We’re here to help

This book is designed to simplify course enrolment, paying your fees, choosing your program, and everything in-between.

It will guide you through these steps so that you can focus less on how to do it, and more on what’s really important: your goals and how to best achieve them.

Embrace the U of T Scarborough experience that awaits you, and know that we will partner with you from registration to convocation.

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## Course Enrolment & Term Work

### View Your Start Time on ACORN (degree students only)

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### Course enrolment begins

- Add up to 2.5 credits per semester
- Add up to 3.0 credits on ACORN

### Add St. George or UTM courses

Beginning August 9 at 6am

### Add courses on ACORN by this date to avoid the registration penalty (maximum $114)

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: August 13
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: November 23

### Late registration penalty applied at the Registrar’s Office

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: August 14
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: November 26

### Financial cancellation and course removal date due to non-payment/deferral

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: August 27
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: December 7

### Deadline to cancel registration (i.e., drop all of your courses) with no minimum charge

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: September 3
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: January 6

### UTSC waitlist ends - check status of your courses

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: September 12
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: January 15

### Deadline to adjust course load (for students on probation and/or writing deferred exams)

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: September 10
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: January 14

### Deadline for registered students to add courses or make a section change on ACORN

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: September 17
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: January 20

### Deadline to drop courses without academic penalty and have them removed from transcript

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: November 19
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: February 18

### Credit/No Credit an elective or breadth requirement: Request or remove this assessment from your transcript

- Sept 4 – December 3
- Sept 4 – April 5
- Sept 4 – April 5

### Last day to submit term assignments

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: December 3
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: April 5

### Request a late withdrawal from a UTSC course on eService (see our website for St. George and UTM deadlines)

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Year Students: Nov 20 – Dec 3
- 4th Year & 5th Year Students: Feb 19 – April 5

### Choosing Your Program (Subject POSSt)

| Enrolment period for unlimited programs | Anytime |
| Application period for limited enrolment programs | See page 6 for more information |

### Graduation

| Request graduation for June 2019 on ACORN | November 16 – February 18 |
## FALL 2018 / WINTER 2019 FINANCIAL DATES

### Fall/Winter

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| Deadline to cancel registration (i.e., drop all of your courses) with no minimum charge | Fall session: September 3  
                          | Winter session: January 6 |
| Financial cancellation and course removal date due to non-payment      | August 27             |
| Deadline to pay Fall semester balance to avoid service charges        | September 30          |
| Deadline to pay Winter balance to avoid service charges               | November 30 for Non-OSAP Students without fee deferral  
                          | January 31 for OSAP Students with a fee deferral |

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### Refund Schedule

Learn when to drop a course in order to be eligible for a full or partial refund:  
http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/financial-deadlines

### OSAP / Financial Aid

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| Deadline to apply for financial aid in order to be eligible for a tuition fee deferral* | June 30 for students studying in the Fall or Fall/Winter  
                          | Sept 30 for students studying in the Winter semester only |
| Deadline to apply for OSAP without a fee deferral                     | Oct 22 for students studying in the Fall only  
                          | Feb 25 for students studying in the Fall/Winter or Winter |

### Upcoming – Summer 2019 semester

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| Apply for OSAP extension/reinstatement or new application             | Applications will be available March 2019  
                          | Visit the Registrar’s Office for more details |

* Students who rely on financial aid to pay their registration fee are advised to apply for funding early in order to request a tuition fee deferral. Students who are deemed ineligible for a fee deferral are required to make a tuition payment on their own to register, and reserve their spot in the courses they have chosen. Make financial arrangements early!
A U of T degree is designed to inspire and challenge your thinking. We encourage you to take intellectual risks, to innovate, and engage with the world’s most passionate academic minds. Customize your degree by finding the program(s) that matter to you.
Your U of T Degree

A University of Toronto degree is designed to be comprehensive. The combination of program requirements and degree requirements includes electives and breadth requirements for you to develop knowledge within a range of disciplines. It ensures that you gain strong numeracy and literacy skills that are marketable and transferable across a multitude of employment fields. You must complete a minimum of 20.0 credits comprised of your degree and program requirements to be eligible for graduation.

Types of Degrees

UTSC offers the following Honours degrees:
• Honours Bachelor of Arts (HBA)
• Honours Bachelor of Science (HBSc)
• Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)
• Double Degree (BBA/BSc) Management & Finance and Statistics – Quantitative Finance Stream
• Combined Degree (Combined HBA/HBSc and Master of Teaching)
• Combined Degree Mental Health Studies and Master of Social Work
• Combined Degree Environmental Science and Professional Master of Engineering

Program Requirements

Follow the degree requirements in the Calendar of the academic year that you were admitted to UTSC. For example, if you were admitted in September 2018, you would follow the degree requirements in the 2018 - 2019 Calendar. Degree requirements include your electives and breadth requirements.

Electives

The total number of credits you will earn by completing your program(s) requirements is only one part of your degree. Elective courses are additional courses taken outside of your program.

Breadth Requirements

All courses at UTSC have been categorized under one of five breadth requirements, and are noted in the Calendar under each course description. Students who began their studies as of Summer 2010 are required to satisfy 0.5 credit in each of the five breadth requirement categories:
• Arts, Literature & Language
• History, Philosophy & Cultural Studies
• Social & Behavioural Sciences
• Quantitative Reasoning
• Natural Sciences

Degree Planning & Assessments

Degree Explorer is U of T’s official degree planning tool. It visually outlines your program and degree progress, and allows you to create future academic plans. Use your UTORid and password to log in.

Plan Your Degree

Use the academic planning feature to create mock timetables for future sessions to help you make informed decisions about courses and programs.
Program and Degree Requirements
Degree Explorer’s status bar will demonstrate which requirements are pending, incomplete, or complete. This is a helpful assessment tool that you can refer to throughout your academic career to ensure that you are on track for graduation.

Program Exceptions
Students who are expecting to graduate can use this tool to assess their eligibility for Convocation. If you submitted a program exception form to our office, our Records & Convocation team will update exceptions on your record once you request graduation.

Year of Study
The U of T designates your year of study based on the number of credits you have completed as a degree student, and not on the number of years you have attended. Non-degree students and visiting students are not assessed for a year of study.

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Program Combinations
When you are expecting to complete 4.0 credits, you must declare your program of study on ACORN. Take the time to explore the programs offered at UTSC - discover your passions both inside and outside of the classroom.

You are encouraged to select the program or an appropriate combination of programs that suit your academic interests, whether that means specializing in one program, or combining programs as seen below:

- **1 Specialist** OR
- **2 Majors** OR
- **1 Major & 2 Minors**

A specialist program provides you with an in-depth, focused, and sophisticated understanding of a subject area. Of the 20.0 credits that you will need to graduate, a specialist program can satisfy between 12.0 – 16.0 credits, depending on the program.

A major program is designed to provide you with a concentrated understanding within an academic field. Opting to complete a major provides you with the opportunity to combine multiple programs across the Arts, Sciences, or Economics for Management. It is not enough to study one major program, so you will be expected to combine your major with an additional major program, or two minors. Of the 20.0 credits that you will need to graduate, one major program can satisfy between 7.0 – 9.0 credits, depending on the program.

A minor program gives you the flexibility to diversify your academic portfolio and shape your degree based on what you love. It will introduce you to a subject area and allow you to augment skills that can be applied to other fields. Of the 20.0 credits that you will need to graduate, one minor program can satisfy 4.0 – 5.0 credits.
Choosing Your Program

Who Can Enrol in a Program?
Degree students who are expecting to complete 4.0 university credits (including all eligible transfer credits) by the end of a session are required to complete this step. You must have at least one active program or appropriate combination of programs (page 5) on ACORN before course enrolment begins, or your course enrolment privileges will be blocked. You can make changes to your program(s) as your academic career progresses if needed. As a UTSC student, you may only apply for and complete UTSC programs.

Non-degree and visiting students or students with fewer than 4.0 credits are not required to select a program.

Note that you will be unable to continue enrolling in courses if you have obtained 4.0 credits but you are not active in a program (either a Specialist, two Majors or one Major and two Minors). If you are waiting for the limited enrolment request period to begin, you should select an unlimited program temporarily in order to continue modifying your courses.

Unlimited Programs
Enrol in an unlimited program at anytime on ACORN.

Apply for Limited Programs
Limited programs require an application, and you must meet the requirements by the deadline in order to be considered.

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If your application to a limited enrolment program is successful, your status will be invited, until you accept it (or the offer expires, see chart). If you miss the deadline to accept the offer, you will have to wait until the next request period to apply for the program. When a program is active it means that you are officially enrolled in the program. If your application to a limited program was refused, you must have an alternate program listed on ACORN.

You may enrol in only one co-op or limited enrolment specialist program. If you are invited to more than one, accept the one you want, and delete the others.

Declare Your Program(s) on ACORN
utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/programs

Near the end of your first year (upon completing your fourth credit at U of T), you will gain a better understanding of your academic interests.

To apply for a limited program, or enrol in an unlimited program:
1. Visit the link above to determine whether your program is an unlimited or limited program.
2. Login to ACORN.
3. Under the Academics menu, click on “Enrol & Manage,” and select “Programs”.
4. Using the search field box, type your program name, or Subject POST code, and select the appropriate UTSC program.

Remove a Program from ACORN
1. Follow steps 2-4 above.
2. Click the gear icon on the top right corner of the program you wish to remove.
3. Select “Remove Program” from the drop-down menu that appears, and confirm your selection.
Follow the Appropriate Calendar
Students who declare a program for the first time or change their program as of April 2013 must follow the program requirements in the Calendar in place based on the start session of the program (per Degree Explorer). Students who declared a program prior to April 2013 can complete the program requirements in the Calendar of the year they enrolled at UTSC, or any subsequent Calendar.

Finding the Right Program for You
www.uoft.me/choosing
Visit the Academic Advising & Career Centre and your faculty if you need support selecting the right program(s). At UTSC, “Choosing Your Program Month” is in March, and you can learn more about your program options through networking opportunities such as a fair, on-line chats and more.

Course Enrolment
You should enrol in all of your desired Fall and Winter courses when your course enrolment start date and time begins. You can continue to make changes to your timetable before the semester begins with no penalty, but it’s important to enrol in them early to avoid disappointment as courses become full quickly. See page 1 for deadlines to add or drop courses once the semester begins. It’s a good idea to have a back up list of courses in mind just in case a course or meeting section is full. You should also be mindful of course schedules indicated on the timetable to ensure that there are no conflicts in your schedule.

STEP 1: Find Courses Using the UTSC Academic Calendar
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/calendar
The Calendar is one of the most important documents between you and the University of Toronto Scarborough. You will find up-to-date information regarding programs, courses, and university policies that will guide your academic choices during your time here. It will help you advance through your academic career successfully. Use the program and degree requirements outlined in the Calendar that you are following to determine the courses you will need to complete in order to graduate. Find your program(s), and view the courses that you will be required to complete over the next 4-5 years. Learn about different programs by reading the program and course descriptions.

The Calendar provides course codes that you will use to sign up for courses on ACORN. Each course has its own “biography” - a synopsis of what the course will be about; applicable prerequisites, corequisites, exclusions; which breadth requirement it fulfills; and any additional information. It will help you make decisions and prepare you for the academic year ahead. Meet with an Academic and Learning Strategist and/or use Degree Explorer to help you plan for the future.

As you browse through the Calendar, write down course codes (and their titles) that you should be taking for your program in the upcoming year, along with some courses that are outside of your program – these are called electives. For example, if you are specializing in English, taking a course in Psychology would be an elective. It’s important to note that some courses listed in the Calendar may not be available each and every session. Consult the Course Timetable (step 2) to determine whether or not a course is being offered and when.

STEP 2: Build Your Schedule
utsc.utoronto.ca/timetable
Using the Timetable
As you plan your upcoming semester(s), use the Timetable to determine the dates and times of your lectures, and tutorials or practicals (if the course requires them).
To get started, follow these easy steps:

1. **Visit the Timetable website to begin searching for courses.**

2. **Select your academic period.**

3. **Filter your search.** You can use the drop down menu to search all UTSC courses, or by a specific department. Click “Display by Discipline” to see your results. You can also type in the specific course code and click on “Display by Course”.

4. **Read enrolment controls and course information.**

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**Is Your Enrolment Blocked?**

If your start time has already begun, but you’re not able to add a course, don’t panic! Read the enrolment controls and information tabs on the Timetable website. This will provide detailed instructions such as who is eligible to enrol in courses based on program or year of study; whether enrolment will open up to all students outside of the program (and if so, when), and more important information.

Enrolment controls often limit initial enrolment to eligible students who meet very specific criteria for certain courses. This does not necessarily mean that you cannot enrol in the course – it may simply indicate that you can try again after a certain date if you do not meet the initial criteria.

It’s important to read this information carefully to avoid disappointment and confusion when you are enrolling in courses on ACORN.

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**Reading a UTSC Course Code**

Course codes provide information such as which area of study the course belongs to, what level the course is, which U of T campus offers the course, and more. Let’s take ENGA18H3 F as an example.

**ENGA18H3 F**

The first three characters indicate the program that the course belongs to. In this case, it is English.

**ENGA18H3 F**

The fourth character will always be one of four letters: A, B, C, or D. A-level courses are designed to introduce you to a topic. D-level classes are the most advanced undergraduate classes offered at UTSC.

**ENGA18H3 F**

Each course has a unique number that is used to identify it on ACORN. It makes all the difference between taking “Poetry and Popular Culture” instead of “Introduction to 20th Century Literature.”

**ENGA18H3 F**

The seventh character indicates the credit value of the course; the majority of UTSC courses are half credits.

- **H** = 0.5 credit
- **Y** = 1.0 credit

**ENGA18H3 F**

U of T is a tri-campus university. The last number indicates which campus the course is offered at.

- **UTSC** = 3
- **UTM** = 5
- **FAS (St.George)** = 1

**ENGA18H3 F**

The last letter appears as F, S, or Y. It identifies the session a course is offered, and the academic duration of the session.

- **F** = September – December or May – June
- **S** = January – April or June – August
- **Y** = September – April or May – August
Course Meeting Sections

Lectures (in-person): U of T faculty bring course material to life. These are the traditional lectures that take place in person, typically starting 10 minutes after the hour. Some lectures meet multiple times a week. The Course Timetable will tell you when and where each class is held.

Online: Online lectures are intended to provide you with flexibility in how you learn, and grant you the independence to determine when you will learn by watching your lectures online.

LEC 1-29: Daytime in-class lecture, with in-class components (labs, tutorials, etc.) and onsite tests.

LEC 30-40: Evening in-class lecture, with in-class components (labs, tutorials, etc.) and an onsite exam/midterm.

LEC 60-69: In combination with daytime or evening in-class lectures, Lec 60-69 offers an online lecture option along with in-class components (labs, tutorials, etc.). The exams/midterms are onsite.

LEC 70-79: The only offering is an online lecture, and has in-class components (labs, tutorials). The exams/midterms are onsite.

LEC 99: All components of the course are online (i.e., labs, tutorials, assignments, etc.). The exams/midterms are usually on-site, however, an off-site option might be possible on a case-by-case basis by the department offering the course (contact the department directly for details).

Tutorials & Practicals

These mandatory meeting sections provide an opportunity to work outside of lectures in smaller groups, ask questions, have in depth discussions with your classmates, and get hands on experience.

These typically begin the week after the first lecture, and your professor will provide details once classes begin. Additional info can also be posted on the course timetable website.

Timetable Builder

ttb.utoronto.ca

The Timetable Builder website is the University’s official tool to help students plan their schedules. Simply go to the link and the Timetable Builder will give you the ability to automatically generate a visual course timetable based on your time preferences and course selections, you can also block off time to accomodate jobs and other personal committments. For more information you can watch the following video tutorial on how to use the Timetable Builder:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4-GNwup3WII&t

Note: The Timetable Builder is currently tailored to UTSC students and includes only those courses.
STEP 3: Course Enrolment on ACORN  
www.acorn.utoronto.ca

What is ACORN?
ACORN maintains a record of your academic history and performance. You will use it to enrol in courses, view grades and tuition fees, and much more. Keep your personal information up to date (address, email, bank information, legal status)! Any eligible tuition refunds will be sent to the details you provide. To login, use your JOINid/UTORid and password.

Course Enrolment Dates

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Degree students can login to ACORN to check their start time by clicking on “Enrol & Manage” from the Academics menu option. Your start time will indicate when your enrolment window opens; you may still add courses after this start time but it is recommended that you add courses as early as possible.

Add a Course
Plan Ahead with the Enrolment Cart
Use the enrolment cart on ACORN to save courses and activity sections that you intend to enrol in once your start time begins. You will not be automatically enrolled in these courses when your start time begins – **you must return to your cart and click “ENROL”** to officially add it, otherwise the courses will remain in your enrolment cart.

When Your Start Time Begins
1. Select “Enrol & Manage” from the Academics menu, and select the 2018 Fall and 2019 Winter session.
2. Click the “Courses” button.
3. Type in the course code or title in the search field, and click the course you want.
4. A pop-up window will appear for you to select a lecture, then a tutorial and/or practical section (if applicable).
5. Click “Enrol”, ACORN will confirm if your enrolment was successful, or if there is no space remaining (or enrol from your enrolment cart).

Waitlists
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/waitlists

If a lecture section is full, you can add yourself to a **waitlist** if one is available. If you do, ACORN will automatically enrol you in the course if a space becomes available and you are next on the list. You will be responsible for the new course fee, so we recommend that you view your invoice and timetable on ACORN frequently to see if any changes have occurred. A charge applies once you are enrolled in a course; there is no fee to waitlist a course.

You can waitlist a maximum of 1.0 credit per session, and this will count towards your total course load registration for that session. If you no longer want to take a course, be sure to remove yourself from the waitlist to avoid getting added to the course and charged tuition fees.

Some courses have multiple lecture sections. You cannot enrol in one lecture section, and then waitlist for a different lecture section for the same course.
Conflicts
Every effort should be made to finalize your courses by the end of the first week of classes. Your schedule should not have any overlapping meeting sections, or conflicts when you view your weekly timetable on ACORN. Conflicts will be highlighted in red and must be adjusted so that no conflicts appear on your timetable. If you choose to keep a conflict in your schedule, you do so at risk of missing important term work, course content and tests. Special accommodations will not be granted.

Dropping a Course
If you decide that you no longer want a course, drop it on ACORN immediately using the Courses screen. Click the gear next to the course title, and select “Drop course” from the drop down menu that appears. You are responsible for any fees and academic penalties associated with a course, even if you have not attended any lectures, tutorials, or practicals. Be sure to double check that you successfully removed the course from your timetable!

There is a period of time during which you are able to drop courses without academic penalty. This means that you can drop a course on ACORN and it is removed from your academic history/transcript and there is no record of your enrolment in it.

Academic deadlines: see page 1
UTSC Refund Schedule: learn more on page 29

Modifying Course Meeting Sections
Once you are enrolled in a course, you can make changes to your meeting section on ACORN until the last day to add courses for that session. Once the deadline to add/modify courses has passed, changes must be authorized by the relevant department.

Late Withdrawal Requests
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/dropping-courses

If you missed the deadline to drop a course without academic penalty (i.e. have it removed from your transcript), your last opportunity to withdraw from the course is by requesting a late withdrawal (LWD) on eService, the Registrar’s web based request system. You may use this option for up to 3.0 credits throughout your undergraduate studies. You must request LWD during the declaration period. These dates are available using the link above.

The course code and title remain on your transcript, but a grade will not appear, and the course will have no impact on your GPA. Where a final grade typically appears, the letters “LWD” will appear in its place.

Declare a Late Withdrawal Online
1. Visit uoft.me/eServiceUTSC
2. Login to eService with your UTORid and password
3. Using the menu, find “COURSES” and select “Late Withdrawal (LWD)”.
4. Click “Submit New” and follow the instructions.
Credit/No Credit Option

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When you enrol in a course, ACORN will give you the option to declare an assessment mode of Credit /No Credit during the request period (see table above). CR/NCR courses will count toward your degree credits that you need to graduate, but will have no impact on your GPA.

Instead of earning a grade, a “CR” (Credit) or “NCR” (No Credit) notation will appear on your transcript. To earn a credit, you must have a final grade of at least 50%; grades below will not earn a credit and an NCR notation will appear.

If you select the CR/NCR option and then change your mind about this type of assessment for the course, you must cancel it on ACORN during the request period.

Degree students can request a maximum of 2.0 credits to be assessed as Credit/No Credit for electives or breadth requirements. Credit/No Credit cannot be used for program requirements.

Dropping to Part-Time Studies
We understand that priorities can change, and you may decide that studying part-time is the best decision for you in a particular session. If you drop to part-time (fewer than 1.5 credits in a semester), it is ideal to adjust your course load on ACORN during the 100% refund period. Otherwise, you will be charged for full-time incidental fees, regardless of your course load. ACORN will reassess program and course fees based on when you made changes. It is helpful to refer to the refund schedule throughout the session if you are considering dropping a course so that you know if you are entitled to a refund. There are several refund periods that will entitle you to a percentage of your fees back and a period where you are no longer able to qualify for a tuition fee refund.

Are You Receiving Financial Aid?
Visit us in person to learn how dropping one or more courses may impact your funding.

Cancelling Your Registration
If you decide that you are no longer able to study in a particular semester, there is no formal request process. If you need to drop all of your courses, you must do so on ACORN, which will automatically notify us of your absence.

When you drop your last course, you will be asked if you want to cancel your registration. Cancelling your registration for the session will block your course enrolment privileges for only that particular session.

To avoid a minimum cancellation charge, drop all of your courses before classes begin. It is important to confirm and cancel your registration, as opposed to dropping your courses, and remaining registered with no courses. By cancelling your registration, the University of Toronto will be able to assess your fees, and process a refund (if applicable). Learn more about refunds on page 29. If you cancel your registration by mistake, contact the Registrar’s Office immediately.

We’re Here to Help!
The Registrar’s Office can help you understand university policies, and provide you with options that cater to your needs. Professors can provide excellent support for your future goals. The Academic Advising & Career Centre can provide additional support to help strengthen your skills.
Planning Your Semester

Full-Time and Part-Time Course Load
Full-time: 1.5 credits or more per session
Part-time: fewer than 1.5 credits per session

Students who expect to graduate within four years should plan to take 2.5 credits in two of the three sessions that are available.

Summer, Fall, Winter Semesters
UTSC offers a trimester system. This gives you the flexibility to pursue your education based on a schedule that works best for you throughout the year.

Transfer Credits
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/admissions/how-apply-transfer-credit

The transfer credit process will begin after receipt of an offer of admission. Students applying to transfer from other post-secondary institutions must pay a processing fee (see Admissions and Student Recruitment Office for details) and submit all documentation specified in their offer of admission.

Transfer credit assessments for domestic institutions may take 3-4 weeks and transfer credit decisions for international institutions may take up to 6 weeks. Please do not enrol in courses at UTSC that duplicate prior studies.

Once your official transfer credit assessment is complete, you can make necessary adjustments to your UTSC courses. Use Transfer Explorer to check the transferability of your previous post-secondary studies: www.transferex.utoronto.ca

Acceptance into a limited enrolment program will be finalized once your transfer credit assessment is complete. Students receiving transfer credit(s) from secondary studies are not required to pay the processing fee as consideration is automatic upon receipt of final scores.

Should you have questions regarding your assessment, please contact:

Post-Secondary Transfer Credit Evaluations: transfercredit@utsc.utoronto.ca
High School & Secondary Transfer Credit Evaluation: shahryer.ahmed@utoronto.ca

Re-enrolling
http://www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/re-enrolment-request-form

If you have been away for 12 months or more, or if you are returning after an academic suspension, you will need to complete the Re-Enrolment Form on the Registrar’s Office website, and pay a re-enrolment processing fee.

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Courses at UTM or St. George
utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/courses-other-campuses

You can take a maximum of 5.0 credits at another U of T campus (or 1.0 credit if you have completed fewer than 4.0 credits as a UTSC student).

If you are interested in taking a program requirement at UTM or St. George, you must get permission from your program supervisor before enrolling in the course using the Program Exception Form. Elective courses do not require permission.

Class start/end dates, study breaks, and exam dates can vary at UTSC, UTM, and St. George and you are required to follow UTSC academic deadlines regardless of where the course is held (unless otherwise stated).

Graduating Students
Students who are expecting to graduate at an upcoming convocation ceremony can be assured that the University will work with you as best we can. This partnership requires that you maintain primary responsibility for enrolling in appropriate programs, prerequisites, and required courses that would allow you to complete your program(s) and degree.

You must also demonstrate that you have attempted to enrol in required courses on ACORN at the earliest opportunity. If, by the start of classes, you have met these requirements, and have been unable to enrol in necessary courses to qualify for graduation, meet with your Program Advisor to discuss your options.

See contact info for your Program Advisor here: www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/program-advisors

Academic Standing

At the end of each semester, you should regularly check ACORN to view your final grades, and your academic standing if you have attempted at least 3.0 credits.
1. Login to ACORN with your UTORid and password.
2. Under Academics, select “Academic History”.
3. View your complete academic history.
4. Scroll to the bottom of your transcript to view the most recent grades, GPA and academic standing.

Not Yet Assessed
You have attempted fewer than 3.0 credits, and have not been assessed for academic standing at U of T.

Good Standing
If you are in good standing, you have achieved a cumulative GPA of 1.60 or higher.

Academic Probation
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/probation

Once you have attempted at least 3.0 credits, your academic standing will be assessed at the end of each session, regardless of how many credits you enrolled in. If your cumulative GPA is less than 1.60, you will be placed on academic probation.

Probation is not meant to be a punishment, nor is it a reflection of your intelligence or potential for success. It is the University’s way of reaching out to you so that you will take the necessary steps to determine what you can do differently to improve your academic performance. Students on probation can study full-time, but may not enrol in more than 2.0 credits.
Pro-tip: Use the GPA Calculator to help you estimate your anticipated performance throughout the term. Fill in the blanks with your course info and grades to get a sense of how your GPA is being impacted. Find the calculator at: gpacalc.utoronto.ca/calculator

Course Enrolment Limit
Students on academic probation may take up to 2.0 credits (or 4.0 half credit courses) in the semester. Students who violate this course load maximum will be removed from all of their current courses.

Students are strongly encouraged to take half credit courses (H) instead of full year (Y) courses. Students who are suspended as a result of their academic standing in the Fall session will be removed from courses that begin or continue in January. There will be no fee refund for Y section courses if you remain in them despite our recommendations. Students must also meet with an academic and learning strategist to develop strategies to improve academic performance.

Probation Continued
Probationary students who achieve a sessional GPA of 1.60 or higher but a CGPA below 1.60, may continue on probation and work toward returning to good academic standing. Students on continued probation are no longer restricted to a 2.0 credit course load.

Returning to Good Academic Standing
Students who achieve a cumulative GPA of 1.60 or higher are considered to be in good standing. Students in good standing are not restricted to a 2.0 credit course load.

Academic Suspension
Students who are on academic probation and do not achieve a sessional GPA of at least 1.60 will be suspended. Upon returning from suspension, students will be on academic probation and must achieve a sessional GPA of 1.60 in order to avoid another suspension. Suspension timelines are as follows:

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Support at UTSC: Overcoming Academic Difficulty
The Academic Advising & Career Centre has many support services to help you get back on track. One-on-one academic advising with an Academic Learning Strategist, study skills coaching, career and employment coaching, workshops and experiential programming are available year-round. They also have a wide range of online resources. For more information visit: www.utsc.utoronto.ca/aacc
Final Exams

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Final Exam Information
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/examinations

The UTSC final exam schedule is posted on the Registrar’s Office website – along with exam policies, what you can and cannot bring to the examination room, your rights and responsibilities, and more.

Exam Schedule Accommodations
Students who require support with their final exam schedule (for reasons stated below) must request this online via eService during the notification period; there is no guarantee late requests can be accommodated. Requests for accommodations will be resolved and viewable on eService by the last day of classes. Accommodations are only considered under the circumstances listed below.

Simultaneous Exams
Students scheduled to write multiple exams at the same time must report conflicts on eService immediately in order for alternate arrangements to be made. Only requests that have been made before the deadline to report conflicts (as listed on our website) can be guaranteed a resolution to their conflict.

Three Consecutive Exams
Students scheduled to write three final exams in three consecutive time slots are eligible to request special arrangements. Example:
9am, 2pm, 7pm on the same day OR
2pm, 7pm, followed by 9am the next day OR
7pm, followed by 9am, 2pm the next day

NOTE: This accommodation does not apply to students writing deferred exams. Except as defined above, no other situation is considered a conflict.

Religious Observance
Students whose exam timetable is in conflict with a religious observance may request special consideration on eService immediately in order for alternate arrangements to be made.
Students are expected to write their final exams at the end of each session, and are strongly discouraged from missing a final exam. If you are ill or circumstances arise that absolutely prevent you from attending a final exam, you must file a petition on eService within 72 hours of the missed exam, and submit supporting documentation within 10 business days after you submit the petition.

Students who miss their final exam due to illness must complete the U of T Verification of Illness or Injury Form immediately and submit it to the Registrar’s Office to complete their petition. Results will be posted on eService, so regularly monitor your account for updates.

Read the information on the Registrar’s Office website regarding deferred exams very carefully. Note that petitions can take 3-6 weeks minimum to be processed but can sometimes require additional time during peak periods, such as final exams. Petitions are not processed during weekends, holidays or closures.

You can find detailed information on what to do if you miss your exam, and the steps you need to take to report it. Make sure you discuss the academic consequences of missing a final exam with an Academic and Learning Strategist or the Front Line Team at the Registrar’s Office.

U of T Verification of Student Illness or Injury Medical Form
Visit the Registrar’s Office website to download a copy of the form, or pick up a hard copy from our office.

There are several important things to note about the form as follows:

- The U of T Verification of Student Illness form must be submitted with any petition due to illness. A doctor’s note can be submitted in addition to this form but not in lieu of the form.
- It must be completed by a licensed Physician, Surgeon, Nurse Practitioner, Registered Psychologist or Dentist.
- The medical professional must initial where appropriate—“X’s” or checkmarks are invalid. You will be asked to return to your medical professional to have the form corrected if an initial is missing.
- The medical practitioner’s name, licensing body, registration number, signature, business stamp (with the address and telephone) and the visit date in which they completed the form must all be completed correctly.
- The form must have the university watermark visible, if your printer is unable to print the watermark please pick up a copy of the form from our office.
• Petitions are to be submitted within 72 hours of the missed exam online via eService.
• Supporting documents, including the Verification of Student Illness or Injury Form, must be submitted as original hard copies within 10 business days of the petition being submitted on eService.
• Petition documents cannot be submitted through email, fax or through any of our social media accounts.

Students with Deferred Exams
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/deferred-exams

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A non-refundable deferred exam fee will apply for approved requests for UTSC courses. The fee is $70 for one approved deferred exam, and $140 for two or more deferred exams.

Students writing deferred exams for courses on other campuses must pay the deferred exam fee at the appropriate campus. Processes may vary, so be sure to review the payment procedures listed in your petition decision message.

Missing the payment deadline as specified on eService will result in a cancellation of the deferred exam and a reinstatement of the grade.
Final Exam Tips
Before Exams Begin
• Check the final exam schedule for up to date information regarding UTSC exams.
• Report scheduling issues by the deadline to our office via eService if you need an accommodation.
• Read the code of conduct for examinations on the Registrar’s Office website.
• Take advantage of events like Exam Jam, offered by the Office of Student Affairs, to help you manage the stress of exam time.
• Utilize the academic resources on campus, like the Academic Advising and Career Centre or the Writing Centre, if you need extra help preparing for exams or assistance building smart study strategies and managing your time effectively.
• Be mindful of your stress levels and be sure to take care of yourself in the midst of exam stress. Health and Wellness offers workshops improve learning skills, stress management, time management.

On the Day of Your Exam(s)
• Bring your TCard to the exam room – don’t get caught without it! Visit the TCard Office if you need a replacement card made.
• Arrive early! If you are more than 15 minutes late to a final exam, you may not be permitted to enter (and will need to petition for a deferred exam). Be sure to account for inclement weather and give yourself extra time to get to campus if you’re concerned about delays to your arrival time.
• If you bring valuables to the exam room (cell phones, smart watches, tablets, laptop computers, etc.) they must be placed in the re-sealable plastic bag provided in the exam room. You may place the bag with your items, closed, on the floor underneath your chair.
• “Stop writing” means stop writing.
• Listen to instructions from your professor and exam invigilators carefully.
• Raise your hand if you have questions or need assistance.
TUITION FEES

Understanding your fees is an important aspect of attending university. It’s one of the biggest investments that you are making for yourself today. Read this section carefully. We’ve packed it with tips to make tuition payments easy - including a schedule that you can follow to minimize or avoid service charges.
Understanding Your Fees

Fees invoices are available online in ACORN. Invoices are not mailed. Shortly after you have enrolled in your courses, you will be to view and print the invoice.

There are different charges that appear on your ACORN invoice:

1) Tuition Fees

Per-course Fees
Most arts and science programs have their tuition fees assessed on a per-course fee assessment. Computer Science (except the Minor) and Management programs will have tuition fees assessed as a program fee in second year (4 credits or more) or above if the student is registered in two or more credits per semester (see below). First year students (3.5 credits or less) in these programs will pay the same per-course fee as students registered in an arts or science program.

Program Fees
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/program-fees

A program fee is a flat rate amount charged to students in upper year Computer Science (Coop and Non-Coop), excluding the Computer Science minor, and Management (Coop or Non-coop) students. Computer Science and Management students pay deregulated fees after completing 4.0 credits.

Students who are planning on taking a course load of fewer than 2.0 credits in a semester must self-declare their course load (to per-course) on eService by the appropriate deadline to ensure their fees are calculated on the program per-course rate. Doing so will ensure that your fees are reflected correctly on ACORN. Full details, deadline dates, and instructions can be found on the Registrar’s Office website using the link above.

Retroactive Fees
Students switching into one of these programs after earning 4.0 credits (including transfer credits) will have their fees reassessed. By accepting the invitation to either program, you will pay the program fee for the current session, and assume responsibility for any retroactive fees applied to previous years of study. Students who have financial concerns are encouraged to speak with a Financial Aid Advisor.
2) Incidental Fees
These fees support services such as Health & Wellness, Athletics, Health and Dental plans, and other student services. Incidental fees vary for full-time and part-time students. If you are enrolled full-time (1.5 credits or more), and then drop to part-time, you should do this within the 100% refund period, otherwise, you will be subject to full-time incidental fees.

3) Ancillary Fees
These fees are associated with your program of study and specific academic activities such as lab or studio fees.

4) Residence Fees
If you will be living on residence, your UTSC housing fees will be charged to your account.

5) System Access Fee
U of T’s System Access Fee is a non-refundable fee that supports the usage of U of T Student Web Services.

6) Service Charges
Accounts that are not paid in full by the appropriate deadline are subject to a monthly service charge of 1.5% compounded (19.56% per annum) until the account is paid in full. See page 23 for our Payment Schedule.

7) Health & Dental Insurance
Full-Time Students
www.scsu.ca/health/

Full-time students are automatically provided with extended coverage for medical and dental services. Visit the Scarborough Campus Students’ Union or visit their website for coverage details, how to opt-out, and more.

Part-Time Students
www.apus.ca/health/

The Association of Part-Time Undergraduate Students at U of T has established a health and dental plan for students who are studying part time. For full details on coverage, cost, eligibility, or for details on how to opt out, visit their website.

International Students
www.uhip.ca

The University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP) provides all international students, exchange students, new permanent residents, and returning Canadians who are not covered by OHIP with basic health care coverage. UHIP is mandatory for all international students enrolled at U of T, so there is no need to purchase another plan while in Canada. UHIP covers the cost of most doctor and hospital visits, but does not provide coverage for dental services or prescription drugs.

8) Co-op Fees
There is an additional fee for students registered in a co-op program. This fee is payable in each of the first 8 semesters in which a student is registered for courses or a Co-op work term. Students admitted to a Co-op program after first year pay an adjusted fee 6 times.
We can help you avoid or minimize service charges on your tuition fees.

- Avoid service charges by paying your fees in full or minimize service charges by making monthly payments.
- If you make changes to your course load, or get into a waitlisted course, check your invoice for updates.
- Drop courses by the refund deadline if possible.

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Paying Your Fees

How Much Do I Owe?
A full breakdown of your student fees will be available on ACORN. To access it, click “View Invoice” from the Finances menu. Fee charges are typically posted to your invoice several days after the initial course enrolment period begins.

Your account number is listed on the upper right hand corner of your invoice (see right). You will need this to make your tuition payment in person at the bank or online! Be sure to distinguish a zero from the letter “O”.

![Account Invoice](image-url)
How Much Do I Pay?
The bottom of your detailed invoice will show you the minimum amount to pay in order to register. You can pay the whole amount of the invoice or make the first payment of at least 50% of your total fees by the payment deadline. Students receiving financial assistance may be eligible to defer this first payment (see page 27 for details on fee deferrals).

Students on Waitlists or Interim Status
If all of your courses are waitlisted and/or interim, make a minimum payment of $270 to save your spot, and avoid being financially cancelled. If you do not get into the course(s), and will not be taking any other courses, you are eligible for a refund of your payment. You must make this payment by the payment deadline and be prepared to show our office the proof of payment (e.g. the receipt or online transaction record) prior to the payment deadline as the payment will not trigger a change in your registration status and you run the risk of being removed from these courses.

Owing Fees From a Previous Semester
The University policy on fee payment states that all fees must be paid in full by the end of a session. Students who owe fees from a previous semester will not be allowed to register until they clear their debt.

If you have outstanding fees from a previous semester, your minimum payment required to register will be the total sum of your outstanding balance plus the required amount for the upcoming semester(s). Any tuition payment that you make will be used to pay the outstanding balance first.

How Do I Pay My Fees?

Internet, Telephone, and ATM Banking
Tuition payments can be made through your bank:
1. Set up the University of Toronto as a new payee (i.e., a new bill) through your bank.
2. Input your account number, which is found on the upper right hand corner of your ACORN invoice, as noted in the example on page 24.

In-Person Payments at Your Bank
Bring a printed copy of your ACORN invoice to your bank or financial institution. To print your invoice:
1. Login to ACORN and click on “Financial Account”.
2. Click “Show Invoice”. Using your Internet browser settings, click “Print”.

Payment from Your OSAP Funds *NEW*
OSAP releases Fall/Winter funding to students in 2 installments; the first in September (early Fall) and the second in January. If you receive OSAP, the university will redirect funding from each OSAP installment to pay your fees. If the amount of the installment exceeds the amount owing to U of T, the difference will be deposited into the bank account you specified. If the amount is less than the amount due, you are expected to pay the difference from your own resources.

Credit Card Payment on ACORN
The option to make a tuition payment using a credit card will only be available once your fees have been updated on your invoice.

To make your payment:
1. Login to ACORN and click the “Finances” tab.
2. Select “Make a Payment”.
3. Select the credit card option, and follow the instructions. Read the terms and conditions carefully, as a non-refundable fee will be charged by Moneris, and will be calculated at 1.75% of your payment.
It will take 2-3 days for your payment to process. Non-Canadian dollar denominated credit card fee payments will be subject to foreign exchange rates and fees determined by the credit card company, and are not associated with the University of Toronto.

Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP)
If you have an RESP plan, you will likely have to submit proof of your enrolment in studies to the RESP company in order to have your funds released. Once the funds are released to you, you will have to pay fees to the university directly as the company cannot pay tuition fees on your behalf. Most RESP companies have a standard form that must be completed by the Registrar’s Office. You may request that we complete this document after you have enrolled in a full time course load for both the Fall and Winter semesters, as applicable (usually July). If the company doesn’t have a form, you can request a letter from us.

HigherEd Points
www.higheredpoints.com
Your family and friends can convert Aeroplan Miles and TD Travel Rewards Program points into $250 worth of credits that you can use toward your fees. Visit the link above for more information.

WU Global for International Payments
www.fees.utoronto.ca
WU GlobalPay for Students allows you to pay for tuition at a local bank at a competitive exchange rate with no transaction charges from either WU GlobalPay or U of T. You may choose the currency of your choice to pay the Canadian dollar payment.

Bank Draft or Money Order for International Students
1. Make your bank draft or money order in Canadian funds payable to the University of Toronto.
2. Print your name and student number on the bank draft.
3. Attach a copy of your ACORN invoice
4. Mail or courier your payment to:
   
   Student Accounts, University of Toronto
   215 Huron Street, 3rd Floor
   Toronto, Ontario
   M5S 1A2

   You should allow at least 3 weeks for the University to receive and process your bank draft or money order.

After You Make a Payment
Keep the receipt or proof of payment. Screenshots are acceptable if you made a payment online. Allow time for your payment to process. It can take up to 7 business days for domestic payments, and up to 14 business days for International payments. Check your registration status on ACORN.

Your Registration Status on ACORN
Once your payment is received, your status for the upcoming semester(s) will change from “invited” to “registered”. If your status does not change, you will need to show your proof of payment to the Registrar’s Office before the financial cancellation date (page 27) to avoid being financially cancelled and removed from your courses.
Fee Deferrals

What is a Fee Deferral?
We understand that students who are receiving a student loan or scholarship for the upcoming session may not have access to their funds by the registration deadline. If you are eligible, the University will allow you to register without making the minimum payment on your invoice. Deferring fees is a promise to pay at a later date. The University allows this because you have proof that you will be receiving student loan funding to help you pay your fees.

Request Period

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Who Qualifies for a Fee Deferral?

OSAP Recipients
Apply for OSAP by June 30 in order to qualify. If you cannot make the minimum tuition payment on your own, and your OSAP application is submitted, you may be eligible to request a fee deferral on ACORN. It can take up to 7 days from the date that you applied for OSAP for you to be eligible to request a fee deferral on ACORN, so plan accordingly!

Students who have applied for Part Time OSAP will not be able to apply for a fee deferral on ACORN. If you need to defer fees, you must apply using the Fee Deferral Application from (available on our website).

U of T Scholarship Recipients
Scholarship recipients can download the Fee Deferral Application form from our website. Completed forms can be submitted to the Registrar’s Office during the request period.

Financial Cancellation=
Removal from Courses
There are academic and financial reasons why a status of “financially cancelled” may appear on ACORN.

Students who missed the deadline to pay or defer their fees and did not resolve it at the Registrar’s Office will be financially cancelled according to the dates listed below. They will be emailed instructions for reinstatement.

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Students on academic suspension will also have a financially cancelled status. Students who were on academic probation in a previous semester should check their detailed academic history on ACORN, and view their most recent academic standing status. See page 14 for more details.

Late Registration Penalty
If you enrol in your first course after the registration deadline, a late registration penalty must be paid to the Registrar’s Office in person and a proof of payment for the minimum payment to register (as listed on your ACORN invoice) towards tuition must be provided.

The penalty is subject to change, please see office for details. This penalty also applies to students who are financially cancelled due to non-payment and wish to request reinstatement.
Out-of-Province or United States Students with Loans

If you cannot make the minimum tuition payment on your own, provide a copy of your Notice of Assessment, which can be faxed (416-978-7022) or mailed to:

Enrolment Services – Financial Aid & Awards
172 St. George Street
Toronto, Ontario
M5R 0A3

Please include your name, and student number on each page of your documents. Submit your request to defer your fees on ACORN within 3-7 business days depending on method of submission.

Third Party Sponsorship Requiring an Invoice

If an external organization or agency has awarded you with a scholarship, you may be eligible to request a fee deferral if you meet the following conditions: you do not have fees owing from a previous session, and the value of your sponsorship is equivalent to your minimum amount to register for the Summer.

If you meet the criteria above, please provide an official letter from the organization confirming that they will make the payment to the University on your behalf. Submit this letter, along with your invoice to the Office of Student Accounts:

Office of Student Accounts
215 Huron Street, 3rd floor
Toronto, Ontario
M5S 1A2

Documents may be submitted in person, by mail, or by fax at (416) 978-2610 before the relevant registration deadline (see page 23).

Please note that these documents must be submitted for every session in which you wish to register. The deferral does not carry over from one session to the next. If you are not eligible for a deferral, you must make your tuition payment.

Other Financial Arrangements

If you need assistance, see a Financial Aid Advisor at least two weeks before the registration deadline.
How to Apply for a Fee Deferral

You can apply for a fee deferral when your invoice is available on ACORN. Login to ACORN and select the “Tuition Fee Deferral” tab in the Finances section. Select the Fee Deferral button, and read and accept the conditions of this financial arrangement.

You will know immediately if your fee deferral request was successful or not because your status will say REGISTERED. If your status says INVITED, this means your deferral was unsuccessful and you can try again within 1-2 business days.

If you have any problems with the online deferral application please contact us: askregistrar@utsc.utoronto.ca

Please ensure that you always use your U of T email address and provide your full name and student number when you email us.

Tuition Refunds

UTSC Refund Schedule
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/refunds

If you are thinking of dropping a course, or dropping from full-time to part-time studies, the refund schedule deadlines will determine whether or not you are eligible for a refund.

It is important to base your decisions on the correct schedule for your year and program. There is also a schedule that pertains to all students for incidental and ancillary fees.

UTSC students are expected to follow the UTSC financial and academic deadlines regardless of which campus the course takes place on (unless otherwise stated).

For students who have received OSAP, reducing your course load can also impact your funding. This is especially important if you applied for full-time funding but you are dropping to a part-time course load. You are advised to see a financial aid advisor to discuss the consequences of a lesser course load.

Types of Refunds

Academic Fees

Tuition fees are assessed on whether you are charged program fees (for upper year students in Computer Science and Management), or per course (charged for each course you take).
When you adjust your course load by dropping classes on ACORN, you may be eligible for a full or partial refund if you do so within the deadline dates. Please refer to the refund schedule for more details.

**Incidental Fees**
These fees vary for full-time and part-time students. If you enrol in a full-time course load then drop to part-time, you should do so within the 100% refund period, otherwise, you will pay full-time incidental fees.

**Ancillary Fees**
These fees are refunded only if you cancel your registration during the 100% refund period.

Academic deadlines are not the same as financial deadlines. Please check the Registrar’s Office website for the most current dates.

**Receiving a Refund from U of T**
If you are eligible for a refund, the credit will first be deducted from any outstanding balance (fees owing from a current or previous session) on your ACORN account. If your credit balance exceeds your outstanding balance, the amount will be listed at the top of the invoice with the letters CR at the end to identify it as a credit.

There are two methods of receiving a refund:

**How to Get Your Refund**
The quickest and most secure way to receive a refund is via direct deposit. To opt in to **direct deposit**:
1. Login to ACORN.
2. Click on the “Profile and Settings” tab.
3. Select “Direct Deposit” and follow the instructions by entering your personal bank information.
4. Update / verify your mailing address, phone number, and email address.

The other option is to receive a cheque for the amount. If you do not supply direct deposit information, a cheque will be mailed to your address listed on ACORN. Ensure that you always have the correct mailing address listed.

By enrolling in a course, you assume full responsibility for managing your tuition fees, and adhering to the refund deadlines. Fees can only be adjusted when an error is made by the University. We’re happy to review deadlines, policies, and your invoice with you.

**Questions About Your Refund**
Please contact the Office of Student Accounts at the St. George campus. To ensure accurate and efficient service, please provide them with your full name and student number.

Telephone: 416-978-2142
Email address: info.studentaccount@utoronto.ca
At the heart of the university’s values, we believe that all students should have equal access to a great education. We have financial aid programs to support you, as well as scholarships and awards that are granted to students who demonstrate excellence in both academics, and in the community. Financing your education is an investment and a major undertaking. Take advantage of all that is available to you! We’re here to help.
Your U of T education is a partnership with us, and we are committed to your success. Last year, UTSC students received $5.4 million worth of grants from the university. Your education is an investment, and we hope that you utilize these support programs to make the most of it.

Pro tip: Use the financial planning calculator to help predict your cost of living for the year. This is a great way to help you plan and budget your finances. Find the calculator at: planningcalc.utoronto.ca

U of T Financial Support
University of Toronto Advance Planning for Students (UTAPS)
https://www.future.utoronto.ca/finances/financial-aid/university-toronto-advance-planning-students-utaps

As a grant program, UTAPS is designed to assist students who have unmet financial need. OSAP recipients are automatically considered for this grant, while out-of-province and indigenous students must submit an application using the link above. UTAPS is available for the Fall, Winter and Summer sessions. After an assessment is made, qualifying students will see UTAPS funding deposited directly to their ACORN account.

UTSC Grant/Bursary
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/bursaries

Applications are available for full-time students during the Fall, Winter and Summer sessions through eService and must be submitted during the application period. Visit our website for more information.

Financial Support from the Government
Provincial / Territorial Loan Programs
future.utoronto.ca/finances/financial-aid

If you are a Canadian citizen, a permanent resident, or protected person, you may be eligible for financial assistance from your provincial or territorial governments. Applications are usually available in late May or early June.

Ontario Student Assistance Program
www.ontario.ca/osap

OSAP provides financial assistance to eligible Ontario students to help them pay for their education. Funding is available to eligible students who are studying on a full-time or part-time basis.
How to Apply for OSAP
utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/Ontario-loans-and-grants

We’ve created a step-by-step online guide (see link above) to help you understand the application process from start to finish. Whether you are a new student or returning student, we’ve simplified the process to make sure that you’re fully informed.

“Free” Tuition for Eligible Students
Qualifying full-time students will benefit from the OSAP funding model related to grants. This means that “free” tuition and no provincial debt will be granted to:

- Dependent students whose annual family income is less than $50,000
- Independent students whose annual income is less than $30,000

Free tuition will be given in the form of grants from OSAP that are equal to, or exceed the cost of average tuition. Average tuition is determined by the average cost of tuition for an undergraduate arts and science program at an Ontario university.

There is a section for the OFG. It requires your declaration and confirmation that you are the first generation in your family to attend university. This bursary is only available in the Fall and/or Winter semesters.

OSAP Application Deadlines

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To receive your funds by the first day of school, apply and submit all required documents at least two (2) months before classes begin. Assistance is available for both full-time and part-time studies. Visit the OSAP website to learn more.

It can take up to 6 weeks to process your application and supporting documents in full. Possible reasons for delays in receiving your funding include: applying late, missing required documents, or documents that have not been processed.

After You Apply

- You will receive a confirmation message on your OSAP account.
- If required, print any supporting documents necessary to complete your application. Submit them immediately to the UTSC Registrar’s Office for processing. It can take up to 6 weeks to process.
- Check your status on the OSAP website.

Appeals, Questions & Support

If you have concerns about your funding amount, speak to a Financial Aid Advisor at the Registrar’s Office immediately. You may be eligible for a reassessment, and receive additional funding. Bring your TCard and a valid government issued photo ID.

Questions about the application process, your finances, budget, appeals or other topics related to funding your education can also be supported at the Registrar’s Office by our Financial Aid Advisors and Front Line Team.

Indigenous Students
https://www.studentlife.utoronto.ca/fnh

Indigenous Students (First Nations – Status or non-Status, Inuit and Métis) may qualify for a variety of financial support for university studies. For more information please refer to the Student Life website under Financial Assistance.

Ontario First Generation Bursary (OFG)
www.utsc.utoronto.ca/eservice

Students who are the first generation in their family to pursue post-secondary education are eligible for this bursary. To apply for this bursary, complete the UTSC bursary application on eService.
Scholarships & Awards

Last year, we awarded over $2.5 million to you, our students, in celebration of your hard work and academic achievements. Well done, UTSC!

Here’s a look at what UTSC accomplished in a year of scholarships and awards:

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS
$1.85M
NAMED ENTRANCE AWARDS
$215,000
IN COURSE AWARDS
$450,000
STUDENTS ON THE DEAN’S LIST
1,682

For detailed information about application based nominations and automatic consideration awards, please visit the ‘Finances’ section of the Registrar’s Office website.

Dean’s List
The Dean’s List is published annually in the Fall. All students who have achieved a CGPA of 3.5 or better in their most recent year of study will be considered as long as they have completed a minimum of 1.5 credits during the previous Fall, Winter, and Summer sessions.

Graduation Awards
All graduating students are automatically considered. Students who graduate in November are considered for these awards during the Spring Convocation. These include graduation with distinction and graduation with high distinction, as well as medals and prizes awarded for outstanding achievement during your final year of undergraduate study.

Applying for Scholarships & Awards
The UTSC Awards Profile is designed to make it easier and more efficient for you to apply for UTSC scholarships and awards. By submitting just one easy and quick application, we will automatically consider you for all eligible scholarships!

How to Apply
1. Visit utsc.utoronto.ca/registrar/applying-awards
2. Login with your UTORid and password.
3. Fill out your application anytime between the start of September until May 31. Make as many changes as you need until the deadline.
4. Submit one reference letter (maximum two for each year that you apply).
5. Review your application and submit by May 31.

In-Course Awards & Scholarships
In-course awards and scholarships are an opportunity for the University to recognize and celebrate academic excellence. Your individual achievements and contributions to the undergraduate community hold significant value. We are honoured to consider eligible students to be formally recognized for their efforts and achievements.
After You Apply
The UTSC Awards Committee will review applications once the deadline has passed, and applicants will be notified of their results via email by the end of August.

If you have questions or require support please contact Lisa Lamanna, Manager of Awards & Scholarships, at: awards@utsc.utoronto.ca

Payment of Your Scholarship
Entrance scholarships, and in-course awards will be automatically credited to your ACORN account in October before service charges are applied.

If you paid your fees in full and your tuition balance is $0 prior to receiving the monetary value of your scholarship, the value of your scholarship will be credited back to your personal bank account via direct deposit.

If the value of your scholarship is greater than your owing tuition balance, it will first be applied toward your outstanding fees. Any remaining funds will be refunded to your bank account via direct deposit.

Direct Deposits
Please ensure that you opt in to the direct deposit option on ACORN by following the steps below:
1. Login to ACORN.
2. Click the “Profile and Settings” tab.
3. Select “Display and Update Direct Deposit” and enter your personal bank information.

Evening of Excellence
Every November the University celebrates the accomplishments of our students’ academic achievement with the Evening of Excellence. This reception gives students and their families a chance to be recognized for their hard work and mingle with faculty, staff and donors.
SUPPORT ON CAMPUS

U of T is your home away from home. Our community is designed to help you succeed, and we aspire to develop programming and services that cater to what you need, when you need it. Reach out to us – we’re here to help!
Earning your U of T degree is your ultimate goal, but there’s also a vibrant student life that awaits you.

You’ll learn to be independent, develop your passions, build a strong network, and understand that your path to success is paired with support all the way through. We have many student services, activities, workshops, and community events to keep you as engaged outside the classroom as you are in it.

UTSC is built with support networks to cater to your needs. Student services are designed to provide you with support, guidance, and learning opportunities.

For a list of all services go to: www.utsc.utoronto.ca/AtoZAll.html
STUDENT SERVICES

Academic Advising & Career Centre at UTSC is one of the few centres in Canada that offers academic advising as well as career and employment support within the same department. Take advantage of walk-in or appointment based support; workshops to help you develop strong academic and employment skills; assistance with your academic and career plans; self-development opportunities and resources; employment and job shadowing programs; special events and more.

AccessAbility Services and the University aim to create a community that is inclusive of all persons by fostering a climate of understanding and mutual respect for the dignity and worth of all persons. They create an open, supportive learning and working environment by working to eliminate or minimize any barriers – physical, attitudinal, technological, and environmental – so that all members have equal access, and the opportunity to participate in all aspects of academic and social life at UTSC. Personal assessments and accommodations to support student learning are available by utilizing technology, note taking services, test and examination accommodations, and more.

Athletics & Recreation offers opportunities throughout the year to stay healthy by promoting and encouraging activity. Take advantage of fitness classes, group activities, sports, and gym facilities to work up a sweat year round! The Toronto Pan Am Sports Centre gives students, staff, faculty and community members a space to play and train in state-of-the-art facilities!

Campus Police are committed to delivering policing and security services that are sensitive to the needs of our community through collaborative partnerships and teamwork. The TravelSafer program is provided by members of Campus Safety who will escort community members who feel the need for additional safety services when traveling to or from any point on campus.

Centre for Teaching & Learning provides students with the opportunity to participate in workshops, study groups and clinics in order to enhance their written and oral communication, critical reflection, and analysis. Resources that are available to students include: Writing Centre; Math & Statistics Learning Centre; English Language Development; Service Learning and Outreach; Research Skills Instruction; Facilitated Study Groups; Summer Learning Institutes.

Co-op support is provided through the Arts and Science, International Development Studies and Management Co-op Offices. Check with your Co-op Office for services that are available based on your program of study.
Department of Student Life helps students engage on and off campus through leadership opportunities, mentorship, and first year programs. They encourage students to develop habits to be lifetime learners, leaders, and agents of positive change. There are opportunities for every stage of your university experience!

Pro tip: If you are a new student, join the First Year Experience Program to connect with an upper year mentor in their field of study, as well as staff and faculty, to help you adjust to the unique demands of university life.

Health & Wellness Centre has trained health professionals to provide confidential medical, nursing, and counselling services to UTSC students. Student leadership opportunities within the Peer Wellness Programs promote healthy lifestyles through events and workshops.

Information & Instructional Technology Services design and maintain core IT services including: campus computer network, systems and data storage platforms; campus-wide support to students, staff, and faculty; technological support that enhances the experience of electronic classrooms. They also build customized IT solutions, and are responsible for web design and multimedia production services. Students can also find support with UTORid & UTmail+, computer labs, and more.

International Student Centre provides support for international, and internationally-minded students at UTSC. It's an inclusive and positive space where students of all backgrounds can find a community, and expand their global network by meeting new friends or studying abroad. Students who are new to Canada can benefit from orientation and transition services to help them settle into our community. Services include: the Transition and Intercultural Peer Support program (TIPS), immigration advising, conversational English support, intercultural events, and monthly socials and workshops.

Registrar’s Office offers all students personalized support regarding registration, academic regulations, degree requirements, convocation, petitions, and course scheduling. Our Financial Aid Advisors provide one-on-one confidential appointments, and guidance on financial support.

Scarborough Campus Student Union is your elected student body that advocates on behalf of students on issues that are important to you. Services include: lockers; TTC metropasses; tax clinics; health & dental plan; graduation photos; orientation; and many social and cultural events to keep you engaged.

Student Housing & Residence Life ensures that students adjust to a safe and comfortable living environment on campus. The residence experience offers a transition to independence in a community that supports academic achievement and personal growth. Student leaders and staff offer unique support for the residence community through events, services, and programming. Engaging and supportive residence life programs work to create an inclusive and positive space that embraces diversity.

UTSC Library offers quiet study space, group meeting spaces, and a large catalogue of resources that includes digital, print, maps, films, DVDs, and more. Students have access to library materials at other U of T libraries – they can even be delivered to UTSC within a few days of your request! The expert team of Liaison Librarians can assist you with your research and are available to meet for personalized support.
Your TCard

Getting Your First TCard
To obtain a new TCard, we are required to verify your identity and legal status in Canada using eligible documents as listed below.

All documents must be **valid and in their original form** (photocopies, digital copies, or replicas will not be accepted). Your government issued photo ID must be Canadian, or a passport is required, and the photo must be no more than 5 years old. Your name must match University records. New students are also required to provide their Offer of Admission letter or student/applicant number.

**Canadian Citizens**
- Option 1: Canadian Passport
- Option 2: Canadian birth certificate and 1 piece of government issued photo ID
- Option 3: Canadian citizenship certification and 1 piece of government issued photo ID

**Permanent Resident of Canada**
- Option 1: PR card and 1 piece of government issued photo ID
- Option 2: Record of landing (MM1000) and 1 piece of government issued photo ID
- Option 3: Confirmation of permanent residence (IMM5292 or IMM5688) and 1 piece of government issued photo ID

**International Students**
- Valid passport and post secondary study permit

Replacement Cards
There is a **$20 fee** to replace lost TCards. Staff/faculty and students pay the $20 fee. Staff/Faculty and students must present valid Canadian government issued photo ID or a passport.

Lost TCards must be returned the TCard Office immediately. Staff/faculty and students will be notified via email if their card has been found. Please ensure that your email address on ACORN is correct, as we will be contacting you using the email provided.

GO Transit Student ID
Tcard.utoronto.ca/go-transit-student-id

Eligible full-time students can obtain a GO Transit Student ID in order to receive a discounted rate when using GO services. Approved students will receive an email with their e-Pass that can be printed or displayed as a mobile pass. Questions regarding eligibility may be directed to the St. George TCard Office at: tcardoffice@utoronto.ca

Individuals Registered Under the Secure Certificate of Indian Status (SCIS)
- Option 1: Canadian Certificate of Indian Status
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**Glossary**

**Academic Fees**: also known as tuition fees, can vary by program. Arts & Science students pay fees according to the number of courses they are taking while Computer Science (excluding minor) and Management students pay a program or flat fee when taking 80% or more course load.

**Active**: if you applied to a limited enrolment program, this status means that you are officially enrolled, having accepted your invitation to the program. This status can be viewed on ACORN.

**Ancillary Fees**: are associated with your program of study and related academic activities such as lab fees.

**Breadth Requirements**: UTSC students are required to complete 0.5 credit in each of the 5 breadth requirement categories. Its purpose is designed to keep you engaged in disciplines that give you numeracy and literacy skills that can help you develop your knowledge within a range of fields.

**Conflict**: your personal timetable on ACORN will display your weekly schedule once you have enrolled in courses. If meeting sections overlap, you are expected to resolve the conflict by making a section or course change. Classes begin 10 minutes past the hour to give you time to get to your next class.

**Corequisite**: is a course that must be taken along side another or have already passed.

**Course Code**: an identifying set of letters and numbers that provides course information such as: in which area of study it belongs to, what level the course is, which U of T campus offers the course, which semester it takes place, and more.

**Deregulated Fees**: are specific to students who are enrolled in Computer Science (except the Minor) or Management programs. Students who are considering switching into either of these programs should carefully consider the financial implications of higher fees.

**Direct Deposit**: the quickest way to receive any eligible refunds from U of T! Add your bank information on ACORN to opt in.

**Electives**: are required courses as part of your U of T degree. These are courses that are entirely outside of your program(s) of study. You may take part in other disciplines, as long as you meet the course requirements (prerequisites, exclusions) and enrolment controls indicated on the timetable.

**Exclusions**: some courses offered at U of T have content that is similar. If you notice that there is an exclusion to a course that you are taking, you are not permitted to take the excluded course. If an excluded course is taken, and successfully completed, only your first course will be counted for degree credit. The excluded course will be considered as an extra and is not included in your GPA or as part of your degree requirements.

**Financially Cancelled (FINCA)**: a status on ACORN as a result of missing the deadline to pay or defer your fees successfully and the removal from all current courses. An academic suspension will result in this status on ACORN as well. Students who were on academic probation in a previous session should review their complete academic history on ACORN.
Incidental Fees: mandatory fees that support a multitude of student services that are available to you as a U of T student.

Invited: 1) your registration status on ACORN to indicate that you are eligible to enrol in the upcoming session, or have enrolled in courses. It is essential that your status changes from invited to registered once fees are paid or deferred. 2) if you applied to a limited enrolment program, successful applicants will see this program status on ACORN. Accept the invitation on ACORN by the deadline.

Limited Program: these programs require that you meet the criteria and apply by the appropriate request period. Apply to a limited enrolment program on ACORN using the correct program code. Check the program section of the Calendar for any additional steps.

Prerequisite: a required course that must be successfully completed in order to take a more advanced course. It provides foundational knowledge to introduce students to the topic or discipline.

Probation: students are placed on academic probation when they have attempted 3.0 credits and have a CGPA of less than 1.60. Academic status is assessed at the end of each session.

Program Requirement: a list of required courses that you must complete for your UTSC program.

Proof of Payment: a payment receipt or confirmation message that you receive from your financial institution. It is used to show the university that you have made a tuition payment.

Registered: this is a confirmation of your registration status by U of T. It means that you have enrolled in courses, and your tuition payment was received or request for a fee deferral was successful.

Restrictions & Instructions: the course timetable on the Registrar's Office website has this heading to provide you with information regarding enrolment controls that are established by an academic department.

Start Time: each degree student is assigned a date and time for when they can begin enrolling in courses on ACORN. Course enrolment privileges are blocked until your start time begins.

Suspension: is a period of time you are prohibited from taking any U of T courses. If a student is unable to achieve a sessional GPA of at least 1.6 while on academic probation, a suspension will occur. The first suspension is carried out for a 4-month term; a second suspension is carried out for 12-months; a third suspension results in a 36-month suspension. Students may be refused further registration if they are unable to meet the sessional GPA of 1.6 after a third suspension. A suspension will also result in a financially cancelled status on ACORN.

Unlimited Program: programs at UTSC that do not require specific application criteria. Enrol on ACORN at any time.
One of the best resources on campus to help with your academic planning is the Academic Advising & Career Centre (AA&CC). Be sure to incorporate their services into your academic planning to ensure that you have a successful journey through your studies. This list of short and long-term goals will help you stay on track from first year to graduation.

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9.0 - 13.5 CREDITS

**Review Your Transcript**
- Continue assessing your academic progress.
- Which program and/or degree requirements can you complete this year? Are these courses strategic options to ensure that you are on track for graduation? Check in with the AA&CC and online with Degree Explorer.

**Solidify Your Study Skills**
- Keep striving for self-improvement! Attend study skills workshops offered year-round.
- Utilize campus resources for your success. Learn more at: utsc.utoronto.ca/exam-support

**Continue to Build Your Network**
- Your professors and TAs are excellent partners to help you succeed.
- Are you interested in researching with faculty, or taking on an independent study in your fourth year?

**Monitor Your Requirements**
- Login to Degree Explorer to see which program and degree requirements are complete, pending, or incomplete.
- Visit AA&CC to help you create an academic plan for the upcoming year.

### YEAR 4
14.0+ CREDITS

**Final Course Enrolment**
- Plan your courses carefully!
- Visit the AA&CC or meet with your Program Advisor for help.
- Strive for depth in your program(s) by taking C and D level courses.

**Request Graduation on ACORN**
- Visit the Registrar’s Office website for deadline dates.

**Graduation and Beyond**
- Build your network.
- Build your experience.
- Celebrate your successes!