



ONTARIO YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM



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Pope Francis @Pontifex

“Work is fundamental to the dignity of the person. Work, to use an image, ‘anoints’ with dignity, fills us with dignity, makes us similar to God who has worked and still works, who always acts.”



A Collaborative Contributor

who finds meaning, dignity and vocation in work which respects the rights of all and contributes to the common good.



A Responsible Citizen

who gives witness to Catholic social teaching by promoting peace, justice and the sacredness of human life.



A Self-Directed, Responsible, Lifelong Learner

who develops and demonstrates their God-given potential.

What is Cooperative Education?

Experiential learning is the foundation for Cooperative Education.

Students in grade 11 or 12 participate in rich, immersive learning experiences connected to a community experience or “placement” outside of the school. Their placement employer and supervisor will guide and support students in their learning, along with their Cooperative Education teacher.

Students receive a wide range of rigorous learning opportunities in the classroom and at a community placement in a career area that they want to explore.

Cooperative Education in secondary school can be designed to include up to four Cooperative Education credits per semester. There is no restriction on the total number of Cooperative Education credits that a student may earn.

Benefits to students:

- Acquire skills and knowledge at the community experience placement
- Become a better decision-maker by reflecting on learning experiences
- Become competent and confident in planning for a career and for life

What is OYAP?

OYAP is the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program.

OYAP is a specialized Cooperative Education program for students who choose a community experience or placement in the skilled trades.

Students must be 16 years of age and have completed 14 credits to be an OYAP Participant. Students earn credits towards a high school diploma and gain skills and knowledge at the community placement under the supervision of a professional tradesperson.

Through OYAP, participants may also apply to become a registered apprentice with the ministry.

Apprenticeship is post-secondary education. Skilled trades are a viable career option.



**COOPERATIVE
EDUCATION**



What is Apprenticeship?

Apprenticeship is an education and training post-secondary pathway for people who enjoy learning by doing, and who want to work in the skilled trades.

- An apprentice: a person enrolled in a skilled trade for the purpose of learning the specific competencies and theory related to that trade
- 90% of apprenticeship is hands-on provided by employers at a work site
- 10% of apprenticeship is classroom instruction provided by a college or approved training agent
- The Length of an Apprenticeship: 2 - 5 years to complete, depending on the skilled trade
- Does an apprentice graduate? An “apprentice” finishes or completes an apprenticeship when 100% of the education and training in class and on the job prepares the apprentice to write successfully a ministry qualifying exam. The apprentice then receives a Certificate of Qualification or Certificate of Apprenticeship, which indicates that he/she is now a certified or licensed skilled tradesperson

The Apprenticeship Advantage

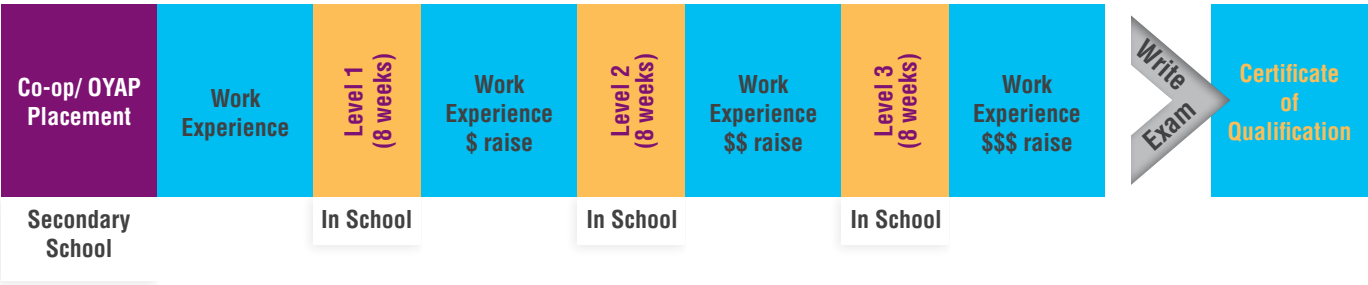
- Develop skills for employment and for personal use
- Feel the satisfaction of building, fixing, creating, doing
- Work with a sponsoring employer in a high demand career
- Avoid university or college debt
- Earn while you learn



Apprenticeship Training

Combines in-school learning (10%)
and on-the-job learning (90%)

2 to 5 Years



What is Accelerated OYAP Level 1?

It's Level 1 In-class Apprenticeship Training

Accelerated OYAP Level 1 gives students with a passion for the skilled trades a way to fast track their learning through apprenticeship.

Students gain both hands-on learning in a skilled trade Cooperative Education placement and in-class training at a college or union training site to take in-class Level 1 courses.

Students may apply to one of 9 Level 1 programs: automotive service technician, baker, cook, electrician, plumber, refrigeration and air conditioning systems (HVAC), Truck and Coach technician, construction.

Accelerated OYAP Level 1 students

- Take 4-credit Cooperative Education in the second semester of their graduating year
- Become a registered apprentice
- Take Level 1 Apprenticeship In-Class Training at a college or union
- Earn hours towards their apprenticeship training
- Earn up to 4 high school Cooperative Education credits and possibly 2 or 3 dual credits if the training is at a college

Registered Training Agreements must be signed by student, parent (if student is under 18) and Cooperative Education employer before the start of Level 1 classes.

How do I apply for Accelerated OYAP?

Talk to your guidance counsellor

- ✓ Complete the application
- ✓ Go to the college or training centre October Open House information night
- ✓ Give the completed application to your guidance counsellor by the end of October
- ✓ Interview at the college or training site in November/December
- ✓ Begin OYAP Level 1 in-class apprenticeship training during semester 2 of Cooperative Education

For application link and Open House information dates, go to:

<https://www.dpcdsb.org/programs-services/secondary/ontario-youth-apprenticeship-program>

Speak to your home school Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for more information

**Note that all Accelerated OYAP Level 1 programs are offered in semester 2.*

Course Selection Sample Timetable - Grade 12

Semester 1		Semester 2
• Religion	• Related Technology Course, or	• 4 Credit Cooperative Education
• English	Physics	
• Math	<i>(Recommended for Electrical Construction & Maintenance)</i>	

Pathways For All Students

Apprenticeship

100%

Have jobs in related field
after graduating.
Employed while
training!

Certificate of
Apprenticeship
Certificate of
Qualifications

Red Seal



**Get Hired by
EMPLOYER!**
**Employer
Incentive Grants**
www.tcu.gov.on.ca
www.oyap.com

**2-5
Years**

EARN WHILE YOU LEARN

Starting salary

\$30,000-60,000

depending on certification

E, C, M, or U
Courses,
Math Skills
OYAP Level 1,
Dual Credit
Course Requirement

\$0

Average Student Debt:

AVAILABLE GRANTS



**85%
tuition
paid**

**80% on job training
20% in classroom**
**Student/Mentor
Ratio 1:1**



Average Cost/Year
\$400-600

College

83%

Have jobs in
related field
after graduating.

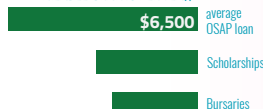


College
Diploma

**1-3
Years**

www.ontariocolleges.ca

AVAILABLE GRANTS PER YEAR



Average Cost/Year

\$4,500

C, M or U
Courses,
Dual Credits
Course Requirement

-\$25,000
Average Student Debt:

**70% in classroom
30% in co-op**
**Student/Faculty
Ratio 40 : 1**



University

72%

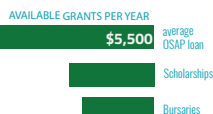
Have jobs in related
field after graduating.
May require
post-graduate
studies



Undergraduate
Degree

**3-5
Years**

www.ouac.ca
www.electronicinfo.ca



Average Cost/Year

\$7,500

-\$37,000
Average Student Debt:

M or U
Courses
Course Requirement



100% classroom
**Student/Faculty
Ratio 85:1**



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Sources:

www.statcan.gc.ca

www.collegeoftrades.ca

www.cfsontario.ca

Data is approximate and accurate at the time of printing.

OYAP Level 1 Apprenticeship Programs

Apprenticeship Training at College Locations & Training Delivery Agents

Students earn **Cooperative education credits and dual credits in College Programs only.**

Skilled Trade	Location	Co-op Credits	Course Code Dual Credit Value	Related SHSM	Approximate Dates
Automotive Service Technician	Centennial College Ashtonbee Campus 75 Ashtonbee Rd. Toronto	4 co-op credits	TTE4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Transportation	8 weeks April – June
Baker	Humber North 205 Humber College Etobicoke	3 co-op credits	TUD4Y 3 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Hospitality	15 weeks Feb – June
Cook	Humber North 205 Humber College Etobicoke	3 co-op credits	TKA4Y 3 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Hospitality	15 weeks Feb – June
Electrician - Construction & Maintenance	Sheridan College Davis Campus 7899 McLaughlin Rd. Brampton	4 co-op credits	TNA4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Construction	8 weeks April – June
Electrician - Construction & Maintenance	Humber Centre for Trades & Technology 110 Carrier Drive, Etobicoke	4 co-op credits	TNA4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Construction	8 weeks April – June
Plumber	Humber Centre for Trades & Technology 110 Carrier Drive, Etobicoke	4 co-op credits	TSB4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Construction	8 weeks April – June
Residential Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic (HVAC)	George Brown College Casa Loma Campus 146 Kendal Avenue Toronto	4 co-op credits	TZB4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Construction	8 weeks April – June
Truck and Coach Technician	Centennial College Ashtonbee Campus 75 Ashtonbee Rd. & Bramalea S.S. 510 Balmoral Dr.	4 co-op credits	TTD4Y 2 Dual Credits 60% Pass	Transportation	18 weeks Feb. – June (Monday & Friday) In-Class
General Carpenter	Carpenters' Local 27 Training Centre 222 Rowntree Dairy Rd. Woodbridge, ON	4 co-op credits	No Dual Credits	Construction	8 weeks April – June

Check with your school guidance counsellor or visit:

<https://www.dpcdsb.org/programs-services/secondary/ontario-youth-apprenticeship-program>



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driver's seat
and accelerate
your career**
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AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE TECHNICIAN

An automotive service technician inspects, diagnoses, repairs, and services mechanical, electrical, and electronic systems and components of cars, buses, and trucks.

In this program, students complete an 8-week Cooperative Education placement with a licensed automotive service technician, then attend Centennial College, Ashtonbee College for the 8-week “Level 1” in-school apprenticeship training.

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- Cooperative Education in-class preparation for community placement
- A Cooperative Education placement with a licensed Automotive Service Technician as a sponsoring employer; a registered training agreement is required
- 8 weeks at Centennial College, Ashtonbee Campus
- Program runs from April – June

This program combines apprenticeship in-class training at Centennial College and provides a Cooperative Education placement in the Transportation Sector in an automotive service industry.

Students in Grade 12 must be in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.

**CENTENNIAL
COLLEGE**

PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 4 Cooperative Education credits
- Earn a total of 2 Dual Credits upon successful completion of the Level 1 apprenticeship curriculum at Centennial College, Ashtonbee Campus
- Complete a “Level 1” apprenticeship training designation as a Automotive Service Technician with valuable work experience and extensive skills training

TO QUALIFY:

- Be a graduating student with all compulsory credits completed
- Have experience and passion for a career as an auto service technician
- Be in good academic standing with excellent attendance
- Demonstrate strong work habits and a positive attitude
- Have demonstrated mathematical skills
- Be willing to travel across the GTA for classes and a Cooperative Education placement
- Have minimum 65% Grade 11 College or University Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed by representatives from Centennial College and Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and Centennial College (Ashtonbee Campus) offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as an Automotive Service Technician.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.

Baking is a practice of mindfulness

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BAKER

Bakers mix and bake ingredients to produce breads, pastries, and other baked goods. Many bakers work in kitchens, large grocery stores, and bakery shops. Other bakers may also work for companies that manufacture large quantities of baked goods.

This program provides an opportunity for students to begin and complete the “Level 1” of their in-school apprenticeship training at Humber College and work as an apprentice in a variety of high quality bake shops throughout the Peel Region and GTA.

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- Cooperative Education in-class preparation for community placement
- An integrated schedule throughout semester 2 combines Level 1 Apprenticeship Training and a bakery Cooperative Education placement; a registered training agreement is required
- Program runs from February – June

This program combines apprenticeship in-class training at Humber College and provides a Cooperative Education placement in the food services industry. It is offered in Semester 2 and is open to students in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.



PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 3 Cooperative Education credits towards your Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Earn 3 Dual Credits upon successful completion of “Level 1”
- Earn a “Level 1” apprenticeship training designation as a Baker at Humber College, North Campus
- The education and training opportunities provided at Humber College in partnership with their Cooperative Education Department at their home school, allow students to be placed in bake shops throughout the GTA with qualified bakers. Upon graduation, students who remain in the industry through part-time or full-time employment will continue their apprenticeship towards a Certificate of Apprenticeship

TO QUALIFY:


- Be at least 16 years of age and in your graduating year
- Have at least 26 credits
- Have experience and a passion for working in the baking industry
- Be in good academic standing, including completion of all compulsory courses
- Be willing to travel to Humber College and to a Cooperative Education placement
- Be willing to attend Humber College from February to June, concurrently with a Cooperative Education placement
- Have minimum 65% Grade 11 Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed by a Humber College and a Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board representative in December.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and Humber College offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as a Baker.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.



Cooking is edible art and chemistry

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COOK

A Cook prepares complete meals or individual dishes and food items, plans menus, estimates food requirements and costs, monitors and orders supplies.

In this program, students begin and complete the “Level 1” in-school apprenticeship training in order to pursue a career as a Cook. The education and training opportunities are provided at Humber College, and students are placed in restaurants throughout the GTA with qualified chefs.

Upon graduation, students are encouraged to remain in the industry through part-time or full time employment and continue their apprenticeship education towards full certification.

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- Cooperative Education in-class preparation for community placement
- An integrated schedule throughout semester two combining “Level 1” and a Cooperative Education placement.
- A Cooperative Education placement with a food services facility of distinction; a registered training agreement is required
- Program runs from February – June

This program combines instruction in high school and at Humber College and provides a Cooperative Education placement in the food services industry. It is offered in Semester 2 and is open to students in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.



PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 3 Cooperative Education credits towards your Ontario Secondary School Diploma.
- Earn 3 Dual Credits upon successful completion of “Level 1”
- Earn a “Level 1” apprenticeship training designation as a Cook

TO QUALIFY:

- Be in your graduating year with at least 26 credits
- Have experience and passion for working in culinary arts
- Be in good academic standing, including completion of all compulsory courses
- Be willing to travel to Humber College, North Campus and to a Cooperative Education placement
- Have minimum 65% Grade 11 Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed by a Humber College and a Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board representative in December.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and Humber College offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as a Cook.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.



**Get excited
and electrify
your career**
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ELECTRICIAN

An electrician performs some of the following tasks.

- Installs, repairs, maintains, connects or tests electrical systems
- Plans installations from blueprints, sketches, specifications, and installs all electrical and electronic devices
- Systematically diagnoses faults in electrical and electronic components
- Measures, cuts, threads, bends, assembles and installs conduits
- Splices and terminates electrical conductors
- Tests electrical and electronic equipment for proper function

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- 8 weeks at a Cooperative Education Placement with a licensed electrician
- 8 weeks at Sheridan College, Davis Campus or at Humber College, Carrier Drive Campus
- A registered training agreement is required

This program combines instruction in high school and at Sheridan College or Humber College and provides a Cooperative Education placement in the electrical industry with a licensed electrician. It is offered in Semester 2 and is open to students in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.

Sheridan



PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 4 credits in Cooperative Education towards an Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Earn 2 Dual Credits upon successful completion of “Level 1”
- Earn a “Level 1” Electrical apprenticeship training designation

Upon confirmation of a successful interview at Sheridan College or Humber College, students make contact with their home school semester 2 Cooperative Education teacher to look for a placement with a licensed electrician who will agree to be an OYAP sponsoring employer.

Students must be a registered apprentice with the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities before the start of the Level 1 Accelerated OYAP In-School Apprenticeship Training at Sheridan College or Humber College.

TO QUALIFY:

- Be a graduating student, registered for 4-credit Cooperative Education in semester 2
- Be in good academic standing with a minimum of 26 credits including completion of all compulsory courses
- Have experience and passion for becoming an electrician
- Have a strong interest and above average ability in math and science, particularly physics
- Demonstrated study skills and excellent attendance
- Have minimum 70% Grade 11 College or University Mathematics and Grade 11 or 12 College Physics (Highly Recommended)

Candidates will be interviewed at Sheridan College or Humber College.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD), Sheridan College and Humber College offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as an Electrician.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.



**Unclog your
potential and
gain a skill**
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PLUMBER

A plumber performs some of the following tasks:

- Installs, repairs, and maintains plumbing fixtures in both commercial and residential settings
- Cuts, bends, and threads pipes using both hand and power tools
- Tests pipes for leaks using air and water pressure gauges
- Costs and estimates the work to be performed
- Reads blueprints and drawings to determine the layout of plumbing systems, water supply networks and waste and drainage systems

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- 8 weeks of Cooperative education with a licensed plumber
- 8 weeks at Humber College
- Program runs from April – June
- A registered training agreement is required

This program combines apprenticeship training at Humber College (110 Carrier Drive) along with Cooperative Education certified plumber. It is offered in semester 2 and is open to Grade 12 graduating students with at least 26 credits. Students enroll in 4-credit Cooperative Education and earn up to 2 dual credits, along with a Level 1 designation.



PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 4 credits in Cooperative Education towards an Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Earn 2 Dual Credits upon successful completion of “Level 1”
- Earn a “Level 1” Plumbing apprenticeship training designation at Humber College

At the end of this period, students will have hundreds of hours of practical experience to position them for full or part-time employment in the skilled trade profession of Plumbing and to continue their apprenticeship.

Upon confirmation of a successful interview at Humber College, students make contact with their home school semester 2 Cooperative Education teacher to look for a placement with a plumber who will agree to be an OYAP sponsoring employer.

TO QUALIFY:

- Be in your graduating year with at least 26 credits
- Have a strong interest and knowledge about a career as a plumber
- Have hands-on relevant work experience
- Have excellent attendance and solid work habits
- Have minimum 65% Grade 11 University or College Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed in late November or early December at Humber College.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and Humber College offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as a Plumber.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.

A limited number of spaces are available.



**Keep calm
and skill
trade on
#SkilledTrades**

REFRIGERATION AND AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS MECHANIC

A refrigeration and air conditioning systems mechanic performs some of the following tasks:

- Plans, prepares, and lays out an air conditioning system
- Installs and starts up the system and verifies the operation and function of the system
- Installs and connects piping for the purpose of conveying all types of refrigerant used for both primary and secondary cooling
- Maintains, services, tests, adjusts, and repairs and replaces system components and accessories, including the electrical components of the system

In this program, students will complete the “Level 1” in Residential Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic at George Brown College (Casa Loma Campus).

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- Cooperative Education in-class preparation for community placement
- 8 weeks at a Cooperative Education Placement with a licensed residential air conditioning company within the GTA
- 8 weeks at George Brown College
- A registered training agreement is required
- Program runs April – June

This program combines instruction in high school and at George Brown College. This program also includes a Cooperative Education Placement in the Refrigeration Air Conditioning industry with established residential air conditioning companies within the GTA. It is offered in Semester 2 and is open to students in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.



PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 4 credits in Cooperative Education towards an Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Earn 2 Dual Credits upon successful completion of “Level 1”
- Earn a “Level 1” apprenticeship training designation in Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic

Students then transition to an 8 week in-school “Level 1” session at George Brown College, Casa Loma Campus. Students work to complete their Cooperative Education Placement. Students will be placed with an HVAC (heating, ventilation and air conditioning) company for the duration of their Cooperative Education placement.

TO QUALIFY:

- Be in good academic standing with a minimum of 26 credits including completion of all compulsory courses
- Have experience and a keen interest in working as a Refrigeration Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic
- Be willing to travel and arrive punctually at George Brown College (Casa Loma Campus) for the eight week “Level 1” in-class training
- Have minimum 65% Grade 11 University or College Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed in December at Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and George Brown College offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as a Refrigeration Air Conditioning Systems Mechanic.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.

A limited number of spaces are available.



**Find a career
you wouldn't
TRADE**
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TRUCK AND COACH TECHNICIAN

A truck and coach technician inspects, repairs and maintains commercial trucks, emergency vehicles, buses, road transport vehicles.

Technicians perform work on structural, mechanical, electrical and electronic systems.

The apprenticeship takes approximately 6,000 hours (3.5 years) of on-the-job experience and 720 hours of in-school training.

Through Accelerated OYAP, students secure a truck and coach Cooperative Education placement while taking Level 1 apprenticeship in-class training at both Bramalea Secondary School (Mondays) and Centennial College (Fridays). In-class Apprenticeship Training runs from February until June.

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- In-class Cooperative Education community placement preparation
- First week of February start-up of Level 1 Apprenticeship Training at Bramalea S.S.
- Cooperative Education placement with a Truck and Coach company on Tuesday through Thursday
- Level 1 Apprenticeship In-class Training on Mondays (Bramalea S.S.) and Fridays (Centennial College)
- Program runs from February – June

This program in semester 2 combines Cooperative Education at the home school along with integrated Level 1 Apprenticeship Training at Bramalea Secondary School and Centennial College, Ashtonbee Campus.

CENTENNIAL
COLLEGE

PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn up to 4 Cooperative Education credits
- Earn 2 Dual Credits
- Earn an in-class Apprenticeship Training and earn a “Level 1” designation

TO QUALIFY:

- Be in your graduating year, enrolled in 4-credit Cooperative Education for semester 2, with at least 26 credits
- Be in academic good standing with compulsory courses completed at the end of semester 1
- Have experience and passion for the truck and coach industry
- Have demonstrated work ethic, positive attitude and excellent attendance record.
- Have minimum grade 11 College or University Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed in December at Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and Centennial College have partnered to offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue a career as a Truck and Coach Technician.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.



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GENERAL CARPENTER

A general carpenter uses hand and power tools, does estimating, calculations and layout, performs millwork and joinery, erects foundations, steel and wood framing, does interior and exterior finishing, installs doors, windows, and hardware components, builds stairs, counters and cupboards, lays flooring, erects scaffolding, installs suspended ceilings, constructs concrete framework and does welding.

In this program, students complete the “Level 1” portion of the in-school apprenticeship training for General Carpenters. Students enroll in 4-credit Cooperative Education in semester 2. They learn at a construction-related Cooperative Education placement for 8-weeks. In April they begin 8-weeks of apprenticeship training at The College of Carpenters and Allied Trades Training Centre, located at 222 Rowntree Dairy Road in Woodbridge, Ontario.

Level 1 Training

PROGRAM COMPONENTS INCLUDE:

- 8 weeks at a Cooperative Education Placement in the construction industry
- 8 weeks at the Carpenters’ Training Centre
- Program runs from April – June

This program combines instruction in high school and at The College of Carpenters and Allied Trades. It provides a Cooperative Education placement in the construction industry. It is offered in Semester 2 and is open to students in their graduating year with a minimum of 26 credits.



**COLLEGE OF
CARPENTERS**
AND ALLIED TRADES

PROGRAM CREDITS / CERTIFICATION:

- Earn 4 Cooperative Education credits in total towards an Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Earn a “Level 1” apprenticeship training designation for General Carpenter

TO QUALIFY:

- Be in your graduating year with at least 26 credits
- Have a strong interest in working with Construction Technology or Technological Design
- Be in good academic standing, including completion of all compulsory courses required for an Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Have an understanding and working knowledge of mathematical concepts and principles
- Be willing to travel by public transit to the College of Carpenters and Allied Trades Training Centre, and travel across the GTA as needed to participate in a Cooperative Education placement
- Have minimum 60% Grade 11 College or University Mathematics

Candidates will be interviewed at The College of Carpenters and Allied Trades.



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board, The Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development (MLTSD) and College of Carpenters and Allied Trades offer this opportunity for students who want to pursue careers as General Carpenters.

Please see your Guidance Counsellor or Cooperative Education teacher for assistance in completing an application form and the submission of all required documents.

Additional Resources

Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program

Information and downloads pertaining to the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program and apprenticeships and trades in general.

www.oyap.com

myBlueprint Educational Planner

MyBlueprint is an educational and career planning tool resource used by Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board students.

www.myblueprint.ca

Government of Ontario

Learn how to get a job in the skilled trades and apply for grants and incentives.

www.ontario.ca/trades

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Information and downloads pertaining to the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program, apprenticeships and trades in general.

<https://www.dpcdsb.org/programs-services/secondary/ontario-youth-apprenticeship-program>

Skills Canada

Profiles of skilled trades, essential skills necessary, salary and how to join the field.

www.skillscompetencescanada.com

Apprentice Search

Apprenticesearch.com offers recruitment, resources and results by connecting employers and apprentices.

www.apprenticesearch.com

Government of Ontario

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