

College Policy Changes: JULY 2024

## College Policy Manual Changes for July 11, 2024

## A207 Open Education

New: May 22, 2024

Effective: September 1, 2024

This is a new policy. Open Education is a growing movement that supports inclusivity and diversity in education by including varying viewpoints in resources, equity of access by removing cost barriers for students and provides opportunities for flexible and innovative teaching practices. Fanshawe has moved to embrace these concepts through the creation of the OER Design Studio with more plans in the future to support Open Education. This policy establishes the basis by which the College will approach Open Education and incorporate major aspects through addenda to the policy – the first of which is Open Educational Resources.