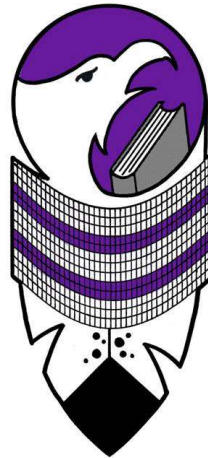


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THE 2026 STUDENT POLICY GUIDE TO POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

Post-secondary education assistance is provided to eligible Six Nations post-secondary students enrolled in eligible post-secondary programs of study within the limits of funds voted by Parliament.

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This guide will provide you with information about the post-secondary education assistance program administered through the Grand River Post Secondary Education Office (GRPSEO). If you have any questions, please contact a Post Secondary Funding Advisor.

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From time-to-time policy changes are necessary. When this happens a policy bulletin will be available that will outline any changes. The changes will also be posted on the GRPSEO website.

The GRPSEO attempts to send notification of policy changes to all active post-secondary students receiving assistance through the GRPSEO, but sometimes students get missed in the process. It is ultimately your responsibility, as a student, to ask for current information regarding education assistance. Please ask your Post Secondary Funding Advisor about any changes.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION ASSISTANCE?

If you are a Six Nations band member and you have met the entrance requirements for **and** been enrolled in **or** accepted for enrolment in an *eligible* post-secondary program then you can be considered for post-secondary education assistance through the Grand River Post Secondary Education Office. You must apply for this assistance. *See the sections in this guide on: [WHEN TO APPLY](#), [HOW TO APPLY](#) and [COMPLETING AN ONLINE APPLICATION FOR EDUCATION ASSISTANCE](#).*

WHAT IS AN ELIGIBLE PROGRAM?

An eligible post-secondary program of study must be at least two academic years in length; be offered by a post-secondary institution; and have secondary school completion or equivalent as a prerequisite for admission to the program. The program of study must lead to or be for credit for a diploma or degree. Note: some post diploma programs of one academic year in length *may* be eligible. *Please check with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor.*

The following courses **DO NOT** meet post-secondary program funding requirements of the GRPSEO: Additional qualification courses for teachers; College and University Entrance Programs that result in secondary school credits or any pre-college level programs deemed to be preparatory, exploratory or access oriented for college level study (i.e. not resulting in full post-secondary credit).

Given the demand on student funding and the need to manage available resources on a long- and short-term basis, the GRPSEO reviews programs for eligibility in light of the length of time it takes for a student to graduate with education qualifications and skills that will result in employment. Where there is little evidence that the program will lead to direct employment, the GRPSEO may limit funding for a program.

WHAT IS A POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTION?

A post-secondary institution is a degree or diploma granting institution that is recognized by a province. This includes an educational institution affiliated with or delivering accredited post-secondary programs by arrangement with a post-secondary institution.

There are **Public** or **Private** post-secondary institutions.

Public post-secondary institutions are post-secondary institutions (in Canada and outside of Canada) which receives annual operating grants from provincial and federal governments and operate under a charter or legislation approved by the federal or provincial government as well as specific regulations of the province (such as limits on tuition costs to students).

Private post-secondary institutions are post-secondary institutions (in Canada and outside of Canada) which receive the majority of funding from sources other than governments and operate under legal provisions as a privately owned or publicly traded business. Tuition costs are therefore usually higher.

You may choose to attend either a public or an accredited private post-secondary institution. Programs at accredited **private institutions** in Canada must be a minimum of 1 year (12 months) of full-time study, have Grade 12 as the admission requirement and meet one or more of the following criteria:

- They are Indigenous specific.
- The student can meet the licensing requirements of their particular area of study after successful completion of required licensing exam.
- The student can become a member of their particular professional association after successful completion of required exam.

Exemptions is:

- Canadian Ministry (religious) based schools which have been given provincial permission to grant degrees under the Degree Authorization Act.

These institutions along with post-secondary institutions outside Canada will be funded at the same current rate as charged by the Canadian public institution, where a comparable program is offered, nearest to the student's place of residence at the time of application.

Other private institutions can be reviewed for eligibility at the discretion of the Director.

WHAT TYPE OF POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION ASSISTANCE IS AVAILABLE?

There is post-secondary education assistance for:

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| • Tuition | • Mandatory Program Fees |
| • Books | • Prior Learning Assessment |
| • Education Allowance for Full-Time Students | • Tutorial Assistance |

When the budget allows there is assistance in the form of incentives and/or scholarships.

In addition to the overall eligibility criteria already presented, there are specific criteria that apply to the different types of post-secondary education assistance. These criteria are presented in the descriptions below.

Once you are approved for a specific type of education assistance, there are also certain criteria that you must continue to meet to maintain your eligibility.

Tuition Assistance

Tuition assistance for eligible full- or part-time students includes tuition fee(s) and mandatory student fees including approved admission fees for a course, semester, or academic year for an eligible post-secondary program of study for which education assistance has been approved.

Tuition assistance is limited to the tuition costs for a student attending a Canadian public post-secondary institution. Tuition assistance is limited to one of the four levels of post-secondary education (i.e., only one of: College, Undergraduate, Graduate, or Doctoral) for students studying at an accredited private institution in Canada **or** an accredited private/public institution outside of Canada.

For students attending an accredited private institution in Canada or accredited private/public institution outside of Canada, tuition assistance is provided at the same rate as charged by a Canadian public post-secondary institution where a comparable program is offered and which is nearest to the student's place of residence at the time of application. It is the student's responsibility to provide written documentation as to the nearest comparable program in a public institution.

When an application is made for tuition assistance, the number of courses and credit value of these courses must be indicated. This information is used to set the tuition budget for each application. As the demand for post-secondary funding always exceeds available funds, **do not assume** that you can add a course, or courses, after an application has been approved.

Tuition Deposit

A \$500.00 non-refundable deposit may be required by the institution to secure your spot in your chosen program. If the GRPSEO pays this deposit on behalf of the student and then the student withdraws from the program or institution, then the student will incur a *minimum* overpayment in the amount of \$500.00.

Where the student pays the \$500.00 deposit themselves, they may be eligible for a reimbursement from the GRPSEO. This is subject to the institution billing GRPSEO for tuition excluding the deposit amount already paid by the student.

Optional/Non-Essential Fees

It is your responsibility to opt out of any optional/non-essential student fees that you are not willing to pay for yourself (for example, many institutions have optional health insurance programs, association fees, etc.). Late registration fees are also your responsibility.

In return for tuition sponsorship, you are responsible for one of two things: either a passing grade or full reimbursement of expended funds for tuition for each sponsored course. In addition, if your post-secondary institution determines that you do not meet the academic requirements to continue in your program of study, then education assistance will be discontinued. For more information, see the section on [MAINTAINING YOUR ELIGIBILITY](#), the sub-section on *Acceptable Academic Performance*, and the section on [OVERPAYMENTS](#).

When you are required to reimburse tuition monies to the GRPSEO, the reimbursement may involve a combination of a tuition refund from the post-secondary institution and direct reimbursement from you - the student. Any tuition reimbursement, due from you, will be deemed an overpayment on your file and will affect your future eligibility for education assistance.

Students are advised to make their post-secondary selection carefully; to be successful in all courses, and to know the refund schedule of your post-secondary institution so that if you need to withdraw from a course, you can do so as soon as possible. If there is no refund forthcoming from your post-secondary institution then you will be fully responsible for the full course tuition reimbursement.

If you are successful, there is virtually no limit on the number of times that you are eligible to receive tuition assistance - except for the limitations noted previously regarding post-secondary studies in an accredited private institution in Canada or accredited public/private institution outside of Canada.

Book Assistance

Assistance for books and supplies is provided at a standard rate for full-time students (\$400.00 per academic semester) and part-time students (\$80.00 per half credit course and \$160.00 per full credit course). Additional costs for books, supplies and special equipment are the student's responsibility.

In return for book assistance, you are responsible for one of two things: submission of a successful grade or full reimbursement of book assistance provided for each failed course. Book reimbursement due from you will be deemed an overpayment on your file and could affect your future eligibility for education assistance.

Education Allowance

If you are registered as a full-time student by the post-secondary institution that you are attending AND you meet the GRPSEO's definition of full-time study for each semester, then you are eligible to receive a monthly allowance provided that:

- (a) you have not reached the limits of assistance for allowance for the level of study and program that you are enrolled in;
- (b) you are a continuing successful student and you do not have an overpayment on your file; and
- (c) you have provided a progress report/transcript for previously sponsored courses as well as all required documentation (**Students enrolled in part-time study are not eligible for the monthly education allowance**).

The number of months of allowance that you are eligible for depends on a number of factors. For example, it can depend on the registration date for the semester or academic year. The following examples (based on policy provisions) address most students' questions:

- At the **end** of the academic year, if you are registered as a full-time student up until the 15th of the last month of an academic year then you are eligible for a full month's allowance payment for that last month.
- If you are registered as full-time until some date **prior to** the 15th of the last month of attendance and there is at least one full month before the start of the next academic semester, then you are eligible for one half of a month's allowance payment.
- Full monthly allowance payments may be issued whenever the academic semesters that you are registered in run in consecutive months, regardless of pauses in studies.
- If you are considered a registered full-time student for at least the last six working days of a month, at the **start** of an academic year, you are eligible for half a month's allowance payment for that month.
- If your official registration is prior to the 15th of the first month of the academic year, then you are eligible for a full month's allowance payment for that month.

You must maintain your eligibility as a full-time student as defined by the post-secondary institution that you are attending **and** the GRPSEO's minimum course enrolment for each semester to maintain your eligibility for a monthly allowance payment. Please consult with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor before making any changes.

The GRPSEO's requirements to qualify as a full-time student depend on your level of study as outlined in the following 4 levels:

Level 1 (college diploma): Registered full-time by the institution and taking a minimum of 12 hours of in-class/labs instruction per week per academic semester for the program registered in (tutorials do not count as part of the 12 hours per week).

Level 2 (undergraduate university degree): Registered full-time by the institution and minimum enrolment of 12 credits, or 2.0 credits per semester (courses typically are equivalent to 3.0 credits each or 0.5 (half) credit each) at the beginning of a regularly scheduled and required academic semester for the program registered in.

Level 3 (master degree): as defined by the post-secondary institution.

Level 4 (doctoral degree): as defined by the post-secondary institution.

Education Allowance assistance is provided to eligible full-time students enrolled in eligible programs for the purpose of completing one diploma or degree at each of the four levels of post-secondary study.

The limits to Education Allowance assistance are as follows:

Levels 1 and 2: The duration of Education Allowance for levels 1 (college) and 2 (undergraduate) is directly linked to the official length of the program as defined by the post-secondary institution in which you are enrolled.

Levels 3 and 4: For levels 3 (master) and 4 (doctoral), the duration of Education Allowance for all new applicants shall be as follows:

Master program – three years (36 months)

Doctoral program – five years (60 months)

Effective September 2026, for levels three and four (Master and PhD study), the duration of education allowance for all New applicants shall be as follows:

Master program – 28 months

Doctoral program – five years (60 months)

The duration of education allowance assistance is limited to one of the four levels of post-secondary education (i.e., only one of: College, Undergraduate, Graduate, or Doctoral) for students studying at an accredited private institution in Canada or an accredited private/public institution outside of Canada. GRPSEO limits of assistance for the education level involved apply.

For Level 1 and 2 students, the maximum eligible extension to Education Allowance is granted provided:

- confirmation of the required intended courses is received;
- you are eligible to continue in your program;
- there are no outstanding overpayments on your file;
- you submit all necessary documentation; and
- funds are available for your priority.

For Level 1 and 2 students, this basic rule of maximum allowance assistance (a rule based on the official program length plus one academic semester) applies even if you interrupt your study, change levels of study, change your program of study within a level, or have previously completed a portion of the program without education assistance.

For all students regardless of level:

You can apply (**as a Priority 5**) for allowance assistance for a second diploma or degree at the same level of study, however, to be eligible for Education Allowance, sixty consecutive months must have lapsed from the last time that you received allowance assistance. Please note that degrees that require an undergraduate degree as a prerequisite are excluded from this sixty-consecutive month waiting period (*for an explanation of what Priority 5 means - see the section on [WHAT ARE THE RESIDENCY CATEGORIES AND THE PRIORITY SYSTEM?](#) on page 19*).

Also, if you become eligible for assistance and are already part way through a program that you have funded through other resources - you will be eligible for assistance for the balance of the program plus the applicable extension if required (one academic semester).

Finally, Education Allowance for the Summer semester is not available unless the Summer semester is a mandated and regularly scheduled semester for your program. The post-secondary institution sets the program structure for all programs.

Mandatory Program Fees

Documentation from your school is required to verify these fees. It is the student's responsibility to provide the necessary fee documentation.

GRPSEO will fund mandatory program fees for full time study in all levels of programs to a maximum of \$1,000.00 per academic year.

Optional student fees and late fees remain the student's responsibility.

Tutorial Assistance

The current maximum for tutorial assistance is \$250.00 per academic semester. Check with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor on how to obtain this assistance.

Prior Learning Assessment (PLA)

Prior Learning Assessment challenges are eligible for assistance and will be based on the institution's procedures.

If you think that you are in a position to challenge a significant number of courses that will result in a shortening of your program of studies, please contact the PLA facilitator at the post-secondary institution and your Post Secondary Funding Advisor at the GRPSEO.

APPEAL PROCESS

If you think that you have not been dealt with fairly under the policy and guidelines for post-secondary education assistance, you may request an appeal hearing. There is no appeal against refusal of assistance because funds are not available; and no appeal against an application deadline missed for any of the Summer, Fall/Winter or Winter semester(s). Please refer to <https://www.grpseo.org/appeal-procedure> for Appeal Procedure Policy, Procedure Steps and Form.

MAINTAINING YOUR ELIGIBILITY

Once you have been approved for post-secondary education assistance, you must maintain your eligibility for continued assistance.

A summary of how to maintain your eligibility follows:

▪ Semester Contacts and Required Documentation

Regardless of whether you are approved for full-time or part time funding assistance:

- It is mandatory for you to make at least one contact per semester with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor to discuss your education progress.
- You are also responsible for providing required documentation such as your tuition fees, course enrolment and progress reports to the GRPSEO by the established deadline dates.
- You are responsible for keeping the GRPSEO informed of how you can be reached (telephone, current mailing address and e-mail address).

Your funding may be suspended if you are not in compliance with any of the above.

▪ Full-Time Status

If you have been approved for full-time funding assistance, then you must maintain your full-time student status as defined by both the post-secondary institution that you are attending **AND** at least the minimum definition of full-time study established by the GRPSEO for your level of study.

▪ Acceptable Academic Performance

Each year there is increasing demand for post-secondary funding assistance. To remain eligible for continued post-secondary funding assistance, both full- and part-time students must maintain an acceptable level of academic performance in terms of specific program requirements and in terms of the minimum requirements set by the GRPSEO. Also, if the post-secondary institution that you are attending determines that you do not meet the academic requirements necessary to continue in your program of study then education funding assistance will be discontinued.

Any course that is not successfully completed or does not result in credit for the student's diploma or degree is considered a failure and can result in academic probation, as well as Priority 7 being assigned by GRPSEO. Either situation can negatively impact a student's funding prospects given the fact that overall requests for funding always exceed available funds. Also, see the section on [OVERPAYMENTS](#) as there are financial implications for failures.

Keep in mind the following:

- a) a failure of a course that runs over two semesters (eight months) is regarded as two failures (one per semester),
- b) incompletes are counted as failures unless this status is due to an error by the institution,
- c) withdrawals are counted as failures unless you have been able to enrol in an additional course, of equal credit value, within the same academic semester to substitute for the withdrawal,
- d) deferrals are considered a failure.

When a Level 1 or 2 student has three failures in an academic semester, Priority 7 and academic probation is assigned by the Post Secondary Funding Advisor. If there are two failures in an academic semester then academic probation is assigned.

Level 3 and 4 students with two failures in an academic semester, will be assigned Priority 7 and academic

probation by the Post Secondary Funding Advisor.

A student placed on academic probation as a result of incomplete(s) or deferral(s) may have the academic probation lifted in the next consecutive semester if the incomplete(s) or deferral(s) is/are dealt with and results in a passing grade and credit.

▪ **Progress Reports**

A progress report is required at the end of each funded academic semester. Your Post Secondary Funding Advisor reviews your progress report to determine if you have achieved acceptable academic performance. If courses were not successfully completed, an overpayment will be assigned to your file.

The deadlines for submission of these progress reports are:

- February 1st for the Fall Semester (September to December)
- May 1st for the Winter Semester (January to April)
- October 1st for the Spring/Summer Semester (May to August)

The progress report may be a grade report or record of achievement or unofficial transcript from your school student information account. For Master and PhD students, a progress report may not be available. A letter of good standing from your faculty (Department Chair or Head) indicating that you have successful academic performance to date is required. Failure to provide a progress report will result in education assistance being suspended.

▪ **Official Transcripts**

An **Official Transcript** is required by **August 1st** of each year for all students who received funding assistance through the GRPSEO in any of the three prior terms (Summer/Fall/Winter). It must be ordered by the student from their Institution and sent directly to GRPSEO from the Institution. Failure to submit an official transcript by the August 1st deadline date can result in cancellation of an approved Fall or Fall/Winter application.

OVERPAYMENTS

The following section provides information on overpayments and payment options, including options which can help you regain a Priority 1 standing if you are a previously unsuccessful student (Priority 7) - see section [WHAT ARE THE RESIDENCY CATEGORIES AND PRIORITY SYSTEM](#)).

An overpayment is any education assistance payment or expenditure for which you were not eligible. If an overpayment has been, or will be put on your GRPSEO student file, it is important to note that a future funding application can continue to be processed; however, if the application is approved, all funds will be on hold until that overpayment is cleared. If it is not cleared by the start of the academic period, the approved application can be cancelled. An overpayment report will be sent to the student.

An overpayment can occur for any type of assistance. A student may have an accumulation of overpayments for one or more failed courses in a semester, or in some cases for the entire amount of their issued funding. This will vary based on individual student circumstances. And, if the post-secondary institution does not allow the student to continue in their program of study, GRPSEO funding assistance may be discontinued as well.

Overpayments can apply for any of the following:

- **Tuition:** Any course that is not successfully completed or does not result in credit for the student's diploma or degree is considered a failure. The tuition cost and associated student fees for such a course (for which you received assistance) become an automatic overpayment.
- **Books:** Books and Supply costs will be established as an overpayment if you fail to submit marks; have failed all courses in an academic semester; or withdraw from studies.
- **Education Allowance:** If you fail to maintain your full-time status as defined by the post-secondary institution and the GRPSEO's minimum definition of full-time study for your level of study, yet continue to receive the monthly allowance for which you are no longer eligible, then any education

allowance issued to you during this period of ineligibility becomes an overpayment.

Payment of Overpayments

An overpayment **must be cleared** by the start of the academic period for the next application for education assistance. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of an approved application.

Overpayment payment arrangements for approved **Fall or Fall/Winter** applications must be in place by August 1st. For successful returning full-time students with overpayments, re-payment may be made through deductions from approved student funds.

As of September 1, 2025, an automatic 15% tuition discount **may** apply against the tuition portion only of the overpayment regardless of the payment plan or minimum payment arrangements. Applying an automatic discount towards the tuition overpayment will assist with the student's repayment and further support student success.

Self-Funding

You can also reduce, or completely clear, an overpayment through successful self-funding. You can self-fund (through your own means) the same number of courses that you failed. The courses you self-fund must be comparable to those failed. This means at the same academic level, with same credit value and tuition costs as the courses failed. You must complete the courses with final grades that meet the minimum academic requirement of the post-secondary institution to continue in the program. You must submit a progress (grade) report verifying successful completion of your courses. The overpayment cannot be adjusted until the progress report is received and reviewed by your Post Secondary Funding Advisor, who will recommend the appropriate adjustments be made to your overpayment. You can self-fund either as a part time or full-time student.

In addition, self-funding can also change your Priority standing for funding (for details on priorities see section [WHAT ARE THE RESIDENCY CATEGORIES AND PRIORITY SYSTEM](#)).

Self-Funding Part-Time – Priority

If you successfully **self-fund** as a part-time student, then the priority of your application for the next consecutive semester of your program will depend on whether you are applying for full or part time study.

- A successful, self-funded part-time student can apply for education funding assistance to continue in part-time studies for the next consecutive semester of their program of study. As a result of their self-funding success, this application will be processed by GRPSEO as a **Priority 1b (continuing successful)**.
- A successful, self-funded part-time student can apply for education funding assistance to continue in full-time study in the next consecutive semester of their program of study. As a result of their self-funding success, this application will be processed by GRPSEO as a **Priority 4a (part time switching to full time)**.

Self-Funding Full Time – Priority

- A successful, self-funded full-time student can apply for education funding assistance to continue in full-time study in the next consecutive semester of their program of study. As a result of their self-funding success, their application will be processed by GRPSEO as a **Priority 1b (continuing successful)**.

Fortunately, the accumulation of large overpayments due to failures does not happen often. Be sure to research education programs and institutions carefully and decide on an education plan that is compatible with your interests, skills, abilities and academic strengths. Match this with a strong personal commitment to succeed and you will avoid the stress associated with failures.

LIMITS OF ASSISTANCE

In addition to maintaining eligibility for education assistance, there are certain limits to assistance that you must be aware of and take into account when making decisions about your education plan.

Some of these limits have already been mentioned in this guide. A summary of the limits to assistance are as

follows:

- For students studying in accredited private institutions in Canada or accredited private/public institutions outside of Canada, the maximum assistance provided is for the completion of one level of post-secondary education.
- Tuition assistance for students studying in an accredited private institution in Canada or an accredited private/public post-secondary institution outside of Canada is limited to one diploma or degree at only one of the four levels of post-secondary education (i.e., only one of: College, Undergraduate, Graduate, or Doctoral).
- Tuition assistance for study in an accredited private institution or accredited post-secondary institution outside of Canada is at the same rate as charged by the Canadian public institution nearest to your home with a comparable program.
- Education Allowance assistance is for one diploma and/or degree per level (stepped/concurrent programs excepted). Level 2 will include assistance for an additional degree program which has an undergraduate degree as a prerequisite.
- There is a 60 consecutive month interval before you are eligible to apply for monthly Education Allowance for a second diploma or degree at the same level of education.
- The maximum number of months for Education Allowance available for Level 1 and Level 2 study is the official length of the program plus one academic semester (four months).
- The maximum number of months of Education Allowance for Level 3 study (Master) is three years (36 months); for level 4 (Doctoral) is five years (60 months).

Effective September 2026, for levels three and four (Master and PhD study), the duration of education allowance for all New applicants shall be as follows:

Master program – 28 months

Doctoral program – five years (60 months)

- If you drop from Level 2 to Level 1, then resume study at Level 2, the allowance months (and academic years) already received in Level 2 are counted for assistance purposes.
- If you change programs within a level, the months (and academic years) used for each program is counted for calculating the limits of education assistance.
- If you have previously completed a portion of post-secondary studies without education assistance then you may receive education assistance for the balance of the program provided this does not go beyond the official length of the program plus one academic semester.

INCENTIVES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Student incentives funded directly through the GRPSEO are subject to the availability of funds. Any incentives, bursaries and/or scholarships directly sponsored by the GRPSEO are made known through our website.

Post Secondary Funding Advisors may provide general scholarship information but are not able to research scholarships for you.

The GRPSEO attempts to keep up-to-date information on bursaries and scholarships from as many sources as possible. This information or links to this information are posted on the website at www.grpseo.org. We encourage you to research and apply for as many scholarships, bursaries or awards as possible. Create a list of scholarship possibilities. Be sure to submit your completed application(s) on time.

Any awards/scholarships or bursaries that you receive are in addition to education assistance funds

approved through the GRPSEO.

Several significant scholarships/bursaries/awards are available each year through community organizations, such as Inspire and The Dreamcatcher Foundation. Please visit their websites for more information. Most post-secondary institutions also have awards specific to their school—some are for new students applying for admission and some are for specific disciplines. Check out the student awards section in your institute's calendar or website. Also, check out www.osap.gov.on.ca as scholarships are also linked to this site.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO STUDENTS

The GRPSEO office supports our students in their efforts to apply for scholarships and bursaries, however we ask you to remember the following:

Often, students may require a reference letter or copies of documentation from our office to verify approval or non-approval of funding from the GRPSEO. Please note that this is already provided to you when your application is approved or not approved. Please retain your copies of letters from our office as you may require them for various scholarships and bursaries.

If you have lost this letter and require a new letter from GRPSEO, there will be a **\$5.00 administration fee** and you must be in good standing with our office. This means that you must have no outstanding documents (i.e. official transcripts, marks or other required documents for your file).

We ask that students also be aware that there is a **processing time of 2-4 business days** for requests of reference letters and copies of documents and is at the discretion of your Post Secondary Funding Advisor. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 519-445-2219 or email: info@grpseo.org or contact your Post Secondary Funding Advisor.

WHEN TO APPLY

The application deadlines for all applicants are as follows:

- February 1st - Summer semester
- May 1st - Fall or Fall/Winter semester(s)
- October 1st - Winter semester

Your APPLICATION FOR EDUCATION ASSISTANCE and the CONSENT TO REQUEST AND RELEASE INFORMATION must be received by the applicable deadline date. **Late applications will not be processed.**

If you are applying to go to a post-secondary education institution for the first time, chances are you may not have a Letter of Acceptance by May 1st from the post-secondary institution that you hope to attend. You can still apply by the deadline date, and the Letter of Acceptance can be sent in to GRPSEO after the deadline of May 1st.

If you apply for a full academic year, you may be approved for two consecutive academic semesters (not usually less than eight months duration) normally beginning in September of the academic year and ending by April 30.

It is your responsibility to follow up with documents by due dates for both the GRPSEO and your post-secondary institution. For example, if you have NOT been advised that GRPSEO funding has been approved by the date that a tuition deposit is required to hold your program seat, then you must make the decision to pay a deposit on your own or let your seat go. The GRPSEO makes every effort to work with students to meet the deadlines of your institution, but this is not always possible due to the number of students applying for funding and the dates when documents are received at the GRPSEO.

HOW TO APPLY

All eligible applicants must submit an application to access funding.

An application is required for each academic period of study, i.e., if your program year runs from September to April, you can apply for the Fall/Winter funding period (academic period of September 1 to April 30). If you are in a program year that runs September to August of the following year, you will be required to submit **2** separate applications: a Fall/Winter (academic period of September 1 to April 30) and Summer (academic period of May 1 to Aug 31).

If you are attending more than one institution during a semester you must have a second application. To do so, please contact your Post Secondary Funding Advisor to begin the process. For example, if you take a course at another institution, but your main (“home”) institution will be granting the credit, you must provide a Letter of Permission from your “home” institution.

Applications must be completed online at www.grpseo.org

PLEASE REFER TO [PORTAL-APPLICATION-GUIDE.PDF](#) FOR MORE DETAILS ON HOW TO APPLY.

At the end of the application process, you can review your application details. A copy of the application will be emailed to you. Please keep this **for your records** only.

In *special circumstances*, you can obtain a Paper Application for Education Assistance and Consent to Request and Release Information form:

- Complete, sign and submit these two forms with your original signature by the required deadline. When manually filling out these forms, please print clearly and firmly in black or blue ink pen.

Be sure to check the various deadline dates we have throughout the year and submit your application during the proper intake for your academic periods of study.

When completing your **Online** or **Paper** Application for Education Assistance please take time to complete all sections thoroughly. Any mistakes or missing information will delay the processing of your application package. If you need assistance applying online, please refer to the [Online Portal Application Guide](#) located in the Application Forms and Documents section of the Eligibility, Applying & Financial Assistance tab on the main page of the GRPSEO website at www.grpseo.org; or under the section [COMPLETING AN ONLINE APPLICATION FOR EDUCATION ASSISTANCE](#) of this guide.

PLEASE NOTE: LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

CREATING A GRPSEO STUDENT PORTAL ACCOUNT

Prior to completing an online application, you must create a GRPSEO student portal account. Once your account has been created, you may begin all future applications at **Step 1** of the [Completing an Online Application for Education Assistance](#) section.

(A) NEW USER REGISTRATION

1. Go to the GRPSEO portal website - portal.grpseo.org
2. Click “SIGN IN”
3. Click on the “Register” tab
4. Enter your Email
5. Enter a Password
6. Confirm the password
7. Enter the CAPTCHA code
8. Click “Register” button to continue

(B) RETURNING APPLICANTS – REQUESTING YOUR INVITATION CODE

If you are a student that has applied to GRPSEO for funding in the past, you may have an account in our new system. If you receive an error at either of the following steps, please email info@grpseo.org with your First Name, Last Name, Registry # and Preferred E-mail and our staff will send you the GRPSEO Portal Invitation email:

1. If you receive an error that your email is already taken as a username

OR

2. You receive an error message when entering your 10-digit Registry Number

(C) RETURNING APPLICANTS – REDEEMING YOUR INVITATION CODE

1. When you receive a Portal Invitation email, click the “[here](#)” link to navigate to the GRPSEO Portal website

2. Your invitation code will automatically be entered, click the “Register” button

3. As a returning GRPSEO student, your email will automatically entered – do not change this here; you may change this once in the system if needed

4. Enter your desired password following the parameters provided, confirm your password and enter the Captcha code

5. Click “Register”

COMPLETING AN ONLINE APPLICATION FOR EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

When completing an **Online** Application for Education Assistance in the **NEW PORTAL** please take time to complete all sections thoroughly. Any mistakes or missing information will delay the processing of your application package.

STUDENT INFORMATION Section

Online Application Process: Here is a brief step-by-step instruction to assist you in completing the online application. Please contact the office if you are having difficulties or need more information.

Fields with an asterisk (*) are required. If you are a new student, an online record will be created for you once you enter your registry number and Social Insurance Number (SIN)/Social Security Number (SSN). If you are a returning student, please log in with your correct information.

Step 1: Log In

Username	Enter the email used to register for your account
Password	Enter your chosen password
<i>If you have forgotten your password, click on the “Forgot your password?” button and follow the steps to reset your password. Contact our office if you do not receive the Password Reset email.</i>	

Click on **Sign In** to continue.

Step 2: Navigate to MY APPLICATIONS

1. To create an application, click on “My Applications” on the very top menu bar.

2. Select “Create”.

3. Select the semester you are applying for and click “NEXT” to continue.

Step 3: GRPSEO Definitions, Rules & Guidelines

Once you have read the text, you can advance to the next screen by checking the box that says “By continuing you are agreeing that you have read...etc.” Click **Next** to move to the next page.

YOU CANNOT SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION WITHOUT COMPLETING THIS STEP.

Step 4: Personal Information

Enter all required fields (*) and optional fields

Section 1: Personal Information

First Name*	Enter your given name(s)
Second Name	Enter your middle or second name(s)
Preferred Name	Enter your preferred name
Last Name*	Enter your Surname/Last name(s)
Date of Birth*	Enter your birth date (m/d/yyyy)
Gender*	Select your preferred gender choice
Registry Number*	Enter your 10-digit Six Nations Registry number (e.g. band number 2500123401) – with no spaces
SIN or SSN	Enter your Social Insurance Number (SIN) or Social Security Number (SSN)
Primary Phone Number*	Enter your phone number
Secondary Phone Number	Enter a secondary phone number
Email Address*	Email address will appear as you entered it on the registration page
Last Year of High School*	Enter your last year of high school (YYYY)

Section 2: Permanent Home Address

Please note – a Post Office Box # does not qualify as home address information.

Country*	Use the Search button to select your Country of Residence
Address 1*	Enter your home address using your street #, unit #, apartment #
Address 2	Enter Rural Route # (e.g. RR2)
City*	Enter the city or town where you reside
Province/State*	Use the Search button to select your Province of Residence
Postal/ZIP Code*	Enter your postal code (e.g. L1A 8T9) OR zip code (e.g. 14213)

Section 3: Mailing Address

- If your mailing address is the same as your permanent address, click the “Copy Permanent Home Address” button to bring your information over to the Mailing Address section.
- If your mailing address is different from your permanent address, please enter required fields (*) and optional fields:

Country*	Use the Search button to select your Country of Residence
Address 1*	Enter your home address using your street #, unit #, apartment #
Address 2	Enter Rural Route # (e.g. RR2)
City*	Enter the city or town where you reside
Province/State*	Use the Search button to select your Province of Residence
Postal/ZIP Code*	Enter your postal code (e.g. L1A 8T9) OR zip code (e.g. 14213)

Section 4: Emergency Contact

First Name*	Enter emergency contact's given name
Last Name*	Enter emergency contact's last name
Relationship*	Enter your relationship to your emergency contact
Phone Number*	Enter your emergency contact

Section 5: Status Card

You may upload a copy of your Status Card (Front and Back) here. If you do not have this when completing your application, you can submit it to your Funding Advisor at a later time.

Click [Next](#) to move to the next page.

Step 5: Application Information

In this section you will enter the details of your application. Please pick the **Semester(s)**, and the **Institution** you wish to attend and your **Program** of study from the drop-down lists. Enter the **Academic Period** properly. All of the details in this section must be accurate in order to process your application.

Section 1: Education Details

Attending Institution*	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use the Search button to look up your institution 2. In the "Lookup records" pop up screen, use the "Search" box to find your institution - To refine your search use * - eg. *Waterloo will search for all schools containing the word "Waterloo" 3. Click the check box beside your institution and then press "Select" to save <i>- If you cannot find your institution, please check the "I cannot find my Institution in the list" box and our office will follow up with you</i>
Program*	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use the Search button to look up your program 2. In the "Lookup records" pop up screen, use the "Search" box to find your program - You may use the "*" wildcard to search for your program e.g. *account will display all programs containing "account" such as "accounting"
Program Level*	Using the drop-down list, select your program level
Length of Program*	Using the drop-down list, select the length of your program
Year of Study*	Using the drop-down list, select the year of study you are applying for
Attendance*	Using the drop-down list, select "Full Time" or "Part Time" Visit https://www.grpseo.org/levels-of-assistance for clarification on GRPSEO's requirements for Full Time Levels of Assistance
Method of Delivery*	Using the drop-down list, select the method of delivery for your program
Student ID	Enter your Student ID number if you have it - leave it blank if you do not
Graduation Date	Enter the intended graduation date for your post-secondary program
Accommodations	Select "Yes" or "No" <i>These are accommodations that are provided by Student Accessibility Services from your Institution</i>

Section 2: Most Recent Post-Secondary Education

Next, please enter your last full time post-secondary information. If this section does not apply to you, please leave this section blank.

Most Recent Institution	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use the Search button to look up your institution 2. In the "Lookup records" pop up screen, use the "Search" box to find your institution - To refine your search use * - e.g. *Waterloo will search for all schools containing the word "Waterloo" 3. Click the check box beside your institution and then press "Select" to save
Most Recent Program	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use the Search button to look up your program 2. In the "Lookup records" pop up screen, use the "Search" box to find your program - You may use the "*" wildcard to search for your program ex. *account will display all programs containing "account" such as "accounting"
Date Attended From	Enter the academic start date (M/D/YYYY)
Date Attended To	Enter the academic end date (M/D/YYYY)
Funded By	Using the drop-down list, select INAC, GRPSEO or Self Funded/Other

Section 3: Living Situation

Marital Status*	Using the drop-down list, select either Single or Married/Common Law
Dependents*	Enter the number of dependents you have. If you do not have any dependents, please enter 0
Residence*	Using the drop-down list, select either On Reserve or Off Reserve

Section 4: Additional Information

Using the text box, please provide any additional information you feel is relevant to your post-secondary education/career plan. Please include information about any health/medical concern/conditions, or specific learning requirements that may be of ongoing concern.

Click [Next](#) to move to the next page.

Step 7: Application Confirmation

On this page you can review your application details. If your information needs to be corrected, please use the [Edit](#) button to return to the previous page and make your changes.

Step 8: Online Consent to Request and Release Information

Please read the text thoroughly about your student agreement online. Then click the “I agree to consent to request and release my information.” checkbox to complete your application and move to the next page.

When you click on the “I AGREE” button, you are signing a contract between yourself and the GRPSEO. Make sure that you have read and understand all the information before clicking the “I AGREE” button. This consent is used to obtain information to determine your eligibility for education assistance and is valid for four months beyond the duration of education assistance applied for.

If you will be attending more than one institution during an academic semester, this Online Consent to Request and Release Information will apply to each post-secondary institution. If you have any questions about this consent, call the office to get clarification.

Click the “Submit” button to complete your application. Read the confirmation message in the Submit pop up and select “Ok” once you are ready to submit your application.

Once your application is submitted, the form will be generated and retained in your file and a copy of the online consent agreement will be issued to you in your Approval package or Non-Approval package from the GRPSEO.

Once your application has been submitted, you may view your application information, but it cannot be changed. If you have any updates to make, please contact our office.

Once you submit your application, you will receive an e-mail confirming that your application has been submitted.

This e-mail confirmation is for your records only. Please do not forward a copy to the office.

Warning – if you do not receive this email confirmation then your application has not been properly submitted

Please use this [link](#) to print the current **Rules and Guidelines** for your review. Application deadline dates and explanations of the priority system and information on other required student documents are included. **All students are strongly advised to read this carefully.**

Make sure to check your email Junk Folder for the confirmation and mark the message as safe for future emails.

Thank you for using our Online Application process.

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER YOU APPLY?

Required Documentation for Education Assistance

After you apply, a Post Secondary Funding Advisor will review your application to determine your priority, and what documents are still needed. The documents required will be posted to your **Portal Account** and you will receive an e-mail notification from your Post Secondary Funding Advisor regarding which **Required Documents** are still needed for the processing of your application.

PLEASE NOTE: Receipt of an e-mail notification for Required Documents **does not** mean your application has been approved. It is notification that your application was received and reviewed and more information is needed as noted on our **Portal Account**.

Please review this list carefully. Failure to submit the items listed on your **Portal Account can delay further processing and/or approval** of your application.

DO NOT wait to send in your documents all at once. Send them in as soon as you have them. Funding is limited and receipt of documentation is critical in getting your application approved before funds run out. Some of the typical documents that may be needed (especially for first time applicants) are, for example:

- Photocopy of Status card (front and back)
- Verification of Permanent Home Address (e.g. driver's license; utility bill)
- Letter of Acceptance/Offer of Admission

Please note that some documentation listed will be required **NO LATER THAN August 1st**. If your application has been approved, failure to submit that documentation by August 1st will result in the cancellation of your application.

Documentation Items

As noted above, you will be asked to provide additional documentation needed for your application via your **Portal Account**. You will only be asked to provide the relevant items needed for your current application. For example, if you are a continuing funded student, you would not be asked for a Letter of Acceptance if you are continuing in the same program as when you first applied. Here is a list of possible documentation which may be requested by your Post Secondary Funding Advisor:

- Application for Education Assistance
- Photocopy of Status Card (front and back)
- Consent to Request and Release Information
- Bank Deposit Information (Account # and Branch #) - void cheque or direct deposit form
- Tuition Fee Statement showing total costs
- Official Secondary School Transcript (all recent high school graduates submit Final transcript)
- Letter of Acceptance/Offer of Admission from the education institution (may be submitted after the application deadline)
- Evidence of Satisfactory Completion of last sponsored course(s)
- Official Transcript (due by August 1st)
- Graduate Education Plan for Level 3 & 4 students
- Verification of Registration (document showing number of courses and credits)
- Progress Report or Letter of Good Standing
- Residence Fee Statement
- Detailed tuition breakdown of all fees: tuition, health, student, program, etc.
- E-mail Address
- Verification of Permanent Home Address
- Letter of Permission (if attending more than one institution)

Please check with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor if you have *any* questions about the required documentation.

All documentation must be complete and accurate. Omissions and errors will result in:

- Delay in processing your application. Keep in mind funding is limited and can run out quickly.
- Education assistance payments being suspended until documentation is received.
- Cancellation of budget if all documents are not in by required dates.

Please refer to your Portal Account for Required Documents and deadline due dates.

The Post Secondary Funding Advisor is responsible for seeing that all policy requirements for education assistance have been satisfied before recommending an application provided that:

- a) you are eligible for assistance,
- b) the program that you wish to study is an eligible program,
- c) you have been admitted to your program choice, and
- d) you have demonstrated commitment to your education plan.

Your Post Secondary Funding Advisor will monitor your file and the receipt of the needed documents. When the documents needed are received to recommend your application for approval, then your application will be forwarded to the Director of Post Secondary Student Services (or the Director's Designate) for approval processing.

If funding is no longer available and/or you did not submit the required documentation to process your application, then your Post Secondary Funding Advisor will recommend to the Director that your application be Not Approved. Any unprocessed applications automatically become dormant at the start of each academic period and are recommended by the Post Secondary Funding Advisors to be Not Approved by the Director.

The Director of Post Secondary Student Services will review your application for approval or non-approval. All applications are considered according to their Residency Category and Priority. All approvals are subject to availability of funds. If your application has been approved, you will be sent an approval package by e-mail containing the approved copy of the Application for Education Assistance showing your approved education assistance budget for the application along with the duration of assistance. Approved assistance is subject to you maintaining your eligibility. You'll also receive a copy of the Tuition sponsorship letter that has been sent to your institution (see Section on [APPROVED APPLICATIONS](#) page 21 regarding tuition sponsorship letters). *Keep these documents for your records.*

If your application is not approved, you will be sent a copy of your application showing that it was Not Approved and a letter from the Director of Post Secondary Student Services or the Director's Designate indicating the reason it was not approved. *Keep these documents for your records.*

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ORIENTATION SESSION

An ***optional*** Orientation Session is available for all approved, first-time funded students and is highly recommended. Contact your assigned Post Secondary Funding Advisor to set up an appointment for an orientation session. The orientation takes approximately half an hour to an hour. You may choose to bring your parent(s) with you to your orientation. For continuing students, it is strongly recommended that you discuss any significant changes to your education plan with your Post Secondary Funding Advisor. The Post Secondary Funding Advisor is under no obligation to recommend an application for approval when no consultation has taken place regarding education goals and your education plan.

WHAT ARE THE RESIDENCY CATEGORIES AND PRIORITY SYSTEM?

Each application is individually reviewed for eligibility then assessed for assignment of a Residency Category and a Priority. All applications for education assistance are considered according to their Residency Category and Priority.

The Residency Categories and Priority System are designed to provide fair and equitable access to **limited** post-secondary assistance funding. The following is an outline of the Residency Categories and the Priority System. For more details contact your Post Secondary Funding Advisor.

Residency Categories (effective April 1, 2015)

Residency 1: A student who maintains permanent residency within a 100 km radius of the core of the Six Nations of the Grand River Territory (1670 Chiefswood Road – the corner of Chiefswood Road and 4th Line Road, Ohsweken, Ontario, Canada).

Residency 2: A student who maintains permanent residency outside of the 100 km radius from the core of the Six Nations of the Grand River Territory (1670 Chiefswood Road – the corner of Chiefswood Road and 4th Line Road, Ohsweken, Ontario, Canada).

Distance is measured in Google maps (<https://www.google.com/maps>) using “as the crow flies” from the corner of 1670 Chiefswood Rd., Ohsweken, Ontario.

Students are required to submit documents to verify Residency along with all other documents required to complete their application for funding.

NOTE: A Post Office Box will not be accepted for permanent home residence. The student must provide the GRPSEO with a physical home address or the application will not be processed.

Residency 1 applications will be processed first.

The current established Priority System will remain in effect under each of the Residency categories:

Priority Categories

<i>Priority 1</i>	Returning/continuing successful students including continuing successful self-funded students
<i>Priority 1b</i>	Continuing successful self-funded students
<i>Priority 2</i>	New high school graduates*
<i>Priority 3</i>	Withdrawals for just cause (emergency cases)
<i>Priority 4(a)</i>	Part time successful students applying for full-time assistance
<i>Priority 4(b)</i>	Out of school for two or more consecutive academic semesters
<i>Priority 5</i>	Previous graduates who change program but are not changing their level of study
<i>Priority 7</i>	Previously unsuccessful students

* New high school graduates who are uncertain of their education plans may elect to register for a one-year work experience option. Interested students should ask their Post Secondary Funding Advisor about this.

COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

Effective November 16, 2021, the Community Service Hours Policy has been eliminated and is no longer a requirement for funding eligibility.

However, in keeping with our heritage, GRPSEO encourages all students to follow the Haudenosaunee values of respect and caring of others by choosing to be a Community Service Volunteer.

Please keep in mind, some scholarship applications require confirmation of Community Service Volunteer hours. For example, to be eligible for the GRPSEO scholarship you are to provide proof of completion of a minimum of 5 hours volunteerism within the past 12 months.

APPROVED APPLICATIONS CONGRATULATIONS!

Once your application is approved this will start a chain of events.

If your approved application includes tuition assistance, then the GRPSEO will issue a **tuition sponsorship** letter to your post-secondary institution stating what is being sponsored. The letter will direct the institution to bill the GRPSEO directly for tuition and mandatory student fees for a specific program or courses. This is why the information as to program, courses and the credit value of courses is so important on your APPLICATION FOR EDUCATION ASSISTANCE.

Please note that some post-secondary institutions do not accept the sponsorship letters but instead issue forms to students who are sponsored by external agencies. These forms become your invoice for payment and must be brought or sent to the GRPSEO as soon as possible so that tuition can be paid once you are approved for assistance. If the tuition is not paid, then you may not be allowed to register.

Direct Deposit of Funds

If you are approved for a monthly education allowance, then the monthly allowance is automatically issued and deposited into your bank account by the first of every month.

Students approved for book assistance will also have this assistance directly deposited into their bank account by the beginning of an academic semester.

It is important to ensure GRPSEO has your accurate banking information on file. If you make changes to your banking information at any time, please notify GRPSEO immediately to prevent any problems with your direct deposits from our office.

If for some reason, there is a problem with your file then education assistance payments including direct deposits for allowance and books will be suspended. This can happen for a number of reasons. If you fail to provide necessary documentation by the required dates or fail to complete your mandatory semester contact, then payments will not be issued on time.

It is important for you to fulfil all your obligations associated with your education assistance to avoid any problems. Note, in particular, the dates when progress reports are due, etc.

Once you are approved for funding you will be sent an Approval Package containing VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION. **PLEASE REVIEW ALL INFORMATION PROVIDED TO YOU.**

Your approval package may indicate that additional documents are still needed. For example: An **Official Transcript** is required by **August 1st** of each year for all students who received funding assistance through the GRPSEO in any of the three prior terms (Summer/Fall/Winter). It must be ordered by the student from their Institution and sent directly to GRPSEO from the Institution. Failure to submit an official transcript by the August 1st deadline date can result in cancellation of an approved Fall or Fall/Winter application. **In addition, if you have just completed high school, your final Secondary School Transcript may be needed no later than August 1st.** Failure to submit any of the August 1st documents that were requested by GRPSEO will result in cancellation of the approved application.

If you choose to do the optional Orientation Session as outlined on **page 19**, please contact your Post Secondary Funding Advisor to schedule a meeting.

Any changes to your approved education plan as shown on your approved application for education assistance will require approval.

Funding is very limited, so it is best to ensure you complete your education plans well ahead of time to avoid disappointment.

IMPORTANT

GRPSEO receives hundreds of applications each year. You do not have to wait until the deadline to apply, you can apply early.

The Post Secondary Funding Advisors generally begin the processing of the Fall or Fall/Winter application intake by approximately mid-March. If you have applied early, you can expect e-mail communication from a Post Secondary Funding Advisor after that point.

Please make sure that you monitor your emails, as your Post Secondary Funding Advisor will be in contact with you through your e-mail address to follow up with you on your application.

Please read all correspondence sent to you from GRPSEO and if you have any questions, contact the office at 519-445-2219.

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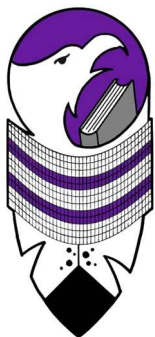
STUDENTS MUST APPLY ONLINE BY SPECIFIED DEADLINE

- Feb 1st Application Deadline for Summer Semester**
Fall Marks/Progress Reports due for all continuing students.
Levels 3 & 4 (Master or PhD students) provide Letter of Good Academic Standing.
Winter course registration/timetable and detailed tuition fees due.
- May 1st Application Deadline for Fall & Fall/Winter Semester(s)**
Winter Marks/Progress Reports due for all continuing students.
Levels 3 & 4 (Master or PhD students) provide Letter of Good Academic Standing.
Summer course registration/timetable and detailed tuition fees due.
- Aug 1st Official Transcripts** are due from students funded for any of the three previous application periods (Summer/Fall/Winter).
For **ALL APPROVED Fall Applications** – Any documentation that was requested by the Funding Advisor to be submitted to GRPSEO **by August 1st** (as outline in the 'Checklist of Required Documentation' form provided to the applicant) and not received by this deadline date will result in CANCELLATION of the approved application and loss of funding.
- Oct 1st Application Deadline for Winter Semester**
Summer Marks/Progress Reports due for all continuing students.
Levels 3 & 4 (Master or PhD students) provide Letter of Good Academic Standing.
Fall course registration/timetable and detailed tuition fees due.

STUDENTS MUST APPLY ONLINE BY SPECIFIED DEADLINE. LATE APPLICATIONS CANNOT BE SUBMITTED AFTER THE DEADLINE.

Important Notice: The GRPSEO office supports our students in their efforts to apply for scholarships and bursaries. We ask that students be aware that there is a **processing time of 2-4 business days** for reference letters from our office. This is at the discretion of your Post Secondary Funding Advisor and you should discuss with them.

If you require copies of any documents from your file, a **\$5 administration fee** may apply. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 519-445-2219.



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