

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT VIEWBOOK

87.8% of our graduates find work within six months

6,200 employers partner with us to offer students work and learning opportunities

6 degree programs

125+ full-time programs across a wide variety of fields and disciplines

540+

articulation and transfer agreements from Georgian into further education programs



> ENJOY THE LIFESTYLE OF BARRIE AND REGION

The City of Barrie, located on the shores of Lake Simcoe, is surrounded by rich natural scenery, including sandy beaches, scenic hills and ecological parks. The Barrie area is one of the most popular tourist destinations in the province of Ontario.

Within an hour's driving distance of Toronto, and with a considerably lower cost of living, Barrie is the perfect place for international students to experience cultural immersion and to find opportunities for professional career development in a friendly Canadian community.

The Barrie area is Toronto's playground, where getaway weekends and great shopping are just the beginning. It offers everything the big city has but in a smaller, greener, safer, and more peaceful environment.

Barrie is one of seven Georgian College campus locations – others are located in Midland, Muskoka (Bracebridge), Orangeville, Orillia, Owen Sound and South Georgian Bay (Collingwood). Every Georgian College campus offers an educational experience in a uniquely Canadian setting.

The second I came to school I got involved with GCSA, which is the Georgian College Students' Association and I've had a blast. You can either come to school and study or come to school, study and get involved. Working with GCSA has been one of the most awesome experiences I've had since I came here. I've met so many people and made so many new amazing friends! I honestly believe that one of the best choices I've made in my life so far has been coming to Canada and choosing Georgian College. Its education and environment is great. And leaving my country looking for a better education and a brighter future requires guts but it's a worthwhile experience.

Andrea Gomez, El Salvador Advertising and Marketing Communications student





SCORED ABOVE ONTARIO COLLEGE AVERAGE IN ALMOST ALL CATEGORIES OF THE MOST RECENT KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (KPI):

- Graduate employment rate of 87.8 per cent at Georgian College
- Graduate satisfaction rate of 80.5 per cent at Georgian College vs. 80.3 per cent average for all other colleges in Ontario

AND THAT'S NOT ALL:

- 11,000 full-time students; more than 1,066 international students from over 60 countries
- Approximately 540 articulation and transfer agreements with institutions around the world
- Named one of Canada's Top 100 Employers seven times
- Named one of Canada's Greenest Employers five times
- Received highest possible marks in provincial Program Quality Assurance Process Audit (2010)
- Barrie is Canada's safest city, according to Statistics Canada's national Crime Severity Index



HOMESTAY

The Georgian College International Homestay program provides exciting opportunities. Students can experience a Canadian lifestyle and establish relationships within the community. Our Homestay program provides safe, caring and interactive hosts with whom international students can improve their language skills and cultural awareness.

Homestay hosts provide necessary household items, including a furnished bedroom for the student. Most homes are located close to public transport or within walking distance of the campus.

>ACCOMMODATION

FULL HOMESTAY

The host provides a variety of nutritional, well-balanced meals (breakfast, lunch and dinner) every day – including weekends.

SHARED HOMESTAY

The student shares the kitchen with the Homestay host. The student buys, prepares and cleans up after his or her own meals. The Homestay host helps the student become familiar with the kitchen, explaining use of equipment as well as where to find grocery stores and cooking supplies.

PRIVATELY RUN ON-CAMPUS RESIDENCES

Our residences are managed by Campus Living Centres and offer everything you need to make your college experience fun and safe. Each one is different, but they all include private bedrooms with double beds, shared kitchens and bathrooms, as well as high-speed internet or Wi-Fi. Privately run oncampus residences are available at the Barrie, Orillia and Owen Sound campuses.

OFF-CAMPUS RESIDENCES (RENTALS)

Apartments are situated within five minutes walking distance of Georgian College. These four-storey residential buildings house 257 students and have been specifically designed to meet the needs of students attending Georgian College.

As an IT student in my home country of India, my goal was to improve my skills and start a career in the IT field. During my time at Georgian I completed my internship as a technical support person where I excelled in providing exemplary customer service, troubleshooting network devices, team-working skills that allowed me to be able to work with different teams at Transcom Worldwide. I ended up graduating from the program with honours in 2015. Georgian College has given me the benchmark to improve the skills I need for future employment and being involved at the college has made me feel empowered and confident.

Lalith Kumar, India Business graduate



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> ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES

Cultural immersion in a higher education environment is a great way to improve your English language skills. The English for Academic Purposes (EAP) program at the Barrie Campus provides the necessary skills for students to succeed in postsecondary education, work and life in Canada. Georgian's eight-level program, accredited by Languages Canada, is available to international and domestic students alike.

Each level consists of seven weeks of classroom instruction. Our courses are designed to improve speaking, reading, writing, vocabulary and grammar skills, and include computer-assisted language learning skills. Students in Level 7 and 8 can take a college credit course. Students who pass Level 8 gain direct entry into postsecondary programs.

> HOW GEORGIAN COLLEGE'S ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES LEVELS WORK

Start dates: we offer six starting dates annually at the beginning of January, March, May, July, September and November.

*This chart uses estimated levels only. Your exact level is determined by your placement test on arrival. *Admission to certain program levels requires minimun score bands (IELTS, TOEFL). Please ask reprentatives for details.

English language levels	European framework	Georgian levels	IELTS	TOEFL iBT	Cambridge	TOEIC
	C1	Completion level 8	6.0+	79+	CAE	900+
Advanced	B2+	8	5.5+	62+	-	725-799
Upper intermediate	B2	7	5.5	50-61	FCE	650-724
High intermediate	B2-	6	5.0	40-49	-	575-649
Intermediate	B1+	5	5.0	31-39	-	500-574
Low intermediate	B1	4	4.5	26-30	-	400-499
Pre intermediate	B1-	3	3.5	19-25	-	300-399
Elementary	A2	2	3.0	10-18	-	200-299
Beginner	A1	1	2.5	0-9	-	0-199

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Full use of centre and

THE BENEFITS OF STUDYING AT GEORGIAN:

- Specific start dates and groups do not rotate
- 21 hours of classes per week
- International groups
- More than 25 different student nationalities
- Small number of students per classroom
- Highly qualified teachers native English speakers
- Library and multimedia labs
- Social and cultural field trips
- Speaking, reading and writing clubs with Canadian students
- Full use of all college facilities: cafeteria, library, gymnasium, fitness
- centre and much more







> WORK OPPORTUNITIES YES! INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS CAN LEGALLY WORK IN CANADA

International students with a valid study permit enrolled in a co-op or internship program must apply for a work permit to be able to legally work off-campus during their terms. Since each work term may involve a different employer, the work permit will have conditions stating that Georgian College is the employer. Georgian decides where the student can legally work for the co-op or internship placement. This permit only allows students to work off-campus in positions related to their work term requirements. Students must have the co-op work permit before they can begin work. Students with a study permit for a program that leads to a degree, diploma or certificate, that is at least six months in duration will be allowed to work up to 20 hours per week.





>OUTSTANDING FACILITIES AT THE BARRIE CAMPUS

Students love to use the huge library and laboratories with computers. All buildings have Wi-Fi.

Enjoy interactive whiteboards and multimedia technology inside many of our classrooms.

Work out in a fully equipped fitness centre with the latest elliptical machines, a running track, and a gymnasium for basketball, soccer, volleyball and other sports.

You'll also find an art gallery, a library, a massage therapy clinic, an oral health clinic, a nurse practitioner-led clinic, a speech/hearing/language clinic, an optical clinic and store, a spa and esthetics clinic, conference centre, a bookstore, and more!

For dining, you can choose from the cafeteria, The Last Class restaurant and bar with dancing and special events, The First Class Café for breakfast and lunch, two Tim Hortons, Pizza Pizza, Subway, The Georgian Dining Room (a fine dining restaurant run by students) and a lunch service co-ordinated by hospitality students.

TAKE A VIRTUAL TOUR OF OUR BARRIE CAMPUS GeorgianCollege.ca

>THE GEORGIAN COLLEGE ADVANTAGE GAIN PAID WORK EXPERIENCE IN YOUR PROFESSIONAL FIELD DURING YOUR STUDY

For example, a two-year diploma program might look like this:



Most co-ops are full-time and paid; you can earn between \$6,000 and \$8,000 in each co-op semester.

Our international co-op team will assist in helping you develop your resumé and improving your interview skills for your job search.

In addition to opportunities for work during your studies, qualifying students holding a diploma from a program of two years or more can remain in Canada on a work permit for up to three years.

DOUBLE YOUR CREDENTIALS WITH A DIPLOMA AND A DEGREE!

Georgian College has more than 540 agreements with institutions in Ontario, Canada and around the world.



Currently I am enrolled in Georgian's Pre-Health Sciences program and I am going to start studying in the Occupational Therapist Assistant and Physiotherapist Assistant program in September. Georgian has great services that I recommend to others. The International Centre is very helpful when needing anything. Georgian also has a great mental health support for students. There are many counsellors who are ready to talk with students about anything.

The teachers have been great in my program. When I did not understand during a lecture, the professor stayed in the class and helped me until I was able to understand the concept. In addition, booking for academic help is always available with faculty whenever a student needs it.

Ryeohyun Gong, Korea Pre-Health Sciences student



START YOUR DEGREE AT GEORGIAN

for example: Two YEARS Business diploma A at Georgian College +Two years Bachelor Degree

at University of Ontario Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Commerce — Business Administration

(Example only. Check with Credit Transfer Centre to confirm details)

> FULL-TIME PROGRAMS

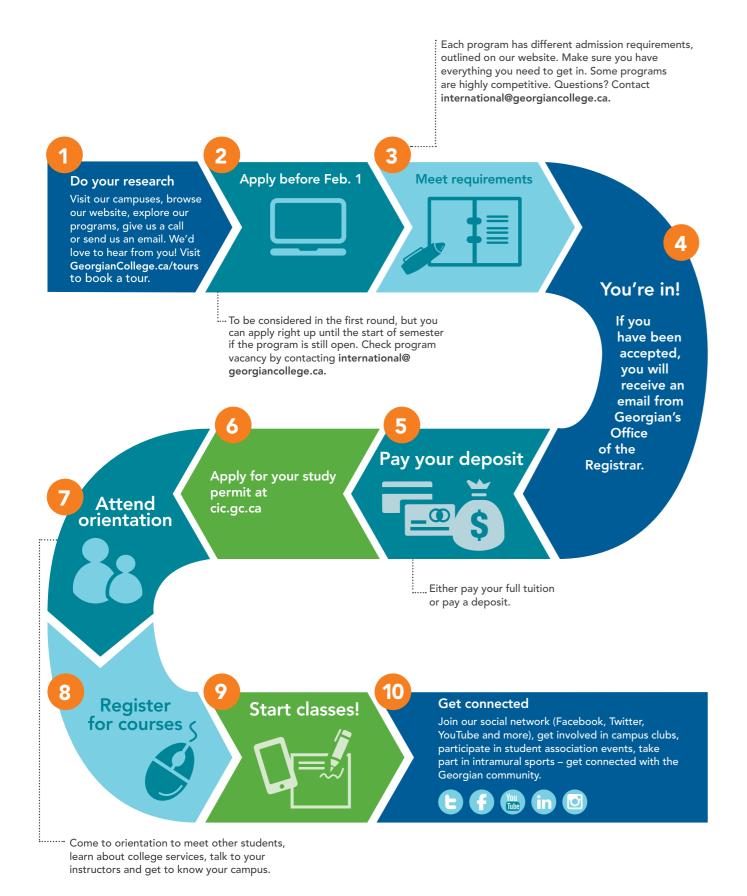
This list does not include all of Georgian's offerings, and program information is only current as of the time of printing. For the most up-to-date program information please visit GeorgianCollege.ca or contact the Office of the Registrar. Credentials: CE – certificate; DI – diploma; DE – degree; GC – graduate certificate

	Program name	Work type	Start	Years	Credential	Campus
H	Advertising and Marketing Communications	Field placement	Sept.	2	DI	BA,OR
.Z	Automotive Business	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
E	Aviation Management	Со-ор	Sept.	3	DI	BA
AG	Business	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA,OS
AN	Business Fundamentals		Sept.	1	CE	OS
Σ	Business — Accounting		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
N N	Business — Accounting	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
S A	Business Administration — Accounting	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
Ä	Business Administration	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT	Business Administration — Human Resources	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
	Business Entrepreneurship		Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Business — Marketing	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Business — Marketing		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
	Law Clerk		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA,OS
	Office Administration — Executive	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA,OS
	Office Administration — Executive		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA,OS
	Office Administration — General		Sept./Jan.	1	CE	BA,OS
	Office Administration — Health Sciences		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
COMMUNITY SAFETY	Community and Justice Services	Field placement	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	OR
	Police Foundations		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	OR,OS
	Protection, Security and Investigation	Field placement	Sept./Jan	2	DI	OR
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TER ES	Computer Programmer	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
	Computer Programmer Analyst	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
ompute studies	Computer Systems Technician — Networking	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
COMPUTER STUDIES	Interactive Web Design and Development	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
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<u>ک</u> لا	Art and Design Fundamentals		Sept./Jan	8 months	CE	BA
SUAL ARTS	Digital Photography and Imaging		Sept.	2	DI	BA
S i	Fine Arts		Sept.	2	DI	BA
Z	Fine Arts — Advanced		Sept.	3	DI	BA
∢ Z	Graphic Design		Sept.	3	DI	BA
DESIGN AND VISUAL ARTS	Graphic Design Production		Sept.	2	DI	BA
Ĕ	Interior Decorating	Field placement	Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Jewellery and Metals		Sept.	2	DI	BA
ы С – Г С	Architectural Technician	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
A A B	Architectural Technology	Со-ор	Sept.	3	DI	BA
S E S	Civil Engineering Technician — Construction	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Civil Engineering Technology	Со-ор	Sept.	3	DI	BA
ENGINEERING AND ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES	Electrical Engineering Technician	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
	Electrical Engineering Technology	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
	Environmental Technician	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Environmental Technology	Со-ор	Sept.	3	DI	BA
	Mechanical Engineering Technology	Со-ор	Sept.	3	DI	BA
	Mechanical Technician — Precision Skills	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
	Power Engineering Technology	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	OS

* co-op is mostly a paid work term, internship and field placement are mostly unpaid

E	Acupuncture	Internship	Sept. Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
HEALTH, WELNESS AND SCIENCES	Dental Assisting (Levels I and II) Dental Hygiene		Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
U.S.	Denturism		Jan.	3	DI	BA
<u> </u>	Esthetician		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
AN	Massage Therapy		Sept.	3	DI	BA
SS	Massage Therapy — Fast Track		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
Ë	Occupational Therapist Assistant — Physiotherapist Assistant		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
N	Opticianry	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
Ť	Personal Support Worker		Sept./Jan.	1	CE	BA,OS
ALT	Pharmacy Technician		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
Ĥ	Practical Nursing	Field placement	Sept./Jan.	2.5	DI	BA
	Pre-Health Sciences		Sept./Jan.	1	CE	BA,OS
	Veterinary Technician		Sept.	2	DI	OR
	Veterinary Assistant		Jan.	1	CE	OR
	Culinary Management (Co-op)	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA,OS
No No	Fitness and Health Promotion		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
AT	Golf Facilities Operation Management	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
5 H	Hospitality Administration/Hotel and Resort	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	BA
ĭ₩	Hospitality — Hotel and Resort Operations Management	Со-ор	Sept./Jan./May	2	DI	BA
HOSPITALITY, TOURISM AND RECREATION	Recreation and Leisure Services	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
AN AN	Snow Resort Operations	Со-ор	Sept.	2	DI	BA
SO	Sport Administration		Sept.	2	DI	BA
T	Tourism — Marketing and Product Development	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
HUMAN SERVICES	Community Development and Social Innovation	Field placement	Sept.	2	DI	OS
	Child and Youth Care	Field placement	Sept./Jan.	3	DI	
	Development Services Worker	Field placement	Sept.	2	DI	OR
тß	Early Childhood Education	Field placement	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	OR,OS
	Social Service Worker	Field placement	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	OR
ΝĻ	General Arts and Science		Sept./Jan.	1	CE	BA
ERAL ARTS	General Arts and Science		Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
LIBERAL ARTS	General Arts and Science — English for Academic Purposes		Sept./Jan./May	1	CE	BA
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ΔŅ	Carpentry Techniques		Sept.	8 months	CE	BA,OS
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IR SKII	Hairstyling	Со-ор	Sept./Jan.	2	DI	BA
	Heating, Refrigeration, and Air Conditioning Techniques	Со-ор	Sept./*Jan	2	DI	BA,*OS
щ	Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Georgian College/York University)	Clinical placement	Sept./Jan.	4	DE	BA,OS
DEGREE	Honours Bachelor of BA (Management and Leadership)		Sept.	4	DE	BA
	Honours Bachelor of BA (Automotive Management)	Со-ор	Sept.	4	DE	BA
	Honours Bachelor of BA (Golf Management)	Со-ор	Sept.	4	DE	BA
	Honours Bachelor of Police Studies	Со-ор	Sept.	4	DE	OR
	Honours Bachelor of Interior Design	Со-ор	Sept.	4	DE	BA
	Addictions: Treatment and Prevention	Internship	Sept.	1	GC	OR
I I	Big Data Analytics	internship	Sept.	1	GC	BA
	Digital Video		Sept./May	1	GC	BA
1 <u>C</u>			Sept./Way	1	GC	BA
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CERTIFIC	Event Management		Sept.	1	GC	BA
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UATE CERTIFICA	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing	Industry placement Internship	Sept.			
ADUATE CERTIFICA	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management		Sept. Sept./Jan.	1	GC	BA
GRADUATE CERTIFICATE	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management Information Systems Security	Internship	Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept.	1	GC GC	BA BA
GRADUATE CERTIFICA	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management Information Systems Security International Business Management Kitchen and Bath Design	Internship Internship	Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept. Sept./Jan.	1 1 1	GC GC GC	BA BA BA
GRADUATE CERTIFICA	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management Information Systems Security International Business Management Kitchen and Bath Design Marine Engineering Management	Internship Internship Field placement	Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept. Jan.	1 1 1 1	GC GC GC GC	BA BA BA BA
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GRADUATE CERTIFIC/	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management Information Systems Security International Business Management Kitchen and Bath Design Marine Engineering Management	Internship Internship Field placement Clinical placement	Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept./Jan. Sept. Jan. Sept.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1	GC GC GC GC GC GC	BA BA BA BA OS BA
GRADUATE CERTIFIC/	Event Management Goldsmithing and Silversmithing Human Resources Management Information Systems Security International Business Management Kitchen and Bath Design Marine Engineering Management Medical Skin Care Therapies Museum and Gallery Studies	Internship Internship Field placement Clinical placement Internship	Sept. Sept./Jan. Sept./Jan. Sept. Jan. Sept. Sept.	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	GC GC GC GC GC GC GC	BA BA BA BA OS BA BA

> BECOMING A GEORGIAN STUDENT



> APPLY TODAY **ADMISSION PROCESS:**

1. APPLY

Apply, using our online application or complete the international student application (PDF) available at GeorgianCollege.ca.

- Applicants are urged to apply as early as possible to ensure there is sufficient time to obtain a student permit.
- Application deadlines: May 1 for September start, Oct. 1 for January start and March 1 for May start. After these dates, it's first come, first served. For highly competitive programs the equal consideration date is Feb. 1 for all intakes. Applications are accepted all year round if space is available.
- Please ensure that you include the \$100 CAD processing fee with your application. We are unable to process applications that do not include the processing fee.
- If it's over one year ago that you have applied to Georgian, you must complete a new application form and pay the \$100 processing fee. You do not need to submit academic documents. We will request additional documents, if required.

2. DOCUMENTATION

- Original or certified copies of English language test scores, academic records and any other translated documentation may be scanned and sent by email along with your application. High-resolution scans are required. Original or certified paper copies are not required unless requested as part of the admissions process.
- Students need to show proof of graduation, subjects taken and grades received.
- Students who are not graduating until later in the year should send current transcripts along with mid-term grades.

3. ACCEPTANCE

• Once we reach an admissions decision, you or your representative will receive an email with a letter of acceptance or a notice of refusal. Please note that all letters of acceptance are emailed with a PDF copy of the letter of acceptance. Students who receive a conditional acceptance are responsible for submitting the required documentation for a final acceptance to the program.

4. DEPOSIT

• Tuition fees for the first semester are due by June 15 for September start dates and Oct. 15 for January start dates to guarantee your place in the program.

5. STUDY PERMIT/VISA

• Once you have an acceptance letter and tuition receipt, you may apply for a student permit/student visa from the Canadian Embassy or consulate. Note: The application process could take between four to six months. Please notify us at reginternational@georgiancollege. ca as soon as you receive your study permit/student visa. Georgian College's designation learning institution number is CIC DLI# O19395677361.

6. NEXT STEP

• Visit GeorgianCollege.ca international/student-services to review housing, airport pickup and orientation information.

>ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA AND **DEGREE PROGRAMS, WE REQUIRE:**

- Secondary or high school transcripts with proof of graduation, subjects taken and grades received
- English and (for most programs) math at the Grade 12 level

FOR GRADUATE CERTIFICATE **PROGRAMS, WE REQUIRE:**

• College or university transcripts with proof of graduation, subjects taken and grades received

FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE **PROFICIENCY, WE REQUIRE:**

- Must have completed three full years of study at the secondary school level in English in a country where English is a primary language (four years are required for BScN and Pharmacy Technician programs)
- Must have completed one full year of study in an accredited postsecondary program in English in a country where English is a primary language (not applicable to Pharmacy Technician program)
- Completion of level 8 (last 7 weeks) of Georgian's General Arts and Science – English for Academic Purposes program with a GPA of 70 per cent or higher for admission to Georgian's diploma and certificate programs; a GPA of 75 per cent or higher for admission into Georgian's degree programs; a GPA of 80 per cent or higher for admission into Georgian's graduate certificate programs (not applicable to BScN or Pharmacy Technician)
- Ontario Secondary School Diploma and English credit (Grade 12 U, M or C) issued by a public school board
- Applicants who do not meet any of the above criteria will be required to submit an acceptable English language proficiency test with the appropriate score (see Georgian International website for a list of acceptable language tests)



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Georgian College of Applied Arts and Technology was established and is funded by the province of Ontario through the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development. The course listings and academic programs described in this publication represent college- approved requirements and electives for completion of diploma and certificate requirements. Georgian College has used its best efforts to ensure that the information herein is accurate at the time of publication recognizing that any such information is subject to ongoing review and change.

The college reserves the right to limit access to courses or programs, change or cancel programs, courses, timetables and campus locations at its own discretion. In such circumstances, the college undertakes, to the best of its ability, to enable students registered in affected programs to complete their diploma/certificate requirements in a satisfactory manner. Prospective students or new registrants are advised to consult the most current information available from the college before making registration decisions or course/program choices.

In the case of articulation and transfer agreements, applicants must check directly with articulating/transfer institutions for the most up-to-date information before applying to Georgian programs.