



**The Centennial College of
Applied Arts & Technology**

Financial Statements
For the year ended March 31, 2025

The Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology

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Management's Responsibility for Financial Reporting

The financial statements of Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology (the "College") are the responsibility of management and have been approved by the Board of Governors.

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards for government not-for-profit organizations, including the 4200 series of standards, as issued by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAB for Government NPOs"). When alternative accounting methods exist, management has chosen those it deems most appropriate in the circumstances. Financial statements are not precise since they include certain amounts based on estimates and judgements. Management has determined such amounts on a reasonable basis in order to ensure that the financial statements are presented fairly, in all material respects.

The College maintains systems of internal accounting and administrative controls of high quality, consistent with reasonable cost. Such systems are designed to provide reasonable assurance that the financial information is relevant, reliable and accurate and that the College's assets are appropriately accounted for and adequately safeguarded.

The College's insurance liabilities have been reviewed by management in consultation with its broker. There are no material liabilities in either fact or contingency as at the date of this report.

The Board of Governors is responsible for ensuring that management fulfills its responsibilities for financial reporting and is ultimately responsible for reviewing and approving the financial statements. The Board carries out this responsibility principally through its Audit and Risk Management Committee (the "Committee").

The Committee is appointed by the Board of Governors and meets regularly with management, as well as the external auditors, to discuss internal controls over the financial reporting process, auditing matters and financial reporting issues, to satisfy itself that each party is properly discharging its responsibilities, and to review the financial statements and the external auditor's report. The Committee reports its findings to the Board for consideration when approving the financial statements. The Committee also considers, for review and approval by the Board, the engagement or re-appointment of the external auditors.

The financial statements have been audited by BDO Canada LLP, the external auditors, in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. BDO Canada LLP has full and free access to the Committee.



College President



CFO and Associate Vice President, Finance

June 03,2025

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Governors of The Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of The Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology (the "College"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2025, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets, cash flows and remeasurement gains for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the College as at March 31, 2025, and the results of its operations, its cash flows, and its remeasurement gains for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the College in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the College's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the College or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the College's financial reporting process.

Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the College's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the College's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the College to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

BDO Canada LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Oakville, Ontario
June 3, 2025

The Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology

Statement of Financial Position

March 31	2025	2024
Assets		
Current		
Cash (Note 3)	\$ 121,233,560	\$ 104,269,600
Investments (Notes 2, 3)	262,248,499	311,977,705
Accounts receivable	18,453,228	20,961,397
Inventory	453,254	531,328
Prepaid expenses	13,971,806	12,503,894
	416,360,347	450,243,924
Prepaid land lease (Note 5)	7,107,654	7,202,423
Capital assets (Note 6)	465,964,401	486,019,415
	\$ 889,432,402	\$ 943,465,762
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 84,594,742	\$ 63,825,970
Deferred revenue (Note 7)	113,378,982	185,282,160
Vacation pay	16,567,565	16,905,340
Term debt (Note 9)	-	2,434,210
Current portion of long-term debt (Note 9)	1,269,653	2,587,175
	215,810,942	271,034,855
Post-employment benefits and compensated absences (Note 10)	8,036,000	7,016,000
Long-term debt (Note 9)	4,804,408	8,949,702
Residence and culinary arts centre liability (Note 4)	21,006,743	20,821,749
Residence and culinary arts centre deferred revenue (Note 4)	48,574,762	49,774,139
Deferred contributions (Note 11)	12,225,279	9,371,281
Deferred contributions relating to prepaid land lease (Note 5)	7,107,654	7,202,423
Deferred capital contributions (Note 12)	183,621,463	187,982,916
Deferred capital contributions relating to construction in progress (Note 13)	102,962	102,962
Interest rate swap	-	58,670
Asset retirement obligations (Note 19)	8,612,618	8,040,244
	509,902,831	570,354,941
Net Assets		
Unrestricted		
Operating	110,215,696	102,417,261
Post-employment benefits and compensated absences (Note 10)	(8,036,000)	(7,016,000)
Vacation pay	(16,567,565)	(16,905,340)
	85,612,131	78,495,921
Invested in capital assets (Note 14)	207,326,822	213,948,956
Internally restricted (Note 15)	52,950,432	52,651,146
Externally restricted (Note 16)	24,711,320	22,667,245
	370,600,705	367,763,268
Accumulated remeasurement gains	8,928,866	5,347,553
	379,529,571	373,110,821
	\$ 889,432,402	\$ 943,465,762

On behalf of the Board:



Chair



President

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Operations

For the year ended March 31	2025	2024
Revenue		
Enrolment revenues	\$ 327,640,384	\$ 407,017,382
Grants and reimbursements (Schedule 1)	85,924,177	79,069,785
Other income	16,651,053	30,271,634
Income from portfolio investments	14,484,042	13,633,421
Amortization of deferred capital contributions	13,028,196	13,048,142
Deferred contributions recognized as revenue (Note 11)	6,059,641	5,888,351
Ancillary operations (Schedule 2)	4,426,518	4,407,662
Contract training	3,700,242	1,230,205
	<u>471,914,253</u>	<u>554,566,582</u>
Expenses		
Salaries and benefits	299,465,883	293,616,676
Operating expenses	93,351,074	111,704,448
Amortization of capital assets (Note 6)	41,080,855	38,683,329
Plant and property expenses	26,902,345	27,640,946
Bursaries and scholarships	6,059,641	5,888,351
Ancillary operations (Schedule 2)	3,352,793	3,738,349
	<u>470,212,591</u>	<u>481,272,099</u>
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	\$ 1,701,662	\$ 73,294,483

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets

	March 31, 2025					
	Unrestricted	Capital	Restricted			
	General	Invested in Capital assets (Note 14)	Internally Restricted (Note 15)	Externally Restricted (Note 16)	Total	
Balance , beginning of year	\$ 78,495,921	\$ 213,948,956	\$ 52,651,146	\$ 22,667,245	\$	367,763,268
Endowments received during the year	-	-	-	1,135,775		1,135,775
Transfers, internally restricted scholarships & bursaries	(1,588,368)	-	1,588,368	-		-
Reclassifications of balances (Note 20)	380,782	-	(1,289,082)	908,300		-
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	29,734,056	(28,032,394)	-	-		1,701,662
Investment in capital assets	(21,410,260)	21,410,260	-	-		-
Balance , end of year	\$ 85,612,131	\$ 207,326,822	\$ 52,950,432	\$ 24,711,320	\$	370,600,705

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets

	March 31, 2024					
	Unrestricted	Capital	Restricted			
	General	Invested in Capital assets (Note 14)	Internally Restricted (Note 15)	Externally Restricted (Note 16)	Total	
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 23,015,622	\$ 206,679,475	\$ 42,106,443	\$ 21,497,505	\$ 293,299,045	
Endowments received during the year	-	-	-	1,169,740	1,169,740	
Transfers, internally restricted scholarships & bursaries	(4,393,458)	-	4,393,458	-	-	
Transfers, internally restricted building improvements fund	(6,151,245)	-	6,151,245	-	-	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	98,892,519	(25,598,036)	-	-	73,294,483	
Investment in capital assets	(32,867,517)	32,867,517	-	-	-	
Balance, end of year	\$ 78,495,921	\$ 213,948,956	\$ 52,651,146	\$ 22,667,245	\$ 367,763,268	

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Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended March 31

2025

2024

Cash provided by (used in)

Operating activities

Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	\$ 1,701,662	\$ 73,294,483
Items not involving cash:		
Amortization of unrestricted capital assets	28,052,659	25,635,187
Amortization of restricted capital assets	13,028,196	13,048,142
Amortization of deferred capital contributions	(13,028,196)	(13,048,142)
Amortization of deferred revenue on residence and culinary arts centre	(1,199,377)	(1,199,377)
Deferred contributions recognized as revenue in the year	(6,059,641)	(5,888,351)
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	276,750	258,359
	<u>22,772,053</u>	<u>92,100,301</u>
Changes in non-cash working capital items		
Accounts receivable	2,508,169	(3,614,446)
Inventory	78,074	(59,516)
Prepaid expenses	(1,467,912)	(547,872)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	20,768,772	(8,630,751)
Accrual for vacation pay	(337,775)	1,793,936
Accrual for post-employment benefits and compensated absences	1,020,000	68,000
Deferred revenue	(71,903,178)	(62,877,030)
Net increase in asset retirement obligation (Note 19)	295,624	1,166,440
	<u>(26,266,173)</u>	<u>19,399,062</u>

Investing activities

Purchase of investments	(127,355,062)	(254,368,213)
Proceeds on disposal of investments	180,606,911	237,792,535
	<u>53,251,849</u>	<u>(16,575,678)</u>

Financing activities

Deferred contributions received during the year	8,913,639	8,542,559
Repayment of bank loans	-	(751,999)
Repayment of term debt	(7,897,026)	(3,398,060)
Increase in residence and culinary centre liability (Note 4)	184,994	168,259
Endowment contributions received	1,135,775	1,169,740
Contributions received for capital purposes	8,666,743	10,684,220
Contributions received for construction in progress	-	33,334
	<u>11,004,125</u>	<u>16,448,053</u>

Capital activities

Purchase of assets under construction	-	(14,862,453)
Purchase of capital assets	(21,025,841)	(20,914,856)
	<u>(21,025,841)</u>	<u>(35,777,309)</u>

Increase (decrease) in cash during the year

16,963,960 (16,505,872)

Cash, beginning of year

104,269,600 120,775,472

Cash, end of year

\$ 121,233,560 \$ 104,269,600

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Statement of Remeasurement Gains

For the year ended March 31	2025	2024
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Accumulated remeasurement gains , beginning of year	\$ 5,347,553	\$ 1,101,073
Attributable to:		
Derivative - interest rate swap	58,670	86,064
Unrestricted investments	<u>3,522,643</u>	<u>4,160,416</u>
Net remeasurement gains for the year	<u>3,581,313</u>	<u>4,246,480</u>
Accumulated remeasurement gains , end of year	\$ 8,928,866	\$ 5,347,553

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Notes to Financial Statements

March 31, 2025

Description of Organization

The Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology (the "College"), established in 1967, is an Ontario college of applied arts and technology duly established pursuant to Ontario regulation 34/03 made under the Ontario Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology Act, 2002. The College is an agency of the Crown and provides post-secondary, vocationally oriented education in the areas of applied arts, business, health sciences and technology.

The College is a government not-for-profit organization and, as such, is exempt from income taxes under the Income Tax Act (Canada).

1. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of presentation

The financial statements of the College have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards for government not-for-profit organizations, including the 4200 series of standards, as issued by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAS for Government NPOs").

Revenue recognition

The College follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions, which includes donations and government grants. Enrolment and contract training revenues are recognized as income to the extent that the related courses and services are provided within the fiscal year of the College.

Other income and ancillary revenues including parking, bookstore, residence and other sundry revenues are recognized when products are delivered or services are provided to the student or client where the sales price is fixed and determinable, and collection is reasonably assured.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable.

Unrestricted investment income is recognized as revenue in the year it is earned.

Externally restricted contributions and restricted investment income are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred.

Restricted contributions for the purchase of capital assets are deferred and amortized into revenue at a rate corresponding with the amortization rate for the related capital assets.

Contributions to externally restricted endowments are recognized as direct increases in externally restricted net assets.

Valuation of inventories

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined on the first-in first-out basis.

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1. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Capital assets

Purchased capital assets and assets procured through use of a private sector partner are recorded at cost less accumulated amortization. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair value at the date of contribution. Repairs and maintenance costs are charged to expense. Betterments that extend the estimated life of an asset are capitalized. When a capital asset no longer contributes to the College's ability to provide services, its carrying amount is written down to its net realizable value.

Construction in progress is recorded separately from capital assets until construction is complete and the asset is put into service.

Capital assets are capitalized on acquisition and amortized on a straight-line basis over their useful lives, which has been estimated to be as follows:

Buildings	20, 40 or 69 years
Buildings - AROs	7 or 50 years
Large machinery	20 years
Building improvements	10 years
Site improvements	10 years
Leasehold improvements	Over the term of the lease
Computer software	5 years
Furniture, equipment and computers	5 or 10 years

Vacation Pay

The College recognizes vacation pay as an expense on the accrual basis.

Retirement and post-employment benefits and compensated absences

The College provides defined retirement and post-employment benefits and compensated absences to certain employee groups. These benefits include pension, health and dental, vested sick leave and non-vested sick leave. The College has adopted the following policies with respect to accounting for these employee benefits:

- (i) The costs of post-employment future benefits are actuarially determined using management's best estimate of health care costs, disability recovery rates and discount rates. Adjustments to these costs arising from changes in estimates and experience gains and losses are amortized to income over the estimated average remaining service life of the employee groups on a straight-line basis.
- (ii) The costs of the multi-employer defined benefit pension are the employer's contributions due to the plan in the period.

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1. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Retirement and post-employment benefits and compensated absences (continued)

- (iii) The cost of vested and non-vested sick leave benefits are actuarially determined using management's best estimate of salary escalation, employees' use of entitlement and discount rates. Adjustments to these costs arising from changes in actuarial assumption and/or experience are recognized over the estimated average remaining service life of the employees.
- (iv) The discount rate used in the determination of the above-mentioned liabilities is equal to the College's internal rate of borrowing.

Financial instruments

The College classifies its financial instruments as either fair value or amortized cost. The College's accounting policy for each category is as follows:

(i) Fair value

This category includes cash and investments with the exception of guaranteed investment certificates (GIC's). The College has designated its bond portfolio that would otherwise be classified into the amortized cost category at fair value as the College manages and reports performance of it on a fair value basis. The College's interest rate swap is considered to be a derivative financial instrument and is included in this category.

They are initially recognized at cost and subsequently carried at fair value. Unrealized changes in fair value are recognized in the statement of remeasurement gains and losses until they are realized, when they are transferred to the statement of operations.

Transaction costs related to financial instruments in the fair value category are expensed as incurred.

Where a decline in fair value is determined to be other than temporary, the amount of the loss is removed from accumulated remeasurement gains and losses and recognized in the statement of operations. On sale, the amount held in accumulated remeasurement gains and losses associated with that instrument is removed from net assets and recognized in the statement of operations.

(ii) Amortized cost

This category includes guaranteed investment certificates (GIC's), accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, vacation pay, term debt, long-term debt, and residence and culinary arts centre liability. They are initially recognized at cost and subsequently carried at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method, less any impairment losses on financial assets.

Transaction costs related to financial instruments in the amortized cost category are added to the carrying value of the instrument.

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1. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

Write-downs on financial assets in the amortized cost category are recognized when the amount of a loss is known with sufficient precision, and there is no realistic prospect of recovery. Financial assets are then written down to net recoverable value with the write down being recognized in the statement of operations.

Foreign currency translation

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into Canadian dollars at rates of exchange at the time of such transactions. Monetary assets and liabilities are translated at current rates of exchange with the resulting gains and losses recognized in the statement of operations.

Management estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with PSAS for Government NPOs requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from these estimates. Areas of key estimation include determination of allowance for doubtful accounts, deferred revenue, actuarial estimation of post-employment benefits and compensated absences liabilities, fair value of investments, fair value of the interest rate swap, amortization of capital assets, deferred capital contributions and asset retirement obligations.

Asset Retirement Obligations

A liability for an asset retirement obligation is recognized when there is a legal obligation to incur retirement costs in relation to a tangible capital asset; the past transaction or event giving rise to the liability has occurred; it is expected that future economic benefits will be given up; and a reasonable estimate of the amount can be made. The liability is recorded at an amount that is the best estimate of the expenditure required to retire a tangible capital asset at the financial statement date. This liability is subsequently reviewed at each financial reporting date and adjusted for the passage of time and for any revisions to the timing, amount required to settle the obligation or the discount rate. Upon the initial measurement of an asset retirement obligation, a corresponding asset retirement cost is added to the carrying value of the related tangible capital asset if it is still in productive use. This cost is amortized over the useful life of the tangible capital asset. If the related tangible capital asset is unrecognized or no longer in productive use, the asset retirement costs are expensed.

Public private partnership

The College initially recognizes assets procured through a public private partnership arrangement at an amount that represents fair value on the date of recognition when the College controls the purpose and use of the asset, has access to the future economic benefits, is exposed to the risks of the asset and has a significant residual interest in the asset at the end of the public private partnership term. The asset is amortized based on a basis as disclosed in this note under capital assets.

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1. Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Public private partnership (continued)

When the College recognizes an asset in relation to a public private partnership and has an obligation to provide consideration to the private sector partner or grants the private sector partner the right to earn revenue from third party users, the College recognizes a liability or deferred revenue respectively. The combined value of the liability and deferred revenue are initially measured at the same amount as the related asset. The financial liability is subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method and deferred revenue is recognized as revenue over the term of the public private partnership agreement.

2. Financial Instrument Classification

The following table provides cost and fair value information of financial instruments by category. The maximum exposure to credit risk would be the carrying value as shown below.

	2025		
	Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Total
Cash	\$ 121,233,560	\$ -	\$ 121,233,560
Investments	201,205,652	61,042,847	262,248,499
Accounts receivable	-	18,453,228	18,453,228
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	-	84,594,742	84,594,742
Accrued vacation pay	-	16,597,565	16,597,565
Long-term debt	-	6,074,061	6,074,061
Residence and culinary arts centre liability (Note 4)	-	21,006,743	21,006,743
	2024		
	Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Total
Cash	\$ 104,269,600	\$ -	\$ 104,269,600
Investments	256,243,461	55,734,244	311,977,705
Accounts receivable	-	20,961,397	20,961,397
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	-	63,825,970	63,825,970
Accrued vacation pay	-	16,905,340	16,905,340
Term debt	-	2,434,210	2,434,210
Long-term debt	-	11,536,877	11,536,877
Residence and culinary arts centre liability (Note 4)	-	20,821,749	20,821,749
Interest rate swap	58,670	-	58,670

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2. Financial Instrument Classification (continued)

Investments are related to unrestricted net assets and internally and externally net assets (see Notes 17 and 18) and consist of guaranteed investment certificates (GIC's), bonds and other investments. Maturity profile of investments held is as follows:

	Within 1 year	2 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	Total Value
March 31, 2025	\$ 105,200,415	\$ 110,241,286	\$ 43,894,025	\$ 259,335,726
	40%	43%	17%	100%
	Within 1 year	2 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	Total Value
March 31, 2024	\$ 96,271,705	\$ 168,475,816	\$ 45,126,583	\$ 309,874,104
	31%	54%	15%	100%

Investments also includes \$2,912,773 (2024 - \$2,103,601) in equity shares which have no maturity profile. These investments are related to externally restricted net assets.

The following table provides an analysis of financial instruments that are measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value, grouped into Levels 1 to 3 based on the degree to which the fair value is observable:

- **Level 1** fair value measurements are those derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities using the last bid price;
- **Level 2** fair value measurements are those derived from inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices); and
- **Level 3** fair value measurements are those derived from valuation techniques that include inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

	2025			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash	\$ 121,233,560	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 121,233,560
Investments	201,205,652	61,042,847	-	262,248,499
	<u>\$ 322,439,212</u>	<u>\$ 61,042,847</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 383,482,059</u>
	2024			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash	\$ 104,269,600	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 104,269,600
Investments	256,186,806	55,790,899	-	311,977,705
Interest rate swap	-	-	(58,670)	(58,670)
	<u>\$ 360,456,406</u>	<u>\$ 55,790,899</u>	<u>\$ (58,670)</u>	<u>\$ 416,188,635</u>

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2. Financial Instrument Classification (continued)

There were no transfers from Level 1 to Level 2 for the year ended March 31, 2025 (2024 - Nil). There were no transfers in or out of Level 3 (2024 - Nil). For a sensitivity analysis of financial instruments recognized in Level 3, see Note 17 – Interest rate risk, as the prevailing interest rate is the most significant input into the fair value of the instrument.

3. Cash and Investments

The College's cash and investments include amounts restricted for specific purposes that are not available to be spent at the College's discretion. Cash and investments consist of guaranteed investment certificates (GICs), bond portfolios, other similar investments, and daily interest earned investments with interest earned at the Banker's Acceptance rate less 0.15%. The amounts available for operations are as follows:

	2025	2024
Cash	\$ 121,233,560	\$ 104,269,600
Investments	262,248,499	311,977,705
Total cash and investments	383,482,059	416,247,305
Less amounts restricted for:		
Cash held in trust	679,335	6,005,756
Endowments - externally restricted, less amounts receivable (Note 16)	24,711,320	22,667,245
Endowments - internally restricted, less amounts receivable (Note 15)	27,950,432	27,651,146
Deferred contributions (Note 11)	12,225,279	9,371,281
Restricted grants included as part of deferred revenue (Note 7)	14,407,585	17,272,633
Unspent deferred capital contributions less amounts receivable (Note 12, 13)	1,416,052	1,306,388
Unrestricted cash and investments	<u>\$ 302,092,056</u>	<u>\$ 331,972,856</u>
Internally restricted building fund (Note 15)	<u>25,000,000</u>	<u>25,000,000</u>
Net unrestricted cash and investments (excluding building fund)	<u>\$ 277,092,056</u>	<u>\$ 306,972,856</u>

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4. Centennial Residence and Culinary Arts Centre

The College has entered into an alternative financing arrangement for the construction and operation of the Centennial Residence and Culinary Arts Centre. Under the terms of this agreement the partner is responsible for constructing, maintaining and operating the student residence portion of the facility in exchange for an initial 49-year ground lease and the right to collect student residence fees over the same period. The College has agreed to sublease a portion of the facility over the same term for the operation of the School of Hospitality, Tourism and Culinary Arts in exchange for annual rent payments and an agreed upon pre-payment. The effective date of completion of the building was September 1, 2016.

As at September 1, 2016, the residence building was recorded as an asset valued at \$84,492,191. The related liability has been proportionately split between deferred revenue and a financial liability. The initial deferred revenue was \$58,769,465 which represents the College granting the partner the right to provide residence services to students of the College and receive the related rental fees, in exchange for the partner's capital investment in the facility. The amount of deferred revenue will be brought into income on a straight-line basis over the term of the 49-year lease agreement. The initial financial liability of \$25,722,726 represents the subleased premises for which the College is required to make annual rent payments. At September 1, 2016, the College had made prepayments of \$6,430,433 to the partner, resulting in a net initial financial liability of \$19,292,293. This financial liability was recorded at the present value of minimum lease payments going forward as in accordance with the terms of the 49 years lease agreement. The prepayment amount of \$6,430,433 was borrowed from the International Student Scholarship Endowment Fund. The College is paying the fund interest of 5% annually until the amount is returned to the fund.

As at March 31, 2025, the building has a net book value of \$71,464,671 (2024 - \$72,645,905) and accumulated amortization of \$13,027,520 (2024 - \$11,846,286).

Included in other income is \$1,199,377 (2024 - \$1,199,377) representing the amortization of the deferred revenue and included in other expenses is \$1,990,351 (2024 - \$1,973,613) representing the interest expense on the financial liability.

5. Prepaid Land Lease

The College has negotiated a land lease with the University of Toronto. This amount recorded as a prepaid land lease includes the original payment made to the University of Toronto less accumulated rent expense for a ninety-nine-year lease for land upon which the College has constructed the Morningside campus. The amount will be expensed over the term of the lease.

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6. Capital Assets

	2025		2024	
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Cost	Accumulated Amortization
Land	\$ 5,924,536	\$ -	\$ 5,924,536	\$ -
Buildings	524,741,544	187,835,090	524,737,637	176,149,019
Buildings- AROs	2,884,101	1,964,059	2,835,548	1,895,241
Large machinery	59,541,393	14,173,433	58,904,165	11,290,106
Building improvements	90,062,956	65,320,291	83,908,007	59,093,161
Site improvements	7,659,525	1,755,762	6,470,888	1,093,285
Leasehold improvements	10,269,352	7,881,306	10,269,352	6,294,817
Computer software	40,195,702	31,106,003	38,647,474	26,165,668
Furniture, equipment and computers	137,835,878	103,114,642	127,161,750	90,858,645
	\$ 879,114,987	\$ 413,150,586	\$ 858,859,357	\$ 372,839,942
Net book value		\$ 465,964,401		\$ 486,019,415

Amortization expense for the year is \$41,080,855 (2024 - \$38,683,329).

7. Deferred Revenue

(i) Deferred revenue is comprised of the following:

	2025	2024
Advance tuition fees	\$ 97,740,194	\$ 166,267,438
Unexpended grants (ii)	14,407,585	17,272,633
Other	1,231,203	1,742,089
	\$ 113,378,982	\$ 185,282,160

(ii) The changes to unexpended grants in the year are as follows:

	2025	2024
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 17,272,633	\$ 20,988,687
Add grants received	36,823,655	103,845,961
Less amounts recognized as revenue	(39,688,703)	(107,562,015)
Balance, end of year	\$ 14,407,585	\$ 17,272,633

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8. Bank Operating Line of Credit

The College has a \$20 million (2024 - \$20 million) operating line of credit. No amount has been drawn upon this operating line of credit as of March 31, 2025 (2024 - \$nil). The College has \$540,000 (2024 - \$540,000) in letters of credit outstanding as of March 31, 2025.

9. Term Debt and Long-term Debt

- (i) The College has partially financed the acquisition of the T-Block (previous student residence) building through an unsecured non-revolving swap bank loan, repayable in monthly installments of \$90,900 principal and interest and is due on demand. The College has fixed its interest rate at 6.82% through an interest rate swap for the term of the loan. The interest rate includes a credit spread of 0.35%. The interest rate swap is a derivative financial instrument. It has effectively locked in a fixed rate through 2026.

During the current year, this unsecured bank loan was repaid and the interest rate swap was terminated. The fair value interest rate swap at March 31, 2025 was \$nil (2024 - \$58,670).

- (ii) The College partially financed the building of the Athletic & Wellness Centre, Progress Campus through a fifteen-year unsecured term loan from the Ontario Financing Authority (OFA). The term loan carries interest, compounded semi-annually, equal to the Province of Ontario's cost of funds for a fifteen-year amortizing bond plus 0.40%. The maturity date of the term loan was November 30, 2026. This loan was settled early and the outstanding balance and remaining interest payments were fully repaid during the current year.

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9. Term Debt and Long-term Debt (continued)

(iii) The College has partially financed the construction of the library and student hub at Ashtonbee Campus through a fifteen-year unsecured term loan from the Ontario Financing Authority (OFA). The term loan carries interest equal to the Province of Ontario's cost of funds for a fifteen-year amortizing bond plus 0.275%. The maturity date of the term loan is September 26, 2029.

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Term debt on the T-Block (Note i)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,434,210</u>
Long-term Debt		
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
OFA loan on the Athletic & Wellness Centre (Note ii)	\$ -	\$ 4,236,136
OFA loan on the Library - Ashtonbee Campus (Note iii)	<u>6,074,061</u>	<u>7,300,741</u>
Total long-term debt	<u>6,074,061</u>	<u>11,536,877</u>
Less: current portion	<u>(1,269,653)</u>	<u>(2,587,175)</u>
	<u>\$ 4,804,408</u>	<u>\$ 8,949,702</u>

The principal amounts due within the next five years are as follows:

	<u>Ashtonbee Campus Library</u>
2026	\$ 1,269,653
2027	1,314,131
2028	1,360,167
2029	1,407,815
2030	<u>722,295</u>
	<u>\$ 6,074,061</u>

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10. Post-Employment Benefits and Compensated Absences

The following tables outline the components of the College's post-employment benefits and compensated absences liabilities and the related income and expenses.

	2025			
	Post-employment benefits	Non-vesting sick leave	Vesting sick leave	Total liability
Accrued employee future benefits obligations	\$ 2,443,000	\$ 10,098,000	\$ 163,000	\$ 12,704,000
Value of plan assets	(489,000)	-	-	(489,000)
Unamortized actuarial gains	-	(4,150,000)	(29,000)	(4,179,000)
Total liability	\$ 1,954,000	\$ 5,948,000	\$ 134,000	\$ 8,036,000
	2024			
	Post-employment benefits	Non-vesting sick leave	Vesting sick leave	Total liability
Accrued employee future benefits obligations	\$ 1,978,000	\$ 9,839,000	\$ 156,000	\$ 11,973,000
Value of plan assets	(474,000)	-	-	(474,000)
Unamortized actuarial gains (losses)	10,000	(4,461,000)	(32,000)	(4,483,000)
Total liability	\$ 1,514,000	\$ 5,378,000	\$ 124,000	\$ 7,016,000
	2025			
	Post-employment benefits	Non-vesting sick leave	Vesting sick leave	Total liability
Current year benefit cost	\$ 452,000	\$ 668,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 1,124,000
Interest on accrued benefit obligation	5,000	351,000	6,000	362,000
Amortized actuarial (gains) losses	(6,000)	514,000	-	508,000
Total expense	\$ 451,000	\$ 1,533,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 1,994,000

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10. Post-Employment Benefits and Compensated Absences (continued)

	2024			
	Post-employment benefits	Non-vesting sick leave	Vesting sick leave	Total liability
Current year benefit cost	\$ 130,000	\$ 525,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 659,000
Interest on accrued benefit obligation	5,000	289,000	5,000	299,000
Amortized actuarial (gains) losses	(26,000)	224,000	6,000	204,000
Total expense	\$ 109,000	\$ 1,038,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 1,162,000

Above amounts exclude pension contributions to the Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology pension plan, a multi-employer plan, described below.

Retirement benefits

CAAT Pension Plan

Employees of the College are members of the Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology Pension Plan (the "Plan"), which is a multi-employer jointly-sponsored defined benefit plan for eligible employees public colleges and related employers in Ontario. The College makes contributions to the Plan equal to those of the employees. Contribution rates are set by the Plan's governors to ensure the long-term viability of the Plan.

Any pension surplus or deficit is a joint responsibility of the members and employers and may affect future contribution rates. The College does not recognize any share of the Plan's pension surplus or deficit as insufficient information is available to identify the College's share of the underlying pension assets and liabilities. The most recent actuarial valuation filed with pension regulators as at January 1, 2025 indicated an actuarial surplus of \$6.1 billion (January 1, 2024 - \$5.3 billion). The College made contributions to the Plan and its associated retirement compensation arrangement of \$19,423,492 in 2025 (2024 - \$19,808,667), which has been included in the statement of operations.

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10. Post-Employment Benefits and Compensated Absences (continued)

Post-employment benefits

The College extends post employment life insurance, health and dental benefits to certain employee groups subsequent to their retirement. The College recognizes these benefits as they are earned during the employees' tenure of service. The College also provides continuation of medical and dental benefits to certain employee groups while receiving long-term disability benefits. The related benefit liability was determined by an actuarial valuation study commissioned by the College Employer Council.

The major actuarial assumptions employed for the valuation are as follows:

(a) Discount rate

The present value as at March 31, 2025 of the future benefits was determined using a discount rate 3.20% (2024 – 3.50%).

(b) Drug costs

Drug costs increases were assumed to decrease at a rate of 5.91% per annum in 2025 (2024 - 6.01%) to an ultimate rate of 4.0% in 2040.

(c) Hospital and other medical

Hospital and other medical costs were assumed to increase at 5.91% per annum (2024 – 6.01%).

Medical premium increases were assumed to increase at 5.01% per annum in 2025 (2024 - 6.01%) to an ultimate rate of 4.0% in 2040.

(d) Dental costs

Dental costs were assumed to increase at 4.0% per annum (2024 - 4.0%).

(e) Retirement rates

3.10% per annum starting at eligibility for reduced pension, increasing to 16% per annum after reaching eligibility for unreduced pension, with the remainder at age 65.

(f) Expected return on assets

For the fiscal 2025 disclosure, expected return on assets was assumed to increase at 5.30% (2024 – 4.20%) per annum.

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10. Post-Employment Benefits and Compensated Absences (continued)

Compensated absences

Vesting Sick Leave

The College has provided for vesting sick leave benefits during the year. Eligible employees, after 10 years of service, are entitled to receive 50% of their accumulated sick leave credit on termination or retirement to a maximum of 6 months' salary. The program to accumulate sick leave credits ceased for employees hired after March 31, 1991. The related benefit liability was determined by an actuarial valuation study commissioned by the College Employer Council.

Non-Vesting Sick Leave

The College allocates to certain employee groups a specified number of days each year for use as paid absences in the event of illness or injury. These days do not vest and are available immediately. Employees are permitted to accumulate their unused allocation each year, up to the allowable maximum provided in their employment agreements. Accumulated days may be used in future years to the extent that the employees' illness or injury exceeds the current year's allocation of days. Sick days are paid out at the salary in effect at the time of usage. The related benefit liability was determined by an actuarial valuation study commissioned by the College Employer Council.

The assumptions used in the valuation of vesting and non-vesting sick leaves are the College's best estimates of expected rates of:

	2025	2026	Thereafter
Wage and salary escalation - support staff	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%
Wage and salary escalation - academic staff	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%

The probability that the employee will use more sick days than the annual accrual and the excess number of sick days used are within ranges of 0% to 23.5% and 0 to 54 days respectively for age groups ranging from 20 and under to 65 and over in bands of 5 years.

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11. Deferred Contributions

Deferred contributions represent unspent externally restricted funding that has been received and relates to a subsequent year. Changes in the contributions deferred to future periods are as follows:

	2025	2024
Balance , beginning of year	\$ 9,371,281	\$ 6,717,073
Less amounts recognized as revenue in the year	(6,059,641)	(5,888,351)
Add amounts received during the year	8,913,639	8,542,559
Balance , end of year	\$ 12,225,279	\$ 9,371,281

Comprised of:

	2025	2024
Scholarship and bursaries	\$ 5,794,153	\$ 5,192,714
Endowment interest funds - externally restricted	5,754,583	3,532,712
Joint employment stability reserve	676,543	645,855
	\$ 12,225,279	\$ 9,371,281

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12. Deferred Capital Contributions

Deferred capital contributions represent the unamortized amount and unspent amount of donations and grants received for the purchase of capital assets. The amortization of capital contributions is recorded as revenue in the statement of operations. The changes in the deferred capital contributions balances are as follows:

	2025	2024
Balance , beginning of year	\$ 187,982,916	\$ 190,346,838
Less amortization of deferred capital contributions	(13,028,196)	(13,048,142)
Add contributions received for capital purposes	8,666,743	10,684,220
Balance , end of year	<u>\$ 183,621,463</u>	<u>\$ 187,982,916</u>

As at March 31, 2025, there was \$1,559,492 unspent to date of which \$1,313,090 (2024 - \$1,203,426) had been received before March 31, 2025 and \$246,402 (2024 - \$223,146) was recognized as amounts receivable at March 31, 2025.

13. Deferred Capital Contributions Relating to Construction in Progress

Deferred capital contributions relating to construction in progress represents the amount of restricted funding received for capital projects currently in progress.

	2025	2024
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 102,962	\$ 69,628
Add contributions received for capital purposes	-	33,334
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 102,962</u>	<u>\$ 102,962</u>

As at March 31, 2025, unspent deferred capital contributions received relating to construction in progress were \$102,962 (2024 - \$102,962).

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14. Investment in Capital Assets

a) Investment in capital assets represents the following:

	2025	2024
Capital assets (Note 6)	\$ 465,964,401	\$ 486,019,415
Less: Net book value of capitalized asset retirement obligations	(920,042)	(940,307)
	\$ 465,044,359	\$ 485,079,108
Less amounts financed by:		
Residence and culinary arts centre liability	21,006,743	20,821,749
Residence and culinary arts centre deferred revenue	48,574,762	49,774,139
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	-	6,833
Term debt (Note 9)	6,074,061	13,971,087
Deferred capital contributions - spent (Notes 12, 13)	182,061,971	186,556,344
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 207,326,822</u>	<u>\$ 213,948,956</u>

b) Change in net assets invested in capital assets is calculated as follows:

	2025	2024
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses:		
Amortization of deferred capital contributions related to capital assets (Note 12)	\$ 13,028,196	\$ 13,048,142
Amortization of capital assets (Note 6)	(41,080,855)	(38,683,329)
Amortization of capitalized asset retirement obligations	20,265	37,151
	<u>\$ (28,032,394)</u>	<u>\$(25,598,036)</u>
Net change in investment in capital assets		
Purchase of capital assets and CIP	\$ 21,025,841	\$ 35,777,309
Amount funded by deferred capital contributions	(8,533,823)	(10,251,831)
Amounts funded by account payable	6,833	2,912,861
Amounts funded by residence and culinary arts centre liability	(184,994)	(168,259)
Amounts funded by residence and culinary arts centre deferred revenue	1,199,377	1,199,377
Repayment of term debt and long-term debt	7,897,026	3,398,060
	<u>21,410,260</u>	<u>32,867,517</u>
	<u>\$ (6,622,134)</u>	<u>\$ 7,269,481</u>

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15. Internally Restricted Net Assets

Internally restricted net assets represent money set aside by College senior management towards:

- (i) An international student scholarship endowment fund established by the College senior management and approved by the Board of Governors. Contributions to this fund includes an annual amount equal to 1% of international education tuition fees, annual adjustments to the group insurance premiums paid for international students and other discretionary transfers from the College. Historically, matching funds from the College on certain donation campaigns were also included in the international student scholarship endowment fund. However, these balances have been reclassified to externally restricted net assets, as the amounts have externally imposed restrictions (see Note 20). During the year, \$1,645,836 (2024 - \$4,732,726) were transferred into the International student scholarship endowment fund from the General Fund and \$57,468 (2024 - \$339,268) was disbursed from the fund to be used to award international student scholarships. As of March 31, 2025, the College's internally restricted scholarship and fundraising fund amounted to \$27,950,432 (2024 - \$27,651,146).
- (ii) A building improvements fund is an internally restricted building improvement fund approved by the College Board of Governors to provide the necessary resources required for the realization of the College's master campus plan. In the prior year \$18,848,755 was transferred from the building improvement fund to the general fund in respect of the College's A Block Expansion Project; \$11,460,404 of this amount was invested in the project and \$7,388,351 represented the unused portion of funds that was transferred back to unrestricted net assets.

In the prior year, the Board of Governors also approved the internal restriction of \$25,000,000 to support the Downsview National Mobility and Technology Hub project ("Downsview Project"). No amounts were approved for internal restrictions in the current fiscal year.

The changes in the building improvement fund are as follows:

	2025	2024
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 25,000,000	\$ 18,848,755
Disbursed for use in the A Block Project	-	(11,460,404)
Unused funds from the A Block Project	-	(7,388,351)
Funds set aside for the Downsview Project	-	25,000,000
Balance, end of year	\$ 25,000,000	\$ 25,000,000

16. Externally Restricted Net Assets

Externally restricted net assets include restricted donations received by the College where the endowment principal is required to be maintained intact.

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16. Externally Restricted Net Assets (continued)

In the current year, the College also transferred certain matching donations it has made from internally restricted net assets to externally restricted net assets as these funds have externally imposed restrictions and are also required to be maintained intact as endowment principal (see Note 20).

The investment income generated from these endowments must be used in accordance with the various purposes established by donors. The College ensures, as part of its fiduciary responsibilities, that all funds received with a restricted purpose are expended for the purpose for which they were provided.

Investment income on externally restricted endowments that was disbursed during the year has been recorded in the statement of operations since this income is available for disbursement as scholarships and bursaries and the donors' conditions have been met. The unspent portion of investment income is recorded in deferred contributions.

Externally restricted endowment funds include grants provided by the Government of Ontario from the Ontario Student Opportunity Trust Fund (OSOTF) and the Ontario Trust for Student Support (OTSS). Under these programs, the government matched funds raised by the College. The purpose of the program was to assist academically qualified individuals who, for financial reasons, would not otherwise be able to attend College.

Schedule of Changes in Endowment Fund Balances for the Year Ended March 31,

	2025				
	OSOTF I	OSOTF II	OTSS	Other	Total
Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 343,800	\$ 1,391,901	\$ 11,949,080	\$ 8,982,464	\$ 22,667,245
Cash donations received	-	-	-	1,135,775	1,135,775
Transfers from internally restricted endowments (Note 20)	-	-	-	908,300	908,300
Fund balance, end of year	\$ 343,800	\$ 1,391,901	\$ 11,949,080	\$ 11,026,539	\$ 24,711,320

	2024				
	OSOTF I	OSOTF II	OTSS	Other	Total
Fund balance, beginning of year	\$ 343,800	\$ 1,391,901	\$ 11,949,080	\$ 7,812,724	\$ 21,497,505
Cash donations received	-	-	-	1,169,740	1,169,740
Fund balance, end of year	\$ 343,800	\$ 1,391,901	\$ 11,949,080	\$ 8,982,464	\$ 22,667,245

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16. Externally Restricted Net Assets (continued)

Schedule of Changes in Expendable Funds Available for Awards for the Year Ended March 31,

	2025				
	OSOTF I	OSOTF II	OTSS	Other	Total
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 106,441	\$ 348,160	\$ 2,186,286	\$ 891,825	\$ 3,532,712
Investment income, net of direct investment related expenses	34,264	138,722	1,189,278	1,348,607	2,710,871
Bursaries awarded	-	(32,000)	(80,000)	(377,000)	(489,000)
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 140,705</u>	<u>\$ 454,882</u>	<u>\$ 3,295,564</u>	<u>\$ 1,863,432</u>	<u>\$ 5,754,583</u>
Bursaries awarded (#)	-	24	64	274	362

	2024				
	OSOTF I	OSOTF II	OTSS	Other	Total
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 80,233	\$ 291,054	\$ 1,381,443	\$ 447,423	\$ 2,200,153
Investment income, net of direct investment related expenses	26,208	106,106	894,843	647,902	1,675,059
Bursaries awarded	-	(49,000)	(90,000)	(203,500)	(342,500)
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 106,441</u>	<u>\$ 348,160</u>	<u>\$ 2,186,286</u>	<u>\$ 891,825</u>	<u>\$ 3,532,712</u>
Bursaries awarded (#)	-	40	69	158	267

17. Financial Instrument Risk Management

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the College if a debtor fails to make payments of interest and principal when due. The College is exposed to this risk relating to its cash, investments, debt holdings in its investment portfolio, and accounts receivable. The College holds its cash accounts with a federally regulated chartered bank who is insured by the Canadian Deposit Insurance Corporation. In the event of default, the College's cash accounts are insured up to \$100,000 (2024 - \$100,000).

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

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17. Financial Instrument Risk Management (continued)

The College's investment policy operates within the constraints of the investment guidelines issued by the Ministry of Colleges, Universities Research Excellence and Security ("MCURES") and puts limits on the bond portfolio including portfolio composition limits, issuer type limits, bond quality limits, aggregate issuer limits, corporate sector limits and general guidelines for geographic exposure. All fixed income portfolios are measured for performance on a quarterly basis and monitored by management during the year. The guidelines permit the College's funds to be invested in bonds issued by the Government of Canada, a Canadian province or a Canadian municipality having a rating of A or better, or corporate investments having a rating of A (R-1) or better.

Credit risk on accounts receivable is mitigated by financial and system controls on past due accounts.

The College measures its exposure to credit risk based on how long the amounts have been outstanding. An impairment allowance is set up based on the College's historical experience regarding collections.

Credit risk (continued)

The amounts outstanding at year end were as follows:

Amount past due	2025				
	Total	Current	> 30 days	61 - 90 days	> 90 days
Government receivables	\$ 3,173,540	\$ 3,173,540	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Student receivables	5,155,603	86,990	131,360	3,061,717	1,875,536
Non student receivables	2,163,722	1,601,263	247,372	122,023	193,064
Other receivables	10,516,439	10,516,439	-	-	-
Gross receivables	\$ 21,009,304	\$ 15,378,232	\$ 378,732	\$ 3,183,740	\$ 2,068,600
Less: impairment allowances	\$ (2,556,076)				
Net receivables	\$ 18,453,228				
Amount past due	2024				
	Total	Current	> 30 days	61 - 90 days	> 90 days
Government receivables	\$ 7,522,737	\$ 7,522,737	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Student receivables	4,838,038	449,354	131,445	2,547,562	1,709,677
Non student receivables	1,068,746	689,286	167,349	114,060	98,051
Other receivables	10,015,110	10,015,110	-	-	-
Gross receivables	\$ 23,444,631	\$ 18,676,487	\$ 298,794	\$ 2,661,622	\$ 1,807,728
Less: impairment allowances	\$ (2,483,234)				
Net receivables	\$ 20,961,397				

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17. Financial Instrument Risk Management (continued)

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate as a result of market factors. Market factors include three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and equity risk.

The College's investment policy operates within the constraints of the investment guidelines issued by the Ministry of Colleges, Universities, Research Excellence and Security. The policy's application is monitored by management and the Board of Governors. Diversification techniques are utilized to minimize risk.

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

Currency risk

Currency risk relates to the College operating in different currencies and converting non-Canadian earnings at different points in time at different foreign College levels when adverse changes in foreign currency College rates occur. The College carries a bank balance and conducts transactions in both US dollars and Canadian dollars. The College also holds bank accounts in Australia, India, Philippines, Singapore and South Korea; however, the College does not conduct material transactions in currencies other than US and Canadian dollars. The College mitigates currency risk by demanding payment of receivables in Canadian or US dollars and the College employs a natural hedge by directing the College's US dollar holdings to support foreign operations.

The College has the following financial instruments denominated in foreign currencies:

2025					
Cash	Currency	Amount in Foreign Currency	Exchange Amount	Exchange Rate (%)	Amount in Canadian Dollars
United States Dollars	USD	\$ 88,693	\$ 38,812	143.76%	\$ 127,505
Australian Dollars	AUD	6,478	(667)	89.70%	5,811
Indian Rupee	INR	10,740,274	(10,559,623)	1.68%	180,651
Singapore Dollar	SGD	3,353	234	106.98%	3,587
South Korean Won	KRW	53,499,962	(53,447,800)	0.10%	52,162
Vietnam Dollars	VND	273,875,810	(273,859,377)	0.01%	16,433
Philippine Peso	PHP	5,435,949	(5,300,485)	2.49%	135,464
					\$ 521,613

Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

United States Dollars	USD	\$ 423,352	\$ 185,259	143.76%	\$ 608,611
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17. Financial Instrument Risk Management (continued)

Currency risk (continued)

2024

Cash	Currency	Amount in Foreign Currency	Exchange Amount	Exchange Rate (%)	Amount in Canadian Dollars
United States Dollars	USD	\$ 1,876,083	\$ 666,009	135.50%	\$ 2,542,092
Australian Dollars	AUD	5,227	(613)	88.27%	4,614
Indian Rupee	INR	8,692,800	(8,551,542)	1.63%	141,258
Singapore Dollar	SGD	3,858	15	100.39%	3,873
South Korean Wan	KRW	123,313,028	(123,189,222)	0.10%	123,806
Vietnam Dollars	VND	1,287,012,500	(1,286,948,149)	0.01%	64,351
					\$ 2,879,994

Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

United States Dollars	USD	\$ 275,857	\$ 97,929	135.50%	\$ 373,786
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There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the potential for financial loss caused by fluctuations in fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments because of changes in market interest rates. The College is exposed to this risk through its interest-bearing investments.

Historically, the College mitigated the interest rate risk on its term debt through a derivative financial instrument that exchanged the variable rate inherent in the debt to a fixed rate. During the current year the term debt was fully repaid and the interest rate swap was extinguished. Therefore, at March 31, 2025 the College was no longer exposed to interest rate risk on the debt or the derivative financial instrument. At March 31, 2024 a 1% fluctuation in interest rates, with all other variables held constant would have had an estimated impact on the fair value of the interest rate swap of \$30,190.

The College's investment portfolio has interest rates ranging from 1.73% to 5.57% (2024 – 1.73% to 5.90%) with maturities ranging from April 17, 2025 to June 18, 2040. As at March 31, 2025, a 1% fluctuation in interest rates, with all other variables held constant, would have an estimated impact on the fair value of investments of \$3,932,313 (2024 - \$5,237,294)

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

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17. Financial Instrument Risk Management (continued)

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the College will not be able to meet all cash outflow obligations as they come due. The College mitigates this risk by monitoring cash activities and expected outflows through extensive budgeting and by maintaining investments that may be converted to cash in the near-term if unexpected cash outflows arise. The following table sets out the contractual maturities (representing undiscounted contractual cash-flows of financial liabilities assuming demand loans are not called):

	2025				
	Within 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 84,594,742	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 84,594,742
Term debt	629,362	640,291	4,804,408	-	6,074,061
Lease liability	6,198	13,356	66,782	20,920,407	21,006,743
	\$ 85,230,302	\$ 653,647	\$ 4,871,190	\$ 20,920,407	\$ 111,675,546

	2024				
	Within 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 63,825,970	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 63,825,970
Term debt	1,755,047	1,793,611	9,700,134	722,295	13,971,087
Lease liability	4,326	10,383	51,916	20,755,124	20,821,749
	\$ 65,585,343	\$ 1,803,994	\$ 9,752,050	\$ 21,477,419	\$ 98,618,806

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

Equity risk

Equity risk is the uncertainty associated with the valuation of assets arising from changes in equity prices. The College is exposed to this risk through its investments held in securities.

There have been no significant changes from the previous year in the exposure to risk or policies, procedures and methods used to measure the risk.

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18. Commitments and Contingencies

The College is committed to estimated minimum annual payments under operating lease agreements over the next five years and thereafter as follows:

2026	\$ 611,741
2027	555,164
2028	429,841
2029	305,208
2030	305,208
Thereafter	<u>2,279,674</u>
Total commitments	<u>\$ 4,486,836</u>

The College has been named as a defendant in several litigations alleging actual and punitive damages. The College has made a provision management believes will be sufficient based on the amount of the claims, however management is not able to determine the final outcome of these claims. Settlement, if any, will be accounted for during the period of resolution.

19. Asset Retirement Obligations

The College's financial statements include an asset retirement obligation for the remediation of asbestos contained within campus buildings. The related asset retirement costs are being amortized on a straight-line basis. The liability has been estimated using a net present value technique with a discount rate of 3.32% (2024 - 3.32%). The estimated total undiscounted future expenditures are \$25.7 million (2024 - \$24.2 million), which are expected to be incurred in either 7 years or 50 years, which is the estimated remaining useful life of the buildings.

During the year additional asset retirement obligations of \$295,624 (2024 – \$1,663,159) were recognized along with an associated asset of \$48,553 (2024 - \$496,719).

	2025	2024
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 8,040,244	\$ 6,118,726
Add: additional asset retirement obligations	295,624	1,663,159
Add: accretion costs	<u>276,750</u>	<u>258,359</u>
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 8,612,618</u>	<u>\$ 8,040,244</u>

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20. Reclassifications of Balances

During the year, the College transferred certain matching donations it made from internally restricted net assets to externally restricted net assets. These funds have externally imposed restrictions and must be maintained intact as endowment principal and therefore are more appropriately classified as externally restricted net assets.

The cumulative investment income generated from these funds was also transferred from internally restricted net assets to the unrestricted general fund.

The amounts transferred are as follows:

Transferred to externally restricted net assets	\$	908,300
Transferred to the unrestricted general fund		<u>380,782</u>
Transferred from internally restricted net assets	\$	<u>1,289,082</u>

21. Intake Cap on International Student Permits

On January 22, 2024, the Government of Canada (the "Government") announced an intake cap on international student permit applications for a period of two years, resulting in a reduction of approximately 35% of approved study permits from 2023.

On September 18, 2024, the Government announced further reforms to the International Student Program which included a further 10% reduction on the cap of international student study permits for 2025 from the approved 2024 target and changes to the Post-Graduation Work Permit ("PGWP") eligibility requirements.

A portion of the College's tuition revenue continues to be derived from international students. The financial impact of the Government reforms related to international student enrolment has been a decline in international tuition revenues which is reflected in the 2024-25 financial statements.

These Government reforms will continue to impact the College's international tuition revenues in the next fiscal year and beyond. The College is addressing the anticipated financial impact of these reforms by implementing a mitigation program that involves suspending programs, phased workforce reductions, streamlining operational processes and structures, reviewing space utilization plans and building out alternative revenue streams.

Management will continue to actively monitor the regulatory landscape and assess its financial impact.

22. Comparative Figures

Certain comparative figures included in these financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the presentation adopted for the current year.

The Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology
Schedule of Grants and Reimbursements
Schedule 1

For the year ended March 31	2025	2024
General operating grant	\$ 49,416,247	\$ 44,679,903
Apprenticeship	9,704,069	9,401,518
Special project grants	20,519,043	13,158,717
Grant in lieu of municipal taxation	639,525	618,000
Other grants	5,645,293	11,211,647
	\$ 85,924,177	\$ 79,069,785

The Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology
Schedule of Ancillary Operations
Schedule 2

For the year ended March 31

	2025					
	Bookstores	Centennial Place	Parking	Food Service	MyCard	Total
Revenue	\$ 180,860	\$ 260,334	\$ 3,432,002	\$ 206,285	\$ 347,037	\$ 4,426,518
Expenses						
Cost of goods sold	-	-	614,101	-	-	614,101
Salaries and benefits	83,686	-	49,694	-	203,601	336,981
Rent and taxes	-	-	149,727	-	-	149,727
Contract services	-	-	1,021,772	10,306	1,015	1,033,093
Other operating expense	-	-	1,117,292	9,954	91,645	1,218,891
	83,686	-	2,952,586	20,260	296,261	3,352,793
Excess of revenue over expenses	\$ 97,174	\$ 260,334	\$ 479,416	\$ 186,025	\$ 50,776	\$ 1,073,725

The Centennial College of Applied Arts & Technology
Schedule of Ancillary Operations
Schedule 2

For the year ended March 31

	2024					
	Bookstores	Centennial Place	Parking	Food Service	MyCard	Total
Revenue	\$ 252,346	\$ 240,606	\$ 3,276,513	\$ 218,279	\$ 419,918	\$ 4,407,662
Expenses						
Cost of goods sold	-	-	570,323	-	-	570,323
Salaries and benefits	81,741	-	-	-	211,205	292,946
Rent and taxes	-	-	137,993	-	-	137,993
Contract services	-	-	1,155,280	29,254	4,411	1,188,945
Other operating expense	-	-	1,223,882	17,718	306,542	1,548,142
	81,741	-	3,087,478	46,972	522,158	3,738,349
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$ 170,605	\$ 240,606	\$ 189,035	\$ 171,307	\$ (102,240)	\$ 669,313