

Ridgeback Report



- Get prepared for the upcoming school year and visit the IT Services website to learn how to [download software](#) for your program/courses.

Academic Support



- If you're purchasing a new laptop for the 2024-2025 academic year, visit the [bring your own device webpage](#) for details.
- Looking for course support? Drop by a [Peer Pod session](#)! Get tailored guidance from our knowledgeable facilitators who are ready to answer your questions and help you navigate tricky concepts. [View the schedule](#).

Career Readiness



- We have a variety of workshops that are designed to help you with job searching, going to work for the first time, or entering a new workplace. [Learn more and register](#) for a workshop today!

Community



- We're recruiting Orientation Leaders for the 2024-2025 term. [Visit the Leadership positions website](#) for more information including the volunteer description and to submit your application.

Equity and Inclusion



- We aim to create an equitable and inclusive campus while supporting you through your transition to university. We offer resources, workshops, a variety of supports and opportunities to engage students on campus. [Learn more.](#)

Athletics and Wellness



- Ignite your fitness journey and join us for **free** summer fitness classes! [Learn more and register.](#)
- Could you use a mindful break in the middle of your week? Join us virtually on **Wednesdays from 1 to 1:45 p.m.** until **July 24** for a journey of learning, discussion and practice. [Learn more and register.](#)

Money Matters



Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP)

2024-2025 fall OSAP is now available!

- [Apply to OSAP now](#) for fall and winter terms to avoid delays when classes start.

Student Awards

2024-2025 University Works applications are now open!

- Applications for the fall/winter University Works program are now available for full-time undergraduate students on [MyOntarioTech](#). For more information, [visit the university works web page.](#)
- Visit [MyOntarioTech](#) for bursary application opportunities and term payment deadlines.

Other News



Ontario Tech Ucard:

- If you have not submitted your photo for use in your digital Ucard, visit our [Ontario Tech Ucard web page](#) for instructions. Follow our [photo upload requirements](#) to avoid having your photo rejected.
- To access your digital Ucard, download and sign into the [Ontario Tech Mobile app](#).

Universal Transit Pass (U-Pass):

- The U-Pass fee will be charged each semester to eligible, full-time students.
- The summer U-Pass is valid from **May 1 to August 31**, and accessible through the [PRESTO E-Tickets app](#). Once distributed, an email will be sent to eligible students' ontariotechu.net email account.
- For more information, visit our [U-Pass web page](#).



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