

DIRECTIONS

WELCOME

It has been very busy on campus this past summer and many changes have taken place to accommodate York's growing student enrolment. York is now Ontario's second largest university, and Canada's third largest. During the summer both the York and Glendon campuses have added more class and seminar rooms, as well as computer facilities, and additional faculty offices. On the York campus you will find the Temporary Office Building (TOB) has had its name changed to East Office Building and between it and the Tait McKenzie Building the new West Office Building is now being completed.

In the Ross Building, Curtis and Central Square Complex, you will find the newly established Office of Student Affairs. Our Office will be publishing this page called "Directions" in EXCALIBUR on a regular basis. We hope to keep you in touch with all the changes taking place, remind you of important upcoming events, and just generally provide you with helpful information to make your years at York more rewarding. The Office of Student Affairs will also be working closely with the Colleges, CYSF, Faculties, and the various counselling and service areas on campus to assist you in meeting your own goals for a good University experience. Together, we hope to help you become an active member of the York Community.

We encourage you to take part in campus life. Take the time to get to know your College better! The College Masters and Student Governments have worked hard to produce a good orientation program for you. Get involved! Find out more about the social and entertainment events, the intramural sports programs and various clubs housed in the Colleges. It could make the difference between a good and a great year!

Please feel free to call on the Office of Student Affairs if we can help you.

Sincerely,
Cora Dusk
Director of Student Affairs

OFF-CAMPUS HOUSING

The Office of Student Affairs maintains Off-Campus Housing Listings on display boards in the corridor between Curtis Lecture Halls "C" and "D" and the Central Square Cafeteria. During the month of August and part of September, a staff member is always available at the display boards from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (Monday to Friday) to assist with additional information, directions, or new listings.

PART TIME JOBS

Looking for part time work on campus while you are a student? The University is in the midst of launching a special WORK/STUDY PROGRAM to assist students in meeting the costs of their education. To find out if you are eligible for these positions, visit the Financial Aid Office and complete an application as soon as possible.

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WELCOME WEEKS

SEPTEMBER 4-14

Do you remember your arrival on campus?

There you were in an unknown environment that seemed strange and impersonal. You may have been lost frequently and maybe even lonely. With your help we can change that experience for new students, staff, and faculty. We can provide a warm welcome and help with the initial adjustments to campus life.

HELP US TO CUT THE RED TAPE!

It's Easy

- Come to a 90 minute seminar for training.
- Give directions to the new members of our community.
- Offer a welcoming smile.
- Wear a red armband and help cut the red tape.

We need your help:

- Upper Year Students
- Staff Members
- Faculty and Graduate Students

If you want to volunteer:

- Call the Office of Student Affairs 667-2226
- Or visit us in Room 124 Central Square

INFO YORK

Need directions, general information, TTC schedules and maps, help in locating various clubs or student services? Do you want more information about intramural sports, Colleges, off-campus housing, or adding and dropping courses? We've got some answers. If we don't know, we will find the proper information for you or refer you to some one on campus who knows.

Our Info Desk is open from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday to Thursday and 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Fridays in the Office of Student Affairs, Room 124 Central Square. You can phone us at 667-2226 to get information as well. We're currently establishing a small library of information to help you take advantage of all that is available at York. Drop by to see us. Both regular staff and Student Ambassadors will be there to talk with you.

WE'RE MOVING!

Many University offices are in the midst of moves which should be completed by the first week of classes. Here's a list of where they are going:

West Office Building:

Admissions, Liaison, and Undergraduate Transcripts
Alumni Affairs and Convocation Office
Community Relations Office
Department of Communications
Department of Development
Office of the Registrar
York Enquiry Service

East Office Building:

Financial Aid Office
Housing and Food Services
Lost and Found
Parking Office
Personnel Services
Safety and Security
Student Accounts Office

Central Square:

Office of Student Affairs (Room 124)
Sexual Harassment Education and Complaint Centre (Room 140A)

STUDENT LOCKERS

Students may apply for lockers in their own College through the Master's Office. Lockers in the Curtis Lecture Halls are available to Handicapped Students and a limited number of other undergraduate commuter students on a first come, first served basis on Monday, September 10, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

FOREIGN STUDENT ADVISER

The Foreign Student Adviser, Brenda Hanning, provides assistance to foreign students on a wide range of academic and non-academic concerns within the University and in the surrounding community. Areas where help is given include housing, health insurance, financial matters and personal difficulties, and the interpretation of immigration regulations. The office is a place where new students are welcomed and where they can find answers to questions about living in a new country. An ORIENTATION PROGRAM for incoming students is scheduled for: Friday, September 7, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. in the Senior Common Room of Winters College.

The Office also provides information on opportunities for work and study abroad, for Canadian students wishing to spend a summer or an extramural year in another country.