We believe in potential
Agenda

• Programs overview
• From ESP/IESP to degree
• Application process
• Costs & funding

Enriched Support Program
Indigenous Enriched Support Program
ESP is designed for students whose academic record may not represent their potential.

- Offers students the opportunity to demonstrate their potential for success at university.

All types of students: most other ON access programs target mature students or are non-credit.

Students study *first-year courses, with support*

- *Are fully integrated into the CU community.*

- Not remedial, q-year or TYP (pre-credit).

Transition support is similar to that offered to all first-year students, but dedicated resources.
Indigenous ESP

- Created to address issues of access to higher education for Indigenous peoples
- Joint participation in all program supports
- Unique features:
  - Indigenous Studies FYSM
  - Indigenous mentors
  - Connections to Indigenous community
- Three first-year credits
- Completion with necessary average = eligible for admission to a degree program
- Five streams:
  - ✓ Arts & Social Sciences (200 spaces)
  - ✓ Business (25 spaces)
  - ✓ Computer Science (25 spaces)
  - ✓ Engineering (20 spaces)
  - ✓ Science (20 spaces)
Getting to know the ESP/IESP

3 First-year credits:
- First Year Seminar (1.0 credit)
- Elective course (1.0 credit)
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Supported by:
- Mentors
- Workshop

Plus:
- Student Advising
- Academic Advantage Coaching
Completion of ESP/IESP with the required average earns admission a program

Required averages

- Arts = C+ for most programs
- Business = B (min C+/B- core gpa)
- Computer Science = B- (and min C- core gpa)
- Engineering = min B- (core and overall), requirements vary by program
- Science = C+ for General (core and overall)
  B- for Honours (core and overall)

Note: Program completion means no failed or dropped courses

Engineering additional high school prerequisite: 4U Physics or equiv. (to be used in GPA)

Science Honours additional high school prerequisite: senior h.s. advanced experimental science with min. 60% (to used in core GPA).
Students apply directly to program (not thru OUAC)

Applicants submit a portfolio to ESP/IESP:
- Application Form
- Transcripts: grades 9-12 & any post-secondary
- Letters of reference (2 teachers or teacher & guidance c.)
- Personal statement (*opportunity to tell their story*)
- Application Fee ($65)

Application Deadlines (often extended)
- **Fall**: June 1
- **January**: November 15

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Minimum requirements

High School applicants
- Diploma (unless mature)
- Half of grade 12 courses at U/M level
- Prerequisite subjects:
  - Arts & Social Sciences: no specific prerequisites (ENG4U recommended)
  - Engineering & Science: SCH4U & MHF4U, SPH4U (mandatory for Engineering, rec. but not required for science), (MCV4U recommended)
  - Business, Computer Science: MHF4U (MCV4U recommended)

Mature/college/university applicants: case-by-case
ESP & IESP Fees 2019/20

Domestic students
- Costs: $6,355.81
  Amount includes Fall/Winter U-pass fee

International students
- Costs: $21,604.81

Funding
- OSAP-eligible
- Bank student lines of credit
- RESPs
- Bursaries
Former students can visit high schools to talk to prospective students.

Most visits: May & early June.

Book a visit: esp@carleton.ca

- Student meetings
- Staff meetings
- Information tables
- Transition presentations or workshops
This presentation & more: carleton.ca/esp/guidance