

CAN AN OC STUDENT WORK FULL-TIME DURING CHRISTMAS 2021 BREAK?

As per Academic Schedule 2021-22, 'Final exam period' ends on Sat, Dec 18, 2021. Therefore, current* OC students (NOT new students**) may work full-time, from Sun, Dec 19, 2021 to Tues, Jan 4, 2022 only, **IF** they meet **ALL** of the following conditions:

- Student holds a valid study permit;
- Student was/will be enrolled full-time (i.e., at least 3 courses per semester for most study programs) during the academic session before **and** after Christmas break (i.e., Fall 2021 and Winter 2022 sessions);
- The program in which student is enrolled is a post-secondary academic, vocational or professional training program; **and**
- Student's program of study is at least 6 months in duration and leads to a degree, diploma or certificate.

Please note:

*Few study programs do not have the standard timeframe of Sept – Dec and Jan – April as their 'regular academic sessions'. In that case, the dates as to when students can work full-time during Christmas 2021 break *may* be different (In this case, please see an Advisor).

**New OC students, i.e., those starting their studies in the Winter 2022 semester, must actually commence their studies before being eligible to work. They must also meet other pertaining eligibility requirements to work.

