



Paying your fees is a very important part of registering at Sault College. It helps us prepare for your studies before you get here and makes sure the proper resources are available to you once you begin studying. Be sure to arrange for payment as soon as you receive a reminder via email to save your spot in the program of your choice. This is especially important to do in programs that have waitlists.

The Student Financial Assistance Office is available to help you if you are experiencing difficulties in meeting your educational costs. Along with OSAP (Ontario Student Assistance Program), our office handles SBA (Scholarships, Bursaries & Awards), and the Tuition Fee Bursary Program, including Entrance Awards. We also offer a number of other financial aid services, budget counselling for groups or individuals, high school OSAP workshops, classroom presentations, and seminars on debt repayment.

The Student Financial Assistance Office also supports Campus Work Study, Student Exceptional Expense Bursaries, Part time Canada Student Loans, Learn and Stay Grant, and more.

For more information, please visit us on-line at www.saultcollege.ca.

ONTARIO STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (OSAP)

If you are applying for College, you may wish to apply for OSAP. On-line OSAP applications are available at www.ontario.ca/osap. To make sure your funding is in for the fall, we recommend that you submit your application, and upload the required supporting documentation by June 10th. (Applications must be entered and supporting documentation including "Consents, Declarations and Signature" pages must be sent to the Student Financial Assistance Office at the College by June 30th).

The amount of OSAP you receive is based on your financial need and in some cases, your parents' or spouse's income. Please keep in mind that each case is assessed on an individual basis.

Application processing normally takes 6 to 8 weeks. All information provided with an OSAP application is subject to verification and audit by the Ministry of Colleges and Universities.

If you are a registered full-time student with us who has applied for OSAP, and have provided all required documentation, your funds will automatically be deposited into your bank account between three and seven days after your classes start in the fall.

SAULT COLLEGE ENTRANCE AWARDS

As a first year student, you are strongly encouraged to apply for a Sault College Entrance Award please see details posted on your Sault College Student Portal. The value of this award is \$500. An online application is available between the first of February and mid-May at my.saultcollege.ca.

SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

As a full-time student attending Sault College, you may apply for a variety of excellent scholarships, awards, medals, and bursaries we offer. Our College gives out over \$2 million dollars in funding each year to our students. Scholarships are normally awarded on the basis of academic achievement. Students applying for scholarships will need to maintain at least a 3.0 accumulated GPA. Bursaries are awarded primarily on the basis of financial need. Awards are usually awarded on the basis of both financial need and academic performance. All scholarships and awards are intended to encourage a high standard of academic achievement. An online application is available between October 1st and mid-November on the student portal at my.saultcollege.ca. The Student Financial Assistance Office has student computers for you to use and are willing to offer the necessary supports to help you with your application.

Please visit us office in Room M1200, email us at Student.Financial.Assistance@saultcollege.ca; or call us at 705-759-2554 ext: 2704.