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The Pulse

December 2022 Graduate and Professional Student Newsletter from Student Affairs

We're here to help!

Dates & Deadlines

December 1 | [Spring 2023 graduation applications](#) open on SOLUS

December 5 | PPL withdrawal

December 5 | Fall term classes end

December 6 | [Commemoration Day](#)

December 8 –22 | Exam period

December 24 –January 2 | University closed for winter break

January 9 | Winter term classes begin

January 10 | Winter term [tuition and fees](#), or fee payment arrangements due

January 11 | Last fall term PPL withdrawal

January 12 | Last day to drop multi-term courses without SGSPA approval

January 15 | Last day to self-enrol in winter term [Graduate Student Payment Plan \(PPL\)](#) without a fee

January 31 | Last day to self-enrol in winter term PPL

Event & Workshop Highlights

December 2 and 9 | [Social Fires](#) at Four Directions Indigenous Student Centre (4D)

December 6 | [Walk-in COVID-19 Bivalent Vaccine Clinic](#), 10 am–4 pm, Mitchell Hall

December 7 & 14 | [Dogs on Campus](#), noon–1 pm, Mitchell Hall

December 7 | [safeTALK Suicide First Aid Training](#), 1–4 pm, Gordon Hall 302

December 7 | [Mindful Check In](#), 2:30–3:15 pm, online

December 13 | QUIC [Holiday Open House](#), 11 am–2 pm, Mitchell 208

[EDII Student Events Calendar](#) – events and initiatives for equity -deserving students and/or allies. [Promote your EDII event on the calendar](#) !

Granting Permission to Release Personal Information

- [The university strongly recommends that you wear a mask](#) indoors when physical distancing can't be maintained.
- Stay home if you're sick – once you have no fever and symptoms improve for 24 hours (or 48 hours if gastrointestinal) you can return to campus.
 - Please wear a mask for 10 days after your symptoms start.
- Academic consideration will be granted if you need to miss a class, exam, or academic requirement due to COVID -19 illness, symptoms, or self-isolation. Medical documentation is not required.
 - Submit a request for [academic consideration](#) through your



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Stay Well

- [Book your COVID-19 booster](#) or [flu shot](#).

- [Book an appointment](#) at SWSfor care from physicians, nurse

Book a [writing appointment](#) with Student Academic Success Services (SASS) to meet with a professional writing consultant, in-person or online, available until Dec. 22.

Resume -Building Opportunities

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- Up to \$1,500 is available for events and activities that enhance your student experience, and help create an inclusive campus environment.

Campus Community Support

Reach Out Across Student Affairs

Student Affairs staff are ready to listen, refer, empower, and help you problem solve. Our centres and services are open through Dec. 23 – we're here to help!

- For international students
 - [Queen's University International Centre \(QUIC\)](#) offers individual [in-person and virtual drop-in advising](#), Mon. to Thurs., 10 to 11 am and 2 to 3 pm in Mitchell Hall 208, through to Dec. 22.
 - See all [QUIC events](#).
 - Travelling to Canada for the winter term? Welcome! QUIC can answer all your questions about [international student arrival](#) and Canadian entry requirements.
 - Join our online [Winter Arrival sessions](#) on Dec. 7 and 14!
- For students who identify as Queer, Trans, Black, Indigenous, and/or People of Colour (QTBIPOC)
 - [Follow the Yellow House on Instagram](#) for social justice, uplifting content, and events relevant to QTBIPOC student communities, and sign up for our [newsletter](#).

- Yellow House is at



