

Welcome to Trent University! As you begin preparing to attend Trent, you may be wondering about your next steps. Here are some things for you to start thinking about:

Your official Trent University email account can be claimed at www.trentu.ca/mytrent. Trent University will only contact you through your Trent e-mail account for communication once you accept your offer at Trent. Please update your contacts and filters to allow for emails from addresses and start using your Trent email to get connected!

1. Create your Trent Account:

Go to www.trentu.ca/mytrent if you have not done so already, create your MyTrent account in order to get the most up-to-date student news and access your records. You can change your password once you have logged in with your initial password under the "MyProfile" tab. If you have already created this account, you will now be able to see more information about your student records.

If you need to request a **Verification of Enrolment Letter** please go to:
http://www.trentu.ca/admin/mytrent/forms/verification_of_enrolment.html

2. Make sure you know the important deadlines for TUITION fees!

- Full tuition is due on or before December 16th, 2011 for January Start students.
- Visit www.trentu.ca/financialservices for information about your tuition deposit, fee deadlines, and tuition amounts.
- You can also view your statement of account and your fee calculator on your MyTrent portal (www.trentu.ca/mytrent) by clicking on the "MyAcademicRecords" tab.

(NOTE: Make sure you are using a web browser that supports MyTrent. FireFox is a browser that is compatible with MyTrent pages. Download FireFox for free at <http://www.mozilla.com/en-US/firefox/fx/>)

3. Arrange Housing

- Apply for residence at www.trentu.ca/housing
**\$30 application fee applies.*
- Do you have a question about living in residence? Visit our Frequently Asked Questions page for answers! At www.trentu.ca/housing

If you are not interested in living on campus in residence, check out the Off-Campus Housing website for listing at www.trentu.ca/housing

If you are an Oshawa student, check out http://www.trentu.ca/oshawa/studentlife_services.php#g for information about housing in Oshawa.

4. If you are looking for Financial Aid:

- Apply for OSAP - <https://osap.gov.on.ca>
 - make sure you book an appointment online once you have filled out the application form.

- View bursaries and scholarships at www.trentu.ca/financialaid

5. Join Facebook!

Join the Trent U Future Students Facebook group, found at <https://www.facebook.com/TrentUFutureStudents>, to meet other incoming students and ask questions about courses, activities and things you want to know.

6. Call the New Student Orientation Team to help you make a smooth transition to Trent!

- Call the Office of Student Affairs at **(705) 748-1011 ext 7888** if you have any questions
- Visit www.trentu.ca/nso to learn how to register for courses.
- You can book an appointment to meet with us as well.
- Pick up your student photo I.D. card and bus pass when you visit Blackburn Hall building at the **Campus Card Office**
- Check out the online New Student Guide at www.trentu.ca/newstudentguide
- Check out the videos of first year courses at <http://trentu.ca/coursevideos/>

7. Start thinking about the courses you would like to take

Use these two helpful tools:

(1) Academic Calendar at www.trentu.ca/calendar

- includes the university diary which has all the important dates and deadlines
- includes your program requirements, contact information, and course descriptions (with its prerequisites).

(2) Academic Timetable at www.trentu.ca/timetable

- this centralized online timetable will tell you if your course is offered and if it is a full year or a half year course.
- Those with a **"Y"** are full-year courses and they are equivalent to 1 credit.
- Those with an **"H"** are half-year courses and they are equivalent to 0.5 credit.
- Courses with an **"FA"** are offered in the Fall (Sept-Dec) and course with a **"WI"** are offered in the Winter term (Jan-Apr).
- the timetable will also tell you when your classes are occurring and where they will be located. Keep checking the timetable for any new updates and locations of your classes!

>>Learn how to register for courses using our "How to Videos" located at www.trentu.ca/nso <<

8. Want to book an appointment with an Academic Advisor by phone or in person?

Visit www.trentu.ca/advising or call these numbers to make an appointment:

Peterborough students call (705) 748-1011 and then the extension of choice:

Otonabee College Advisor Officeext 7742

Gzowski College Advisor Officeext 7333

Lady Eaton College Advisor Officeext 7322

Champlain College Advisor Officeext 7136

Oshawa Studentscall (905) 435-5100

9. Interested in Athletics, joining a varsity team, intramural sports or visiting the facility?

Visit www.trentu.ca/athletics and check out the facility!

10. Want to get involved?

Learn more about student government and various clubs and groups available at Trent!

www.trentcentral.ca (Student Government website)

<http://trentcentral.ca/groups.php> (clubs and groups on campus)

www.trentu.ca/impact (service learning and leadership opportunities)

11. Interested in Disability Services or learning more about their services?

Visit www.trentu.ca/dso or www.trentu.ca/disabilityservices

12. Thinking about transportation?

Learn about Peterborough Transit, Go Transit, and Greyhound Bus Services at

www.trentu.ca/studentaffairs/transportation.php

Bringing a car? Visit www.trentu.ca/parking to learn more about parking on campus.

13. Book a campus tour

Sign up for a tour at www.trentu.ca/tours to view the campus and meet upper year students!

OR take a virtual tour of Trent University at www.trentu.ca/takeatour

14. Learn about the other services offered at Trent

- Counselling Services at www.trentu.ca/counselling
- Academic Skills Service at www.trentu.ca/academicskills
- Career Centre at www.trentu.ca/careers
- Health Services www.trentu.ca/healthservices
- Physiotherapy at <http://leadtheway.ca/clinics/trenthealthinmotion/>
- Walkhome Service at www.trentu.ca/walkhome
- Emergency First Response Team
<http://www.trentu.ca/stuorg/tuefrt/TUEFRT/Home.html>
- Security at <http://trentu.ca/security/overview.php>
- Health Benefits Plan at www.trentcentral.ca

15. Looking to find a job on or off-campus?

Check out the JobBoard tab located in your MyTrent portal (www.trentu.ca/mytrent)

16. Learn more about the City of Peterborough or the City of Oshawa

Make sure you get a chance to explore the city that you're going to live in! The City of Peterborough website can be found at www.peterborough.ca , and the City of Oshawa website at <http://www.oshawa.ca/> . Or, contact the New Student Orientation Team if you have questions about the different things to do and see while you're visiting Trent. Call us at **(705) 748-1011 x7888 (Peterborough) or (905) 435 5100 x5105 (Oshawa)**.