

## Media Advisory

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### Algonquin College and Carleton University Reach Out to Students With Learning Disabilities

Algonquin College and Carleton University are hosting "Make The Cut (College University Transition)–Part Two". This unique program is designed for Grade 12 students with Learning Disabilities or Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder who are planning to attend college or university in Ontario this fall. It is a joint initiative of Carleton University's Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities and Algonquin College's Centre for Students with Disabilities. This program will focus on preparation and self advocacy, educational assistive technology, and learning strategies. Current students and staff will be facilitating the workshops highlighting scholarships, awards, and the residence experience.

**Oswaldo Jeanty**, point guard for the national champion Carleton Ravens Basketball team, will speak about how hard work and determination have made him successful both on the court and in the classroom.

**Who:** **Oswaldo Jeanty**, point guard for the 4-time national champion Carleton University Ravens Basketball team.  
**Louise Legault**, Manager, Centre for Students with Disabilities, Algonquin College  
**Larry McCloskey**, Director, Paul Menton Centre, Carleton University  
**Linda Stewart**, Transitions Co-ordinator, Make The CUT

**What:** *Make the C.U.T. (College University Transition) – Part Two*  
College and University preparation workshop

**When:** **Wednesday, May 10**  
**8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.**  
**Best time for photo and interview opportunity - 8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.**

**Where:** Room T-102,  
T-Building  
Woodroffe Campus  
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