

# INDEPENDENT MUSIC PRODUCTION (MPCP)

## Ontario College Certificate | 2 semesters | Barrydowne

This program is the perfect stepping stone if you are interested in further studies in audio recording and music production or if you wish to pursue independent music recording and composition as a career.

Explore your creative potential as you learn the foundations of music recording, editing, and performance, and develop the communications skills necessary to begin navigating the music industry. Your studies will adopt a hands-on approach to small-scale, computer-based recording and editing, provide an overview of the roots of popular music and current trends in the music recording industry, and introduce you to the business skills needed to successfully promote yourself and your work.

You will have the opportunity to work in industry-standard labs with experienced professionals, and learn from Cambrian's world-class music faculty in a one-one-one lesson environment to ensure your musical capabilities progress in step with your technical knowledge.

### Program Highlights

- 1 year – 2 semesters
- Explore your creative potential while developing the skills that will take your music career to the next level
- Work closely with world-class faculty to enhance your musical abilities

### Quick Links

How to Apply (<http://cambriancollege.ca/apply>)

Creative Arts, Music and Design (<http://cambriancollege.ca/field-of-study/creative-arts-music-design>)

### Admission Requirements

For graduates of the new curriculum (OSS): Ontario Secondary School Diploma (30 credits) or equivalent, or mature student status, and demonstrated basic proficiency on an instrument from the following areas:

- Brass
- Drum kit/percussion
- Guitar
- Piano/keyboard
- Strings
- Voice
- Woodwinds

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## Program Delivery 2019-2020

This program will be delivered in the following terms:

### Fall Term Start

1. SEMESTER 1 Fall 2019
2. SEMESTER 2 Winter 2020

For specific term start/end dates and other key dates/deadlines, please see the Academic Schedule (<http://cambriancollege.ca/apply/how-to-apply/academic-schedule>) on our website.

## Program of Study

Semester 1		Credits
ENG 1002	College Communications	3
MUS 1000	Ensemble I (Large)	2
MUS 1005	Rock Music History	3
MUS 1011	Introduction to MIDI Technology I	2
MUS 1012	Introduction to Recording I	2
MUS 1200	Theory I	5
MUS 3003	The Business Of Music I	3
Any 1 MINOR Subject		2
		Credits
		22
Semester 2		Credits
MUS 1013	Introduction to MIDI Technology II	2
MUS 1014	Introduction to Recording II	2
MUS 1015	MPF Music Trends	2
MUS 1050	Ensemble II (Large)	2
MUS 1250	Theory II	5
MUS 3004	The Business Of Music II	3
Any 1 MINOR Subject		2
		Credits
		18
		Total Credits
		40

## Fees

### Tuition and Ancillary Fees

Please see our fees page (<http://cambriancollege.ca/fees>) for the breakdown of tuition and mandatory ancillary fees by program and semester for both domestic and international students

### Books & Supplies

The cost of books and supplies for Year 1 is approximately \$500. This is the best information available at the time of publishing to the website and is subject to change.

## Graduate Options

### Employment Opportunities

Graduates may find employment as music producers, composers, performers or promoters.

## **Furthering Your Studies**

Graduates are eligible for transfer credits, enabling them to continue their studies in the Music - Performance program (PATM) with advanced standing.

## **Contacts**

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