

# 2025–26 | TRU START APPLICATION FORM



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Through TRU Start, high school students can earn university credits while attending high school.

With TRU Start, you can:

- Start your university journey early.
- Learn at your own pace with TRU online courses that fit the convenience of your schedule.

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## ELIGIBILITY FOR TRU START

To increase your chances of success, please ensure that you meet the following criteria:

- An overall average grade of B or better.
- TRU course prerequisite(s) and recommended requisites for the TRU course(s) you are interested in.
- If you are approved to take a TRU program, you must meet the program's admission requirements.

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### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Discuss your TRU Start options with your high school Career Education Coordinator/  
Guidance Counsellor.
- Signature of support from Parent/Guardian.
- Signature of support from school principal/designate.
- Ensure your school provides your current transcript with the application.
- Make arrangements to pay tuition (if applicable) and fees.
- Submit your signed application form to your Career Education Coordinator/  
Guidance Counsellor.



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## PERSONAL INFORMATION (please print clearly)

First or given name(s) (legal) \_\_\_\_\_ Middle name(s) (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Last or family name (legal) \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Former last or family name (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

*Include any name prior to a legal name change*

Birthdate (yyyy/mm/dd): \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your gender:

- Woman       Non-Binary  
 Man       Prefer not to answer

Would you say you are:

- Cisgender       Transgender       Prefer not to answer

Primary language spoken at home \_\_\_\_\_ Country of citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

If citizenship is Non-Canadian, please indicate Visa Status:

- Permanent Resident     Refugee (status granted)     Student Authorization/Student Visa

### DESCRIPTIONS

**Woman:** People whose current gender is woman. This includes cisgender and transgender people who are women.

**Man:** People whose current gender is man. This includes cisgender and transgender people who are men.

**Non-Binary:** People whose current gender is not exclusively a woman or man. This includes people who do not have one

gender, have no gender, are gender fluid, or are Two-Spirit.

**Cisgender:** People whose sex assigned at birth is the same as their gender.

**Transgender:** People whose sex assigned at birth is different from their gender.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

Mailing Address (Admission correspondence may be sent to your mailing address):

Street address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Primary \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact (full name) \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency contact email \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact primary phone \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

### Indigenous Self-Identification

- Please check this box if you wish to be identified as an Indigenous person

*If you have chosen to identify yourself as an Indigenous person, for statistical purposes, we invite you to select the option(s) that best describes your Indigenous identity.*

- First Nation (including Status, non-Status, Treaty and non-Treaty)     Métis     Inuit

## ACADEMIC HISTORY - HIGH SCHOOL

PEN ID:

TRU student ID (if known):

School Name	Province, Country	Date Attended Start (yyyy/mm/dd)	Date Completed or expected Graduation Date (yyyy/mm/dd)	Grade completed to date

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## COURSE SELECTION

Which course(s) are you taking? \_\_\_\_\_

If you have been approved to take a program, list it here: \_\_\_\_\_

When do you plan to start? \_\_\_\_\_

## HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

### REGISTRATION PAYMENT (will be deposited on receipt)

CHEQUE \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Tuition including fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Make payable to Thompson Rivers University.

OTHER \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Course materials \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## SIGNATURES

### CAREER EDUCATION COORDINATOR/GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT/GUARDIAN 1

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

## CONSENT FOR DISCLOSURE AND DECLARATION OF APPLICANT

### Declaration:

By signing this Application, I understand and agree that: (i) this is an application for a TRU program only and is subject to the limitation of available resources; (ii) any misrepresentation of information in this application may result in the cancellation of my admission or registration and such misrepresentation may be shared with other post-secondary institutions; (iii) my personal information will be reported as required by provincial or federal authority; (iv) my admission information may be shared with my current high school as needed and applicable; and (v) if I am admitted to a program, I am subject to the policies and rules of TRU. I certify that all statements on this application are true and complete and I authorize TRU to verify them.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (yyyy/mm/dd)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

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