



Welcome to Georgian ILAC College

Welcome to Georgian at ILAC College campus. We know there is a lot to think about when you are a new student. So, we decided to gather all this information in one place to help you find important information as a newcomer to Toronto. We are in a desirable downtown area, and we have many helpful facilities nearby.

1. About Toronto

Toronto is Canada's largest city, located in Ontario. It is known for its diverse population, vibrant arts scene, iconic landmarks like the CN Tower, and status as a global financial center. The city offers a mix of cultural experiences, economic opportunities, and natural beauty.

2. Toronto and GTA

Toronto is the largest city in Canada by population, with over 2.9 million residents, and it serves as the capital of the province of Ontario. Additionally, it is one of the most multicultural cities in the world, with diverse cultures and languages.



The Greater Toronto Area, commonly referred to as the GTA, includes the City of Toronto and the regional municipalities of Durham, Halton, Peel, and York. In total, the region contains 25 urban, suburban, and rural municipalities. According to the latest census data from 2021 from Statistics Canada, the population of this area is 6,711,985.

See below the map and population for your reference.

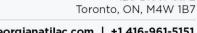






#	Cities of GTA	Population	#2	Cities of GTA2	Population2
1	<u>Ajax</u>	126,666	14	Mississauga	717,961
2	<u>Aurora</u>	62,057	15	Newmarket	87,942
3	<u>Brampton</u>	656,480	16	Oakville	213,759
4	<u>Brock</u>	12,567	17	Oshawa	175,383
5	<u>Burlington</u>	186,948	18	Pickering	99,186
6	<u>Caledon</u>	76,581	19	Richmond Hill	202,022
7	<u>Clarington</u>	101,427	20	Scugog	21,581
8	East Gwillimbury	34,637	21	Toronto	2,794,356
9	<u>Georgina</u>	47,642	22	Uxbridge	21,556
10	Halton Hills	62,951	23	Vaughan	323,103
11	King	27,333	24	Whitby	138,501
12	<u>Markham</u>	338,503	25	Whitchurch-Stouffville	49,864
13	<u>Milton</u>	132,979		Total	6,711,985

Source: Greater Toronto Area - Wikipedia



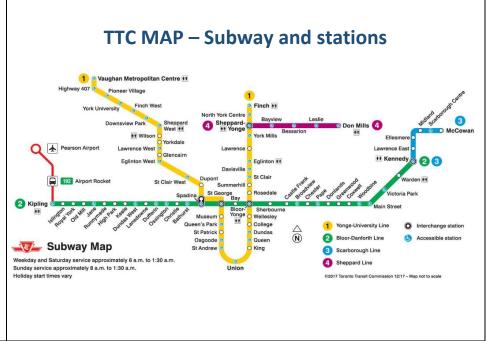


1. TTC (Public Toronto Transit)

Public Toronto Transit Commission (TTC)

The TTC is Toronto's public transit system, operating subways, streetcars, and buses throughout the city.

Price Details can be found here: Fares & passes (ttc.ca)



TTC Discount

Students can expect to receive a letter from our college by the end of the first month of class in support of their application for a TTC Discount.

TTC Monthly Passes

Fare type	Adult	Senior (65+) or Youth (13-19)
12-Month Pass	\$143.00	\$117.45
Monthly Pass	\$156.00	\$128.15
Post-Secondary Monthly Pass	\$128.15	N/A
Fair Pass Transit Discount Program	\$123.25	N/A

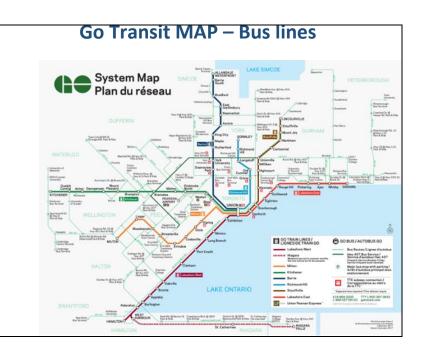




2. Go Transit (Public Transit connecting municipalities)

Go Transit

GO Transit, or the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority, is an integrated rail- and bus-based commuter system centred on downtown Toronto that connects with numerous other municipalities such as Durham Region Transit, Milton Transit, Grand River Transit, Guelph Transit, Oakville Transit, MiWay, Brampton Transit, Hamilton Street Railway, Burlington Transit, Bradford West Gwillimbury Transit, York Region Transit, and Barrie Transit.



Go Transit Discount

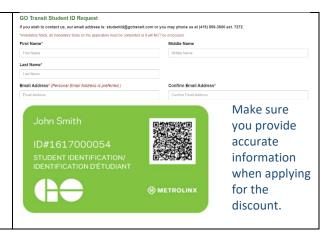
Please use the link below to apply for your GO Transit Student ID:

GOTransit.com - GO Transit Student ID Request

You will receive a link to a new application in your email.

Please fill out the application with your personal and school information.

You must select Georgian Toronto@ILAC as your institution (NOT Georgian College).





3. Open a Canadian bank account.

Students are welcome to open a Canadian bank account on around the area of their best convenience. Follow below a list near to our campus.

Canadian Banks list nearby our campus:

RBC Royal Bank: 2 Bloor Street East, Toronto ON M4W 1A8

TD Canada Trust: 420 Bloor St E, Toronto ON M4W 1H4

CIBC Bank: 2 Bloor St W, Toronto ON M4W 3E2

BMO Bank of Montreal: 120 Bloor St E, Toronto ON M4W 1B7

Scotiabank: 19 Bloor St W, Toronto ON M4W1A3



4. Get your Social Insurance Number



To work in Canada or access government programs and benefits, you need a 9-digit number known as a Social Insurance Number (SIN).

Documents required to apply: <u>Social Insurance</u> Number – Apply - Canada.ca

Service Ontario: 777 Bay St, Toronto ON M5G 2C8

Service Ontario: 1602-250 Yonge St, Toronto ON M5B 2L7

On in-person Orientation students will have the opportunity to apply for SIN.

More details regarding orientation will be post here: https://georgianatilac.com/orientation/

• Location: 120 Bloor St E, Toronto, ON

• Date: January 4th

• What to Bring: Study Permit and Passport (both ORIGINAL)

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5. Toronto Public Library (TPL)

TPL is one of the world's busiest urban public library systems, with 100 branches across the city and over 10 million books, movies, and other items to borrow or download online.

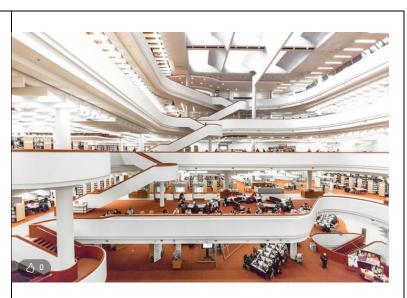
Public Libraries in Toronto

To get an ID card: <u>Your Library Card:</u> Toronto Public Library

What you can do with a library card

Borrow books, music, movies, and more. Place holds through the website to reserve materials and have them sent to your nearest branch. Download eBooks, digital magazines, movies, and music. Access eLearning resources and online homework help. Use research databases to access magazine and newspaper archives, business directories, and other specialized content. Reserve computer time at any branch.

Reference Library 789 Yonge Street, Toronto ON M4W 2G8



6. Stay tuned on our social media.

On our social media, you can follow updates on coming events, tutorials, ceremonies, games, networking, content, building relationships, finding opportunities, and much more.







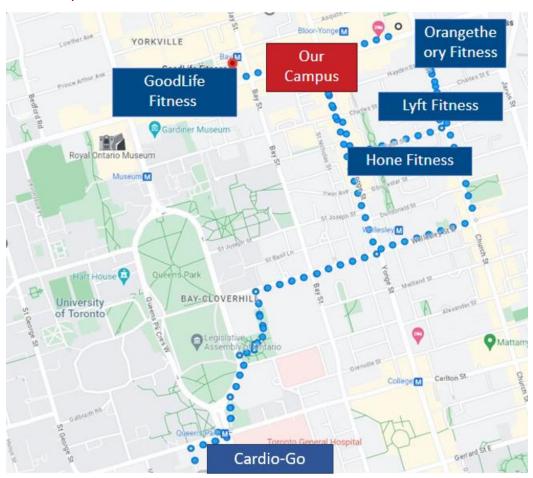


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7. Gyms (near our campus)

Getting to the gym and prioritizing your fitness isn't easy—we know! But staying on track and working toward your health goals is essential. Please find below a list of gyms near our campus. **Georgian@ilac: 120 Bloor**

Street East, Toronto ON



- Lyft Fitness located at 620 Church St, Toronto, ON M4Y 2G2.
- Orangetheory Fitness 160 Bloor St E Suite 100, Toronto, ON M4W 0A2
- Hone Fitness 7 Isabella St, Toronto, ON M4Y 1M7
- Cardio Go College Park, 382 Yonge St 4th floor, Toronto, ON M5G 1S8
- GoodLife Fitness Toronto Bloor and Bay 80 Bloor St W, Toronto, ON M5S 2V1



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8. Food Discount

Enjoy exclusive discounts at our nearby restaurant.

Mexican Restaurant:

- z-teca Mexican Eatery | Order now | Canada
- Our Menu Mad Radish | Healthy Salads, Warm Bowls, Soups & Snacks









9. Health Insurance



Stay informed.

Students from Georgian at ILAC are eligible for Guard.me International Insurance and GCSA (Georgian College Students Association) mystudentplan.

Insurance fee is included in your semester fee.

Insurance coverage dates

Please note that your insurance start is available on our website Health and Wellness - <u>Health and Wellness - Georgian@ILAC (georgianatilac.com)</u>.

Postsecondary students

Year	Term	Insurance start date	Insurance end date
2024	Winter	Jan. 1, 2024	Aug. 31, 2024
2024	Summer	May 1, 2024	Aug. 31, 2024

How to access to the benefit card

Please note that we do not provide hard cards. You can download the benefits card and use it electronically or you can print the card and use the paper one.

Guard.me	GCSA mystudentplan:
Student will receive an email "Welcome package" from Guard.me by the end of the month after the start date.	GCSA mystudentplan: GCSA Student Plans Gallivan (mystudentplan.ca)
	Generate your GCSA benefit card here: myBenefits Card Gallivan (mystudentplan.ca)



You must log in to your account by visiting <u>Georgian</u> <u>College | quard.me</u> and clicking "my account".

When emailing, please include your full name, student number, and your

"student_number@student.georgianc.on.ca" email address.

Once you log in to your guard.me account, you will be able to download your insurance card.



Your GCSA mystudentplan activation might take 45-60 days from the semester's start date.



10. Services provided by Health Insurance company.



guard.me International Insurance

This insurance coverage is for emergency health conditions and anything new (flu, sore throat, rash, etc.) that starts after your insurance coverage begins. The plan does not cover pre-existing conditions.

Services

- hospital and walk-in clinic visits
- · x-rays and lab testing
- physician/surgeon
- psychiatric hospitalization
- psychotherapy
- eye exams
- paramedic services
- · physiotherapy/speech therapy
- private nursing
- ambulance
- prescription drugs
- dental accidental injury
- dental emergency
- · medical equipment and supplies
- accessibility
- immunization
- maternity
- family transportation
- air evacuation/return home
- trauma counseling



GCSA mystudentplan

This health and dental plan is for most non-emergency health and dental needs (dental check-up, physiotherapy, massage therapy, etc.).

Health

- physiotherapist
- speech therapist
- psychologist/social worker
- · registered massage and athletic therapist
- (above services require a doctor's note)
- chiropractor
- naturopath
- vision
- orthopedics

Dental

- annual exams
- recall exams
- diagnostic
- preventative
- minor restorative
- extractions
- oral surgeryendodontic
- endodontic
 periodontic
- major restorative





11. Housing accommodation

We provide Housing accommodation for our students, to learn more about it, please visit: <u>ILAC</u>

<u>Toronto Student Residences</u> | <u>ILAC</u>. For an affordable housing opportunity, please check below:



APARTMENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- WIFI and utilities included.
- ☑ Easy commute with TTC.
- ∠ Laundry room (coin laundry)
- Apartment includes 2 beds, 2 desks, 1 bathroom, fridge, microwave and induction hotplate.









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- * Does not include Kitchenware/cooking utensils, cutlery, kettle, plates, etc., bedding items (pillow, sheets, etc.)
- * No recreation area. No 24/7 security desk. Accommodation Fee applicable.
- * Payment plan with 3 installments To secure we require a \$200 application fee plus \$1000 first installment. • Installment #2: \$1000 is due by Feb 1, 2024 Installment #3: \$1000 is due by March 1, 2024.

*Move in/out dates for Georgian@ILAC and Fanshawe Toronto@ILAC • Winter 2024: January 01, April 30, 2024 • Summer 2024: May 1, 2024 - August 30, 2024 • Fall 2024: To be confirmed









12. Apply for your Student ID Card

Students can easily apply for their Student ID Card



Student ID Card

Step 1: Access this form: Georgian@ILAC ID Cards request form (jotform.com)

Step 2: Fill out the information as required.

Step 3: Upload your photo. Please make sure you follow the photo instructions.

Step 4: After submitting all correct information, it may take 3-4 weeks to get ready

Step 5: Once it is ready you will receive an email with pick up instructions.

Step 6: You will need to get it in person on our college. (All information will be provided)

13. Our Services

Below follows the list of services we provide, but it is not limited.



- Greetings and Welcome to Georgian@ILAC
- Office of the Registrar
- Student Services and Student Portal
- Mentors and Tutors
- Student Council
- Wellness, Healthcare and Insurance
- Academic Expectations
- How to Succeed in Learning
- Text and Publishers
- Library and Learning support
- Work Integrated Learning
- Immigration Session
- Co-op and Career Services
- Student Success
- Student Services, Mentors and Tutors, Library and Learning support: <u>Student</u> <u>Services - Georgian@ILAC</u> (georgianatilac.com)

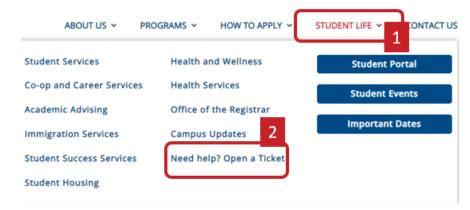




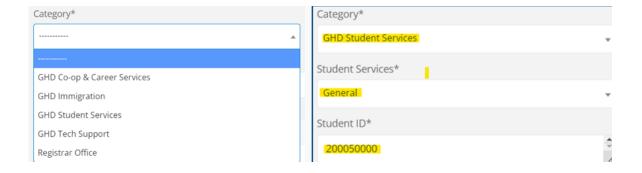


14. Find the right department to guide you, please open a ticket.

- Step 1: Visit out website: https://georgianatilac.com/
- Step 2: Go to Student Life
- Step 3: Need help? Open a Ticket



- Step 4: Select the category*
- Step 5: Once the category is selected you will see more specific options.
- Step 6: Then complete with your student ID number (Provided on your LOA



- Step 7: Write your request and in about 2-5 business days you will receive an email back from us.
 - o Please put as many details as possible regarding your request for a better guidance





Department schedules. **15.**

Department	Location	Hours	Help
Student Services	Growth Campus Main floor and 2nd floor front desk	Monday to Friday (8am to 5pm)	Ticket Help Desk "Student Services" Appointment with Student Services
Registrar	Growth Campus 3rd Floor, East Wing	Monday to Friday (9am to 5pm)	Ticket Help Desk "Registrar Office" Appointment with Registrar Office
Co- op/Career Services	Growth Campus 3rd Floor	Monday to Friday (9am to 4:30pm) Daily drop-in between 1pm to 3pm	Ticket Help Desk "Coop and Career Services" Appointment with Coop and Career Services
Academic Advising	Growth Campus 3rd Floor	Available for walk-ins (without appointment) every Wednesday and Thursday from 9am to 4pm on the 3rd floor (Academic Advising Office).	Appointments are available for other days. Students are encouraged to book an appointment with the advisors through emails in advance. Request an appointment by email academicadvising@georgianatilac.com
Immigration	Growth Campus Ground Floor, West Wing	Drop-In Hours (no appointment required) Monday and Wednesday 10am to 2pm Appointments available Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm	Call at 437-290-1994 Ticket Help Desk "Immigration"
Student Success Office	Growth Campus Ground Floor, West Wing	Drop-In Hours (no appointment required) Monday and Wednesday 10am to 3pm Appointments Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm	Request an appointment by email to Student Success at studentsuccess@ilac.com
Health Services	Growth Campus Ground Floor, East Wing	Drop-In Hours (no appointment required) Tuesday and Thursday 10 am to 2 pm Appointments are available Monday to Friday 10 am to 2 pm	Request an appointment by email to Healthcare healthcare@ilac.com

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1. Please find the right department to better assist you.

Please do not send multiple emails as this will cause a delay in our response.

- Admissions related inquiries, please contact <u>admissions@georgianatilac.com</u>
- Academic related inquiries, please contact academicadvising@georgianatilac.com
- Instructor and grade-related inquiries <u>academicsupport@georgianatilac.com</u>
- Credit Transfer assistance, please contact <u>CTCRegistrar@GeorgianCollege.ca</u>
- Wellness and Health care please contact: healthcare@ilac.com
- Student housing accommodation, please contact info@casacanada.com
- Student Services-related inquiries, please open a ticket https://helpdesk.georgianatilac.com/new/
- Immigration related inquiries, please open a ticket https://helpdesk.georgianatilac.com/new/
- Registration, fees, payments, please open a ticket https://helpdesk.georgianatilac.com/new/
- CO-OP and Career Services, please open a ticket https://helpdesk.georgianatilac.com/new/

Be sure to include your full name and student ID number on all correspondence.

Important dates, visit our site:

Important Dates - Georgian@ILAC (georgianatilac.com)

For more information please visit our website:

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