

# Qualifying Competition

## Saturday April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026

### GEORGIAN COLLEGE - Near Northern Area Qualifying Competition General Information

#### SCHOOL BOARDS WHICH PARTICIPATE AT GEORGIAN

Located in Central Ontario, Georgian College at their Barrie and Midland campuses will be the host college of the Near Northern Area Qualifying Competition, in which the following school boards are allocated:

- Bluewater District School Board
- Bruce-Grey Catholic District School Board
- Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board
- Peterborough Victoria Northumberland and Clarington Catholic District School Board
- Simcoe County District School Board
- Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board
- Trillium Lakelands District School Board
- Upper Grand District School Board
- Wellington Catholic District School Board

#### CONTEST LOCATIONS (ALL ROOMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

##### Barrie Campus

One Georgian Drive, Barrie, ON L4M 3X9

- **Carpentry-Individual** \*- Room F125, Skills Building
- **Culinary Arts** \* – Rooms E109 and E110, Hospitality & Tourism Building
- **TV Video Production** \* – Room A246, Building A (Centre for Engineering and Sustainable Technologies)

\* Competitors in these contests are to **sign-in** outside of the Rowntree Theatre (Automotive Business School of Canada – H Building, H106), **at the main campus in Barrie.**

##### Midland Campus

649 Prospect Blvd, Midland, ON L4R 4K6

- **Welding** \*\* – Room 112

\*\* Competitors in Welding will **go straight to the Midland campus to sign-in.** Please plan your own travel directly to Midland in the morning – no need to stop at the Barrie Campus.

## AGENDA - NEAR NORTHERN AREA QUALIFYING COMPETITION \* (ALL ROOMS SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

### 8:30 – 8:45a.m. Sign-in

- Welding competitors to go directly to the Midland Campus to sign-in
- All other competitors to sign-in at the Barrie Campus, Rowntree Theatre, Automotive Business School of Canada, H Building, H106

### 8:45 - 9:00 a.m. –Announcements

### 9:00 a.m. – Technical Committees lead competitors to contest sites

### 9:10 - 9:30 a.m. – Competitor orientation at contest site

### 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. – Contests

### 12:00 - 12:30 p.m. – Lunch\*

- Lunches for all competitors, QTC members, Judges and staff will be delivered to the contest sites at Barrie Campus, and Midland Campus.
- If you have any dietary restrictions **please bring a bagged lunch** for this event. Due to the nature of last minute registrations, dietary restrictions other than vegetarian cannot be accommodated.

### 12:30 - 3:00 p.m. – Contests continue

### 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. – Final Judging and Results Compilation

- Judging completed during this time
- Results submitted to Skills Ontario staff
- Skills Ontario staff perform final results tabulation

### 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. – General Feedback Session for competitors

### 5:30 p.m.\*\* – Awards Presentation and Advancement Meeting

- Rowntree Theatre, Automotive Business School of Canada, H Building, H106, Barrie Campus
- A brief advancement meeting for those competitors moving on to the Skills Ontario Competition will immediately follow presentation

**\*Please note:** that **each contest also has its own agenda** with further detail, please refer to the contest scopes for the specific contest agendas to ensure you are well prepared for the day.

**\*\*Please note:** the **start time of the awards presentation** is based on when results are verified and finalized – should this be completed earlier than 5:30, staff will make an effort to begin the

presentation earlier, but this will be a last minute adjustment. As such, please try to be near by the awards presentation location prior to 5:30 in case an earlier start is possible.

## ADVANCEMENT FROM QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS TO SKILLS ONTARIO COMPETITION

Competitors at the Qualifying Competitions **must achieve a final score of at least 60%** to receive any ribbon and be considered for advancement.

The following numbers of competitors from the Near Northern Area Qualifying Competition are eligible to advance to the Skills Ontario Competition, taking place in May in Toronto:

- Carpentry – Individual – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Culinary Arts – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- T.V. Video Production (Team of 2) – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Welding – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>

## COLLEGE LOCATIONS – DIRECTIONS & PARKING

Georgian College is easily accessible from Highway 400.

Georgian College, Barrie Campus One Georgian Drive Barrie, ON L4M 3X9 Phone: 705.728.1968	Georgian College, Midland Campus 649 Prospect Boulevard Midland, ON L4R 4K6 Phone: 705.526.3666
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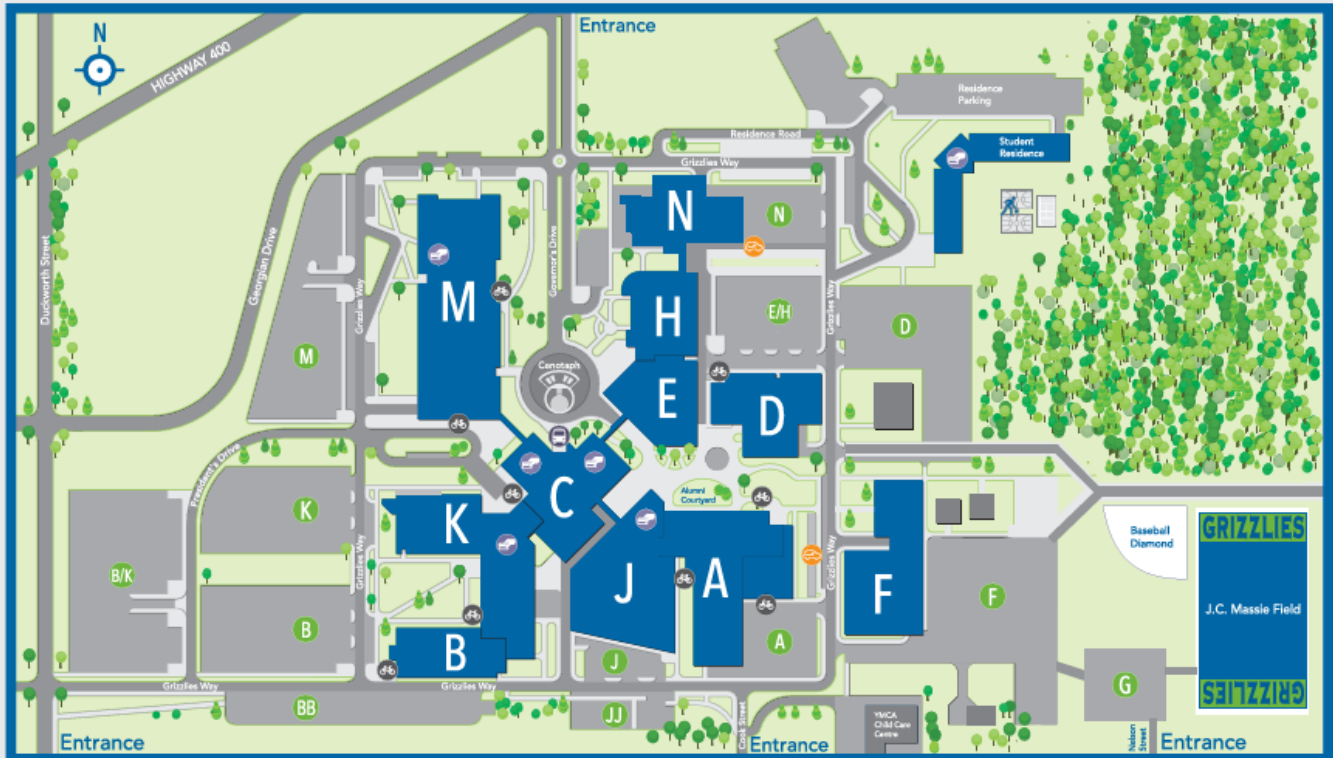
## TRANSPORTATION

Competitors in Welding contest should **plan their own travel** directly to Midland location **in the morning** – no need to stop at the Barrie Campus first.

After competing, all competitors are to make their own way to the Barrie campus for the awards presentation held in the Rowntree Theatre, Automotive Business School of Canada, H Building, H106, Barrie Campus

**Georgian College – Barrie Campus**

# Campus Map



<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>N</b>
Centre for Engineering Technologies Centre for Sustainable Technologies	Founders Building	Student Services Centre	Helen and Arch Brown Centre for Design and Visual Arts	Centre for Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation	Centre for Skilled Trades	Automotive Business School of Canada	Student Life Centre	University Partnership Centre	Sadlon Centre for Health, Wellness and Sciences	Advanced Technology, Innovation and Research Centre

## FROM MIDLAND CAMPUS TO BARRIE CAMPUS

649 Prospect Boulevard, Midland – to – 1 Georgian Drive, Barrie

## TEACHERS, PARENTS AND VISITORS

All teachers and parents attending the Qualifying Competitions will be able to purchase lunch on campus in Barrie. In addition, the Barrie Campus is a short drive to a large variety of restaurants on Bayfield Street such as:

- North Barrie Crossing Shopping Center.
  - Boston Pizza North Barrie
  - Freshii
  - Sunset Grill
  - Montana’s
  - State & Main Kitchen & Bar

- Bayfield Street.
  - Applebees
  - Aji Si Sushi
  - Crazy Fox Bistro
  - Moxie's
- East side Mario's
- Michael & Marion's
- South Street Burger
- Kelseys
- ...and more!

Use the link to the map to guide you to Bayfield Street from the Barrie campus location of Georgian College (on Georgian Drive). Visit the Tourism Barrie website at [www.tourismbarrie.com](http://www.tourismbarrie.com) for more information on dining in Barrie.

## ACCOMMODATIONS

The following hotels are nearby for anyone seeking accommodation during the Near Northern Area Qualifying Competition. Participants are to make their own arrangements – for information of hotels in the area please visit <https://www.tourismbarrie.com/sleep>

## Map of Barrie, Ontario

