

### **FAQ from Post-Secondary Presentation (October 2023)**

Hopefully most of the answers are in the presentation (also available on the Merivale Student Services Post-Secondary page). There were a few additional questions that were addressed during the Q & A after the presentation. Please see below.

If you have more questions, please reach out to your student's guidance counsellor.

#### **What courses are considered for Admission?**

##### **COLLEGE:**

- Colleges will consider program prerequisites for admission.
- ENG4U and ENG4C are considered as equivalents for admission.

##### **UNIVERSITY:**

- It depends on where in the admission cycle students are being considered
  - Early admission cycles (prior to February mid-terms) - universities are considering a combination of grade 11 final grades and first quarter grade 12 grades.
  - Early admission cycles - universities will consider student's top 5 - including prerequisites for the program UNLESS they have 2 or more completed grade 12 credits. In this case, universities will consider student's top 6 - including prerequisites for the program.
  - February - May admission cycles - universities will consider student's top 6 grade 12 credits - including prerequisites for the program.

More and more universities are asking for **supplemental applications**. This can take MANY different forms. **DEADLINES are university specific**. The details for each school and each program will be available to students after they apply on the university portal.

#### **After choosing programs and making the payment on OUAC, can you still apply to more? Or do you need to apply to every program at once?**

- Students can return to their OUAC account to add or change applications at any point in the admission cycle.

#### **If you have more than one offer and accept one, do other offers get declined automatically?**

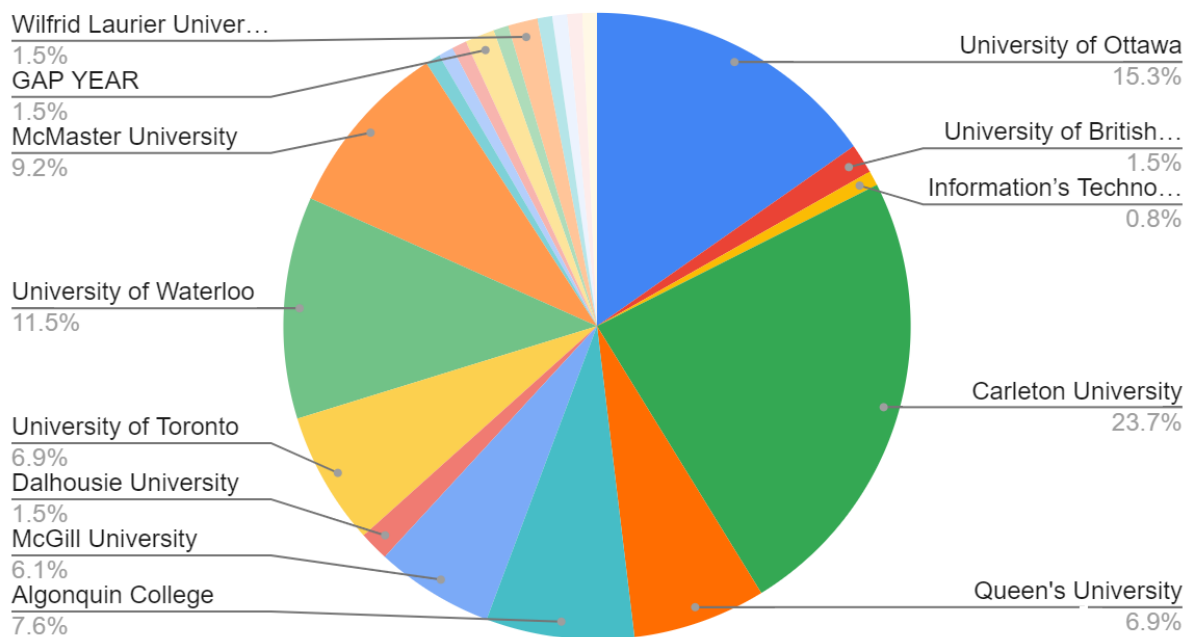
- Once the student has accepted an offer, they will no longer be considered for admission to other institutions in Ontario.

#### **Do universities consider summer school, eLearning, or night school for admission?**

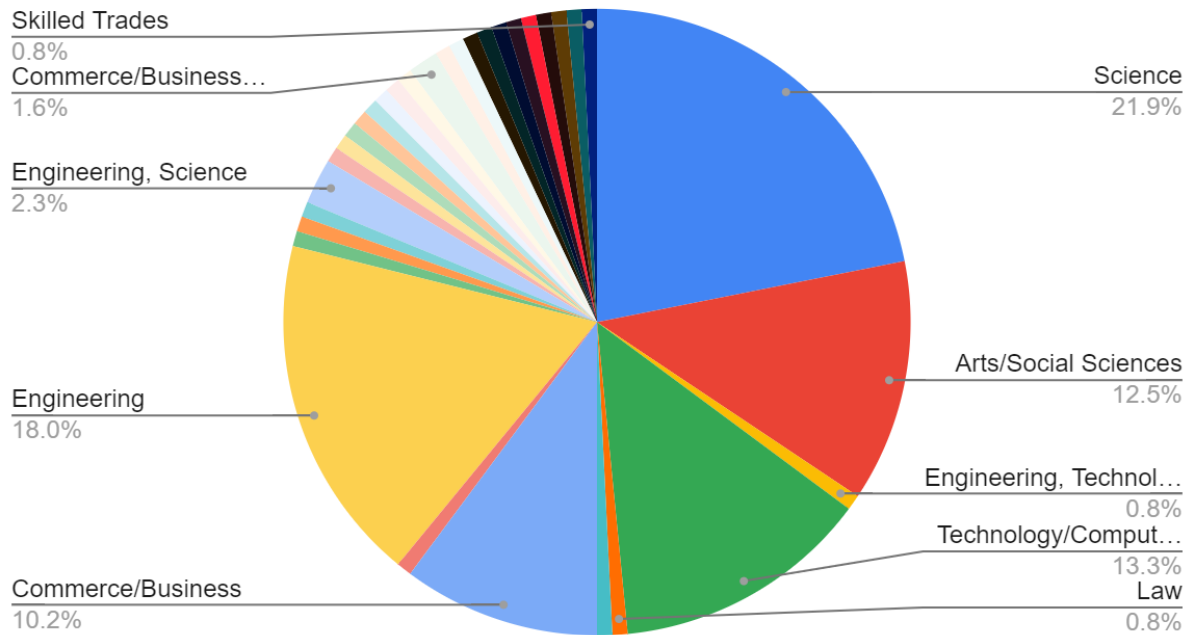
- **Most** universities accept all approved courses through schools accredited by the Ministry of Education.
- Some universities (University of Waterloo) may ask students to explain why they took the course outside of their day school. Sometimes, taking required courses in summer school could negatively affect a student's application to some programs.

### Post-secondary institutions 2023 graduates (approximately 50% of graduates)

#### Count of Post-secondary institution



## Area of study



## Does the university consider OUAC ranking in admission decisions?

University	OUAC Ranking Considered?
Algoma University	No
Brock University	No
Carleton University	No
University of Guelph	No

University of Guelph-Humber	No
Université de Hearst	Yes
Lakehead University	No
Laurentian University	No
McMaster University	No
Nipissing University	No
OCAD University	No
Université de l'Ontario français	No
Ontario Tech University	No
University of Ottawa	No
University of Ottawa – Saint Paul University	Yes

Queen's University	No
Royal Military College of Canada	No
University of Toronto	No
University of Toronto – Mississauga	No
University of Toronto – Scarborough	No
Toronto Metropolitan University (formerly Ryerson University)	No
Trent University	No
Trent University – Durham Greater Toronto Area	No
University of Waterloo	No
University of Waterloo – Renison University College	No

University of Waterloo – St. Jerome's University	No
University of Waterloo – United College	Yes
Western University	No
Western University – Huron University College	Yes
Western University – King's University College	No
Wilfrid Laurier University	No
Wilfrid Laurier University – Brantford Campus	No
Wilfrid Laurier University – Milton Campus	No
University of Windsor	No
York University	No

York University – Glendon Campus	No
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