

## COLLEGE APPLICANTS

### FIRST: RESEARCHING COLLEGES & PROGRAMS: WHERE DO YOU WANT TO GO?

1. [www.ontariocolleges.ca](http://www.ontariocolleges.ca) – all Ontario colleges are in this website
2. Individual college websites (eg. [www.niagaracollege.ca](http://www.niagaracollege.ca))
3. Student Services – we have information books for Ontario colleges
4. College presentations – we have arranged virtual presentations with some colleges, which will be held in the Fall of 2020. The link to the specific virtual meeting will be posted in Google Class of 2021, so you can easily access it on the day of the presentation. Students are to join all meetings with the camera off and the microphone muted; during Q&A time, students may turn on their microphones if the presenter grants permission, but cameras must remain off. Go to the Student Services website and/or Google Class of 2021 for a full list of virtual presentations.
5. College Open Houses and Virtual Tours – several colleges are hosting virtual Open Houses this Fall. See the list on the Student Services website and Google Class of 2021. The list will be updated as the colleges post new information. Most of these events require you to register in advance for the Open Houses.
6. College Fair – The 2020 Ontario Colleges Fair is virtual this year. The dates of the Fair are Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup> (4:00pm-8:00pm) and Thursday, November 5<sup>th</sup> (9:00am-1:00pm). <https://ontariocollegefair.ca/>

**\*\*Flip the page to learn how to apply to college once you have decided what college you want to go\*\***

## **SECOND: APPLYING TO COLLEGES AND PROGRAMS: HOW DO YOU GET IN?**

### **What You Need to Apply to College**

1. Ontario Secondary School Diploma
2. Grade 12 English (ENG4C)
3. You may need certain specific courses, depending on the program you want to apply to (for example, for most schools, Dental Hygiene students need Grade 12 English, Grade 11 Biology, and Grade 12 Chemistry)
4. Admission average is usually based on your Grade 12 courses, except if certain other courses are required (for example, Grade 11 Biology)

### **How to Apply to College**

1. [www.ontariocolleges.ca](http://www.ontariocolleges.ca) – you apply online – this does not usually start until the middle of October
2. OEN # - you can find this on your timetable or report card – if you can't find it, come to Student Services
3. Fees - \$95.00 (non-refundable) – this allows you to apply to 5 college programs, with no more than 3 programs at any one specific college. You may pay through a credit card or online banking
4. Deadline – **February 1, 2021** – this is the final date to submit your completed application online in order to be considered for all possible programs to which you apply

\*More information will follow regarding the application process\*