**Program Fact Sheet**

**Adventure Recreation & Parks Technician**

**Program:** Adventure Recreation & Parks Technician

**Code:** 5212

**Academic Start Date:** Tuesday, September 3, 2019

**Academic End Date:** Friday, April 24, 2020

**Length:** 2 Years - 4 Semesters

**Breaks:**
- Thanksgiving - October 14, 2019
- Christmas Break - Dec 13 2019 - Jan 5, 2020
- Family Day - February 17, 2020
- Winter Study Break - March 16-20, 2020
- Good Friday - April 10, 2020

**Books:** (Approx. costs):
- Semester 1 (Fall 2019) - $575.00
- Semester 2 (Winter 2020) - $375.00

**Miscellaneous Supplies:**
Approx. $100.00 per semester

**Semester 1 (Fall 2019) - $1500.00. This figure is highly dependent on what you might already have or are able to borrow. Please refer to Sault College website for detailed gear/supply lists relating to field camp, etc.**

**KPI Student Satisfaction Rate:**

**KPI Graduation Rate:**

**KPI Graduate Employment Rate:**

**Typical Employment:**
Graduates of the program are trained to work in the public and private sectors, including Parks Canada, Ontario Parks, the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and conservation authorities.

**Employment Titles:**
- Park warden, resource technician, park interpreter, park superintendent, recreational instructor

**Type of Certification:**
Ontario College Diploma

**Program Description:**
Looking for a fun and challenging career in the outdoors? Interested in learning a variety of recreational and wilderness-based skills? This is the program for you. Students are offered a broad background in adventure recreation through quality instruction, field trips, and hands-on expertise.

**Entrance Requirement:**
Ontario Secondary School Diploma with Grade 12 College English (C) ENG4C, or mature student status OR Mature Student Status (an applicant lacking the formal minimum admission requirements may be admitted through the mature student application process. Mature Student applicants may be referred to College Counseling for academic testing and a recommendation from the Counselor to the Registrar for consideration in their admission. Mature applicants must still submit their high school transcripts and may also be asked for a resume).

**Other Information:**
This is a co-operative education program. Students are required to complete at least one co-op work placement (CWF100) in order to graduate. For more information visit the Sault College website [http://www.saultcollege.ca/Programs](http://www.saultcollege.ca/Programs) or contact the Program Coordinators:
Brian Anstess, at brian.anstess@saultcollege.ca or Ryan Namespetra at ryan.namespetra@saultcollege.ca.

Alternatively, you can contact the Academic Assistant, Nicole LaCroix at nicole.lacroix@saultcollege.ca.

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