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Ontario's colleges offer unique programs designed to prepare you for where you want to go. There are literally thousands from which to choose in the arts, health sciences, technology, trades and business areas of study, with many credential options.

Still not convinced, read on

Fast Facts

- 89% of college graduates find jobs within six months of graduation
- 92% of employers who hire college grads are more than satisfied with their new hires
- over one-third of Ontario's workforce is made up of college grads
- more university grads apply to college than the other way around

Career

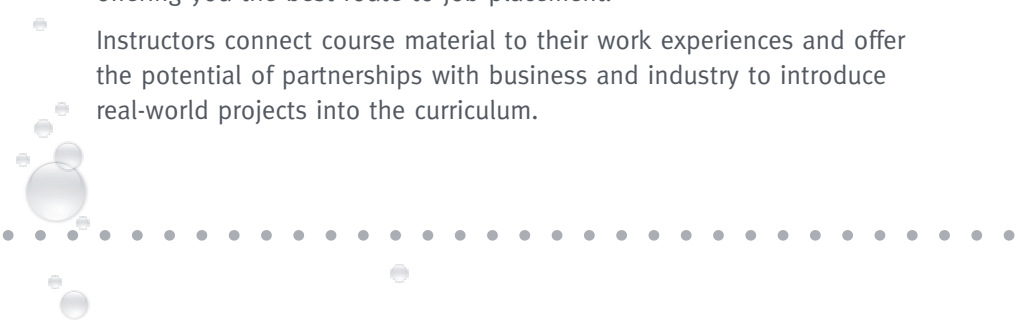
Ontario's colleges provide students with an opportunity to develop skills that can lead to rewarding careers. Whether you're just beginning the journey or building on credentials you already have, a college education can help you reach your career goals. That's why more than a million of the province's success stories are Ontario college graduates.

Hands-On, Practical Learning Experience

Students receive career-oriented education, combining theory with a practical, hands-on learning experience, ensuring an educated, skilled graduate who is more quickly and easily integrated into the work force.

Many programs offer co-op, internship and work placement opportunities offering you the best route to job placement.

Instructors connect course material to their work experiences and offer the potential of partnerships with business and industry to introduce real-world projects into the curriculum.



Cost-Effective Option

With shorter program lengths, lower tuition costs, and less time in school before you can start working, college is an incredibly affordable option. Also, thousands of dollars are available in Ontario each year through scholarships, bursaries and grants. Check out ontariocolleges.ca/confirm/money-matters for details.

Personalized Instruction

A low student-to-teacher ratio means you aren't just a faceless number in college. Your success matters. You have the opportunity to develop lasting friendships and a professional network of colleagues with fellow students and faculty.

Diverse Program Options in Over 200 Communities Throughout Ontario

Colleges offer dedicated programs for career-specific areas that give you the specialized knowledge you need to succeed. The broad choice of programs makes it easy to train for a career that you'll love. You can stay close to home or embark on a new journey.

With over 2,800 programs in almost 850 learning sites in 200 communities across the province, you're sure to find a location and college experience that works for you.

Do the Math!

- Less time in school
- + lower tuition costs
- + job within 6 months of graduation
- + 92% employer satisfaction rate

= Career success and a better choice for your future

Ontario's colleges . . . Your future starts here!

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