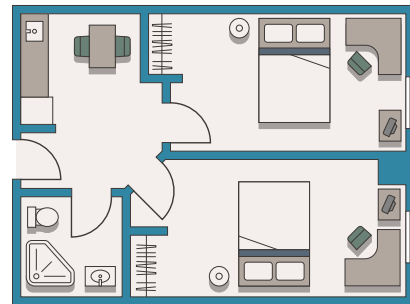
Traditional



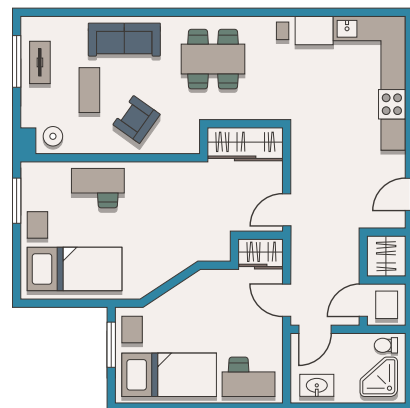
Traditional Plus



Suite or Studio



Apartment



Living Learning Communities and Themed Communities

Looking to live and connect with others with the same courses and interests as you? Our Living Learning Community and Themed Community residences foster a sense of belonging by placing you in a group based on what you're studying or your common interests.

Communities include:

- ◆ Nidjinawendaganag — All My Relations
- ◆ Vivre en français
- ◆ Many faculty-specific communities



4 different styles 11 residences		Traditional	Traditional Plus		Suite or Studio		Apartment
		Leblanc, Marchand, Stanton or Thompson	Henderson	Rideau	90 University	Friel	Hyman Soloway, Annex or Mann
Rooms	Single occupancy	•	•		•	•	•
	Double occupancy	•		•	•	•	
Bathroom	Shared with roommates		•	•	•	•	•
	Shared with floormates	•					
	Private						•
Conveniences	Double bed		•	•	•		•
	Air conditioning		•	•	•	•	•
Location	Main campus	•	•		•		•
	Within 15 minutes walking distance of main campus			•		•	•
Meals	In-unit kitchenette or complete kitchen				•	•	•
	Community kitchen	•	•	•	•	•	
	Mandatory meal plan ¹	\$6,550	\$6,550	Optional	\$6,550	Optional	Optional
Agreement specifications	Length (in months)	8	8	8	8	8	12
	Residence fees only (per person) ²	\$8,278 to \$10,121	\$12,773	\$9,755 to \$12,438	\$11,307 to \$12,850	\$8,879 to \$12,385	\$13,798 to \$24,189
	Total fees per person (including 5-day mandatory meal plan) ³	\$14,828 to \$16,671 ¹	\$19,323 ¹	\$9,755 to \$12,438	\$17,857 to \$19,400 ¹	\$8,879 to \$12,385	\$13,798 to \$24,189

¹ Meal plan fees vary according to your choice of 5-day (\$6,550 for 8 months) or 7-day (\$7,225 for 8 months) plan.

² Fees can vary within the same residence according to room type.

³ 2024-2025 fees shown above, in Canadian dollars. Fees are subject to annual increases and can vary within the same residence according to room type.

**Utilities include electricity, water and Wi-Fi.
Laundry facilities are available in all of our residences.**

Campus Map

General

- 1 Tabaret Hall (central administration and uOInternational)
- 2 University Centre
- 3 Main library (Morisset)
- 4 Advanced Research Complex
- 5 Financial Aid and Awards Office
- 6 uOttawa residences

Faculties

- 5 Arts
 - 6 Law
 - 7 Telfer (Management)
 - 8 Education
 - 9 Engineering
 - 10 Science
 - 11 Social Sciences
- Part of our Faculty of Health Sciences is located near the Lees O-Train station. The Faculty of Medicine is located on our Roger Guindon campus, near the Ottawa Hospital.

Other

- uOttawa O-Train station
- Parliament of Canada
- Province of Quebec
- Province of Ontario

Location in Canada



We pay respect to the Algonquin people, who are the traditional guardians of this land. We acknowledge their longstanding relationship with this territory, which remains unceded. We pay respect to all Indigenous people in this region, from all nations across Canada, who call Ottawa home. We acknowledge the traditional knowledge keepers, both young and old. And we honour their courageous leaders, past, present and future.

Driving Distance

- **2.2 HOURS**
 from Montreal
- **4.5 HOURS**
 from Québec City
- **5 HOURS**
 from Toronto
- **8 HOURS**
 from New York



Take a virtual tour of the campus.

Undergraduate programs

Faculty of Arts

Discipline	Additional Information		
Acting (BFA)	-	-	-
Art History	-	FI	+
Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies (3 or 4 years)	-	-	+
Communication	Co-op	FI	+
Communication and Political Science	Co-op		-
Communication and Sociology	Co-op	FI	-
Communication et lettres françaises (offered in French only)	Co-op	-	-
Digital Journalism	-	-	-
English	Co-op	-	+
English as a Second Language (offered in English for non-anglophones only)	-	-	+
Environmental Studies	Co-op	FI	+
Ethics and Political Philosophy	-	FI	+
French as a Second Language (offered in French only to non-Francophones)	-	-	+
Geography	Co-op	FI	+
Greek and Roman Studies	-	FI	+
History	Co-op	FI	+
History and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-
Indigenous Studies	-	FI	+
Lettres françaises (offered in French only)	Co-op	-	+
Lettres françaises (BA) et éducation (BED) (6 years, offered in French only)	-	-	+
Linguistics	-	-	+
Medieval and Renaissance Studies	-	FI	+
Music (BA)	-	-	+
Music (BMus) and Science (BSc) (5 years)	-	-	-
Philosophy	-	FI	+
Philosophy and Political Science	-	FI	-
Physical Geography and Geomatics	Co-op	FI	+
Psychology and Linguistics	-	-	-
Public Relations	-	-	-
Religious Studies	-	FI	+
Second Language Teaching (ESL or FLS)	-	FI	+
Theatre	-	FI	+
Visual Arts (BA)	-	FI	+
Visual Arts (BFA)	-	-	+
World Languages and Cultures	-	-	+

Faculty of Social Sciences

Discipline	Additional information			
Anthropology	Co-op	FI	+	-
Anthropology and Sociology	Co-op	FI	-	-
Communication and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Communication and Sociology	Co-op	FI	-	-
Conflict Studies and Human Rights	Co-op	FI	+	-
Criminology	-	FI	+	-
Criminology and Feminist and Gender Studies	-	FI	-	-
Economics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Economics and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Economics and Public Policy	Co-op	FI	+	-
Environmental Economics and Public Policy	Co-op	FI	+	-
Feminist and Gender Studies	Co-op	FI	+	-
Feminist and Gender Studies and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Feminist and Gender Studies and Sociology	Co-op	FI	-	-
History and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
International Development and Globalization	Co-op	FI	+	-
International Economics and Development	Co-op	FI	+	-
International Studies and Modern Languages	Co-op	FI	-	-
Mathematics and Economics	Co-op	FI	-	-
Philosophy and Political Science	-	FI	-	-
Political Science	Co-op	FI	+	-
Political Science (BSocSc) and Juris Doctor (JD) (offered in French only)	-	FI	-	+
Psychology (BA)	-	FI	+	-
Psychology (BSc)	-	FI	+	-
Public Administration	Co-op	FI	+	-
Public Administration and Political Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Social Sciences in Interdisciplinary Studies (3 or 4 years)	-	-	+	-
Social work (offered in French only)	-	-	+	-
Sociology	Co-op	FI	+	-

Telfer School of Management

Discipline	Additional Information			
Accounting	Co-op	FI	+	-
Business Technology Management	Co-op	FI	+	-
Finance	Co-op	FI	+	-
Healthcare Analytics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Human Resource Management	Co-op	FI	+	-
International Management	Co-op	FI	+	-
Management	Co-op	FI	+	-
Marketing	Co-op	FI	+	-
Commerce (BCom) and Master in Management (MSc) (5 years)	-	FI	-	+

Faculty of Law - Civil Law

Discipline	Additional information			
<i>Licence en droit (LLL) et développement international et mondialisation (BSocSc) (4 years, LLL courses offered in French only)</i>	Co-op	-	-	+
<i>Licence en droit (LLL) (3 years, offered in French only)</i>	Co-op	-	+	-

Faculty of Science





Discipline	Additional information			
Biochemistry	Co-op	FI	+	-
Biology	Co-op	FI	+	-
Biomedical Science (admission to co-op in second year only)	Co-op	FI	+	-
Biopharmaceutical Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Biotechnology — Biochemistry (BSc) and Chemical Engineering (BAsc) (5 years)	Co-op	FI	-	+
Chemistry	Co-op	FI	+	-
Environmental Geoscience	Co-op	FI	+	-
Environmental Science	Co-op	FI	-	-
Financial Mathematics and Economics	Co-op	FI	-	-
Geology	Co-op	FI	+	-
Geology-Physics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Mathematics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Mathematics and Economics	Co-op	FI	-	-
Ophthalmic Medical Technology	-	-	-	-
Physics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Physics (BSc) and Electrical Engineering (BAsc) (5 years)	Co-op	FI	-	+
Physics-Mathematics	Co-op	FI	+	-
Statistics	Co-op	FI	+	-


Faculty of Engineering

Discipline	Additional information			
Biomedical Mechanical Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Biomedical Mechanical Engineering (BASC) and Computing Technology (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	-	-	+
Chemical Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Chemical Engineering (BAsc) and Computing Technology (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	-	-	+
Civil Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Civil Engineering (BAsc) and Computing Technology (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	-	-	+
Computer Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Computer Science (BSc)	Co-op	FI	+	-
Computer Science and Mathematics (BSc)	Co-op	FI	-	-
Data Science — Mathematics (BSc) and Computer Science (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	FI	-	+
Electrical Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Electrical Engineering (BAsc) and Computing Technology (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	-	-	+
Mechanical Engineering	Co-op	-	-	-
Mechanical Engineering (BAsc) and Computing Technology (BSc) (5 years)	Co-op	-	-	+
Multidisciplinary Design – Experiential Learning (3 years)	-	-	-	-
Software Engineering (co-op is mandatory)	Co-op	FI	-	-

Faculty of Health Sciences

Discipline	Additional information			
Food Sciences (BFSc)	-	FI	-	-
Health Sciences (BHSc) (admission to co-op in second year only)	Co-op	FI	+	-
Human Kinetics (BHK or BScHK) (admission to co-op in third year only)	Co-op	FI	+	-
Nursing (BScN)	-	FI	-	-
Nutrition and Dietetics (BScND) (offered in French only)	-	-	-	-

-  Co-operative education
-  French Immersion Stream
-  Possibility to add a second discipline after first year (see page 58)
-  Dual fast-track degree — integrated path leading to two degrees



View all undergraduate programs.

Build your own degree

Our academic paths offer a range of choices: From specializing in one or two main disciplines, to taking a multidisciplinary approach with greater freedom to mix three or more disciplines.

Think of your choices as building blocks

After your first year, you can design a path that's best for you, provided you follow your program structure. To find out which programs have enough flexibility to add a second discipline, look for the **+** icon on pages 16–17.

Here are a few possibilities

Minor	Major
Honours	Major
Minor	Minor
Major	Major

Honours and bachelor's undergraduate degrees

For honours and bachelor's degrees, you must complete a set number of courses in your main discipline. Your remaining courses are electives that you're free to choose.

Major (M)

A major involves extensive education in a main discipline.

Minor (Mn)

A minor provides introductory-level education in a branch or sub-branch of a discipline.

Microprogram (Mic)

A microprogram is a micro-credential in a field of study that you can build out of your electives. You can add this to most programs. It's a flexible alternative that allows you to customize and enhance your degree in programs that have no room to add another major or minor.

Disciplines you can add to your program

African Studies		Mn	Mic
Animal Studies		Mn	Mic
Anthropocene			Mic
Anthropology	M	Mn	
Applied Ethics		Mn	
Arabic Language and Culture		Mn	
Art History	M	Mn	
Arts Administration			Mic
Asian Studies		Mn	
Biochemistry	M	Mn	
Biology	M	Mn	
Biophysics		Mn	
Business Sustainability			Mic
Capital Markets			Mic
Celtic Studies		Mn	
Chemistry	M	Mn	
Communication	M	Mn	
Computer Science	M	Mn	
Computer Science for Scientists		Mn	
Conflict Studies and Human Rights		Mn	
Creative Writing		Mn	Mic
Cybersecurity			Mic
Criminology	M	Mn	
Digital Cultures		Mn	Mic
Economics	M	Mn	
English	M	Mn	
Entrepreneurship		Mn	Mic
Entrepreneurship, Creativity and Social Innovation			Mic
Environmental Economics and Public Policy			Mic
Environmental Studies	M	Mn	
Ethics and Political Philosophy	M		
Feminist and Gender Studies	M	Mn	
French as a Second Language	M	Mn	Mic
Geography	M	Mn	
Geology	M	Mn	
Geomatics			Mic
Geomatics and Spatial Analysis		Mn	
German Language and Culture		Mn	
Greek and Roman Studies	M	Mn	
Greek Philosophy			Mic
Health Sciences		Mn	
History	M	Mn	
Indigenous Studies		Mn	
Interdisciplinary Artificial Intelligence			Mic
International Economics and Development			Mic
Italian Language and Culture		Mn	
Latin American Studies		Mn	
Law		Mn	
Life Sciences	M	Mn	
Linguistics	M	Mn	
Management		Mn	
Management Consulting			Mic
Mathematics	M	Mn	
Medieval and Renaissance Studies	M	Mn	
Mindfulness and Contemplative Science			Mic
Music	M	Mn	
Philosophy	M	Mn	
Physical Geography and Geomatics	M		
Physics	M	Mn	
Political Science	M	Mn	
Professional Editing			Mic
Professional Writing		Mn	Mic
Psychology	M	Mn	
Public Administration	M	Mn	
Religious Studies	M	Mn	
Russian Language and Culture		Mn	
Science Communication			Mic
Science Education			Mic
Science Entrepreneurship			Mic
Science Policy			Mic
Second Language Teaching (English or French)	M		
Social Impact		Mn	
Sociology	M	Mn	
Spanish		Mn	
Statistics	M	Mn	
Studies of Social Issues in Sport, Physical Activity and Leisure		Mn	
Theatre	M	Mn	
Urban Studies			Mic
Vered Jewish Canadian Studies			Mic
Visual Arts	M		
World Languages and Cultures	M		

M Major Mn Minor Mic Microprogram

Programs requiring prior post-secondary studies



View more programs.

Faculty of Arts

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Bilingualism Studies	M		
Classical Studies	M		
Communication	M D	Co-op	•
Conference Interpreting	M		•
Contemporary Art Theory	M		
English	M D	Co-op	•
Geography	M D		
History	M D	Co-op	
Information Management	GD		
Information Studies	M	Co-op	•
<i>Lettres françaises</i> (offered in French only)	M D		
Linguistics	M D		
Music (MA or MMus)	M		
Music Performance	GD		
Philosophy	M D		
Philosophy Interdisciplinary Research in Music	D		
Piano Pedagogy Research	GD		
Religious Studies	M D		
Spanish	M D		
Theatre (MFA)	M		
Translation (Chinese - English)	M D		•
Visual Arts (MFA)	M		
World Literatures and Cultures	M		

Faculty of Social Sciences

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Anthropology	M D	Co-op	
Clinical Psychology	D		
Criminology	M D		•
Economics	M D	Co-op	•
Experimental Psychology	D		
Experimental Sustainability	M D	Co-op	
Feminist and Gender Studies	M D		•
Globalization and International Development	M	Co-op	•

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
International Development	D		
International Development and Globalization	M	Co-op	
Political Science	M D	Co-op	•
Public Administration	M D	Co-op	•
Public and International Affairs	M	Co-op	
Public Management and Governance	GD		
Security and Defence Studies	M		•
Social Work (offered in French only)	M D		
Sociology	M D	Co-op	•

Telfer School of Management

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Business Administration (MBA)	M		•
Business in Complex Project Leadership (GD) (offered in English only)	GD		
Chartered Professional Accountancy	GD		
Executive Business Administration (EMBA) (offered in English only)	M		•
Executive Health Administration (EMHA) (offered in English only)	M		
Health Administration (MHA) (offered in English only)	M		
Health Systems (offered in English only)	M		
Juris Doctor (JD) and Master of Business Administration (MBA)	H + M		
Law (LLL) and Master of Business Administration (MBA)	H + M		
Management (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	

Faculty of Law

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Juris Doctor (JD)	JD		
Civil Law (LLL) (offered in French only)	LLL		
Laws (LLM)	M D		•

Faculty of Engineering

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Advanced Materials and Manufacturing (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•
Biomedical Engineering (offered in English only)	M D		
Chemical Engineering (offered in English only)	M D		
Civil Engineering (offered in English only)	M D		
Computer Science (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•
Computer Science Concentration in Applied Artificial Intelligence (offered in English only)	M	Co-op	•
Digital Transformation and Innovation (offered in English only)	M D		
Electrical and Computer Engineering (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•
Engineering Management (offered in English only)	M		
Entrepreneurial Engineering Design (offered in English only)	M		
Environmental Engineering (offered in English only)	M D		
Interdisciplinary Applied Artificial Intelligence (offered in English only)	M		
Mechanical Engineering (offered in English only)	M	Co-op	
Systems Science and Engineering (offered in English only)	M		

Faculty of Science

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Bioinformatics (offered in English only)	M D		
Biology (offered in English only)	M D		•
Chemical and Environmental Toxicology (offered in English only)	M D		
Chemistry (offered in English only)	M D		•
Earth Sciences (offered in English only)	M		•
Environmental Sustainability	M D	Co-op	
Mathematics (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•
Physics (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•
Science, Society and Policy (offered in English only)	M		
Statistics (offered in English only)	M D	Co-op	•

Faculty of Health Sciences

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Audiology (offered in French only)	M		
Food Science	M		
Health Sciences	M		
Human Kinetics	M D		•
Interdisciplinary Health Sciences	M		
Nursing	M D		
Occupational Therapy (offered in French only)	M		
Physiotherapy (offered in French only)	M		
Population Health	D		
Primary Health Care for Nurse Practitioners	GD		
Rehabilitation Sciences	D		
Speech-Language Pathology (offered in French only)	M		

Faculty of Medicine

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
Anatomical Sciences Education	M		
Biochemistry	M D		
Epidemiology	M D		
Health Professionals Education (offered in French only)	GD		
Microbiology and Immunology	M D		
Neuroscience	M		
Population Health Risk Assessment and Management	GD		
Public Health	M		
Science Cellular and Molecular Medicine	M D		
Translational and Molecular Medicine	B		
Translational and Molecular Medicine (BSc) and Science (MSc)	H + M		
Translational and Molecular Medicine (BSc) and Biochemistry (PhD)	H + D		

Faculty of Education

Discipline	Degree	Co-op	Short Duration Master's
<i>Formation à l'enseignement</i> (offered in French only)	B		
Teacher Education	B		
Education	GD M D		•

Apply for admission

1 Choose your program

We've got the program you need to achieve your dream career. For detailed program descriptions, scan the QR codes on pages 16 to 21.

3 Apply online through OUAC

You must apply for admission through the **Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC)** website www.ouac.on.ca and pay the OUAC application fees. You'll have to create an OUAC account if it's your first time. If you select more than one program, enter your choices clearly in order of preference.



The SITE building has a great study space with an amazing view of the Rideau Canal.

5 Submit documentation

Submit your transcripts and other admission documents through uoDoc in uoZone.

2 Enhance your studies

Customize your learning by adding the co-op option or the French Immersion Stream.

Co-op

Offers paid work placements alongside courses. The minimum average for admission to co-op is 80%.

French Immersion Stream

Allows **undergraduate** students from English-language schools who've studied French as a second language or core French to include courses taught in French in their program and become bilingual professionals. Students applying for French immersion must pass the French Immersion Entry Test.

See pages 16 to 19 to find out which programs offer co-op and French immersion.

One current project in this greenhouse on the roof of the Faculty of Science's Biosciences Complex focuses on the possible use of a North American plant to ease Alzheimer's symptoms.

4 Keep an eye on your emails

We'll send you instructions on logging into uoZone, our student portal, to keep track of your admission file and see updates on your application status.

The Montpetit Hall Terrace includes pollinator plants that are friendly to bees and butterflies.

6 Receive our decision

We begin sending out offers of admission electronically starting in November, after we've received all required documentation or enough grades to make a decision.

Accept your offer as soon as possible!

If admitted, accept your offer on the OUAC website by the specified deadline.

Applicants to undergraduate programs and graduate diplomas

After accepting your offer and paying your non-refundable tuition deposit, you'll receive a Provincial Attestation Letter (PAL).

Undergraduate admissions requirements

We welcome students from all over the world. Your eligibility for admission depends on the level of education you've completed or are in the process of completing.

Overview of the minimum requirements for applicants from some of the most common international education systems

International Baccalaureate diploma

- ◆ Six subjects (including the prerequisites for your program of choice) with at least three at the Standard Level and three at the Higher Level.
- ◆ Minimum average of 29 points or higher, and prerequisites, depending on your chosen program.

American-patterned curriculum

- ◆ Grade 12
- ◆ Minimum average (generally, at least 75%) and prerequisites for your chosen program.

French lycée

Classe terminale or completed *baccalauréat général*: Minimum average of 11/20 or higher, and prerequisites, depending on your chosen program.

Classe de première: Minimum average of 12.5/20 or higher, and prerequisites, depending on your chosen program.

General Certificate of Education

- ◆ At least two A-level subjects
- ◆ Five subjects overall (including either AS- or O-level subjects)
- ◆ O-Level English and A- or AS-level subjects with a minimum grade of B



Further details and more admission information specific to your country.

English language requirements

If you're applying for an English-language program and haven't completed at **least three years of full-time study** at an institution where English is the only language of instruction (excluding language courses) **in a country where English is an official language**, you must submit your official score on one of the language tests below. Even if you achieve the required score,

we reserve the right to ask you to take language courses if we determine that your knowledge of one of Canada's two official languages (in this case, English) isn't satisfactory.



Other accepted tests, exemptions and instructions.

Required test (most common tests)	Minimum score	Minimum score for conditional admission with enrolment in our English Intensive Program
TOEFL Internet-based	Overall score of 86 and writing score of 22	Overall score of 60 and writing score of 20 OR overall score of 70 and writing score of 16
IELTS Academic / IELTS (Academic) One Skill Retake	Overall score of 6.5 and writing score of 6.5	Overall score of 4.5 and writing score of 5 OR overall score of 5 and writing score of 4.5
Duolingo	Overall score of 120 and literacy score of 120	Overall score of 85 and literacy score of 85

What if my language test score isn't high enough?

Depending on your scores, you could be admitted with language conditions. If your score is below the required score, you could be conditionally admitted to your academic program as long as you enrol in one or two English as a second language courses during first year or undertake to complete the English Intensive Program (EIP). If you pass the most advanced EIP course (ESL 0140) with a final grade of B or higher, you don't have to take a language test.

Our English Intensive Program (EIP) is a great way to improve your English listening, reading, speaking and writing skills. In fact, international undergraduate students increase their chances of graduating by 12% by completing the ESL 0140 course.



Graduate program requirements

Our degrees are recognized around the world and our graduates enjoy successful, prosperous careers. We offer a diverse range of programs — master’s, graduate diplomas, short duration master’s, PhDs and microprograms. Choose a formula that fits your career ambitions and lifestyle.



Language requirements

You’ll also need to show that you understand English and speak it fluently. You must provide proof of your language proficiency to be eligible for admission.

Here are examples of tests most often used to assess English proficiency for graduate studies (some programs may require higher test scores).

Test	Minimum Required Score
TOEFL (iBT Internet-based and Home Edition)	Overall score of 79 and writing score of 24
IELTS	Overall score of 6.5 and writing score of 6.5
Cambridge English Proficiency Tests	B2
PTE (Pearson Test of English)	Overall score of 58 and writing score of 58

** Your language proficiency must be at the required level when you’re admitted. Graduate programs don’t offer conditional admission for students who don’t meet the language proficiency requirements.*

Overview of the minimum requirements needed to be eligible for admission to a graduate-level program

Master’s and graduate diplomas

- ◆ An honours bachelor’s degree (four years) or the equivalent
- ◆ Minimum average of 70% (B), based on your last 20 courses

PhD

- ◆ A master’s degree or the equivalent
- ◆ Minimum average of 75% (B), based on your last 10 courses

Please note!

Some graduate programs may require a higher average, additional documentation or specific tests. Consult each program for application deadlines.

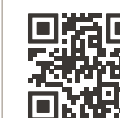


Check program-specific requirements.



Find a thesis supervisor

If you’re applying to a master’s (research paper or thesis option) or PhD program, you must find a thesis supervisor who’ll guide you throughout your studies.

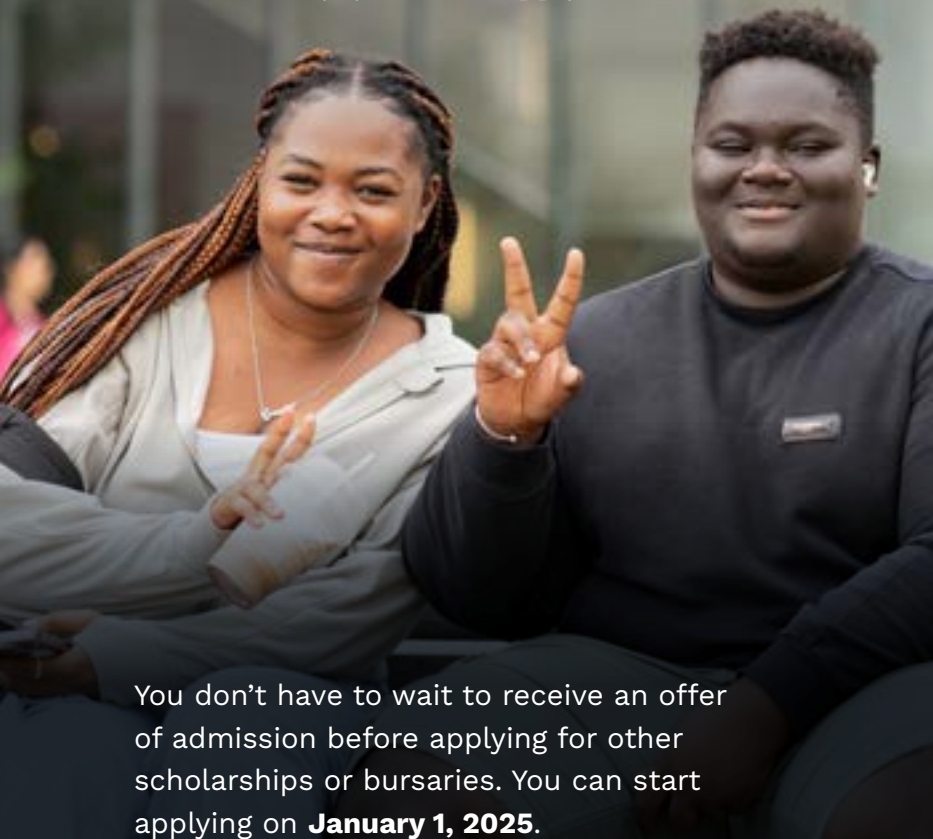


Our thesis supervision web page is a great starting point.

THIS IS THE PLACE

Where we invest in you

We'll do all we can to help you reach your dreams with the lightest financial burden possible. The scholarships and bursaries we offer reflect the diverse community we serve. We reward and nurture excellence, but we also lift up promising students from all backgrounds. Although some types of financial assistance are awarded automatically, you must apply for others.



You don't have to wait to receive an offer of admission before applying for other scholarships or bursaries. You can start applying on **January 1, 2025**.

Automatic Scholarships

International English Scholarship

For undergraduate international students from specific countries who study in English, based on your admission average.

Value: \$5,000 to \$25,000 (per year), based on the faculty offering the program of study

Differential Tuition Fee Exemption Scholarship for International Students

For international Francophone and Francophile students enrolled in a bachelor's program given in French or in the French Immersion Stream who take at least three courses taught in French per term.

Value: \$25,000 to \$36,000 (per year), based on the faculty offering the program of study



Explore the complete list of the awards available on our Online Scholarships and Bursaries portal. Pay attention to the eligibility criteria.

The deadline for most scholarships is March 31, 2025.

Use this useful table to see our tuition costs and university fees, as well as estimated cost-of-living expenses. We also include details on how you can offset these costs with scholarships and work.



Budget for your studies

Annual tuition

Amounts are in Canadian dollars.

Undergraduate	\$43,000 to \$64,000
Master's	\$29,000 to \$39,000
Doctorate amount with scholarship	\$9,000 to \$10,000
Juris Doctor	\$74,000
MBA, MHA	\$32,000 to \$74,000
EMBA, EMHA	\$28,700 to \$43,200

Figures are estimated on fees for the 2024–2025 academic year (September to April) and are subject to change.

Housing, food and other costs

(8-month pricing)

On campus	
Residence fees per person including mandatory meal plan	\$14,828 to \$19,400
Residence fees and groceries per person (with access to kitchen)	\$12,217 to \$15,589
Off campus	
Shared apartment and groceries	\$10,000 to \$14,000
Miscellaneous	
Ancillary fees (includes U-Pass)	\$1,363 to \$1,631
Textbooks and school supplies	\$1,600 to \$2,300
Mobile and internet services	\$800 to \$1,600
University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP) — 12 months	\$756

Financial assistance available

Differential Tuition Fee Exemption Scholarship or International English Scholarship	\$12,500 to \$32,000
Faculty scholarships	\$1,000 to \$10,000
Mobility scholarships	\$1,000 to \$2,000
Other scholarships (private donors, government)	\$1,000 or more
Co-op education programs	
Paid placement (per 4-month work term)	\$10,000 (approx.)
Financial aid	
Work-Study Program (fall-winter)	\$4,500 (approx.)
Work-Study Program (spring-summer)	\$7,000 (approx.)



Estimate your university fees for a program.



Open Minds. Brighter Futures.

At uOttawa, we have the firm, deeply held conviction that open minds are the key to generating rich, lasting, transformative discoveries, be they personal, social, academic or professional.

Here, we are open to new people and cultures who enrich us beyond measure, to changing times that challenge our beliefs and force us to grow, and to new ideas that disrupt the status quo, leading us down new paths of discovery, opening doors to an even brighter future.

But most of all,
we're open to you.

**Welcome to the
University of Ottawa**