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“Canada is ranked as one of the most reputable countries in the world. It is a top destination for studying, visiting, working and living.”

– Country RepTrak 2018

LEARN. LIVE. SUCCEED.

If you can dream it, we can help make it a reality.

Canada offers students like you from all over the world, an opportunity to get a world-class education through more than 15,000 university and 10,000 college programs, many offered in both English and French. Best of all, you can put what you've learned into action in a rewarding career that opens a wide world of possibilities for a future in our great country.

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“9 Canadian universities rank among the top 200 in the world.”

– The Times Higher Education's 2019 World University Rankings

Canada's secondary schools and postsecondary institutions are consistently recognized in top international rankings and our students repeatedly score high on international tests. Our highly qualified educators and field-leading professors have created a learning environment that nurtures creativity and intellectual development.

Canadian universities perform an estimated 38% of all R&D in Canada. Although home to just 0.5% of the world's population, Canada produces 2.8% of global scientific research.

What's more, Canadian universities offer excellent facilities, from wired libraries and Olympic-quality sports facilities, to public concert halls and art galleries.





LIVE

“Canada ranks 1st in the world for **Best Quality of Life.**”

– U.S. News Best Countries Ranking (2018)

Named as one of the top 10 places in the world for happiness and well-being in the 2018 UN World Happiness Report, Canadians are known for being friendly, open and tolerant – since many trace their roots to every corner of the globe.

Ranked in the top 10 countries in the 2018 Global Peace Index, international students benefit from all of the freedoms Canadians enjoy: respect for human rights, equality and a stable and peaceful society. It's really no wonder that Canada has some of the happiest people on the planet because of long life expectancy, high average income and robust social ties.

SUCCEED

“5 Canadian universities **rank in the top 100 for employability.**”

– QS Graduate Employability Rankings (2019)

International students are often eligible to work both on and off campus during their term of studies. This gives students the opportunity to move beyond academic learning, to apply and test their skills in real workplace settings. In fact, many programs are designed in collaboration with potential employers and offer work placement opportunities to students.



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Canada's Innovative Education Institutions at a Glance

UNIVERSITIES

- Vast choice of undergraduate and graduate programs, as well as professional designations, certificate and diploma courses, and short career-focused programs
- Cutting edge technology and research labs
- Opportunities for cooperative education, work/study programs and internships

COLLEGES, CEGEPS AND POLYTECHNICS

- A full range of programs, varying in length from a few months to four years
- Credentials include certificates, diplomas, university transfer programs, academic and applied degrees, and postgraduate diplomas
- Practical programs designed in collaboration with potential employers offer work placement opportunities

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

- Canada's secondary school graduates excel in science, reading and mathematics
- Excellent student-teacher ratios
- Nurturing environment focused on student needs

LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

- Committed to excellence in English and French proficiency
- Specialized language training in subject areas like business, academic preparation and industry-specific language training, including medical, legal and technical
- Integrated cultural, social and sporting activities enrich the learning experience

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Scholarship Programs

▶ www.scholarships.gc.ca
or ask your institution of interest.

Working on and off Campus

▶ www.cic.gc.ca/english/study/work.asp

Staying and Working in Canada After Graduation

▶ www.cic.gc.ca/english/study/work-postgrad.asp

If you are interested in staying and working in Canada on a longer-term basis you can apply for a number of programs, each with its own requirements. These programs include:

Express Entry

▶ www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/skilled/index.asp

The Federal Skilled Worker Program

▶ www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/skilled

The Provincial Nominee Program

▶ www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/provincial

Useful Resources

EduCanada Website

www.EduCanada.ca

Includes a program finder, cost calculator, study permit information and links to provincial, territorial and individual school information.

Canadian Information Centre for International Credentials (CICIC)

www.cicic.ca

Provides the only Canadian online and authoritative directory of universities, colleges and schools recognized and authorized by Canada's provinces and territories. This site includes information on foreign credential evaluations and qualification recognition.



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