

Semester 1, 2016 SWAC Locations:

- George Brown College, St. James Campus
- Humber College, North Campus
- Seneca College, Newnham Campus

Program Overview

SWAC is a partnership between the Toronto District School Board and Centennial College, George Brown College (GBC), Humber College and Seneca College. It offers students in grades 12 or 12+ the opportunity to earn secondary school credits and two college-delivered Dual Credits on a college campus.

The primary focus of the <u>SWAC program</u> is to support students who are <u>disengaged and underachieving</u> and require an adult learning environment in order to complete their OSSD. The SWAC model of delivery allows students to attend classes on the college campus five mornings a week and return to their OSR school in the afternoon to complete required credits. Students begin the transition process to post-secondary college by taking two college-delivered Dual Credits which count towards both their OSSD and college transcript.

Selection Criteria

- Must be between the ages of 17-20
- Should have completed at least 22 credits
- Completed OSSLT or attempted OSSLC
- Attempted ENG3C/ENG4C and were unsuccessful (Credit Recovery). Only ENG3C/4C will be recovered in SWAC
- Require a senior MATH credit to support application to post-secondary college/apprenticeship
- In a graduating position by June 2017
- Demonstrates evidence of independent learning skills
- Preparing for transition to post-secondary college/apprenticeship

NEW! Model of Delivery: Student Timetable

SWAC participants remain registered as full-time students at their OSR schools.

Time	Location	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	GBC	ENG Credit Recovery	Dual Credit A	MATH	Dual Credit B	GLS/GLE40R	
AM	Humber	MATH	Dual Credit A	GLS/GLE40R	Dual Credit B	ENG Credit Recovery	
	Seneca	GLS/GLE40R	Dual Credit A	ENG Credit Recovery	Dual Credit B	MATH	
LUNCH							
PM	OSR SCHOOL	2 Credit Co-op or alternative programming to support graduation (Monitored and Tracked by the OSR School's Student Success Team)					

SWAC Opportunities

- FREE! TTC Metropass for all participating students
- FREE! Breakfast nutrition program on each campus
- FREE! Tuition, supplies, textbooks, excursions and college student ID card
- Access to college services, including: libraries, tutoring, counseling and accessibility services with your college student ID card



For More Information Please Contact: <u>Laura Reynolds</u>, Coordinator: Student Success/Learning to 18, <u>laura.reynolds3@tdsb.on.ca</u>



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NEW! How to Register Students for Semester One

- To submit an application on behalf of your student, please register your students on our online <u>Dual Credit Application</u>.
- Commence your registration by logging into the <u>DCA system</u> with your TDSB User ID and Password.
- When adding a course, you must be in Semester 1, 20162017.



Prior to submitting a SWAC application please consider the following:

- Has this student's SWAC application been discussed with your school's Student Success
 Team (Administration, Guidance Counselor, Student Success, Special Education)
- Please review the Ministry's Dual Credit Selection Criteria that further defines "disengaged and underachieving": www.scwi.ca/docs/requirements docs/14-17/DC-Program-2013Appendix.pdf.
- Have you reviewed the NEW! model of delivery and ensured that the student applying meets the new requirements for application (selection criteria).

Information Sessions on:

Save the date! Registered SWAC students and their referring teachers will be invited to attend a SWAC Information Session/Excursion on the college campus. TDSB 511C Excursion Forms are embedded in the chart below. Upon successful registration in DCA, further details will be emailed to the referring teacher.

College	Date	Location & Excursion Form	
Coorgo Proven College	Wed May 25	Building C, Room 303	
George Brown College	1:30-3:30 pm	(290 Adelaide St E)	
Humber College	Tues May 24	Building H, Room H330	
Humber College	1:30-3:30 pm	(205 Humber College Blvd N)	
Sanasa Callaga	Mon May 30	Residence Centre, Conference Room	
Seneca College	1:30-3:30 pm	(1760 Finch Ave E)	

For more information on registration and information sessions, please contact your Student Success/Learning to 18 Instructional Leader:

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