College and University Information for CIA Students and Parents

Post-Secondary Destinations

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<u>Canada</u>

There are many great postsecondary institutions located all across Canada. Application procedures vary by province. Some institutions accept direct applications to their school and others go through a company that manages all of the applicant's information and forwards it the universities selected by you.

Unsure where and what to study in Canada?

This website is your perfect spot to start researching where, what and how to study in Canada. **Colleges and Universities** are listed on this site: <u>http://www.campusstarter.com/</u>

Canadian Universities: Go to the following website to search for universities, explore programs and plan for your next step of postsecondary studies: <u>http://www.univcan.ca</u>

Bursaries & Scholarships for non-Canadians

http://www.scholarships-bourses.gc.ca/scholarships-bourses/index.aspx?lang=eng

Many of the entrance scholarships offered through colleges and universities are also available to non-Canadians.

How to get a Canadian Study Visa

Go to the Government of Canada website under the department of Immigration and Citizenship: How to get a study visa: <u>http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/study/study.asp</u>

List of Post-secondary institutions in Ontario, Canada

Ontario Universities:

The Ontario Universities' Application Centre (**OUAC**) processes undergraduate and professional applications for admissions to the province's universities. The OUAC will forward applications to all requested universities and/or programs regardless of the qualifications of the applicant. The OUAC does not make any admission decisions.

Undergraduate Applications (101 Applications on OUAC)

Undergraduate study is the first level of academic work available at a university and leads to a bachelor's degree. Normally (but not always), undergraduate applicants do not already hold a university degree. Admission to undergraduate study following high school requires completion of secondary school qualifications with six grade 12 credits at the "U" (University) or "M" (Mixed) level. English 4U is always a requirement. Consult each individual program for specific requirements.

http://www.ouac.on.ca/applications/ (students will open an account under OUAC 101)

<u>http://www.ouac.on.ca/unilinks/</u> (provides you with links to all of the 21 universities in Ontario)

<u>http://www.electronicinfo.ca/</u> (a research tool for Ontario university applicants. Search for programs, marks needed for acceptance, prerequisites and direct links to programs of interest at all Ontario universities)

Ontario Colleges:

If you would like to attend a public college in Ontario, Canada, all applications are done through the **Ontario College Application Service** website. You can search for programs by name, location, etc. Ontario currently has 28 public colleges and over 4500 programs.

Applicants must create an account in order to apply.

http://www.ontariocolleges.ca

Québec, Canada

For the province of Québec, application is done to each university or college individually. Follow admission procedures carefully as each postsecondary institution has specific instructions. Some colleges use OMNIVOX for admissions which is an online application system.

Québec Universities:

Bishop's University: https://www.gobishops.ca/bishops/

Concordia University: https://www.concordia.ca/admissions/undergraduate.html

McGill University: http://www.mcgill.ca/admissions/

Québec Colleges:

Champlain College

- Saint Lambert Campus: http://www.champlainonline.com/champlainweb/
- Lennoxville Campus: <u>http://www.crc-lennox.qc.ca/</u>
- Regional Campus : <u>http://admin.crc-sher.qc.ca/</u>

Dawson College: <u>http://www.dawsoncollege.qc.ca/</u>

Heritage College: http://www.cegep-heritage.qc.ca/

John Abbott College: <u>http://www.johnabbott.qc.ca/</u>

Loyola College: http://www.loyolacollege.edu/

Marianopolis College: http://www.marianopolis.edu/

Vanier College: <u>http://www.vaniercollege.qc.ca/</u>

<u>USA</u>

You may have to write the SAT. It is recommended to write the SAT more than once in order to achieve the best score. Not all colleges or universities require SATs for admission.

US College & Universities: http://www.50states.com/college/

Common Application: Application database for many universities and colleges. <u>https://www.commonapp.org/Login</u>

SAT Information: <u>www.sat.collegeboard.com</u>

Princeton Review: The Princeton Review is a test preparation and college admission services company offering test preparation services, tutoring and admissions resources, online courses, and books published by Random House. <u>www.princetonreview.com</u>

US Study Visa: http://travel.state.gov/content/visas/english/study-exchange/student.html

List of universities that don't require SATs for admission: http://www.fairtest.org/university/optional

<u>The UK</u>

UK programs and universities: <u>http://www.educationuk.org/global/</u>

Online application UCAS: <u>https://www.ucas.com/ucas/undergraduate/register</u>

Visa Application: https://www.gov.uk/browse/visas-immigration/student-visas

Study in England info site: <u>http://www.studying-in-england.org/</u>

<u>Holland</u>

Online search for programs: <u>https://www.studyinholland.nl/</u>,

https://www.studyfinder.nl/

Online application: www.studielink.nl

St-Maarten Student Support Services in Holland:

https://www.duwo.nl/en/i-search/accommodate/amsterdam/st-maarten-student-supportservices/

European countries offering FREE tuition for undergraduate degrees

Germany, Finland, Austria and Norway are countries where there are no or little fees for EU and non-EU citizens.

Scholars4development: <u>http://www.scholars4dev.com/4031/list-of-european-countries-with-tuition-freelow-tuition-universities-colleges/</u> Graduates hotline info: <u>http://europe.graduateshotline.com/free-education.html</u> **Financing your studies**

The Government of St-Maarten – Study Financing Program: <u>https://studyfinancing.sx/</u>