



Sault College News Release

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Sault College Spreads Ho Ho Ho-liday Cheer

(Sault Ste. Marie, ON December 9, 2016) – Everyone loves a little extra cheer during the holiday season, and that is exactly what Ife the Elf brought to our students this past week! Excitement filled our campus during our “*Holiday Surprises Week*”, where our very own elf brought our deserving students gifts and goodies, warm drinks and soup, and the chance to play some fun holiday games!

Ife had so much joy to spread that he enlisted the help of our very own Santa Claus, better known as Sault College President, Dr. Ron Common! Together the two talked and sang with students, played holiday games and handed out special holiday gifts.

“With exam time upon us, we knew our students could use some light hearted fun,” says Dr. Ron Common. “I am so proud that our staff and Students’ Union came together and organized this holiday surprises week. Our students deserve this extra special treatment and we all had so much fun doing it,” he adds.

From now until the end of exam time, Corby the Cougar, Ife the Elf and Sault College staff will continue spreading good cheer by giving out high fives, hugs, sharpened pencils, pens, erasers, and highlighters to students on the way to their exams!

Check out the [video](#) of Ife the Elf and Santa Claus as well as the other [videos](#) showcasing everything Holiday Surprises Week had to offer!

Sault College sends out warm holiday wishes to the entire community!

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About Sault College

The vision of Sault College is to provide a transformative life experience through empowering those who study with us to think and learn in progressive, innovative ways, including those we have not yet imagined. Sault College grants Ontario College certificates, diplomas, advanced diplomas, graduate certificates, and degrees to its graduates. The College is the largest deliverer of apprenticeship training in all of Northern Ontario. Educating over 2,300 full-time and 4,000 part-time students each year, Sault College has a significant economic impact on the community, with spin-offs in excess of \$158 million. Over \$1.8 million dollars in scholarships, bursaries and awards are distributed annually to students at the College. Located on the border to the United States and situated in the middle of three of the largest Great Lakes on the planet, Sault College is one of 24 publicly-funded colleges in the province of Ontario.

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