



EARN A YORK DEGREE IN TWO YEARS

We've got hundreds of college-to-university pathways.
There's bound to be one for you.



..... YOU CAN COMPLETE A DEGREE IN TWO YEARS DEPENDING ON THE PROGRAM AND THE AMOUNT OF TRANSFER CREDIT RECEIVED.

Completed a Liberal Arts diploma program? Earn up to 42 credits (equivalent of 14 x 3-credit courses) toward your degree and finish a York degree in two years (five terms).

In the Communication Arts program at Seneca or Centennial? You can earn a diploma along with a degree in as little as four years.

**MORE THAN 3,500
TRANSFER STUDENTS
JOIN YORK EACH YEAR
AND WE'RE PROUD TO
OFFER MULTIPLE
TRANSFER PATHWAYS
FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS.**





TRANSFER CREDIT CAN BE GRANTED IN FOUR WAYS:

1. **Ontario college students can receive a group of transfer credits (called “block transfers”) when they have already completed a diploma or certificate program and are accepted into a York degree program.**
2. **Agreements between various Canadian colleges and York (called “articulation agreements”) specify the number of transfer credits and the approximate length of time required for a college student to complete a degree at York.**
3. **Joint programs allow you to combine a university degree with an Ontario college diploma or certificate program. For example, York’s Communication Studies program is a joint program with Seneca College.**
4. **A collaborative program is one in which several schools work together to provide comprehensive education programs. For example, York’s Collaborative Bachelor of Nursing program is offered in partnership with Seneca College and Georgian College.**

For more definitions of York University terminology, visit the Glossary of Terms site.

futurestudents.yorku.ca/definitions

Details about transfer credit pathways can be found at:

futurestudents.yorku.ca/transfercredit

MORE THAN 60 PER CENT OF ADMITTED ONTARIO COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY STUDENTS RECEIVE BETWEEN 15 AND 42 CREDITS TOWARD A DEGREE.



YOUR DIPLOMA IS...	YOU COULD RECEIVE A BLOCK CREDIT TRANSFER OF...	TO EARN A FOUR-YEAR DEGREE = 120 CREDITS*	TO EARN A THREE YEAR DEGREE = 90 CREDITS*
A three-year diploma in a highly academic program	42 credits**	You require a min of 78 credits	You require a min of 48 credits
A two-year diploma in a highly academic program	30 credits	You require a min of 90 credits	You require a min of 60 credits
A three-year diploma in a strongly academic program	30 credits	You require a min of 90 credits	You require a min of 60 credits
A two-year diploma in a strongly academic program	24 credits	You require a min of 96 credits	You require a min of 66 credits
A three-year diploma in a sufficiently academic program	21 credits	You require a min of 99 credits	You require a min of 69 credits
A two-year diploma in a sufficiently academic program	15 credits	You require a min of 105 credits	You require a min of 75 credits

* It's important to understand that the number of credits you receive and the number of credits you require to complete your degree may not match exactly. Depending on the program of study chosen at York University, you may be required to complete additional courses to meet the specific program requirements.

** Courses at York are equivalent to 3, 6 or 9 credits.

HOW MANY CREDITS CAN I DO PER TERM?

Students usually complete 15 credits (five courses) per term but it is possible to complete 18 credits. Since York offers three terms per academic year, you could fast track and complete a maximum of 54 credits per calendar year.

AM I GUARANTEED TRANSFER CREDIT?

No. Not all programs at colleges are granted credit. Some programs are granted less than 15 credits.

MORE QUESTIONS?

futurestudents.yorku.ca/college_transfers

How do I get started?

FUTURESTUDENTS.YORKU.CA/COLLEGE_TRANSFERS

DOES YORK OFFER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS?

Yes. There are three types:

- Mature Student Award \$3,000
- Provost's Award \$1,000
- Undergraduate Entrance Awards \$400, \$600, \$1,100

futurestudents.yorku.ca/financialsupport

WHAT DEGREE OPTIONS DO I HAVE?

Bachelor of Arts, International Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, International Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Administrative Studies, Bachelor in Disaster & Emergency Management, Bachelor in Environmental Studies, Bachelor of Human Resources Management, Bachelor in Public Administration, Bachelor of Social Work.

Popular programs include Anthropology, Biology, Business, Children's Studies, Communication Studies, Computer Science, Computer Security, Criminology, Geography, Information Technology, Psychology, Sociology and more.

I HAVE A TWO-YEAR/THREE-YEAR DIPLOMA. HOW MANY CREDITS WILL I GET?

Most college programs and diplomas are assigned block transfer credit based on academic content and rigour of studies. If you have a specific two-year or three-year diploma from an accredited Ontario college use this chart to help guide your transfer credit opportunities.



HOW MANY HOURS WILL I BE IN CLASS EACH WEEK? I HAVE A JOB TO SUPPORT MY FAMILY.

A full-time student usually takes five courses (30 credits)* per academic year. Courses normally run for three hours/week. There may be labs required as well. For every hour in class, you can expect one to two hours of study/work on assignments. Part-time students usually take 40% of a full-time course load (one or two courses). Plan carefully if you have an OSAP loan so that you maintain the required course load.

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I'M THINKING ABOUT NURSING. WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS?

At York, we offer a collaborative nursing program in partnership with Seneca College and with Georgian College. Students in this innovative and exciting four-year collaborative degree program will select one of our collaborative partner sites for the first two years of their degree followed by years three and four at York University. Graduates receive a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BScN) degree from York and will be eligible to write the certification examinations from the College of Nurses of Ontario in order to become a Registered Nurse.





SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

York offers a wide variety of academic and non-academic services/resources that are key to success for transferring students. Here are just a few to start with...

ATKINSON CENTRE FOR MATURE & PART-TIME STUDENTS (ACMAPS)

A pan-University physical and philosophical home for mature, transfer and part-time students. ACMAPS offers its services, with some weekend and evening hours, to help you transition to and navigate university life. With advising, orientations, success workshops, parent support groups and even a peer mentor program, ACMAPS supports your university experience. yorku.ca/acmaps

YORK UNIVERSITY MATURE STUDENT ORGANIZATION (YUMSO)

YUMSO's staff of student volunteers work hard, starting with orientation and social events throughout the year, to make sure you have the best possible experience at York. The YUMSO office offers you a quiet place of refuge and relaxation between classes to help you unwind. Computer workstations available. yorku.ca/yumso

LEARNING COMMONS

The student-centred space, located in the Scott Library, draws together various academic supports into a single convenient location to help you move toward your degree and your career. Studying at Glendon? Make the Salon Francophone a regular stop for practicing your French conversation.

library.yorku.ca/learning_commons

CHAT WITH A LIBRARIAN

The Ask a Librarian chat service allows you to chat in real time to get help with your research. You'll also be able to watch as the librarian shows you how to find resources on your topic. Go to the main Library site and click on Ask A Librarian. library.yorku.ca

YULEARN

Your gateway to York University's extensive resources to support your research, writing and critical skills development. The goal of this site is to enhance your educational experiences and preparedness for the future. yorku.ca/yulearn

COUNSELLING & DISABILITY SERVICES

A variety of resources to help make your time at York a success: personal counseling; learning and study skills; and arranging academic accommodations for students with learning, mental health, physical, medical or sensory disabilities. yorku.ca/cds

YUCONNECT

An online system for getting involved and tracking your out-of-the-classroom experience in a revolutionary way. It gives students a directory to find clubs and to match opportunities to their self-selected interests. YUConnect is also a platform for creating a record of your extra- and co-curricular involvement throughout your time at York.

yuconnect.yorku.ca