Electronic Transcript Management System (eTMS)

User Guide for College Partners

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Introduction

The Electronic Transcript Management System (eTMS) is a system developed by OCAS that enables you to quickly and easily to upload transcripts for students who have previously attended college.

The system is designed to work with data in the form of XML files.

Accessing eTMS

To access eTMS:

- 1. Go to <u>www.ocas.ca</u>.
- 2. In the banner, select Log In / Register.
- 3. In the drop-down menu, under Partner Portal, select **Login**.



4. Log in using the username and password provided in the Partner Portal registration email.

Note: Login information is case-sensitive.

You can also log in by going to partnerportal.ocas.ca.

Be sure to bookmark this URL for quick access to the Partner Portal.

After logging in, if you have eTMS-only access, the eTMS page opens.

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2017/05/05	Past Due	C20170505007424	Test. Tony	Original	Feb. 2017	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2017/05/31	Past Due	C20170531007558	<u>ylÎKêÛvpÊjiZÛáLïEgGy.</u> <u>VlÎKêÛvpÊjiZÛáLïEgGy</u>	Original	Dec. 2016	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript



If you have access to eTMS and other functions in the Partner Portal, the Dashboard Home page opens.



5. In the navigation pane, under eTMS, select **Transcript Management**.

The eTMS Dashboard

The eTMS dashboard features are organized into four sections:

- **Transcript Requests** Access all transcript requests for your college.
- **Transcripts** Access all received electronic transcripts.
- **Reports** Access Summary and Detailed Reports. For details, see <u>Reports</u>.
- Notifications Access to customizable email notification options. For details, see Notifications.

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To Be Processed – View transcript requests to be processed or that require follow-up.

Deferred – Display a list of transcript requests that are currently deferred.

Incomplete – View transcript requests with an exception; for example, Student Not Found, On Financial Hold, No Academic Data, or File Upload error.

In Progress – View transcript requests currently being processed by the system.

Completed – View completed or fulfilled transcript requests. By default, transcript requests are sorted in descending order based on the fulfillment date, with the most recent one at the top.

Download to CSV – View all transcript request details provided by each applicant. The information can be filtered and sorted.

Download to PDF – View all transcript request details provided by each applicant.

Transcript Request Table

Date Requested	Age	Reference Number	Name	Request Type	Date Last Attended	Send Date	Request Status	Upload Transcript OAction (No Upload)
2017/06/02	Past Due	C20170602007567	cbatest_erin	Original	Apr. 2010	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/03/01	Past Due	2020102795636	D'Aloisio, Aimé	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/05/21	Past Due	2021052005732	Riddell, Hamish	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/07/13	Past Due	2021070706053	Al-Ass'ad, Des'Ree	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/04/20	Past Due	2022040902603	Emmie Herzlinger, Trujillo Candace E.	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/10/27	Past Due	2022090803675	D'elia, Bruno	Original	Jan. 2009	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/10/27	Past Due	2022090803676	D'elia, Bruno	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/10/27	Past Due	2022090803678	Arbia, Juliet Shaw	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/10/27	Past Due	2022090803677	Arbia, Juliet Shaw	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2022/11/02	Past Due	2022101704078	Trever Demeke, Jermaine Gallagher	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2023/08/25	Past Due	2023082407580	Macmillan, Rudy	Original	Jan. 2005	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2024/05/06	Past Due	<u>2024050611234</u>	awdlzAjude, jsbuhAuto	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript

Date Requested – Date a transcript request was paid. By default, the table is sorted by Date Requested from oldest to newest request (ascending order).

Click the arrow to sort from newest to oldest.

Age – Age of the request in number of days. If a request reaches the Service Level Agreement (SLA) threshold time, it is highlighted in yellow. If a request goes beyond the SLA time, it is highlighted in red.

Reference Number – Number assigned by the system when the transcript request was initiated.

Click the link to view the transcript request details.

Name – Applicant's first and last name as provided on their ontariocolleges.ca application.

Click the Name link to view the Applicant Details page.

By default, the table is sorted by Date Requested in descending order. To sort the table by last name, click the Name heading.

Request Type – Type of request.

Date Last Attended – Year and month the applicant last attended.

Send Date – Date the transcript request is to be sent; for example, Send Transcript Now, Send End of Term.

Request Status – Status of the request.

Upload Transcript – By default, the Upload Transcript option is selected and provides easy access to the Upload Transcript function.

Action (No Upload) – Click this option and select the appropriate action when an electronic file (XML) cannot be uploaded.

Re-Upload Transcript – Located on the **Completed** tab, an XML file can be uploaded again to eTMS.

Upload Transcript

1. On the eTMS main page, select the **Upload Transcript** option.

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Date Requested	Age	Reference Number	Name	Request Type	Date Last Attended	Send Date	Request Status	Upload Transcript Action (No Upload)
2017/06/02	Past Due	C20170602007567	cbatest_erin	Original	Apr. 2010	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/03/01	Past Due	2020102795636	D'Aloisio, Aimé	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/05/21	Past Due	2021052005732	Riddell, Hamish	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript

2. Click the **Upload Transcript** link.

The Upload Transcript File (XML) window opens.

3. Select **Choose File** to select an XML transcript file from your computer.

Date Requested	Age	Reference Number		Name	Request Type	Date Last Attended	Send Date	Request Status	Upload Transcript OAction (No Upload)
2017/06/02	Past Due	C20170602	007567	cbatest_erin	Original	Apr. 2010	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Upload Transcript
2021/03/01	Past Due	202010275	Uploa	d Transcript File (DAT)			C d T		
2021/05/21	Past Due	202105200	Refe	rence Number		C2017060200	7567		
2021/07/13	Past Due	202107070	Stud	ent Name:		erin cbatest			
2022/04/20	Past Due	202204090	Date	of Birth		1986/09/25			
2022/10/27	Past Due	202209080	Sele	ct Transcript File:					
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4. Select **Submit** to upload the selected transcript file to the eTMS system or select **Cancel** to cancel the transaction.

Action (No Upload)

When you cannot upload a file using eTMS, you can choose an alternative action.

- 1. Select Action (No Load).
- 2. In the drop-down list, select an action.

Date Requested	Age	Reference Number	Name	Request Type	Date Last Attended	Send Date	Request Status	Oupload Transcript
2017/06/02	Past Due	C20170602007567	<u>cbatest, erin</u>	Original	Apr. 2010	Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Select Action 🗸 Subme
2021/03/01	Past Due	2020102795636	D'Aloisio, Aimé	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Select Action Hardcopy Transcript Sent Student Not Found
2021/05/21	Past Due	2021052005732	Riddell, Hamish	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	On Financial Hold
2021/07/13	Past Due	2021070706053	Al-Ass'ad, Des'Ree	Original		Send Transcript Now	Action Required	Select Action V

Hardcopy Transcript Sent – Transcript is only available in hardcopy format and is being sent to destination institutions. The College user cannot find an electronic transcript XML in their Student Information System (SIS) to fulfill the transcript request and has the transcript in archive format only.

The College user prints the transcript and faxes or mails the hardcopy transcript to the destination institution(s) specified on transcript request details page.

Student Not Found - The student record could not be located in the college's SIS system.

Request status is updated in the online application portal to inform the applicant their student record could not be found. An automated email is sent to the applicant with instructions to contact the college with any questions.

The transcript request is moved to the Incomplete tab.

No Academic Data – Used when the student is registered at a college and is found in the college's SIS system, but no academic data is available to send; for example, the student is pre-registered only.

On Financial Hold – Used to hold transcript requests due to outstanding fees owed to the college by the student / applicant.

Request status is updated in the online application portal to inform the applicant that payment is outstanding, and their transcript request will not be processed. An automated email is sent to the applicant with instructions to contact the college to settle the outstanding fees.

Transcript request is moved to the Incomplete tab and can be further actioned at a later date.

Deferred – Available only if the specified Send date is other than Send Transcript Now. The request is set to Deferred status and the college user shows the date when the transcript will be available.

Transcript request is moved to the Deferred tab.

Acknowledge Cancellation – Available only for Cancellation Transcript Request Type; used to send an acknowledge cancellation response.

Request status is updated in the online application portal to inform the applicant their request was cancelled. Transcript request is moved to the Completed tab.

3. Click **Submit** to save.

Transcript Request Details

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STUDENT INFORMATION	
Surname	aprilbb
First Name	samtest
Gender	Male
Date of Birth	1995/06/13
OEN	00000000
Student ID	1231313
College Name	George Brown
Date Last Attended	2016/02/01
CONTACT DETAILS	
Phone Number	(111) 1111111
Email Address	samtestaprilbb@mailoinator.com
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Close	

Print – Prints the information displayed on-screen.

Provide Response – Displays available response options.

Upload Transcript – Displays the upload transcript function.

Close – Closes the Transcript Request Details page and returns to the eTMS main page.

Note: Fields with no values are hidden for your convenience.

Applicant Search

Applicant Search – Basic

1. To search for a transcript request, click **Search** to access basic search functions.

E Search			
Start Date	Application Number	Account Number	
End Date	OEN	Reference Number	
	First Name	Last Name	

- 2. You can specify any of the following search criteria:
 - Creation date (Start Date / End Date)
 - Application Number
 - Account Number
 - Reference Number
 - Ontario Education Number (OEN)
 - First Name
 - Last Name
- 3. Select **Search** to search for transcript requests that match the entered criteria or select **Clear** to clear all search criteria.

Applicant Search – More Search Options

1. To perform an advanced search, select More Search Options.

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how Status:	Select All					
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- 2. You can specify any of the following search criteria:
 - Date Last Attended Search for requests by the date the applicant last attended high school.
 - Show Status: Select All Search all tabs and request statuses to retrieve a result.
 - **To Be Processed**: Action Required Search for requests only within the To Be Processed tab with Action Required status.
 - **Deferred**: Search for the following send dates: Winter, Fall, Spring / Summer, or After Degree is conferred.
 - **Incomplete** Search within the Incomplete tab for the following request statuses: File Upload Error, On Financial Hold, No Academic Data, and Student Not Found.

- **In Progress**: Transcript File Uploaded to OCAS Search within the In Progress tab for requests with electronic transcript files waiting to be processed by OCAS' system.
- **Complete** Search within the Complete tab for the following request statuses:
 - Electronic Transcript Sent Requests with electronic transcript files sent to the institutions.
 - Hardcopy Transcript Sent Requests with hardcopy transcripts sent to the institutions.
 - Request Cancelled Requests that have been cancelled by OCAS.
- 3. Select **Search** to search for transcript requests that match the entered criteria or select **Clear** to clear all search criteria.

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2016/11/18	C20161118500888	210018677680	MacDonald_Benjamin	Original	Electronic Transcript Sent	2016/11/18	Select Action 🗸				
2016/11/18	C20161118500890	210018679840	Akintola-Febrissy, Akinyélé	Original	Electronic Transcript Sent	2016/11/18	Select Action 🗸				
2016/11/30	C20161130500895	210018764629	Morris, Akinyélé	Original	Electronic Transcript Sent	2016/11/30	Select Action 🗸				

To Be Processed – Display a list of transcript requests to be processed.

Completed – Display a list of completed transcript requests.

Date Requested – The date the transcript request was paid.

Reference Number – System-assigned number at the time the transcript request is initiated. Click the link to display the official transcript.

Name – Applicant's first and last name, as provided on their ontariocolleges.ca application.

Request Type – Type of request.

Request Status – Status of request.

Transcript Search

1. To search for a transcript, click **Search** to access basic search functions.

- Search			
Start Date	Application Number	Account Number	
End Date	OEN	Reference Number	
	First Name	Last Name	

- Search Clear
- 2. You can specify any of the following search criteria:
 - Creation date (Start Date / End Date)
 - Application Number
 - Account Number
 - Reference Number
 - Ontario Education Number (OEN)
 - First Name
 - Last Name
- 3. Select **Search** to search for transcripts that match the entered criteria or select **Clear** to clear all search criteria.

Reports

1. On the eTMS main page, select **Reports**.

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- 2. Select the transcript request creation date range: Start Date and End Date.
- 3. Select **Run Report** to generate a report based on the specified criteria or select **Clear** to clear all report criteria.

Summary Reports

In the Summary, you can view the status of transcript requests for the selected date range.

The following example summary shows the status of requests submitted between April 1 and April 30, 2024.

Summary Detailed		
Date Range : 2024/04/01 to 2024/04/30		
Total Transcript Requests	Original Transcript Requests	Re-Issue Transcript Requests
To Be Processed	2	0
Deferred	0	0
Incomplete	0	0
On Financial Hold	0	0
Student Not Found	0	0
No Academic Data	0	0
File Upload Error	0	0
In Progress	0	0
Completed	0	0
OCAS Auto eTMS Processed XML Electronic Transcripts Sent	0	0
OUAC Auto eTMS Processed XML Electronic Transcripts Sent	0	0
OCAS Manually uploaded XML Electronic Transcripts Sent	0	0
OUAC Manually uploaded XML Electronic Transcripts Sent	0	0
OCAS Hardcopy Transcripts Sent	0	0
OUAC Hardcopy Transcripts Sent	0	0
Requests Cancelled	0	0
Receipt Acknowledged	0	0
OCAS Unknown Source	0	0
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TOTAL TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS	2	0
AVERAGE TIME FOR FULFILLMENT - 0 BUSINESS DAYS		
% Of Transcript Requests processed by Auto eTMS	0%	

Detailed Reports

In the Detailed report, you can view transcript request details by applicant for the selected date range.

The following example Detailed report shows the details of the requests submitted between April 1 and April 30, 2024.

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Application Number	1	Reference Number	Date Paid	First Name	Last Name	Date of Birth	Student Number	Date Last Attended	Number of Transcripts
0251400510		2024042410872	2024/04/24	dfuyjAuto	rxbliAjude	1992/03/27	20240424005		0
0257500000		2024040910584	2024/04/09	Charles-Étienne	Gerome Maslan	1994/07/30	20240409001		0

Notifications

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Summary Notificatio	n Settings
Select the Enable Summ Note that this configurat	aary Notification checkbox below to be notified by email whenever there are requests that are to be processed. tion does not affect the request Non-Fulfillment Notifications to the requestor which are always sent immediately and cannot be turned off.
Enable Summary Notific Notify transcript request Select a day:	ations: ☑ ts fulfilled: ☑ ☑ Monday ☑ Tuesday ☑ Wednesday ☑ Thursday ☑ Friday □ Saturday
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Email: support@desk.oc	as.ca; requests@desk.ocas.ca
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Enable Summary Notifications – Enables email notifications. Users will receive email notifications whenever there are processed or pending requests.

Notify transcript requests fulfilled (for Auto eTMS users, only) – The email notification will include the number of requests that were fulfilled by Auto eTMS.

Select a day – Select the day(s) to send email notifications.

Select a time -Select the time to send email notifications.

Time Zone – Select the time zone for email notifications.

Email – Enter the email addresses that will receive email notifications. Use a semicolon (;) to separate each email address.

Notify of Transcript Requests which are waiting to be processed for ____ or more business hours

Set the number of hours to receive a notification for transcript requests requiring attention. In eTMS, one business day is eight business hours.

Notify of any to be processed Transcript Requests – An email will be sent as each transcript request occurs.

Submit – Save the current email notifications configuration.

Note: Click Submit each time any changes are made.

Clear – Clear all fields and disable email notifications.

Note: Changes will not be saved until the Submit button is clicked. If clicked by accident, simply close the browser and re-open Notifications.