



Sault College News Release

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Sault College Prepares to Welcome Students and their Families

(Sault Ste. Marie, ON November 7, 2011) Recruitment initiatives at Sault College are well underway. Each year, Sault College recruiters travel across the Province of Ontario helping students plan for their future and giving them valuable information to make educated decisions. Sault College is getting ready to host its annual Open House on Thursday November 17th and Friday November 18th. The College and its recruiters will be showcasing its many programs to give local students an idea of what is available right here.

On the evening of Thursday, November 17th, from 6:30pm - 8:00pm, potential students, their families and community members are invited to the College to meet the faculty and learn more about programs. The impressive new foyer will be set up with Sault College information displays covering health sciences, community services, engineering technology and skilled trades, natural environment and outdoor studies, business, IT studies, media and design, engineering technology, general arts and science, transportation, justice studies, salon and spa services, culinary and hospitality, native education and Sault College support services.

Then, on Friday, November 18th, from 9:30am – noon interested high school classes, teachers, and guidance counsellors will attend the College for a morning of information gathering, campus tours and classroom lab experiences. Representatives from Colleges including Canadore, Cambrian, Lambton, Georgian, Northern and Centennial College have confirmed their attendance on both days.

“Prospective students want to know what is unique about our programs, and why they should choose our College over another,” states Ray Escasa, Local Student Recruiter, Sault College. “There may be students deciding between College and University at this point. It’s up to us to let them know why they should choose a hands-on education along with the theory that will get them that coveted job once they graduate.”

The deadline to apply for equal consideration into any college across Ontario is February 1st. Students may now start applying to ontariocolleges.ca for their best chance of a spot in the program of their choice.

The College will also have information on the new programs for 2012 as well as a complete listing of programs that will begin in January 2011.

For more information about this event, or about Sault College programs contact Student Recruitment at 759-2554 ext.2222.

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About Sault College

Sault College reaches students through post-secondary, continuing education, apprenticeship training and third party contract training. Educating 4,500 students annually, Sault College offers a full range of programs: Certificates, Diplomas, Advanced Diplomas, Post Graduate Certificates, Degrees, and Apprenticeship programs. Sault College has an economic impact on the community in excess of \$100 million. MacLean’s magazine has recognized the College’s ranking at the top of the province in graduate satisfaction, with 85% of graduates saying that they were highly satisfied with their education at the post-secondary institution. Sault College, located in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario is one of 24 community colleges in Ontario. Visit our website at www.saultcollege.ca for more information.

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