THE DISTINCTION BETWEEN WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE AND THE UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE IS A DEGREE-GRANTING INSTITUTION IN THE LIBERAL ARTS, EMPHASIZING THE HUMANITIES, LANGUAGES, SOCIAL SCIENCES, AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION. THE UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO IS A DEGREE-GRANTING INSTITUTION IN TECHNOLOGY, EMPHASIZING ENGINEERING, MATHEMATICS, AND SCIENCE.

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WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE RUNS ON THE USUAL ACADEMIC YEAR FROM MID-SEPTEMBER TO THE END OF APRIL. THE UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO OPERATES ON THE CO-OPERATIVE SYSTEM TWELVE MONTHS OF THE YEAR, WITH CLASSES OF THREE MONTHS AT THE UNIVERSITY ALTERNATING WITH APPRENTICESHIP PERIODS OF THREE MONTHS IN INDUSTRY.

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