

BARRIE NORTH GUIDANCE UPDATE APRIL 19

Night School offerings for next year have been posted! See page 3 for details.



VOLUNTEER FAIR

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 2024
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

BARRIE PUBLIC LIBRARY
(60 WORSLEY STREET BARRIE)

or more information, email barrieava@gmail.com

**Connect with local organizations
looking for volunteers!**

Alzheimer's Society of Simcoe County, Barrie Public Library, Dress for Success, IOOF, Listening Post, North Simcoe Self Management Program, Red Cross, Redwood Park Communities, St. John's Ambulance, Township of Tiny, Victoria Village, VON, and more!



EXPAND YOUR RESUME!
NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

BNC Robotics Club

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FIRST MEETING ON APRIL
23, IN RM 246 AT LUNCH!

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| 2024 – 2025 Night School Course Selections Simcoe County District School Board | | | |
|---|---|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | Fall Sep 16 – Jan 22 | Winter Feb 10 – Jun 18 |
| ENGLISH | | | |
| ENG2D | Grade 10 Academic English | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |
| OLC30 | Grade 11 Ontario Literacy Course | | Tues/Thurs |
| ENG3E | Grade 11 English (Workplace) | | Tues/Thurs |
| NBE3C | Grade 11 English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Metis and Inuit Voices (College) | Mon/Wed | |
| NBE3U | Grade 11 English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Metis and Inuit Voices (University) | Mon/Wed | |
| OLC40 | Grade 12 Ontario Literacy Course | | Tues/Thurs |
| ENG4E | Grade 12 English (Workplace) | | Tues/Thurs |
| ENG4C | Grade 12 English (College) | | Tues/Thurs |
| ENG4U | Grade 12 English (University) | | Tues/Thurs |
| MATH | | | |
| MPM2D | Grade 10 Academic Math | Mon/Wed | Tues/Thurs |
| MEL3E | Mathematics for Work and Everyday Life (Workplace) | Tues/Thurs | |
| MBF3C | Foundations of College Math | | Mon/Wed |
| MCR3U | Functions | Tues/Thurs | |
| MEL4E | Mathematics for Work and Everyday Life (Workplace) | Tues/Thurs | |
| MAP4C | Foundations for College Math | Mon/Wed | |
| MCT4C | College Technology Math | | Mon/Wed |
| MDM4U | Data Management | | Mon/Wed |
| MHF4U | Advanced Functions | Mon/Wed | Mon/Wed |
| MCV4U | Calculus and Vectors | | Mon/Wed |
| SCIENCE | | | |
| SBI3C | Grade 11 Biology (College) | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |
| SBI3U | Grade 11 Biology (University) | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |
| SBI4U | Grade 12 Biology (University) | | Mon/Wed |
| SCH3U | Grade 11 Chemistry (University) | Tues/Thurs | Tues/Thurs |
| SCH4C | Grade 12 Chemistry (College) | Tues/Thurs | Tues/Thurs |
| SCH4U | Grade 12 Chemistry (University) | | Tues/Thurs |
| SPH3U | Grade 11 Physics (University) | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |
| SPH4C | Grade 12 Physics (College) | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |
| SPH4U | Grade 12 Physics (University) | | Mon/Wed |
| OTHER | | | |
| *CHV20 | Half Credit - Grade 10 Civics | Mon/Wed | Tues/Thurs |
| **GLC20 | Half Credit – Grade 10 Careers | Mon/Wed | Tues/Thurs |
| HSB4U | Grade 12 Challenge and Change in Society (University) | Tues/Thurs | |
| BBB4M | International Business Fundamentals (Mixed) | Mon/Wed | |
| BOH4M | Grade 12 Business Leadership (Mixed) | | Tues/Thurs |
| CGR4M | Grade 12 The Environment and Resource Management (Mixed) | Tues/Thurs | Mon/Wed |

| START AND END DATES | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| M/W | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
| T/T | Sep 16, 2024 – Jan 22, 2025 | Feb 10 – Jun 18, 2025 |
| | Sep 17, 2023 – Jan 21, 2025 | Feb 11 – Jun 10, 2025 |

| START AND END DATES (Half Credit Courses) | | |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
| *M/W | Sep 16, 2024 – Nov 13, 2024 | |
| **M/W | Nov 18, 2024 – Jan 22, 2025 | |
| *T/T | | Feb 11 – Apr 15, 2025 |
| **T/T | | Apr 17 – Jun 10, 2025 |

**Want to take a
Night School Course Next Year?**

**See Ms. Mavor at the Guidance Desk to register.
Courses are two nights a week from 6 to 9pm.**

They are online and attendance at each virtual class is mandatory.

Ontario's universities are excited to host a collection of in-person and virtual events this spring and fall, where students can speak directly with university and student representatives. **These events are free and anyone may attend.** Please make a note of the following events and dates and consider posting them on your school website.

Virtual Information Sessions

May 22, 5-7 pm (ET) (Dates for the fall events will be posted on the OUEvents website soon.)

Each virtual event gives students the opportunity to learn about the universities of their choice and ask questions.

New this spring: Ontario's universities will host an Information Session virtual event geared toward Grade 11 students looking to explore their university options ahead of Grade 12.

Ontario Universities' Fair (OUF)

October 5-6, 2024, 9:30 am to 5 pm, daily - Metro Toronto Convention Centre, South Building

The OUF is one of the largest educational fairs in North America. This event allows students to gather information and chat one-on-one with representatives from Ontario's universities.

Note: There are no university presentations at OUF 2024. If students are looking for a similar experience, we encourage them to attend the virtual Information Sessions.

Ontario Universities' Regional Fairs

- Northeastern and Northwestern Ontario: September 16-20
- Ottawa and Eastern Regions: September 23-27
- Southwestern Ontario: October 7-11
- **Central Eastern Ontario: October 15-18**

Individual event dates and locations are TBD.

Ontario's university representatives are coming to a city near you as they travel across the province for this year's Regional Fairs. These events are fair style and offer an opportunity to speak directly with university representatives.

Note: The Aboriginal Post-Secondary Information Program (APSIP) will participate in the OUF and Information Sessions, offering students the opportunity to connect with Indigenous recruiters and explore their opportunities.

Visit the [OUAC Events website](#) to find out more about these events.

SCHOLARSHIPS!



The Ontario Horticultural Trades Foundation and Cullen Family Scholarship program has over \$60,000 in funding available to Ontario landscape and horticulture students. [Click here to learn more.](#)

Be sure to apply before the June 30 deadline.

[The Hensall Co-op Bright Futures Scholarship](#) is officially open for applications. Details can be found on their website. Students must meet the Hensall Co-op member criteria outlined in the application form.



**HENSALL CO-OP
BRIGHT FUTURES
SCHOLARSHIP**

If the student is not in an agriculture-based program, they need to demonstrate how their studies will help them advance rural communities and/or economies.

Other than ag-science or ag-business, here are some examples of programs that qualify: Trades (electrical, plumbing, construction), Sciences (nursing, PSW, research), Commerce (finance, accounting, management), Arts (history, math, political science). Please note: this is not an exhaustive list. [Visit their website to learn more!](#)



The April Scholarship Report has arrived. [Click here](#) to view it! Make sure you are logged into your SCDSB Chrome account.

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BACKPACKS FOR YOUTH REGISTRATION OPEN



REGISTRATION
CLOSES
AUGUST 9TH

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Post-Secondary Important Dates 2023-2024



College

[Click here](#) to find a map of all Ontario Colleges .

Learn about College Open Houses and virtual tours [here](#).

September 30, 2023

The online application is available at ontariocolleges.ca. The fee is \$125. The application fee includes up to 5 program choices (no more than 3 at any one college); the programs must start within the same academic year (August to July)

The Ontario College Fair (OCF)

Enercare Centre - Hall B, Exhibition Place, Toronto

- Wednesday, October 18 – 5p.m. - 9p.m.
- Thursday, October 19– 9a.m. - 2p.m.

[Click here](#) to learn more.

February 1, 2024

The deadline for applying to highly competitive programs. Applications received and paid for before this date will be given equal consideration by the colleges.

NOTE: Applicants for all programs are encouraged to apply before this date, as website volumes are highest at this time.

May 1, 2024

The most common deadline for confirming offers of admission - but not the only one. Applicants should check their offers of admission for exact deadline dates.

June 1, 2024

The earliest date that colleges may require payment of tuition fees.

Workplace

Planning to work next year?

Get in touch with the Career Centre at the Bayfield Mall (320 Bayfield Street)

- 705-725-8990, ext. 45200
- info@barriecareercentre.com
- www.barriecareercentre.com

Youth Job Connection

Get paid while receiving training in employment skills and learn how to apply to jobs. [Click here](#) to learn more.

Apprenticeships in Ontario

[Click here](#) to learn all about apprenticeships in the Trades!

Plan on taking a Gap year next year? [Click here](#) to learn more about what that might be like.

University

OUAC (Ontario University Application Centre) has launched the **Ontario Universities' Info** with updated information for 2024 admission. **Applications are NOW OPEN!**

CENTRAL Regional University Fair

November 16th, 2023 10am & 5pm
Nottawasaga Inn Resort & Conference Centre, Alliston

[Click here](#) to learn more.

Ontario Universities' Fair (OUF)

October 21-22, 2023, from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm Metro Toronto Convention Centre
[Click here](#) to learn more.

Ontario Universities Virtual Information Sessions

Tuesday, September 26th
Wednesday, November 22nd
5-7pm

[Click here](#) to learn more.

January 15, 2024

The deadline for Ontario high school students to submit their completed applications to OUAC.

May 29, 2024 The latest date all high school applicants who submitted their application by the January application deadline can expect a response from an Ontario university.

June 3, 2024

The earliest date an Ontario high school student may be required to respond to an Ontario university offer of admission and give a financial commitment (e.g., registration deposit, residence deposit, etc.).