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OSAP Age Requirements

The age requirement for Group B (independent) status under the Ontario Student Awards Program has been lowered by one year, the Hon. George A. Kerr, Minister of Colleges and Universities has announced. This reduction to 24 years in the Group B age qualification for loan-grant assistance will take effect beginning with the fall semester, Mr. Kerr indicated, and should assist graduate students in particular, as well as students enrolled in long-term professional programs.

Previously students had to be 25 years of age or married in order to have their resources assessed independently of parental income. As many as 2,000 Ontario students may be affected by the change, which will be covered by funds already allocated to the Ontario Student Awards Program.

The Minister also confirmed that the miscellaneous allowance provided under OSAP has been increased from \$8.00 a week to \$9.00 a week. This will amount to an additional \$30 for a 30-week academic year and will affect mainly students living away from home.

Last year a total of 64,500 of Ontario's post-secondary students received OSAP assistance, including 45,000 who qualified for a combination of loan and provincial grant and 19,500 who qualified for Canada Student Loan only. This year the first \$800 of any award will be Canada Student Loan. The total award including grant portion will take into account the increase in tuition fees in order to assist students with limited resources.

The Students Awards Officers of Ontario's post-secondary institutions have been asked to submit to the Ministry of Colleges and Universities for review applications from students who would be affected by the age reduction and have already received a Statement of Award, the Minister said. At present, regular OSAP applications forwarded by the colleges and universities are being processed and returned to the institutions in about three weeks. Reviews, special consideration cases, and applications incorrectly completed take about two weeks longer. To date over 30,000 regular applications have already been processed by the Student Awards Branch of the Ministry of Colleges and Universities. The final deadline for fall applications is September 30.

Graduating Students!

Students expecting to graduate in May, 1973 are requested to fill out potential graduate forms, which are available through the Office of the Registrar.

Locker Evacuation

Mr. Gordon Gaudry, Chief Security Officer of Lakehead University, announces that all lockers on campus must be emptied and locks removed by September 17, 1972.

Issuing of lockers for the 1972-73 term will commence on that date. Any lockers found locked after that date will have the locks broken and contents removed.

Innovative Course

The problem of transporting education to out-lying areas has always been a sticky one in Northwestern Ontario. The Department of Mathematical Sciences, in conjunction with the Lakehead University Extension Department, has developed an approach which lessens the discomfort of travelling hundreds of miles through bitter weather often reaching temperatures of -50 degrees F.

Mathematics s6 is a course specifically designed for the needs of the elementary school teacher. The course content is selected to provide the background and insight necessary to teach a modern mathematics program effectively. Also it fulfills the mathematics requirement for the B.A. or the Liberal Science degree.

The format can best be described as a correspondence course with a personal touch. Students meet for one week, with their instructor, 3 hours per day, at the beginning of the course. This is to provide the common background necessary to proceed successfully with the remainder. In addition it gives the students an opportunity to meet their colleagues in the region who are also taking the course. The 'buddy system' where students assist one another in mastering the material, is greatly encouraged. The remaining part of the course is done by correspondence with specific assignments to be mailed in for correction. The instructor will meet with his students two or three times during the year in the various localities. In addition there is a once-a-week telephone 'hot-line' available where students can call the university for assistance.

During one of the last two weeks in August the initial week of the course is being offered in Thunder Bay, Hearst, Little Current and Moose Factory. Also, the course will be offered in Atikokan and Kenora commencing in September. The instructors involved are Mr. W. R. Allaway, Dr. J. Griffith, Dr. G. Vervoort, and Dr. J. Whitfield.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
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REGISTRATION, September, 1

3	4 Labor Day, University Closed	5 Registration for: Forestry programs Off campus registration com- mences.	Forestry field mences (Septem- ber inclusive)
10	11	12	
	18	19	
17	Registration and counselling for: The Faculty of Arts - Eng- lish, geography, psychology, sociology, anthropology and undecided majors.	Registration and counselling for: BSc, HBSc, BSc BEd, all majors; BScN (basic) and BScN (post diploma); and Faculty of Arts - mathematics majors.	First day of class students.
24	25 First day of classes for part time students.	26	



SUNDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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camp com- er 6-16 in-	14	15	
13	Registration and counselling for: BEd; BA BEd; 1 year diploma in education; applied science; engineering technology; and BPHE programs.	Registration and counselling for: Honors Bachelor of Commerce; business administration diploma; graduate diploma in business administration; diploma in library technology; The Faculty of Arts-economics, political studies, philosophy, languages, history, and undecided majors.	16
20	21	22	23
or full time	Registration and counselling for part time students 6:30 - 9:00 p.m.		Registration and counselling for part time students 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
27	28	29	30

weekly events meetings

CUA Membership

Dr. James Gordon Parr (Chairman), Dean of Applied Science at the University of Windsor.

Mr. William Dodge of Ottawa, Secretary-Treasurer of the Canadian Labour Congress.

Dr. Joan Foley, Associate Professor of Psychology at the University of Toronto.

The Honourable Leslie Frost, Q.C., Lindsay, former Premier of Ontario.

Dr. Reva Gerstein, Lecturer at York University, and member of the Commission on Post-Secondary Education.

Dr. James Murray Holmes, Professor of Chemistry at Carleton University.

Dr. James Hughes, Chairman of A. E. Ames and Company Ltd., Toronto.

Dr. Maurice J. Lavigne, Manager of the Physical Metallurgy Department with Falconbridge Mines Ltd., Toronto.

Dr. W. R. Lederman, Professor of Law at Queen's University.

Mr. Robert W. Mitchell, Q.C., Vice-president of Supertest Petroleum Ltd., London, Ontario.

Mr. Douglas Pritchard, graduate student in chemical engineering at Queen's University.

Dr. Roger J. Rossiter, Vice-president (Academic) at The University of Western Ontario.

Mr. N. A. Sisco, Chairman of the Council of Regents, Ministry of Colleges and Universities.

Dr. Foley, who will bring to the Committee a familiarity with the humanities, was recommended for membership by the Council of Ontario Universities. She is one of two women on the Committee, the other being Dr. Reva Gerstein of York University.

Mr. Pritchard, a chemical engineering student at Queen's University, was nominated for a position on the Committee by the Society of Graduate Students.

An updated list of the membership of the Committee on University Affairs is attached.

Musical Note

The Canada Council has recently announced an \$8,000 grant for musicians-in-residence at Lakehead University. Carrying on from last year are Michael Edwards, clarinet; and Joseph Shufro, cello. New members will include Gregory Schulte, piano; and Peter Samuelson, French horn. Mr. Samuelson will also assume the duties of director of the Thunder Bay Youth Symphony.

New CUA Members

The appointment of a University of Toronto psychology professor and a Queen's University graduate student to the Committee on University Affairs has been announced by the Honourable George Kerr, Minister of Colleges and Universities.

Dr. Joan Foley, Associate Professor of Psychology and Associate Dean of Arts at the University of Toronto, and Mr. Douglas Pritchard, President of the Graduate Student Association of Queen's University will fill two vacancies on the advisory committee, which has 13 members, including the Chairman, Dr. J. G. Parr.

