

**Ontario Native Education Counselling
Association**

Student Transitions Project

Web-Based Resources



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Section 1 – Schools and Education Institutions for First Nations, Métis and Inuit

1.1 Alternative schools, Ontario

Contact the local Friendship Centre for an alternative high school near you

Amos Key Jr. E-Learning Institute – high school course on line

<http://www.amoskeyjr.com/>

Kawenni:io/Gaweni:yo Elementary/High School
Six Nations

Keewaytinook Internet High School (KiHS) for Aboriginal youth in small communities – on line high school courses, university prep courses, student awards

<http://kihs.knet.ca/drupal/>

Matawa Learning Centre

Odawa Native Friendship Centre – site includes Sweet Grass Home Child Care Agency, Parents as Teachers

<http://www.odawa.on.ca/programs/uaahs.htm>

Urban Aboriginal Alternative High School, Odawa Native Friendship Centre

<http://www.adsb.on.ca/content/secondary/index.asp?cat=1938>

White Fish Bay Alternative High School
Naotkamegwaning First Nation, Pawitik Ontario

1.2 First Nations Schools

First Nation Schools.ca

<http://firstnationschools.ca/>

1.3 Post-Secondary Institutions in Ontario

Anishinabek Educational Institute

<http://www.anishinabek.ca/about-the-aei.asp>

FNTI – institute overview, prospective students, college programs, university programs, prior learning

<http://www.fnti.net/>

Iohahi:io Akwesasne Adult Education
Box 579, Cornwall, K6H 5T3

Kenjgewin Teg Education Institute – about us, admission, news and events, education centre, business centre, student centre
<http://www.ktei.net/about-ktei.html>

Ogwehoweh Skills and Trades Training Centre – mission, what’s new, location, registration, course and programs (trades, professional development, driver’s education, computer training, academic upgrading, general interest)
<http://www.osttc.com/>

Oshki-Pimache O Win Education and Training Institute – about Oshki, programs and courses, teaching and learning, professional development, careers, research and special projects – student orientation and transition week includes study skills, time management, self-esteem and interpersonal communication
<http://www.oshki.ca/about>

Seven Generations Education Institute – about, Ojibwemowin Waawiye, educational support services, secondary/vocational services, post-secondary education, PSSSP, brochures/printed materials, fun pages, photo gallery, projects/partnerships, employment opportunities, annual events, upcoming events
<http://www.7generations.org/>

Shingwauk Kinnomaage Gamig Centre of Excellence in Anishinaabe Education – about, news and events, join us on facebook, programs and courses, staff and faculty, apply now
<http://www.shingwauku.com/>

Six Nations Polytechnic – about us, programs, achievement centre, student services, Indigenous Knowledge Centre, governance
<http://www.snpolytechnic.com/index.html>

Section 2 - Community Education Services

Contact the local First Nation for information about the policies and deadlines to apply for funding under the federal Post-Secondary Student Support Program (PSSSP)

Community Profiles for the ONECA Education and Training Plan
<http://www.oneca.com/CommunityProfiles.pdf>

First Nation Communities on Ontario
<http://firstnation.ca/> (map)
<http://firstnation.ca/communities>

First Nation Profiles Interactive Map (Canada)
<http://fnpim-cippn.inac-ainc.gc.ca/index-eng.asp>

Garden River First Nation Education Unit – elementary, secondary, post-secondary (post-secondary policy guidelines and application procedures, application deadlines, reminders, how to calculate your books/supplies for second semester, tutors, FAQ's), adults in motion, resource centre
<http://www.education.gardenriver.ca/postsecondary/index.php>

Matawa Post Secondary
<http://www.ginoogaming.ca/?pgid=13>

Northern Nishnawbe Education Council
<http://www.nnec.on.ca/>

Omushkego Education
http://www.mushkegowuk.ca/education_2.html

Omushkego Education Authorities
http://www.mushkegowuk.ca/education_3.html

Oneida Transit – bus transportation from Oneida of the Thames to Fanshawe College
<http://www.oneida.on.ca/bus.html>

Parental Involvement in School (some schools have a parent portal to keep track of student progress)
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BfvaGOD4pLM>

Sagamok Anishnawbek First Nation - post-secondary student support policies, student awards and more
<http://sagamok.ca/education.htm>

Southern First Nations Secretariat, services – post-secondary funding guidelines, on-line application forms, list of counsellors, post secondary newsletter
<http://www.sfns.on.ca/pages/services/edu.html>

Webequie Education Authority
<http://webequieeducation.myknet.org/>

Section 3 - Aboriginal Student Centres, Colleges

Aboriginal Canada Portal – programs and services at colleges

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/acp/site.nsf/eng/ao20209.html#col>

ACCC Inventory of Aboriginal Education Programs at Publically Funded Mainstream Colleges and Aboriginal Colleges and Institutes

http://www.accc.ca/ftp/pubs/studies/201011Aboriginal_programs.pdf

ACCC Inventory of Aboriginal Student Support Services at Publically Funded Mainstream Colleges and Aboriginal Colleges and Institutes

http://www.accc.ca/ftp/pubs/studies/201011Aboriginal_services.pdf

Algonquin College - live chat with students on line, Mamidosewin Centre (meeting place), Aboriginal studies

http://www.algonquincollege.com/acap/aboriginal/programs_for_you.htm

Cambrian College – Wabnode Centre for Aboriginal Services – student support, culturally based programs delivery, culture and other services

<http://www.cambrianc.on.ca/AboriginalStudents/Pages/abrgnlTheWabnodeCentre.aspx>

Canadore College - welcome, services, Aboriginal student life, customized and community-based programming, partners in education, virtual tour Aboriginal Learning Centre

<http://www.canadorec.on.ca/departmentsandservices/alu.cfm>

Conestoga College - Aboriginal Student Association, Moose Bannack Lunch, Services, Nish Vibes, Newsletter

<http://conestogaaboriginalservices.ca/>

Confederation College Aboriginal Support Services

<http://www.confederationc.on.ca/aboriginalsupportservices>

Fanshawe College First Nations Centre - home, future students, parents and families, counsellors and teachers, part-time/continuing education, international

<http://www.fanshawec.ca/EN/firstnations/firstnations/welcome.asp>

Fleming College Aboriginal Education Services – culturally appropriate curriculum, Aboriginal counsellors, talking circles, fully networked Aboriginal student lounges, access to Aboriginal organizations in the area, access to guidance from elders, support from Academic Advisors

<http://www.flemingc.on.ca/index.cfm/go/service/sub/aboriginal.cfm>

George Brown College - Aboriginal Students Support, the Sahkitcheway Student Centre, Aboriginal studies courses, Aboriginal initiatives

<http://www.georgebrown.ca/aboriginal/>

Humber College Aboriginal Student Services

<http://www.humber.ca/aboriginal/?q=node/1>

Loyalist College Aboriginal Resource Centre

<http://www.loyalistcollege.com/student-services/aboriginal-resource-centre>

Mohawk College Aboriginal Services - mission, Aboriginal programs and services, facilitated admissions, student services, what's new

<http://www.mohawkcollege.ca/Discover/Help/aborigeduc/aborigservices.html>

Niagara College - First Nations, Inuit and Métis Student Services

http://www.niagaracollege.ca/studying/services/first_nations_student_services.htm

Northern College - Aboriginal services, community based programs

<http://www.northernc.on.ca/about/services/aboriginal.html>

Ontario College of Art and Design

http://www.ocad.ca/about_ocad.htm

Sault College Native Education – Native careers, college education, Native services, our community, media gallery

<http://nativeeducation.ca/>

Sault College Native Education and Training - welcome, native training, native student services, Native Centre, Native scholarships and bursaries, Ojibwe language, order language resources, upcoming events, photo gallery – also buttons for book a tour, ask a question

<http://www.saultcollege.ca/Academics/NativeEducation/default.asp>

Seneca College- cultural programming, cultural events, Aboriginal student funding

<http://www.senecac.on.ca/student/first-peoples/>

Sheridan College – Aboriginal awareness day (no Aboriginal services web page)

http://www.sheridaninstitute.ca/Services/Student%20Support%20Services/Peer%20Mentoring/~/media/WF_02_SS_PeerMentor_024/Aboriginal%20Awareness%20Day.ashx

St. Clair College - programs, services, funding

<http://www.stclaircollege.ca/student-services/aboriginal/>

St. Lawrence College Development Centre Aboriginal and First Generation Students

http://www.learningatthecentre.com/Aboriginal_and_First_Generation_Students.htm

Section 4 - Aboriginal Services, Universities

Aboriginal Canada Portal – programs and services at universities

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/acp/site.nsf/eng/ao20209.html#uni>

Algoma University – Shingwauk Anishinaabe Students' Association

<http://www.algomau.ca/current-students/anishinaabe-students-assoc/shingwauk-anishinaabe-students-association-executive>

Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada, Answering the Call: 2010 Directory of Canadian University Programs and Services for Aboriginal Students

http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/aucc-directory_2010.pdf

Brock University Aboriginal Student Services

<http://www.brocku.ca/aboriginal-student-services>

Carleton University, Centre for Aboriginal Culture and Education – peer and motivational counselling, elder on campus, Aboriginal lounge, Aboriginal services centre

<http://ottawa.cioc.ca/record/OCR0926?UseCICVw=13>

Laurentian University – Native Studies, presentations that can be delivered in your classrooms

http://www.laurentian.ca/Laurentian/Home/Academic+Calendar/en/Undergraduate+Programs/Native+Studies/Native+Studies.htm?Laurentian_Lang=en-CA

Laurier University Aboriginal Student Support Services – programs and services include academic student advising and support, bursary and scholarship information, elder in residence, research support, cultural programming, resource library, study lounge, bi-weekly feasts, peer mentoring, referrals to on and off campus services, community resources (i.e. Brantford Native Housing, Aboriginal Health Centre, Woodland Cultural Centre, Real Peoples History)

http://www.wlu.ca/page.php?grp_id=12448&p=17790

Lakehead University Aboriginal Services – Aboriginal student handbook, resource centre and lounge, academic services, individual services, cultural services, Aboriginal programs, Aboriginal initiatives

<http://aboriginalservices.lakeheadu.ca/>

Lakehead University Aboriginal Initiatives - elder in residence, Friendship Circle Mentorship Program -

<http://aboriginalinitiatives.lakeheadu.ca/>

My Lakehead – live chat, ask admissions questions

<http://www.mylakehead.ca/>

McGill University First People's House – mission, services, community outreach, admission for Aboriginal applicants, Aboriginal scholarships and bursaries, courses, events, Eagle Spirit High Performance Camp, lacrosse, Native alumni, certificate program graduates, testimonials

<http://www.mcgill.ca/fph/>

McMaster University Indigenous Studies - ISP history, ISP program, resources, research interests and research organizations

<http://www.mcmaster.ca/indigenous/index.html>

Nipissing University Aboriginal Services - services and programs, upcoming events, new students, scholarships, bursaries and awards, aboriginal programs, community liaison, aboriginal community links, resource library

<http://www.nipissingu.ca/aboriginal/>

Ryerson University Aboriginal Student Services – events, programs, services, cultural and traditional teachings, peer support, bursaries and scholarships, admission advocacy, video – why aboriginal services

<http://www.ryerson.ca/aboriginal/>

Trent University - indigenous student services, scholarships, programs

<http://www.trentu.ca/academic/nativestudies/students.html>

Trent University – Frost Centre for Canadian Studies and Indigenous Studies

<http://www.trentu.ca/frostcentre/>

Queen's University - events, programs, history, Aboriginal Council, library, photos, jobs, resources includes: aboriginal community resources (FDASC Student Assistance Fund, Kagita Mikam, Katarokwi Native Friendship Centre), Kingston community resources (Where to Turn for Financial Assistance, Where to Turn for Basic Needs), Queen's University Resources

<http://www.queensu.ca/fdasc/ACQU.html>

University of Guelph, Aboriginal Resource Centre

<http://studentlife.uoguelph.ca/arc/asa>

University of Guelph, new ASA Student Guide – *What I wish I knew when I started university*

http://studentlife.uoguelph.ca/arc/what_i_wish_i_knew

University of Ottawa, Aboriginal Resource Centre – programs, scholarships, monthly luncheons, guest speakers, campus tours, social and cultural activities

<http://www.sass.uottawa.ca/aboriginal/>

University of Sudbury Native Studies Department

http://www.usudbury.com/EN/Departments/Native_Studies/Native_Studies.html

University of Toronto, First Nations House – magazine, scholarships and bursaries, strategic plan, programs of interest, upcoming events, prospective and current students, ulife (campus organizations, opportunities, etc)

<http://www.fnh.utoronto.ca/>

University of Waterloo Aboriginal Student Services – who we are, Anishnabeg outreach, Aboriginal resource centre - <http://aboriginalservices.uwaterloo.ca/index.html>

University of Waterloo, Aboriginal High School Enrichment Program – for Aboriginal and Métis students in Grades 10, 11 & 12 in Ontario, we invite you to spend five days living in St. Paul's residence at the University of Waterloo while attending a new Science & Technology themed conference centered around the physical, mental, spiritual, and emotional teachings of the medicine wheel. Get a first-hand

glimpse of what post-secondary education consists of and has to offer. (hands-on workshops; university-level lectures; campus tour)

<http://aboriginalservices.uwaterloo.ca/aboriginalHighSchoolEnrichmentProgram-events.html>

University of Western Indigenous Services – welcome, access transition program, new and existing graduates (alumni) - <http://indigenous.uwo.ca/>-

University of Windsor Turtle Island Aboriginal Education Centre - services (i.e. Indigenous library, socials, academic counselling, employment services, study rooms, bridging services), Director's role, outreach program

<http://www.uwindsor.ca/aec/>

*Tips for Visiting a University Campus

http://www.aucc.ca/can_uni/student_info/can_student/visit_tips_e.html

Section 5 – Organizations Supporting First Nations, Inuit and Métis

Aboriginal Canada Portal – friendship centres, provincial organizations, regional organizations, tribal councils

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/acp/site.nsf/eng/ao34778.html>

Assembly of First Nations

<http://www.afn.ca/index.php/en>

Service Canada, Education and Training – university college entrance program, post secondary student support program, legal studies for Aboriginal people program, Canadian forces Aboriginal entry program, Bold Eagle program, Aboriginal training in Canadian museums practices, skills development, lifelong learning plan, education and training includes services for people with disabilities, grants for full and part-time students, scholarships

<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/eng/audiences/aboriginal/education.shtml>

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada, Education

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/index-eng.asp>

Inuit, Tapiriit, Kanatami

<http://www.itk.ca/>

Inuit Women of Canada

<http://www.pauktuutit.ca/>

KNET - Keewaytinook Okimakanak provides health, education, economic development, employment assistance, legal, public works, finance, research, clean water, cellular, administration, and computer communication services

<http://knet.ca/>

Métis National Council

<http://metisnation.ca/>

Métis National Council of Women

<http://www.metiswomen.ca/home.htm>

Métis National Youth Advisory Council

<http://www.metisyouth.com/>

Métis Training to Employment – looking for training, for youth, for employers, find out more

<http://metisemployment.ca/>

Native Women's Association of Canada

<http://www.nwac.ca/>

Section 6 – Language and Culture

Aboriginal Language Commission of Ontario – includes recent news and articles, clearinghouse of resources, language professionals association

<http://www.amolco.ca/>

Anishinaabe Mino Bimaadizwin, Principles for Anishinaabe Education, Seven Generations Education Institute <http://www.7generations.org/Anishinaabe%20Mino%20Bimaadizwin.pdf>

Cayuga Elder Hubert Sky Speaks

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WQlxZIZy7Ys&NR=1>

Cayuga, Our Oral Legacy - Cayuga Language Website

<http://cayugalanguage.ca/>

Cree Curriculum, Four Directions Learning Activities

http://www.fourdirectionsteachings.com/cree_senior.pdf

Contact the local Friendship Centre for potential speakers, and language and culture resources

www.ofifc.org

Contact the local First Nations community for potential speakers, and language and culture resources

Culture Source.ca – resources for K to grade 12 in a variety of subject areas

<http://www.culturesource.ca/en>

East Cree Language

<http://www.eastcree.org/cree/en/>

First Nations films.com

<http://www.firstnationsfilms.com/catalogue.htm>

First Nations Holistic Life Long Learning Model, Canadian Council on Learning,

<http://cli.ccl-cca.ca/FN/index.php?q=home&l=en>

Four Directions Teachings - interactive teachings (Blackfoot, Cree, Ojibway, Mohawk, M'ikmaq) including teacher resource guides with learning activities

<http://www.fourdirectionsteachings.com/>

I am a kind man (a project of OFIFC) – seven grandfather teachings, resources, youth site includes mentors and role models, women's roles, men's roles, our children are our gifts, Kanawayhitowin Facilitator Training

<http://www.iamakindman.ca/IAKM/index.php>

Indigenous Knowledge Centre, Six Nations – contact Rick Hill

<http://www.snpolytechnic.com/WEBSITE-IKC%20doc%20Indigenous%20Knowledge%20Centre.pdf>

Introduce Yourself in Mohawk

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gQ8Hbno1Jak&feature=related>

Inuit Holistic Life Long Learning Model, Canadian Council on Learning

<http://cli.ccl-cca.ca/Inuit/index.php?q=home&l=en>

Kay-Nah-Chi-Wah-Nung – Manitou Mounds, visitor centre, gift shop, round house, resources

<http://www.manitoumounds.com/index.html>

Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute – cultural standards

<http://www.ktei.net/cultural-standards.html>

Learning from Our Elders Part 1 - Storytelling

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DqiKa75XVpl&feature=related>

Legends, KNET

<http://legends.knet.on.ca/>

Medicine Wheel Teachings - Anishinabe

http://www.wholisticcounselling.com/Medicine_Wheel.php

<http://www.anishinaabemdaa.com/medicinewheel.htm>

Medicine Wheel Teachings – Cree

<http://www.dancingtoeaglespiritsociety.org/medwheel.php>

Medicine Wheel Teachings – videos

http://www.google.ca/search?q=medicine+wheel+teachings&hl=en&rlz=1T4SUNC_enCA363CA363&prmd=ivns&source=univ&tbs=vid:1&tbo=u&ei=z9A5TZANhfiAB4nRkOYI&sa=X&oi=video_result_group&ct=title&resnum=14&ved=0CGsQqwQwDQ

Métis Holistic Life Long Learning Model, Canadian Council on Learning,

<http://cli.ccl-cca.ca/Metis/index.php?q=home&l=en>

Métis Traditional Knowledge, Traditional Plant Use Study for Southern Ontario

<http://www.metisnation.org/programs/lands,-resources--consultations/traditional-knowledge.aspx>

Mohawk Language

<http://onkwawenna.info/moodle/>

Nish Tales: Walking and Talking with Nanabush, Ojibwe Cultural Foundation – interactive language learning website

<http://www.nanabush.ca/>

Ohwejagehká Ha'degaenage – objectives, earth songs, language, message board, news

<http://www.ohwejagehka.com/>

Ojibwe and Cree Cultural Centre, Northern Anishnawbe Education Council – language, education, library, board game, newsletter, catalogue, resource centre, services
<http://www.occc.ca/education.html>

Ojibwe Cultural Foundation – interactive language learning website, cultural workshops and more
<http://www.ojibweculture.ca/site/>

Path of the Elders – Mushkegowuk Cree and Anishinaabe Ojibway language, game, photo collection, video collection, audio collection, history, teachers, language
<http://www.pathoftheelders.com/index.php>

The Great Peace, Gathering of Good Minds - Explore the history, culture and spirituality of the Haudenosaunee (Six Nations Iroquois) on this unique CD-ROM. Learn how the Great Law of Peace guides and protects the Haudenosaunee. Travel on an educational interactive multimedia journey. A must have for schools, libraries and other educational institutions.
<http://www.greatpeace.org/>

Thirteen Grandmother Moon Teachings
<http://www.kanawayhitowin.ca/pdfs/grandmothermoon.pdf>

Woodland Cultural Centre – museum, language, library, education
<http://www.woodland-centre.on.ca/index.php>

Section 7 – Academic Support

Aboriginal Nurses Association of Canada – mentorship program

<http://www.anac.on.ca/mentorship.php>

ABC Life Literacy Canada

<http://abclifeliteracy.ca/>

Academic Tips

<http://www.academictips.org/>

Academic Zone - Essay Zone - an interactive online writing resource that engages students while increasing their understanding of the writing process

<http://www.academic-zone.com/essayzone.php>

Access Bridges.com - educational tools i.e. create a CV, homework helper, writing a thesis, survey research

<https://access.bridges.com>

Centre for Teaching Excellence – note taking and study skills guide

http://cte.uwaterloo.ca/teaching_resources/tips/building_note_taking_skills_for_students.html

Contact the Centre for Students with Disabilities at the local post-secondary institution

Contact the Student Services office at the local post-secondary institution

Contact the Writing Support Centre at the local post-secondary institution

Dragon Naturally Speaking software allows individuals to talk to their PC into most windows based applications. Spoken words appear instantly on the screen. All commands are voice activated.

<http://www.nuance.com/dragon/index.htm>

Education Coaching.Com – one on one academic guidance and solutions

<http://www.educationcoaching.com/>

E Learning Homework Help

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/elearning/homework.html>

E-Learning Ontario, Ministry of Education – online courses (elementary and secondary)

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/elearning/>

EssayZone.com - aims to provide clear, coherent unbiased research material for A Level and University stages of education

<http://www.essayzone.com/>

Homework Help

www.Ontario.ca/HomeworkHelp
<http://www.Ontario.ca/HomeworkHelp>

How to Study – more than 80 tips and articles on study skills and learning

<http://www.how-to-study.com/>

Independent Learning Centre – Ontario’s designated provider of distance education and GED testing. The website includes school, GED testing, ask a teacher, education partners, publications, public service announcements, employment opportunities

<http://www.ilc.org/about/index.php>

Independent Learning Centre – high school credit courses, GED testing, on line tutoring for grades 9 to 12, homework and study resources, ask a teacher

<http://www.ilc.org/index-main.php>

Kurzweil Educational Systems - Kurzweil 3000™ is the comprehensive reading, writing and learning software solution for any struggling reader, including individuals with learning difficulties, such as dyslexia, attention deficit disorder or those who are English Language Learners.

<http://www.kurzweiledu.com/kurz3000.html>

Lakehead University Designated Student Groups: Aboriginal Native Canadian Student Awards

<http://mycoursecalendar.lakeheadu.ca/pg219.html>

LearnersTV – video lectures, video courses, science animations, lecture notes, online test, lecture presentations absolutely FREE

<http://www.learnerstv.com/>

Ministry of Education – students, parents, teachers, administrators – find schools, child care options, Ontario curriculum, healthy schools, safe schools, special education, etc.

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/>

Ministry of Community and Social Services – One window access for developmental services - regional contact points will provide information (i.e. assessments, navigating the system), confirm eligibility for services and supports, determine service and support needs, link people to services and supports, administer direct funding agreements

http://www.mcscs.gov.on.ca/en/mcscs/programs/developmental/improving/new_application.aspx

National Educational Association of Disabled Students, High School Transition – moving on, funding and scholarship programs, transition programs, federal programs for students, student success stories, non-governmental organizations, disabled students’ leadership, frequently asked questions, additional resources, on campus services

<http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/movingon/>

OnLine Education Data Base – online colleges, online degrees, online programs, rankings, library, financial aid, blog, career guide, fast track careers and more

<http://oedb.org/finance/>

Ontario Association for Mathematics Education

<http://www.oame.on.ca/main/index1.php?lang=en&code=home>

Ontario Learn – online course, online college, online education, distance education
<http://www.ontariolearn.ca/>

Parenting and Literacy Centres, Ministry of Education
<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/parents/pflc.html>

Prior Learning and Assessment Recognition
<http://www.FNTI.net/>

Research Guide for Students
<http://www.aresearchguide.com/>

Sioux Hudson Literacy Council - a non-profit, community base, client centred Literacy and Basic skills Program – online courses, projects/partnerships
<http://www.siouxhudsonliteracy.com/>

Special Education Resource, Ministry of Education – an overview, resolving identification or placement issues, policy direction, resource documents, individual education plans and more
<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/general/elemsec/speced/speced.html>

Student Development Centre, University of Western
<http://www.sdc.uwo.ca/>

Student Life, University of Guelph – student support positions in Aboriginal Resource Centre
<http://studentlife.uoguelph.ca/node/987>

Study Group Guide for Students
http://www.math.yorku.ca/Undergrad/sg_gdst.htm

Study Strategies and Guides
<http://studygs.net/>

Study Tips – on line programs, study skills, holistic learning, improve memory, increase brain performance and more
<http://www.studytips.org/>

Study Tips for Students
<http://www.studynoteshelp.com/>

Success in Math – math tutors
<http://www.successinmath-oc.com/>

Technology for Life for Disabled People - Dragon Naturally Speaking is an amazing piece of software! It uses cutting edge voice recognition technology to provide word processing features and control of Windows functions.
http://www.aidis.org/support/dragon_nat.php

Thesis Writing Resources for Students – articles, topics, example thesis
<http://www.sparrowpapers.com/resources/>

Toastmaster International – 10 tips for public speaking
<http://www.toastmasters.org/tips.asp>

Tutor.com
<http://www.tutor.com/>

Unique Minds – on line tutoring services in most subjects for grade 1 to university
<http://www.uniqueminds.ca/services.html>

Where there`s a will, there`s a way to close the achievement gap for children with special needs
<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/research/barnes.pdf>

York University Skill Building – on line resources, downloadable brochures, academic support at York
<http://www.yorku.ca/cdc/lsp/skillbuilding.html>

Section 8 – For Counsellors and Educators

Aboriginal Canada Portal - resources for teachers

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/acp/site.nsf/eng/ao31053.html>

Adprima, Educational information for new and future teachers – study skills and learning

<http://www.adprima.com/studyout.htm>

Applied Intervention for Suicide Training (ASIST), Canadian Mental Health Association - teaching caregivers the necessary skills to provide emergency psychological first aid in situations involving suicidal behaviour

http://www.ontario.cmha.ca/inside_cmha.asp?CID=7643

Canadian Counselling and Psychotherapy Association – providing professional counselors and psychotherapists with access to exclusive educational programs, certification, professional development and direct contact with professional peers and specialty groups

<http://www.ccpa-accp.ca/en/>

CanLearn.ca – on line counsellor training – questions and answers

<http://tools.canlearn.ca/cslgs-scpse/cln-cln/40/cel-oci/af.bienvenue-welcome-eng.do>

Caregiverstress.com – caregiver stress meter, helpful tips for caregivers, educational videos, caregiver resources, Laughter: the best medicine

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/ys/tk-eng.pdf>

Clear Mind International Institute – professional counselling training and personal development – audio and visual resources

<http://www.clearmind.com/counsellor-training.php>

Cooperative Education Fact Sheet, Children with Special Education Needs

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/teachers/studentssuccess/coopSpecialNeeds.pdf>

Counselcarecanada.org – Aboriginal Counselling - culturally sensitive counselling, appreciative inquiry and the medicine wheel; counselling services, more counselling, modes of counselling, professional practice

http://www.counselcarecanada.org/Aboriginal_Counselling.html

Current Approaches to Aboriginal Youth Suicide Prevention

<http://namhr.ca/pdfs/Suicide-Prevention.pdf>

Dealing with Difficult People, Confrontation Skills and Beat the Bully – 1 hour webinars

<http://www.dealingwithdifficultpeople.org/>

Dealing with Difficult People: Practical Tips, Common Ground Newsletter

http://www.munncrs.com/COMMON_GROUND/summer2002.html

First Nations Holistic Learning Model

http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/RedefiningSuccess/CCL_Learning_Model_FN.pdf

First Nations Pedagogy on-line – community, practices, learning, circle
<http://www.firstnationspedagogy.ca/>

I am a kind man (a project of OFIFC) – Kanawayhitowin Facilitator Training
<http://www.iamakindman.ca/IAKM/index.php>

Inuit Holistic Lifelong Learning Model
http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/RedefiningSuccess/CCL_Learning_Model_IN.pdf

Learning Disabilities Association of Ontario – myths and facts about learning disabilities, LD`s and ADHD, services, workshops and courses, public policy and advocacy, web based teaching tool for early identification and intervention and more
<http://www.ldao.ca/>

Lynx – early psychosis intervention program
<http://www.lynxtracks.ca/program.html>

Mental Health and High School, Canadian Mental Health Association – information for students, teachers and school staff and parents
<http://www.cmha.ca/highschool/english.htm>

Mentoring Programs for Aboriginal Youth, Journal of Aboriginal and Indigenous Community Health
<http://www.pimatisiwin.com/uploads/953417969.pdf>

Métis Holistic Lifelong Learning Model
http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/RedefiningSuccess/CCL_Learning_Model_MET.pdf

National Health Promotions Associates, Life Skills Planning Workbook – use with grades 6 to 9 or 3 to 6

National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) – information for medical and health professionals, researchers, parents and teachers, students and young adults, news, meetings and events, publications, funding
<http://www.nida.nih.gov/infofacts/treatmeth.html>

Other NIDA websites:

- Anabolic Steroid Abuse
<http://www.steroidabuse.org/>
- ClubDrugs.ca – info facts, resources, features and more
<http://www.clubdrugs.gov/>
- HIV + Drugs > Learn the Link – view webisodes, videos and more
<http://hiv.drugabuse.gov/>
- Inhalants Drug Abuse – research, info facts,
<http://inhalants.drugabuse.gov/>
- Marijuanainfo.org
<http://www.marijuana-info.org/>
- Nicotine Addiction and other dangers of tobacco use – how does tobacco affect the brain, guidance for parents to keep kids smoke-free, and more
<http://smoking.drugabuse.gov/>

- Teens – facts on drugs, ask Dr. NIDA, brain games, real stories, connect and interact, parents and teachers
- <http://teens.drugabuse.gov/mom/>

National Learning Centre for Disabilities – LD basics, in the home, at school, college and work, on Capital Hill

<http://nclid.org/>

Native Counsellor Training Program

<http://www.oneca.com/>

Maori Counselling Skills and Tools – A to E Process compiled by David Warentini Karena

<http://www.slideshare.net/taima/maori-counselling-skills-and-tools>

Nourishing the Learning Spirit: Elders Dialogue

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GQiDZFiEqp4>

Ontario Native Education Counselling Association

www.oneca.com

Ontario Prospects

www.ontario.ca/ontarioprospects

Ontario School Counsellors Association – leaders in guidance and career education, information for students, parent and public, teachers and counsellors, pathways, etc.

<http://www.osca.ca/>

Paul Martin Education Initiative – “support initiatives that improve education at the elementary and secondary levels for Aboriginal Canadians”, current initiatives, participants, community partners, news

<http://www.maei-ieam.ca/about.html>

Scared Straight (DVD) by Arnold Shapiro, Director/Writer, starring Danny Glover

<http://www.aetv.com/beyond-scared-straight/about/>

Science Teachers Association of Ontario – resources, conference, virtual library, workshops, store

<http://www.stao.ca/>

Strategies for Healthy Relationships, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health Centre for Prevention Science – curriculum resources i.e. Aboriginal Peer Mentoring Program, Aboriginal Perspectives Program

http://youthrelationships.org/curriculum_resources.html

Toastmasters International – become the speaker and leader you want to be - world leader in helping people become more competent and comfortable in front of an audience

<http://www.toastmasters.org/>

Training Institute for Suicide Assessment

<http://www.suicideassessment.com/home.html>

Video lectures, video courses, science animations, lecture notes, on line tests, lecture presentations and absolutely FREE - Biology, math and science, computer science and much more
<http://www.learnerstv.com/>

You tube videos (do a search) – Dealing with difficult people; Communication Skills; and more

Section 9 – Career Support

Aboriginal Human Resource Council – getting started, promising practices, success stories, articles and reports, Aboriginal employment centres, career resources, inclusion tips, national Aboriginal leadership groups and organizations

<http://www.aboriginalhr.ca/en/resources/getstarted>

Access to Professions and Trades in Ontario

http://www.211ontario.ca/apt/fs_apt.htm

Anishnabe Outreach – employment, training and career services for Kitchener, Waterloo, Guelph, Cambridge and Wellington County

<http://anishnabegoutreach.org/>

Apprenticeshipsearch.com, Employment Ontario – the best place to search on-line for apprenticeship opportunities and information about the skilled trades

<http://www.apprenticesearch.com>

Building a Personal and Career Portfolio, Curriculum Services Canada Foundation

<http://www.curriculum.org/tcf/teachers/projects/repository/portfolios.pdf>

Canadian Apprenticeship Forum – activities, reports, resources, information for apprentices, employers, youth, educators and parents

<http://www.caf-fca.org/en/>

CanLearn.ca – planning for a post-secondary education, career planning, finding programs and schools, student grants, loans and scholarships, career interest quiz, distance education, study for success

<http://www.canlearn.ca/eng/preparing/index.shtml>

Career Cruising – an online career guidance and planning system, explore education and training options, portfolio and resume building, career advisor management system, training and support documents for administrators, counsellors and teachers (web-based or in person)

<http://www.careercruising.com/Default.aspx> Also, Career Cruising training videos

<http://www.careercruising.com/Public/Webinars/UpcomingSessions.aspx?SessionType=RecordedTraining>

Career Cruising User's Guide 2011, The Complete Guidance System

http://www.careercruising.com/newmedia/docs/canadian/CDNUsersGuide_en.pdf

Career Edge, Canada's Internship Organization – internships for graduates of all disciplines, internships for graduates with disabilities, internships for internationally qualified professionals, links to media resources, achievement awards

<http://overview.careeredge.ca/index.asp?FirstTime=True&context=0&FromContext=4&language=1>

Career Options, Youth Canada – the basics, helpful websites

http://www.youth.gc.ca/eng/topics/career_planning/options.shtml

Career Perfect – resume, interview, job search, career planning and more for students and entry level, professional and mid-career, executive, federal and military
<http://www.careerperfect.com/>

Careers in Health Sciences
<http://www.worldwidelearn.com/career-planning-education/health-sciences/>

Career testing tool – turn your interests into a career
<http://www.jvis.com/default.htm>

Choose a Career, Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities
<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/postsecondary/careerplanning/>

Contact the Career Services office of the local post-secondary institute

Contact the local Aboriginal Human Resource Development, Employment and Training Organizations

Curriculum Services Canada – building a personal and career portfolio, professional learning services i.e. webinars, web conferences, web meetings, webcasts and podcasts, classroom resources, grants for teachers, supplementary resource developers
<http://www.curriculum.org/tcf/teachers/projects/portfolio.shtml>

Elearningnetwork.ca – furthering your education through elearning starts here with online courses and programs, benefits, services (to support students and learning), frequently asked questions
<http://www.elearnnetwork.ca/>

Finding The Right Fit, The Ultimate Guide to College by Kenneth Albert – this book guides parents and students through the trials of finding the right college and knowing what colleges are looking for when you apply
<http://www.kennethalbert.com/>

Guiding Circles, Aboriginal Human Resource Council - Helping Aboriginal people discover their career potential, one story at a time
<http://www.aboriginalhr.ca/en/programs/guidingcircles>

Health Sciences Careers – careers in health science, jobs, job fairs, nursing, allied health, physicians, dentists, midwives, support and skills trades, benefits and perks, and more.
<http://www.lhsc.on.ca/Careers/LHSC/index.htm>

I want to work in the trades, Ministry of Training, College and Universities
<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/employmentontario/training/>

Jobs People Do – jobs, job videos, resumes, education, campus life, articles, volunteer, featured articles i.e. A Student's Guide to De-stressing
<http://www.jobspeopledo.com/>

Labour Market Information – build your occupational profile, job descriptions, job and skill requirements, employment prospects, wages and salaries, potential employers, where to get training, about the local labour market, industrial profiles, other resources

http://www.labourmarketinformation.ca/standard.aspx?pcode=lmiv_main&lcode=eng

Made with the Trades – about trades, information for students, parents, counsellors, career change, explore a trade, trivia game, and more

<http://www.madewiththetrades.com/index.php>

McMaster University Career Cruising Tips

<http://careers.mcmaster.ca/tools/fyi/career-cruising-tips/>

Ministry of Natural Resources – post-secondary coops and internships

http://www.mnr.gov.on.ca/en/Business/Youth/2ColumnSubPage/STEL02_163402.html?utm_source=Newsroom&utm_medium=WebNews&utm_term=Post%2BSecondary%2BCo-op&utm_content=mar-15-2011&utm_campaign=Youth%2BPrograms%2B2011

Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities

<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/>

National Aboriginal Achievement Foundation – Programs, scholarships and bursaries, awards, Blueprint for the Future (career fair)

<http://www.naaf.ca/>

Native Access to Engineering – explore the centuries-old engineering practices of the peoples of Turtle Island; engineering projects taking place in First Nations and other communities around the world; more than 200 different types of engineering; find answers to your questions about engineering; and profiles of Native people from communities who are successful scientists and engineers

<http://www.nativeaccess.com/>

Next Steps.org - career planning tool

<http://www.nextsteps.org/career/index.html>

Ontario Internship Program

<https://www.internship.gov.on.ca/MBS/sdb/intern.nsf/LkpWebContent/ePublishedHOME>

Ontario Skills Passport, Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities – essential skills and work habits for the workplace, occupations and tasks, resources, create a work plan/training plan, create a transition plan, employer tools, check up tools, check in tool, FAQ's

<http://skills.edu.gov.on.ca/OSPWeb/jsp/en/introduction.jsp>

Personality Tests

- Enneagram Institute - <http://www.enneagraminstitute.com/>
- Keirsey - <http://www.keirsey.com/sorter/instruments2.aspx?partid=0>

Queendom, the land of tests – career tests, IQ tests, personality tests, relationship tests, aptitude and lifestyle tests, health tests

<http://www.queendom.com/tests/index.htm>

Real Game Series (grades 3 to adult)

<http://www.realgame.ca/>

The Get Real Game focuses on the transition from grades 11 to 12 to postsecondary life. Using highly interactive activities, students strategize ways of acquiring necessary skills, training, education, and work experience to achieve their future goals. The program offers an ideal opportunity for students to practise and hone the career and life-planning skills necessary for the 21st century.

<http://www.realgame.ca/en/games/TGRG/index.html>

Real Times, Real Life is being used in Adult Education programs in a variety of settings, including correctional centres, community colleges, and community-based programs. Adults in transition explore - through role-playing and the creation of a simulated society - the changing world of work from 1900 to the early 21st century. The use of decision-making and adaptability skills is the key to the program. *Real Times, Real Life* results in the development of an individual Action Plan.

<http://www.realgame.ca/en/games/RTRL/index.html>

RCMP Summer Student Program, the Success Story – Federation of Newfoundland Indians (video)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MPIvLfuiwQA>

Service Canada – starting a post-secondary education

<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/eng/lifeevents/studies.shtml>

Career Success Stories, Human Resources and Skills Development Canada (videos)

http://www.rhdcc-hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/success_stories/index.shtml

University of Toronto Career Centre

<http://www.careers.utoronto.ca/libResource/careerPortfolio.aspx?tr>

Waterloo Career Development eManual, Centre for Career Action, University of Waterloo

<https://emanual.uwaterloo.ca/register/demo.aspx>

World Wide Learn – on line degrees, colleges and universities, education resources, career resources, people like you

<http://www.worldwidelearn.com/>

York Region District School Board, Guidance Services

<http://www.yrdsb.edu.on.ca/page.cfm?id=RGS000020>

Section 10 – Health and Wellness

Aboriginal Health Access Centres, Aboriginal Healing and Wellness Strategy

<http://www.ahwsontario.ca/programs/hacc.html>

Aboriginal Healing Foundation – announcements, FAQ's, funded projects, publications, links

<http://www.ahf.ca/>

Aboriginal Healing and Wellness Strategy Phase III Longitudinal Study Final Report

http://www.ahwsontario.ca/publications/AHWS_Longitudinal_Study2009.pdf

Ontario Assistive Devices Program

http://www.health.gov.on.ca/english/public/program/adp/adp_mn.html

Canada's Food Guide for First Nations, Inuit and Métis, Health Canada – copies can be ordered or downloaded and are available in English, Inuktitut, Ojibwe, Plains Cree, Woods Cree

<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/pubs/fnim-pnim/index-eng.php>

Canadian Mental Health Association – your mental health, mental health meter, taking care of your mental health, mental fitness tips, emotional health minder, emotional wellness, stress, etc.

http://www.cmha.ca/bins/meter_page.asp?cid=2-267-1304

Changing Attitudes, Changing Lives, Ontario's Sexual Violence Action Plan 2011

<http://www.citizenship.gov.on.ca/owd/english/women/svap2011.pdf>

Children and Adolescents with Special Needs, Centres for Children's Well-Being – early intervention, learning and communication, mental health, nutrition, health and development, substance abuse

<http://www.coespecialneeds.ca/?display=home>

Community Team Approaches to Mental Health Services and Wellness Promotion

<http://namhr.ca/pdfs/Community-Wellness-Team.pdf>

Discovering Natural Abilities – workshops and seminars in south-western Ontario, True Colours communication and team building, Myers-Briggs MBTI team building, conflict management, organizational change, articles, facilitators, videos

<http://www.truecolorsworkshop.com/default.asp>

Exploring Stress and Social Support in Aboriginal students at the University of Guelph -

<http://www.pimatisiwin.com/online/wp-content/uploads/2010/jan/04ParrackPreyde.pdf>

First Nations Healing Blog – promoting self-governance in health and healing through discovery and by honouring traditional ways - culture, featured, governance, health, the land, updates

<http://firstnationshealing.com/blog/?tag=aboriginal>

First Nations Health (BC) – health actions, community engagement, health governance

<http://fnhc.ca/>

First Nations, Inuit and Aboriginal Health

<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/index-eng.php>

Healing Lodges in Ontario, Aboriginal Healing and Wellness Strategy

<http://www.ahwsontario.ca/programs/healogc.html>

Health Care Access and Two Spirits

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sgk4OwG344E&feature=youtu.be&a>

Kids Have Stress Too! – stress management strategies including parent education program, preschool program, school program, program overview, training forum, ask a psychologist

<http://www.psychologyfoundation.org/kidshavestresstoo.php>

Kids Help Phone

<http://www.kidshelpphone.ca/Teens/Home.aspx>

Lumosity.com - reclaim your brain with brain training

<http://www.lumosity.com/personal-training-plan>

Mental Health and High School, A Guide for Students, Canadian Mental Health Association

http://www.cmha.ca/data/1/rec_docs/295_mhh_eng_sm.pdf

National Aboriginal Health Organization – speaker series, features, health news, bulletin board, Journal of Aboriginal Health and more

<http://naho.ca/english/>

Network for Aboriginal Mental Health Research Website – research, training, newsletters, internships

<http://namhr.ca/index.php>

Ontario Women’s Directorate – for women experiencing violence, helping women achieve financial independence, YOUth space, for organizations, honouring Ontario women, health and wellness for women, resources, information and public education, frequently asked questions, women’s help line

http://www.citizenship.gov.on.ca/owd/english/women/svapidoc_2011.shtml

Public Health Agency of Canada

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/index-eng.php>

Public Health Agency of Canada, Aboriginal Peoples

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/chn-rca/aboriginal-autochtones-eng.php>

Physical Activity Among First Nations People Off-Reserve Métis and Inuit, Statistics Canada

<http://www.statcan.gc.ca/pub/82-003-x/2011001/article/11403-eng.htm>

Regional Health Survey Cultural Framework, First Nations Information Governance Centre

<http://www.fnigc.ca/node/39>

Regional Health Survey Quick Facts, First Nations Information Governance Centre

<http://www.fnigc.ca/facts>

True Colours – free quiz, workshops, information
<http://www.truecolorscareer.com/>

Section 11 – Financial Assistance

AMMSA (Aboriginal Multi Media Society Association) - list of Aboriginal scholarships in Canada
<http://www.ammsa.com/community-access/scholarships>

AMMSA Ontario Scholarships for Aboriginal students
<http://ammsa.com/node/29947>

Apprenticeship Awards, Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities
<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/employers/awards/index.html>

Bill Gates Foundation – scholarships
<http://www.gatesfoundation.org/topics/Pages/scholarships.aspx>

Canadian Merit Scholarship Foundation - grants Loran Awards to talented young Canadians on the basis of character, service and leadership potential. A Loran Award includes four years of funding for undergraduate studies and a comprehensive enrichment program. The website includes FAQ's for teachers and counsellors
<http://www.loranaward.ca/>

CanLearn – education savings, planning for post-secondary education, student loans, grants and scholarships, after post-secondary education, continuing education – lifelong learning, on line tools (student financial assistance estimator, repayment assistance estimator), list of designated educational institutions
<http://www.canlearn.ca/eng/index.shtml>

Contact the local First Nations education office for PSSSP funding guidelines

Contact the Financial Services office of the post-secondary institution

Costs of University, University of Toronto – tuition fees, transit commission, budgeting tool
<http://www.adm.utoronto.ca/adm-awards/html/costsofuniversity.action.htm>

Grand River Post Secondary Education Office – financial assistance, eligibility, application process, FAQ's, student information, student calendar, publications, policy updates, actual case study costs, annual report
<http://www.grpseo.org/aboutGRPSEO.html>

INAC Post-Secondary Program- information for students, eligibility, what costs are covered, how to apply, information for post-secondary institutions
<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/pse-eng.asp>

Métis Nation of Ontario Scholarships and Bursaries
<http://www.metisnation.org/programs/education--training/education/metis-nation-of-ontario-bursaries--scholarships-program-.aspx>

National Aboriginal Achievement Foundation (NAAF) – scholarships and bursaries according to industry
http://www.naaf.ca/userfiles/BBF_2011_FINAL_SMALL.pdf

NAAF application forms are located at: <http://www.naaf.ca/download%20applications>

Native Specific Scholarships, Awards and Bursaries, Queen's University
http://docs.google.com/viewer?a=v&q=cache:jLE3caHhg0J:educ.queensu.ca/atep/links/AboriginalAwards.pdf+H.C.+Peatson+Education+Travel+Fund.&hl=en&gl=ca&pid=bl&srcid=ADGEESiLv0enjkQGX105YZZ9ha1p49eoeg6hp1EHY1LXZvbkajEuVkny1ZbKC4jYVPxB5Fij5sevWgYa9GCKTs64N_8wcnSOV7IB_R5g1diS uc2Jk7Wl8Rj0OOXwhUIEHmQ4kJY68vs&sig=AHIEtbSloeQ2w5guSkUAkam89ftfhiKC2A

Ontario Student Assistance Program – what is OSAP, getting OSAP, choose a career, find a school, study in Ontario, study abroad
<https://osap.gov.on.ca/OSAPPortal>

Ontario Student Access Guarantee
<https://osap.gov.on.ca/OSAPPortal/en/PostsecondaryEducation/OSAP/OSAP004003.html>

Other Scholarships and Bursaries, Métis Nation of Ontario website
<http://www.metisnation.org/programs/education--training/education/other-scholarships-bursaries.aspx>

Post Secondary Student Support Program, Indian and Northern Affairs – eligibility, how to apply for funding, what costs are covered, additional Federal assistance for Aboriginal students
<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/pse-eng.asp>

Scholarships Canada.com
<http://www.scholarshipscanada.com/>

Southern First Nations Secretariat, services – post-secondary funding guidelines, on-line application forms, list of counsellors, post secondary newsletter
<http://www.sfns.on.ca/pages/services/edu.html>

Student Awards – awards for high school, college and university students and success stories
<http://www.studentawards.com/>

Tallying the Costs of Post Secondary and Managing Debt, Canadian Council on Learning, Canadian Council on Learning, pdf
<http://www.ccl-cca.ca/ccl/Reports/PostSecondaryEducation/PSEHome/PSEChallengesMonograph3.html>

The Future Costs of a University Degree, TD Bank, 2009
http://www.td.com/economics/special/ca1009_education.pdf

University of Toronto Academic Awards
<http://www.adm.utoronto.ca/adm-awards/html/awards/mainawdpage.htm>

Section 12 - Employment Assistance for Students and Graduates

Aboriginal Canada Portal- Employment, general programs and services

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/acp/site.nsf/eng/ao31171.html>

Aboriginal employment centres

http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/employment/aboriginal_employment/locations/index.shtml

Aboriginal Human Resource Council – products, services and networks that help Indigenous people advance careers and organizations create inclusive workplaces that position them as employers-of-choice, grad online application process and more

<http://www.aboriginalhr.ca/en/inclusion11/gradapp>

First Nations and Inuit Youth Employment Strategy, INAC – First Nations and Inuit Summer Work Experience Program, First Nations and Inuit Summer Link Program (for youth living on reserves or in designated communities)

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/ys/index-eng.asp>

Job Search Tool Kit for Aboriginal Youth

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/ys/tk-eng.asp>

LYNX Aboriginal Student Career and Employment Program – offers aboriginal post-secondary students and recent graduates connections to employment (full-time, co-op and summer work across Western Canada) in a variety of different fields, profiles students and features corporate sponsors many of whom offer scholarships and employment opportunities

<http://www.aboriginallynx.ca/>

Métis Training to Employment – looking for training, for youth, for employers, find out more

<http://metisemployment.ca/>

Ontario Job Futures – Find an occupation, what is a job profile, employment patterns, how are jobs defined

<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/ojf/>

Service Canada Job Bank

<http://www.jobbank.gc.ca/Intro-eng.aspx>

Summer Jobs Program, Employment Ontario (for students 15 to 30 who are returning to school)

<http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/eng/document/brochure/summejbe.html>

Youth Employment Program, National Research Council of Canada – are you eligible, firms, graduates, benefits, what is the process

<http://www.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/eng/services/irap/youth-initiatives.html>

Section 13 – Applying for Post-Secondary

Contact the local First Nations post-secondary funding administration office

Contact the local First Nations post-secondary institute

Contact the Registrar or Admissions Office at the local post-secondary institution

OntarioColleges.ca – plan, find, apply, confirm, second career, get a real job, why college, professions and trades programs

<http://www.ontariocolleges.ca/portal/page/portal/ONTCOL/Home>

Ontario Learn – online course, online college, online education, distance education

<http://www.ontariolearn.ca/>

Ontario College University Transfer Guide – information for students, counsellors and researchers, search transfer agreements by institution, by regional destination

<http://www.ocutg.on.ca/search/servlet/search?display=e-searchIndex>

Ontario Universities Application Centre – apply to university, applications, deadlines, resources, statistics, news, undergraduate applications, professional applications for science, law, education, medical schools

<http://www.ouac.on.ca/>

Section 14 – Child Care

Contact the local community for child care services

Full day kindergarten, Ministry of Education

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/kindergarten/>

Licensed child care, Ministry of Education - about child care, choosing child care, finding child care, paying for child care, full-day kindergarten and child care, child care professionals

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/childcare/index.html>

Paying for child care, Ministry of Education

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/childcare/paying.html#subsidy>

Safety 15 – Safety

Canadian Centre for Child Protection – report abuse, safety education, public awareness, prevent abuse
<http://www.protectchildren.ca/app/en/>

Contact the walk safe services of the local college or university

Kids Help Phone

<http://www.kidshelpphone.ca/Teens/Home.aspx>

Taking Care of Each Others Spirits, Ontario Federation of Indian Friendship Centres – erase your tracks, warning signs of abuse

<http://www.kanawayhitowin.ca/>

Texting – Chat and Chill - textual relations; true friends, being bothered, secrets, good and bad relationships, stressed (parents and youth), did you know, pop quiz

<http://www.texted.ca>

Violent Victimization of Aboriginal People in Canadian Provinces, 2009, Statistics Canada

<http://www.statcan.gc.ca/pub/85-002-x/2011001/article/11415-eng.pdf>

Section 16 – Youth Voices

Aboriginal Youth Council, National Association of Friendship Centres - discusses and identifies youth priority issues, including stay in school initiatives, healing and wellness, suicide, preserving culture and heritage, cross cultural awareness, homelessness, youth leadership, employment and training, youth involvement at all levels of the Friendship Centre Movement, and youth involvement in the decision-making processes of the Movement.

<http://www.nafc.ca/aboriginal-youth-council.htm>

Assembly of First Nations National Chief's Virtual Summit on Post-Secondary Education, 2011

http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/11-03-01_virtual_summit_on_pse_report.pdf

Canadian Alliance of Student Associations

<http://casa-acae.com>

Canadian Federation of Students, National Aboriginal Caucus

<http://cfsontario.ca>

Career Edge - learn about internships

www.careeredge.org

A Student's Success Story: My Experiences with Post-Secondary Education by Tara Marttinen

Family to Family, Summer 2002, Issue No. 5

http://www.cmha.ca/data/1/rec_docs/187_familytofamily_sum2002.pdf

ISPAYIN – Métis Youth Website – health promotion, events and opportunities, blog, social media, culture, fast facts, Michif language, resources, DVD and Discussion Guide, Métis Centre, National Aboriginal Health Organization

<http://www.metisyouthexpressions.ca/about-e.php>

National Youth Council, Assembly of First Nations – Mission - 'Voices in Unity – Voices from the Community', Vision - We as community members and indigenous citizens united in exercising our inherent rights, strive to influence the direction of the Assembly of First Nations through advocacy, equality and working with all levels of Leadership, in creating opportunities for personal development and empowerment for the future of all generations.

<http://www.afnyouth.ca/>

Ontario Undergraduate Student Alliance

<http://www.ousa.ca/>

Perspectives Canada – Videos from students who have made the transition to post secondary and graduation

<http://perspectivescanada.ca/>

Say Magazine – largest national magazine for and about Native youth

<http://www.saymag.com/canada/>

Shielded Minds (film) –a spring break journey across the Canadian Shield brought Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal youth face to face with a native Canada of strength and struggle – a vehicle for reconciliation and identity building

<http://shieldedminds.ca/>

Shout – Canada’s Aboriginal Youth Magazine – gives Aboriginal youth a strong voice by providing stories written by and about Aboriginal youth

<http://orgs.tigweb.org/shout-magazine>

Section 17 – Youth Employment

ACCESS (Aboriginal Community Career Employment Services Society), Service Canada, British Columbia
<http://www.accessfutures.com/>

Canada Customs and Revenue Agency (CCRA) - The CCRA offers a variety of exciting and challenging positions in areas such as: customs, audit, human resources, information technology, and others. It offers flexible hours, advancement opportunities, career mobility, development programs, and much more. CCRA seeks qualified individuals to fill various positions. It has the ability to recruit directly. The CCRA makes use of technology, especially the Internet, to meet its specific needs in this area. Add CCRA human resources offices post their job listings open to the public on the CCRA website. The CCRA also recruits students and recent graduates.

www.ccra-adrc.gc.ca/careers/

Check the local community job board

Contact the local Aboriginal Employment and Training organization

Grand River Post Secondary Education Office – top 10 resume mistakes, commonly asked interview questions, top 10 interview mistakes

<http://www.grpseo.org/resumeTips.html>

Grand River Employment and Training – for all your employment needs

www.greatsn.com

Fort Erie Native Friendship Centre

796 Buffalo Road, Fort Erie

(905) 871-8931

caroljhill25@hotmail.com

Grand River Employment and Training

38 Darling Street, Suite 105A, Brantford

(519) 758-9210 712

Viola@greatsn.com

Government Youth Jobs Website – information on summer career placements and summer work experience programs for youth

www.youth.gc.ca

Hamilton Regional Indian Centre

Main Street East, Hamilton

1-800-828-1070

damartin@cogeco.net

Human Resources and Social Development Canada - find jobs links to the following websites: Canadian Heritage; Indian and Northern Affairs; Industry Canada; plus many other youth employment links.

www.hrsdc.gc.ca

INAC Job Search Tool Kit for Aboriginal Youth
<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/edu/ep/ys/tk-eng.pdf>

Indian and Northern Affairs Canada - check out the web page for youth
www.ainc-inac.gc.ca

Job Bank - locate jobs in your local area
www.jobbank.gc.ca

Job Futures – Excellent website for youth to find out about different occupational groups, it gives you possible wages, future outlook for the occupation, job descriptions and much more. Check it out!
www.jobfutures.ca/en/home.shtml

Jobboom Canada - A listing of the top 100 job and training websites from Canada and elsewhere, providing a wealth of information and answers to all your questions
www.jobboom.com

Labour Market Information - labour market information, job descriptions, wages, who hires, where to get training, etc.
www.labourmarketinformation.ca

Monster, Self Assessment Centre - Check out Monster's quizzes to find more about your personality, your job search, networking and leadership skills, careers, work styles and about teamwork.
<http://assessment.monster.ca>

Public service Commission - website for post secondary recruitment, deadline for each spring is in the fall of each year
<http://jobs.gc.ca>

Service Canada - Information on jobs, workers, training and learning and career exploration and a youth link to other jobs, websites and information. Check out career and learning style quizzes at this website. Finding jobs - access the hidden job market; Find out about networking know-how, job/career fairs and research the job market.
www.jobsetc.ca
www.emploisetc.ca

Workopolis - jobs, labour market information, career related articles
www.workopolis.com

Youth Employment Services - job postings for youth and much more to help you find a job
www.yes.on.ca

Youth Path - many links to finding jobs in your area
www.youthpath.ca

Section 18 - Advocacy in Education

Aboriginal Institutes' Consortium

<http://www.aboriginalinstitute.com/>

Association of Canadian Community Colleges

<http://www.accc.ca/eng/>

Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada

<http://www.aucc.ca/>

Canadian Federation of Students – national aboriginal caucus, student services, aboriginal education

<http://www.cfs-fcee.ca/html/english/about/index.php>

Canadian Alliance of Student Associations – policy development and research, awareness campaigns, government relations, partnerships

<http://www.casa-acae.com/>

National Aboriginal Achievement Foundation – scholarships and bursaries, programs (career fairs, industry in the classroom, rivers to success), awards

<http://www.naaf.ca/>

Ontario Association of Adult and Continuing Education School Board Administrators – promotes and advances adult education

<http://www.cesba.com/>

Ontario Native Education Counselling Association

<http://www.oneca.com/>

Section 19 – Social Media

Facebook – allows students to connect and share in real time to each other through text, images and photos, a good way to connect student with home community

<http://www.facebook.com/>

Linked In – a networking tool to strengthen and extend your existing trusted contacts, a site for professionals, create a group and have a discussion on line

<http://www.linkedin.com/>

Skype – allows for video conferencing, phone calls with video and instant messaging; a great way to speak to family and friends where ever they are

<http://www.skype.com>

Twitter – allows individuals to post information and other media to a network of individuals signed up to received “real time” posts that are sent immediately

<http://twitter.com/>

Section 20 - Other Resources

Aboriginal Healing and Wellness Strategy Phase III Longitudinal Study Final Report, 2009

http://www.ahwsontario.ca/publications/AHWS_Longitudinal_Study2009.pdf

Aboriginal Perspectives, A Guide to the Teacher's Toolkit – teaching resources and strategies for elementary and secondary

http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/aboriginal/Guide_Toolkit2009.pdf

Aboriginal Post-Secondary Education and Training Policy Framework, Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities

http://event-wizard.com/files/clients/4UPQEPNS/APE_and_TP_Framework_Eng.pdf

Aboriginal Transitions: Undergraduate to Graduate, University of British Columbia – sharing stories, mentoring networks, survive and thrive

<http://www.aboriginaltransitions.ca/>

Assembly of First Nations Fact Sheet First Nations Post-Secondary Education

<http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/pse-fact-sheet.pdf>

AMMSA (Aboriginal Multi Media Society) – news

<http://www.ammsa.com/>

Braking Barriers: A Strategy for Equal Access to Higher Education, Ontario Undergraduate Student Alliance

<http://www.ousa.ca/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/2011/03/Breaking-Barriers.pdf>

Canadian Aboriginal Writing and Arts Challenge (for youth 14 to 29)

<http://www.our-story.ca/>

Canadian Legal Information Institute - non-profit organization managed by the Federation of Law Societies of Canada; the goal of the organization is to make Canadian law accessible free on the Internet

<http://www.canlii.org/en/>

Canadian Roots Exchange Field School – for Indigenous and non-Indigenous youth, three week program with workshops and teachings by local elders and educators, engagement with youth, local organizations and other community members, service learning projects and participation in community events

<http://www.canadianroots.ca/>

CBC, The National, *Challenge of Higher Education*, April 6, 2010 (3 min. 3 sec., interviews with Lakehead representatives)

http://www.cbc.ca/video/#/News/TV_Shows/The_National/1233408557/ID=1462105574

Challenges (video) – Aboriginal students talk about the challenges of university education

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3rbqjZpwo9M>

Colleges Serving Aboriginal Learners and Communities, 2010 Environmental Scan, ACCC

<http://www.accc.ca/ftp/pubs/studies/201011Aboriginal.pdf>

Compass, A Guide to Funded Electronic Resources for Public Libraries – free e-resources for libraries, pre-requisites, frequently asked questions

[http://www.sols.org/ministryprojects/\\$15MillionInvestment/compass/training/compass101/index.htm](http://www.sols.org/ministryprojects/$15MillionInvestment/compass/training/compass101/index.htm)

Cultural Competence and Cultural Safety in Nursing Education

<http://www.anac.on.ca/Documents/Making%20It%20Happen%20Curriculum%20Project/FINALFRAMEWORK.pdf>

First Nations, Métis and Inuit Education Framework, Ministry of Education

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/aboriginal/fnmiFramework.pdf>

First Nations Post-Secondary Education: An Examination of Post-Secondary Student Support and Institutional Development, L Hill

<http://chiefs-of-ontario.org/Assets/First%20Nations%20Post%20Secondary%20Education.pdf>

Guiding the Way, First Nations, Métis and Inuit, a Guide for Staff, joint project of the Grey-Bruce Catholic District School Board and the Bluewater District School Board, 2005

http://www.bwdsb.on.ca/AB_Ed/Guiding%20the%20Way%20With%20Treaty.pdf

Goodminds.com - educational Resources for Native American Studies, First Nations Studies, Indigenous Studies, and Aboriginal Studies, on line catalogue of Aboriginal and Native American educational resources for schools, libraries, and the general public, for grades K to post-secondary

<http://www.goodminds.com/>

Indigenous Peoples Issues and Resources – weekly news, regional, issues, resources, books, finding a job working with and for Indigenous issues, Indigenous fellowships and scholarships

<http://indigenouspeoplesissues.com/>

Macleans On Campus – university ratings, colleges, scholarships, co-ops, advice, hot topics (tenure, merit pay, grades, plagiarism, copy right, tuition, student panel

<http://oncampus.macleans.ca/education/>

Navigating Post Secondary Education in Canada: the Challenges of a Changing Landscape, Canadian Council on Learning

http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/PSE/2010/PSEChallengesMonograph2_EN.pdf

No Higher Priority: Aboriginal Post Secondary Education in Canada, Report of the Standing Committee on Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development, 2007

<http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/tafnpse.pdf>

Nourishing the Learning Spirit, Canadian Council of Learning

<http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/AbIKC/Nourishing-Spiritjuly2010.pdf>

Ombudsman Ontario, Ontario`s Watchdog – make a complaint, what we do, hot topics, publications and resources, newsroom, careers

<http://www.ombudsman.on.ca/en.aspx>

Ontario First Nations, Métis and Inuit Education Policy Framework, Aboriginal Education Office, Ministry of Education, 2007

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/aboriginal/fnmiFramework.pdf>

Ontario First Nation, Métis and Inuit Education Policy Framework

<http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/aboriginal/fnmiFramework.pdf>

Redefining How Success is Measured in First Nations, Inuit and Métis Education, Report on Learning, Canadian Council on Learning, 2007

http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/RedefiningSuccess/Redefining_How_Success_Is_Measured_EN.pdf

Research Ethics, Canadian Institutes of Health Research

<http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/29339.html>

Review of the Indian Studies Support Program Component of the PSE Program, 2006

[http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/katenies-chignecto_review_of_the_indian_studies_supportissp_joint_afn_inac_wg_program_component_of_the_pse_program_2006\[1\].pdf](http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/katenies-chignecto_review_of_the_indian_studies_supportissp_joint_afn_inac_wg_program_component_of_the_pse_program_2006[1].pdf)

Second Chance System: Results for the three cycles of the youth in transitions survey, the Learning Research Series, April 2008

http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/eng/publications_resources/learning_policy/sp-836-04-08e/sp_836_04_08e.pdf

Taking Action for First Nations Post-Secondary Education: Access, Opportunity, Outcomes Discussion Paper, 2010

<http://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/pse-dp.pdf>

The State of Aboriginal Learning in Canada: A Holistic Approach to Measuring Success, Canadian Council on Learning

http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/StateAboriginalLearning/SAL-FINALReport_EN.PDF

The State of Aboriginal Learning in Canada, Fact Sheet, Canadian Council on Learning

http://www.ccl-cca.ca/pdfs/StateAboriginalLearning/SAL-Fact-Sheet-Final_EN.PDF

Truth and Reconciliation Commission – mandate, what’s new, media room, links and resources, FAQ’s, residential school locations, national events, NRC forum, statement gathering, commemorative initiative, crisis hot line, keep me posted

<http://www.trc.ca/websites/trcinstitution/index.php?p=3>

Up to Par, the Challenges of Demonstrating Quality in Canadian PSE, Canadian Council on Learning

<http://www.ccl-cca.ca/CCL/Reports/PostSecondaryEducation/PSEHome/PSEChallenges.html>

Videos - parental engagement or parental involvement in education

http://www.google.ca/search?q=parental+engagement+education&hl=en&rls=com.microsoft:en-ca:IE-SearchBox&rlz=1175UNC_en&prmd=ivns&source=univ&tbs=vid:1&tbo=u&ei=4wk-TY-zNlrTgQekrLSwCA&sa=X&oi=video_result_group&ct=title&resnum=4&ved=0CEIQgwQwAw

Violent Victimization of Aboriginal People in the Canadian Provinces, 2009, Statistics Canada
<http://www.statcan.gc.ca/pub/85-002-x/2011001/article/11415-eng.pdf>

