



STUDENT SERVICES BEATS

2ND UPDATE FOR THE 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

ARE YOU READY?

Visit our Orientation 2021 web page for helpful information:

<https://www.auroracollege.nt.ca/student-orientation-2021/>

FALL ORIENTATION

In the next couple of weeks you will receive more details about orientation...

We are currently planning for orientation. Unlike previous years, it will be a mix of face-to-face activities and online activities. You should make sure you have access to all of the online tools you will be using this year: AC email, MS Teams, Moodle, Office 365, etc. in the next couple of weeks.

What can you expect?

At present, you can expect:

- An all-student online Town Hall with the Aurora College President and VP, Student Affairs;
- Workshops and activities designed to help you learn about the supports we have to help you succeed;
- Fun social activities created to help you meet other students and our staff;
- Online tools to help you get oriented to all of the technology you will need this year;
- We will be here to greet you with a smile on September 7th!!!



ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN

Online registrations happen on MYAC Self-Service...

Course registration for the fall is completed online through MyAC Self-Service. If you have not already done so, make sure you are able to login to MYAC Self-Service (<https://bit.ly/3v8UcXv>). If you are having issues logging in, please email helpdesk@auroracollege.nt.ca for assistance. The instructions for registration can be found in the [MyAC Student Guide](#) on our website.

You will receive an email from your program informing you which courses you need to register in with instructions on how to register. After you register, your program will review your courses and approve them. Once they are approved, your tuition and fees will appear on your account in MYAC Self-Service.

Programs that are able to register now:

Environment and Natural Resources Technology, Business Administration, Office Administration, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Practical Nursing, Personal Support Worker, Early Learning and Child Care.

ALBE, OCAP, and UCAP students will be able to register starting later in August.

STUDENT HOUSING ASSIGNMENTS

Student housing will be VERY full this year...

Our enrollment looks like it is going to be very high this year. As a result, we expect our student housing to be full. There are likely to be waitlists for housing at all three campuses.

You may have already received confirmation of residence and the unit you are going to be in. You will also receive details about what you need to bring with you. Each unit is different and it is best to review this information before you come.

If you have not received a confirmation about residence, please email us.

Residence fees are billed by the term (e.g. Fall, Winter, Spring). We prefer students to pay for the full term however if you want to pay monthly you will need to sign a simple payment plan.

If you have any questions about housing, you can email us at:

Inuvik:
ResidenceIN@auroracollege.nt.ca

Fort Smith:
ResidenceFS@auroracollege.nt.ca

Yellowknife:
ResidenceYK@auroracollege.nt.ca



STUDENT ACCOUNTS

Students have to use multiple online tools...

You should start to setup your accounts and access them as soon as you can.

Student Email - you will receive an Aurora College email address that is first.last@myauroracollege.ca This email address is how you will log in and how we will communicate with you. USE IT!!!

Moodle - this is an online learning platform that most programs use for class discussions, submitting assignments, and more... Log in here...
<https://bit.ly/33dBP9G>

Microsoft Teams - Microsoft Teams is an online tool for collaborating with other people. You can use it to have online meetings with your classmates, instructors, counsellors, etc. You can also use it to collaborate with others on projects in real-time. Teams is part of the Office 365 suite you will have access to as an AC student.

Grammarly - AC students get a premium account to Grammarly. This is a fantastic proofreading tool that our students absolutely love. Make sure you take advantage of this by signing up using your myauroracollege.ca email account. Follow these instructions: <https://bit.ly/304t67B>

<https://www.grammarly.com/edu/signup>

SFA FORM D

Send us your Form D TODAY!!!

If you have applied for funding from NWT Student Financial Assistance (SFA), then you must submit a Form D as part of the process.

Step 1 - Download the Form D from the SFA website. <https://bit.ly/39QIMzN>

Step 2 - Complete the top portion of the Form D

Step 3 - Send your Form D to the Admissions Officer at your campus as soon as possible.

Step 4 - We complete the middle section of your Form D.

Step 5 - We submit the completed Form D to SFA on August 7th (July 7th for ENRTP Yr 1 and July 16th for ENRTP Yr 2).

Note: If we do not have your Form D before this date, your funding will be delayed.

DON'T FORGET - THIS IS IMPORTANT

ORDERING TEXTBOOKS

Textbook lists are on our Orientation 2021 page... <https://bit.ly/3BIQ98P>

We have posted the required textbooks for most programs on our [Orientation 2021](#) page. You can order them from us or buy them on your own.

If you are ordering from us: ([click here to view the full process](#))

1. Download the [order form](#).
2. Fill it out with the books you want to order.
3. Email it to textbooks@auroracollege.nt.ca
4. We will process the order and add the charges to your account.

Can I buy used textbooks?

Yes and No. Be sure to check the exact edition and ISBN of the books you need. Some older textbooks are out of print and so we have to go to a newer edition. Also, some textbooks come with login codes to online resources that you only get with a new book. Be careful. There are two Facebook groups that students use to sell textbooks: <https://bit.ly/3hIDNCY> and <https://bit.ly/3ivhX6i>



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IMPORTANT LINKS

Here are some important links you should review...

Aurora College: www.auroracollege.nt.ca

Student Toolkit: <https://bit.ly/2CdFJnG>

AC COVID-19 Info: <https://bit.ly/3gXkDZw>

SFA: <https://bit.ly/3jes290>

MyAC Self-Service: <https://bit.ly/3v8UcXv>

Newsletter 1: <https://bit.ly/2V9UKQE>



SELF ISOLATION

Do I have to self-isolate when I arrive?

The COVID protocols in the NWT continue to evolve in light of the current COVID situation. If you are staying within the NWT, you will not need to self-isolate when you come to one of our campuses. However, if you are coming to Aurora College from outside of the NWT, your need to self-isolate and be tested for COVID will depend on where you are coming from and your vaccination status (including your family). The decision will be made by ProtectNWT (this can take a couple of weeks). All individuals entering the NWT must register a plan with ProtectNWT in advance. Please review the NWT's website for more information about the current requirements: <https://bit.ly/3x2l6kW> You can contact ProtectNWT with any questions you may have: protectnwt@gov.nt.ca

If you are living in our residence, please contact our residence team to let them know about your self-isolation plans.

Factor your isolation time into your plans for arrival so that you can be ready for the first day of classes.

HOW TO VIDEOS

We have assembled some helpful videos to guide you through some steps...

On the **Aurora College YouTube Channel** there is a playlist of **How-To Videos**:
https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLstjmNNsaYJTch1fhrKzR_cqV11CWaGuO

Among these videos you can learn how to:

- Register for courses on MyAC Self-Service
- Reset your AC student password
- Make online payments to Aurora College
- Access the Microsoft Office 365 tools
- Conduct a library search
- Use Moodle for your courses
- And more



Explore our new website
www.auroracollege.nt.ca

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COVID-19 INFORMATION



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