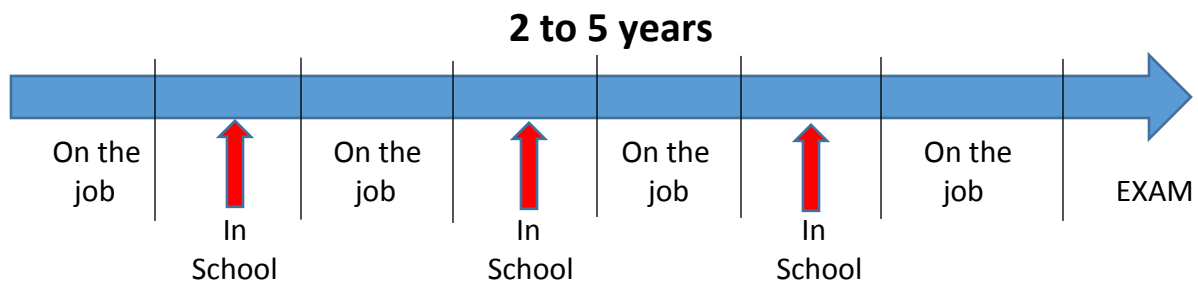


OYAP – OH YAAAAAAA!!!

An OYAP student is a student who is earning co-op credits for work experience in an apprenticeship occupation. The student may or may not be formally registered as an apprentice while attending secondary school.

What is 'Apprenticeship'?

Apprenticeship is a post-secondary opportunity where an employer uses training standards provided by the Ontario College of Trades (OCOT) to ensure that an apprentice becomes competent. On-the-job training comprises about 90% of the apprenticeship learning and is supplemented with in-school sessions. The timeline below represents a typical apprenticeship.



All students participating in OYAP must:

- complete 16 credits towards the OSSD prior to starting the program;
- must be 16 years of age;
- be enrolled as full-time students during the program;
- must have a Social Insurance Number for their apprenticeship paperwork issued by the Ministry of Training Colleges and Universities
- complete all compulsory credits required for the OSSD.