



UCC

UPPER CANADA COLLEGE



BOYS IB WORLD SCHOOL



# Admission Guide

2026 ENTRY

# Admission

Upper Canada College seeks to admit well-rounded students who stand out from the crowd in a variety of ways — through academic performance, involvement in co-curricular activities, and demonstrated social skills.

We are looking for the best students, from the GTA, across Canada and around the world.

## Explore UCC

We look forward to meeting applicants for 2026 entry this season.



### EXPLORE THE WEBSITE

[ucc.on.ca](http://ucc.on.ca)



### REGISTER FOR AN OPEN HOUSE

[ucc.on.ca/admission/explore-ucc](http://ucc.on.ca/admission/explore-ucc)

- Open Houses: October 28 and 29, 2025 — two sessions each day, 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m.



### CONTACT US

[admission@ucc.on.ca](mailto:admission@ucc.on.ca)  
416-488-1125 ext. 4100

## Approximate Intake for September 2026 Entry

Senior Kindergarten (SK), Year 3, 5, 6, 7 and 9 are main entry levels for day students at UCC. Admission at other levels is limited.

\*Students are entering an accelerated program and various criteria are used to establish entry level placement. No students are admitted directly into Year 12. For further information, please contact [admission@ucc.on.ca](mailto:admission@ucc.on.ca).

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LEVEL	BIRTH YEAR	2026 INTAKE
SK	2021	18-20
YEAR 3	2018	20-24
YEAR 5	2016	20-24
YEAR 6	2015	20-24
YEAR 7	2014	40-45
YEAR 8	2013	0-4
YEAR 9	2012/2011*	35-40

# Tuition and Fees

The information below applies to the 2025–26 school year and application fees for September 2026 entry. Tuition and fees for 2026–27 will be updated on our website in early 2026.

INITIAL FEES (New students only)		ANNUAL TUITION & FEES (All students)	
FEE	DAY	GRADE	DAY
APPLICATION FEE	\$200 on or before November 1 \$300 after November 2	SK-YEAR 5	\$42,800
REGISTRATION FEE*	\$10,000	YEAR 6-10	\$44,500
		YEAR 11-12	\$46,400

\*The Registration Fee is an additional one-time, non-refundable charge for new students due upon offer of acceptance.

**Incidental charges and other financial considerations**  
To give you a big-picture idea of financial considerations — including co-curricular programs and team travel — download our Financial Handbook in the Tuition and Financial Assistance at UCC section of the website [ucc.on.ca/admission](http://ucc.on.ca/admission)

## PAYMENT PLAN OPTIONS

In addition to the \$10,000 Registration Fee, all day payment plans require a \$2,000 initial deposit due upon offer acceptance.

3 INSTALLMENTS	MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS	MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS
<b>Day Plan A</b> Initial deposit plus two payments made by cheque or transfer due July 1, 2025 and December 1, 2025.	<b>Day Plan B</b> Initial deposit plus 11 monthly payments automatically withdrawn from bank accounts from May 1, 2025 to March 1, 2026.	<b>Day Plan C</b> Payments must be made in full by April 1, 2025 or within 30 days of an Offer of Admission for new students in order to take advantage of an early payment discount.





# Tuition and *Financial Assistance*

At Upper Canada College, we believe that the quality of our students is the single most important factor defining our reputation, relevance and future. In a world where change is more constant and rapid than ever before, it's vital that we attract the best and brightest students — regardless of their financial circumstances.

UCC has the most generous financial assistance program in Canadian independent schools — more than \$6 million is awarded annually to Canadian families in Year 5 and above.

## APPLYING FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The application for financial assistance is separate from the application for admission and is available online at [applefinancialservices.ca](https://applefinancialservices.ca). Both applications must be submitted in order to be considered for financial assistance. The deadline for applying for financial assistance is December 31, 2025.

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# Financial Assistance FAQ

## HOW IS FAMILY NEED CALCULATED?

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Apple Financial Services makes recommendations to UCC based on the information provided by you in the Parents' Financial Statement. This includes, but is not limited to, the parents'/guardians' net income (after taxes and other deductions); assets and liabilities; and information about dependents and expenditures. The computation measures what is possible, though not necessarily comfortable, for a family to contribute toward educational expenses.

## HOW ARE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE DECISIONS MADE?

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Applications for financial assistance are reviewed independently from admission applications by the College's Financial Assistance Review Committee. Financial assistance decisions are sent together with the admission offers.

## DO YOU HAVE ANY TIPS FOR APPLYING?

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Financial assistance applications can seem overwhelming. Here are some tips to help you prepare:

- Plan to spend more than one sitting to complete the forms.
- Don't wait until the last minute to apply. Mistakes could adversely affect your application and are difficult to rectify.
- Review the application requirements and gather the information you need before completing the forms. Apple Financial Services provides an FAQ to help answer any questions.
- Please contact Melody Miu, vice-principal of enrolment management if you have questions about UCC's financial assistance program.





# Application Process

The following is an overview of the application process at UCC — more information on the steps for each entry level is available at [ucc.on.ca/admission/applying-to-ucc](https://ucc.on.ca/admission/applying-to-ucc). We encourage families to complete their application and upload required documents as soon as possible.



**SENIOR KINDERGARTEN,  
YEAR 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9**

## **STEP 1**

**Submit an  
application**

## **STEP 2**

**Complete all steps  
in your application  
checklist**

1. Upload final (June 2023-24 and 2024-25) school reports (may not be available for SK applicants)
2. Complete reference request form
3. Sign up for group activity
4. Sign up for entrance test

## **STEP 3**

**Await an interview  
invitation**

## **STEP 4**

**Receive your  
decision**

Admission decisions for SK, Year 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 day applicants will be sent on February 20, 2026.

## Admission Key Dates for 2026 Entry

	APPLICATION FORM	2 YEARS FINAL REPORT CARDS	TEACHER REFERENCE FORM	GROUP ACTIVITY	ENTRANCE TEST	INTERVIEW	DECISION DATE	
SK 2021 BIRTH YEAR	November 1, 2025 Early — Deadline#	Within 24 hrs of application submission	Must be received from the teacher by  January 6, 2026	January 17, 2026 by invitation, in-person only		Jan 6–16, 2026 by invitation	February 20, 2026	
YEAR 3 2018 BIRTH YEAR	December 1, 2025 — Deadline			December 1-16, 2025, by invitation				
YEAR 5 2016 BIRTH YEAR	#guarantees space for testing and group activity			November 27, 2025 November 28, 2025 December 4, 2025 December 5, 2025 December 10, 2025 December 11, 2025 1 session required, in-person only		October 2025 – January 2026 by invitation		
YEAR 6 2015 BIRTH YEAR				November 15, 29, and December 13, 2025 1 session required, in-person only	Multiple sessions offered in November and December 2025 1 session required			
YEAR 7 2014 BIRTH YEAR								
YEAR 8 2013 BIRTH YEAR								
YEAR 9 2011/2012 BIRTH YEAR								

**UCC's admission applications completed online.**

BEGIN THE PROCESS AT: [UCC.ON.CA/ADMISSION](https://ucc.on.ca/admission)

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