

# EDUCATION IN CANADA

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# Live – Learn – Succeed



## Live 生活

**Canada ranked amongst the top five countries for living conditions and quality of life**

- OECD Better Life Index (2017)



## Learn 學習

**Canada is a world leader in post-secondary research, outpacing most G7 countries on overall investment in R&D**

- OECD Education at a Glance (2015)



## Succeed 成功

**Canada ranks 1<sup>st</sup> among 16 countries for alumni employment**

- HSBC report on the cost of international university education (2015)



# Life in Canada



在加拿大  
生活

**Canada is a federation of ten provinces and three territories**

**加拿大是擁有十省和三個地區的國家**





# Canada is safe and stable 加拿大安全及穩定



- Socially and financially stable 社會和經濟穩定
- Outstanding education, health care systems, and advanced infrastructure 優秀的教育，醫療衛生系統，以及先進的基礎設施
- Safe and secure parliamentary democracy 安全和穩定的民主議會制度
- Ethnically diverse, with large immigrant populations in many cities 許多城市有不同族裔廣泛的移民人口

***"Canada is mostly known for its natural resources. I want you to know Canadians for our resourcefulness."***

**Prime Minister Trudeau**



# Canada is tolerant and inclusive 加拿大包容好客



Canada was the 1st country in the world to adopt multiculturalism as an official policy  
加拿大是世界上首個國家採取多元文化作為官方政策

Canada continually strives to: 加拿大不斷努力：

- be socially inclusive 締造社會包容性
- respect human rights 遵守人權
- provide economic opportunities to all Canadians 創造經濟機會給所有加拿大人

**The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms**  
provides freedom of conscience, religion, thoughts, beliefs and opinions 權利和自由是加拿大憲章，給予良心，宗教，思想，信仰和意見的自由

50% of federal Cabinet ministers are women  
聯邦內閣部長有一半為女性



# Canada is innovative

## 加拿大非常創新



Computerized Braille



Telephone handset



Plexiglass



Cardiac pacemaker



Insulin (discovery of)



Basketball



3TC (HIV suppressing drug)



Electric wheelchair



Zamboni



JAVA software programming



Newsprint



Sonar



Canadarm



Bixi bikes



Hydrofoil boat



ATLAS subatomic particle sensor

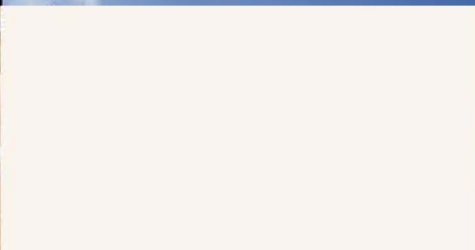
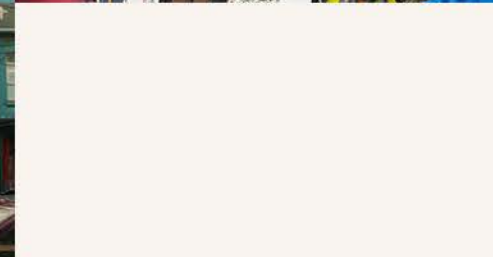




# Life in Canada

# 生活在加拿大

Participate in art, architecture, cuisine, lifestyle and culture 參與藝術，建築，享用美食和高質文化生活方式



LIFE IN CANADA

# STAY IN CANADA 住宿在加拿大

## **Residence/Dormitory 宿舍** (*Boarding K-12 schools /universities student*)

Campus with a shared kitchen, bathroom and laundry facilities; meal plans. Preferred option for international students (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year undergraduate)

## **Private accommodation 租房:** (*college/universities student*)

Student union office on campus for list of rental units nearby. Rent vary: C\$400-1,500 per month, depending on the city, the neighbourhood etc.

## **Home Stay 寄宿家庭:** (*K-12/college student*)

K-12/Colleges can arrange home stay for international students who would like to stay with a local family.







# Learn in Canada



在加拿大  
學習



# Education in Canada 留學加拿大

## 最好客的國家

Canada ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> for  
quality of education, life,  
and job prospects for  
international students –  
2016 HSBC Report

## 世界級科研

World-class  
collaborative R&D:  
responsible for 2.8%  
of scientific research  
worldwide

## 最合理生活成本

Competitive cost of living  
compared with other top-  
ranking destinations



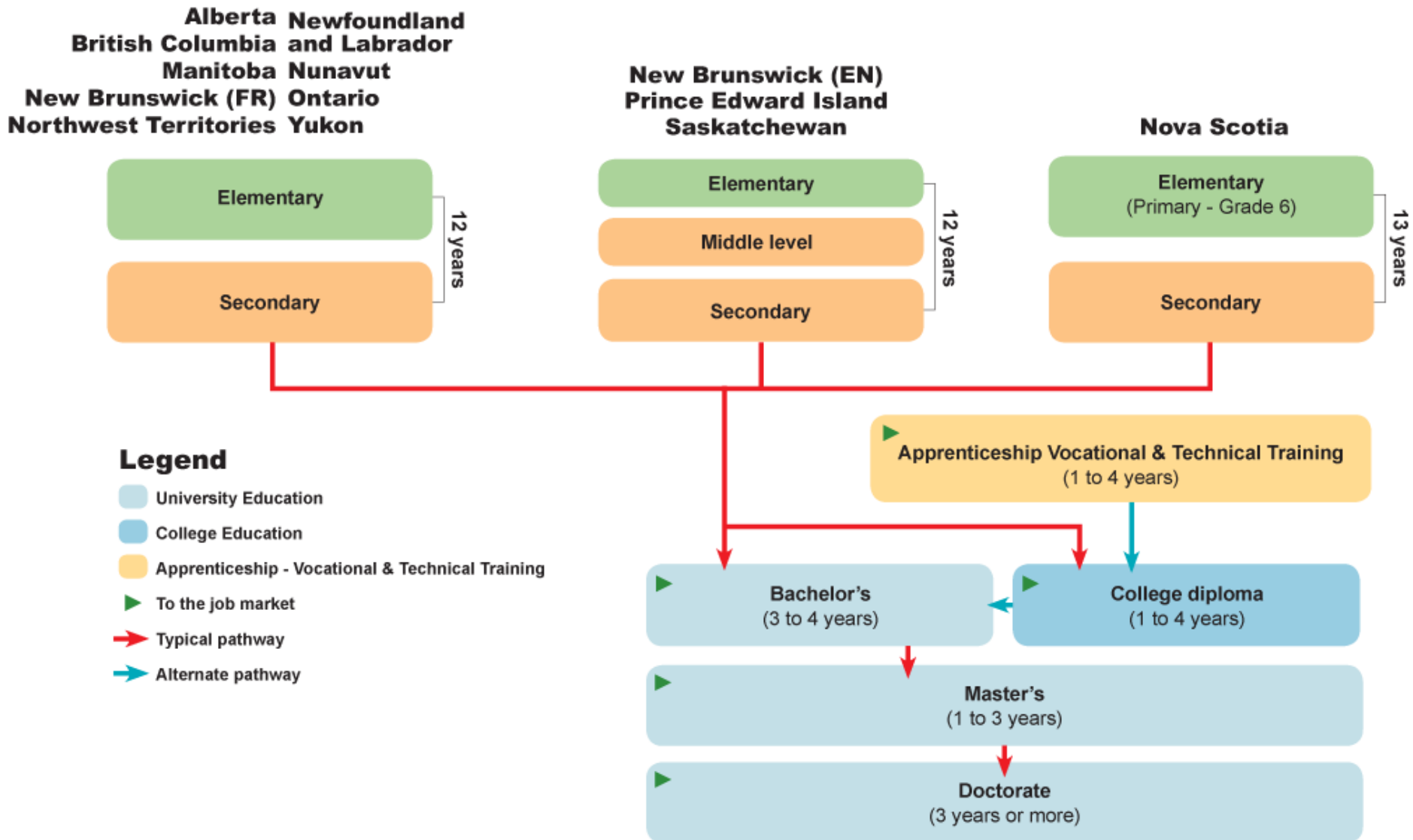
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# CANADA's EDUCATION SYSTEMS

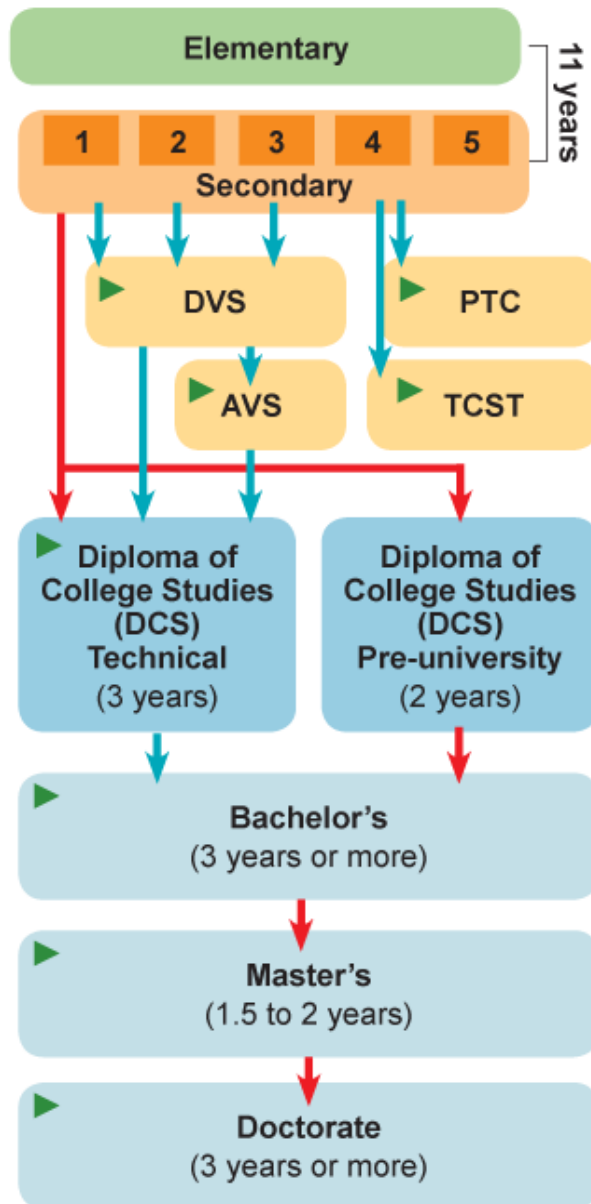
# 加拿大的教育系統





# CANADA'S EDUCATION SYSTEMS

# 加拿大的教育系統



## Quebec

### Legend

- University Education
- College Education
- Apprenticeship - Vocational & Technical Training
- To the job market
- Typical pathway
- Alternate pathway

PTC: Pre-work Training Certificate (3 years, after Secondary 3)

TCST: Training Certificate for a Semi-skilled Trade (1 year, after Secondary 3)

DVS: Diploma of Vocational Studies (500 to 1,800 hours depending on the program)

AVS: Attestation of Vocational Specialisation (300 to 1,185 hours depending on the program)



# Primary and secondary education

## 小學和中學教育

Primary and secondary schools offer a nurturing environment focused on student needs

中小學提供培育學生需求的環境

Schools aim for a low student-teacher ratio  
學校師生比例低

High school graduates excel in science, reading and mathematics (PISA, OECD)  
高中畢業生在科學，閱讀和數學領域表現卓越（PISA, OECD）

Quality is consistently high - students are well prepared to attend their university or college of choice  
學生充分準備好上所選擇的大學或學院





# Primary and secondary education 小學和中學教育

A wide range of options: **public, private and independent schools**  
很多選擇,包括**公立, 私立和獨立學校**

- Schools are provincially accredited and government approved  
所有學校都經過政府認證和批准辦學
- Canadian high school diplomas are recognized worldwide  
文憑在全世界得到認可
- Host families are welcoming, caring and supportive, and are carefully screened and selected  
仔細甄別寄宿家庭, 務求提供溫馨, 關懷和支持

	Private/independent 私立/獨立	Public 公立
Gender 性別	Co-educational/ 男女校 Boys男校/Girls女校	Co-educational 男女校
Accommodation 住宿	Homestay寄宿家庭 Boarding學校宿舍	Homestay寄宿家庭
Fees: 費用 Tuition + Accommodation	C\$25,000 -\$45,000	C\$18,500 – C\$23,000
Teacher/student ratio (High school) 師生比例	15	28-32
Curriculum課程	Provincial Diploma 省文憑/  International Baccalaureate 國際文憑大學預科課程  Advanced Placement  1-yr intensive pre- university program	Mainly Provincial Diploma省文憑/  International Baccalaureate 國際文憑大學預科課程  Advanced Placement





# University studies

# 大學學習

- Outstanding array of quality-assured programs: over 15,000 undergraduate and graduate programs at more than 100 universities and university degree-level colleges  
加拿大有100多個私立和公立資助的教育大學,有超過15,000個本科和研究生課程可供選擇
- Institutions range from large, research-intensive universities to smaller undergraduate campuses  
機構範圍從大型, 研究型大學到小型本科校園。
- Professors are caring and supportive  
教授關懷和支持學生
- Cutting-edge technology and research  
前沿技術研究
- Co-operative education and internship options  
實習和工作學習經驗





# University studies大學學習

Degree options to suit your needs

各式大學程度的選擇，以滿足您的需要

## Bachelor's:

generally three or four years of undergraduate study

學士學位通常需要三年或四年的全日制學習

## Master's:

one or two years of study after the bachelor's degree, including a thesis, practicum or research paper, or a course-based program

碩士學位需要在學士學位畢業後一年或兩年的學習

## PhD:

three to five years of study, including a thesis, usually after the master's degree

博士學位需要三年或四年的學習

## Other options

**include:** professional degrees, certificates and diplomas – short, career-focused programs

本科和研究生水平的證書和文憑課程，以及短期的專業課程



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# Thriving research culture 蓬勃發展的科究文化

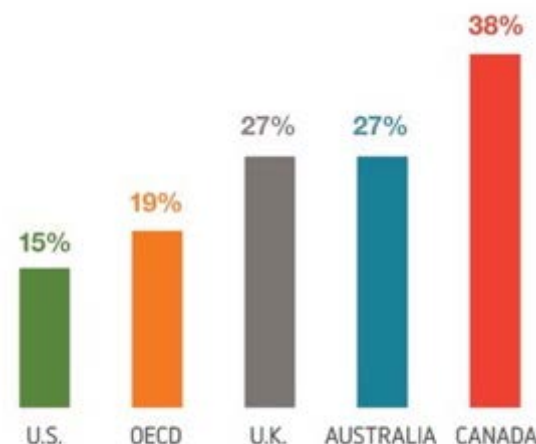


- Canadian universities perform the highest rate of national research among OECD and G-7 countries  
在經合組織和七大工業國家，加拿大大學參予國家研究為最高

- Highest rate of international co-publication with the United States (which is the world's largest producer of research)  
美國是世界上最大科研出產國，而加拿大最多與美國聯合出版國際性研究報告

- Canada represents only 0.5% of the world's population, yet Canadian researchers publish 4.1% of the world's scientific papers  
加拿大只佔0.5%的世界人口，但加拿大的研究人員發布了全球科學論文的4.1%

## Percent of nation's research performed by universities



# Thriving research culture 蓬勃發展的科究文化



Highly innovative research in nanotechnology, environmental technologies, nutraceuticals, biotechnology, renewable energy, health care, agri-foods and high-performance computing

加拿大在衛生，納米技術，生物技術，高性能計算，環境技術，營養保健品，可再生燃料等領域開展了高度創新的研究。



Canada has 2000 Canada Research Chairs that fund **\$300 million annually** to attract and retain outstanding scholars and scientists.

加拿大有2000個研究教席，每年資助3億美元，以吸引和留住傑出的學者和科學家。這些教席都位於授予學位的大學。



# Colleges, Institutes and CEGEPs 大專院校

Colleges can also my be known as:  
大專院校可稱為:

- Institutes of technology
- Community colleges
- Polytechnics
- Colleges of applied arts and technology
- In Québec, collèges d'enseignement général et professionnel (CÉGEPs)

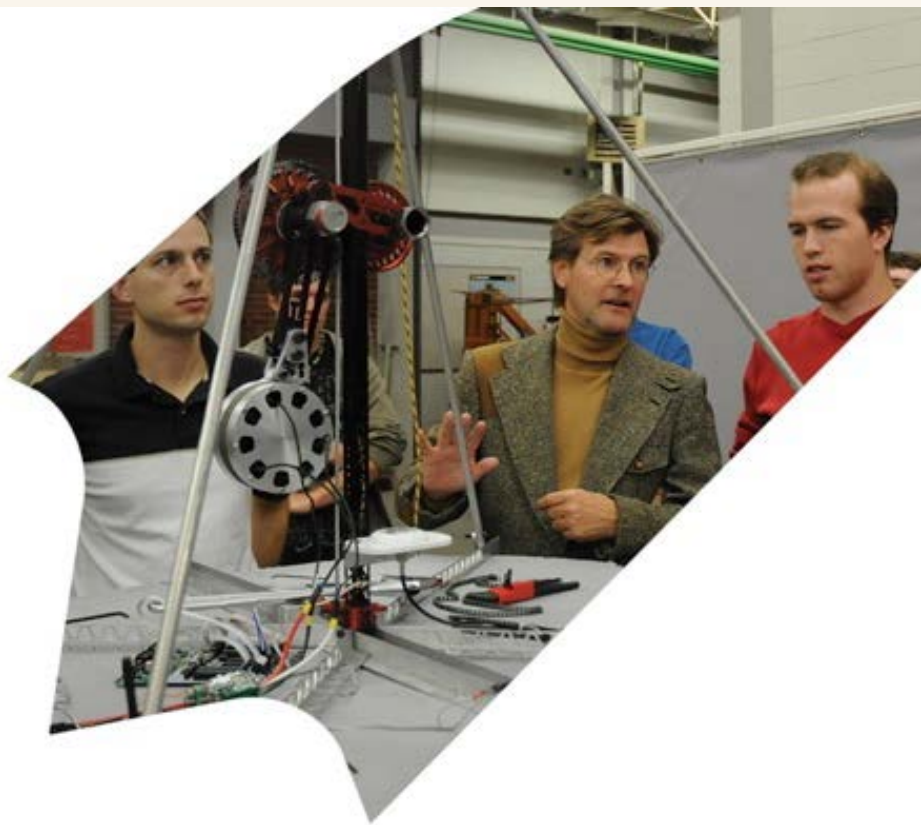


Credentials include 學曆包括:

- Certificates 證書
- University transfers 大學轉學
- Diplomas 文憑
- Bachelor or Applied degrees 應用學位
- Apprenticeship programs
- Combined programs (joint degrees) with a university partner 聯合大學 - 大專文憑/學位

# Colleges, Institutes and CEGEPs 大專院校

- Hands-on programs designed to meet the needs of specific industries and employers  
體驗課程確保符合工作環境和雇主的需要
- Average employment rate of 90% for college graduates within six months of graduating  
平均90%的大專畢業生在畢業後6個月內就業
- Over 8,000 programs at campuses in 1,000 communities across Canada  
在加拿大的1000個社區找到，提供超過8000個課程
- Work placements available through co-operative education and internships  
工作機會可通過合作教育和實習工作



# Learn English or French 學習英語或法語

Canada is officially bilingual, with a long tradition of teaching both English and French as a second language

加拿大是一個雙語國家，在教授英語和法語培訓方面有豐富的經驗。

Customized programs offer a pathway to higher education 定制方案提供了一個升上高等教育途徑

Types of programs include: general, academic, business or technical English/French, summer/winter language camps, teaching training programs (CELTA, TESL, TESOL), and test preparation

***Learning English or French broadens your education and employment opportunities***

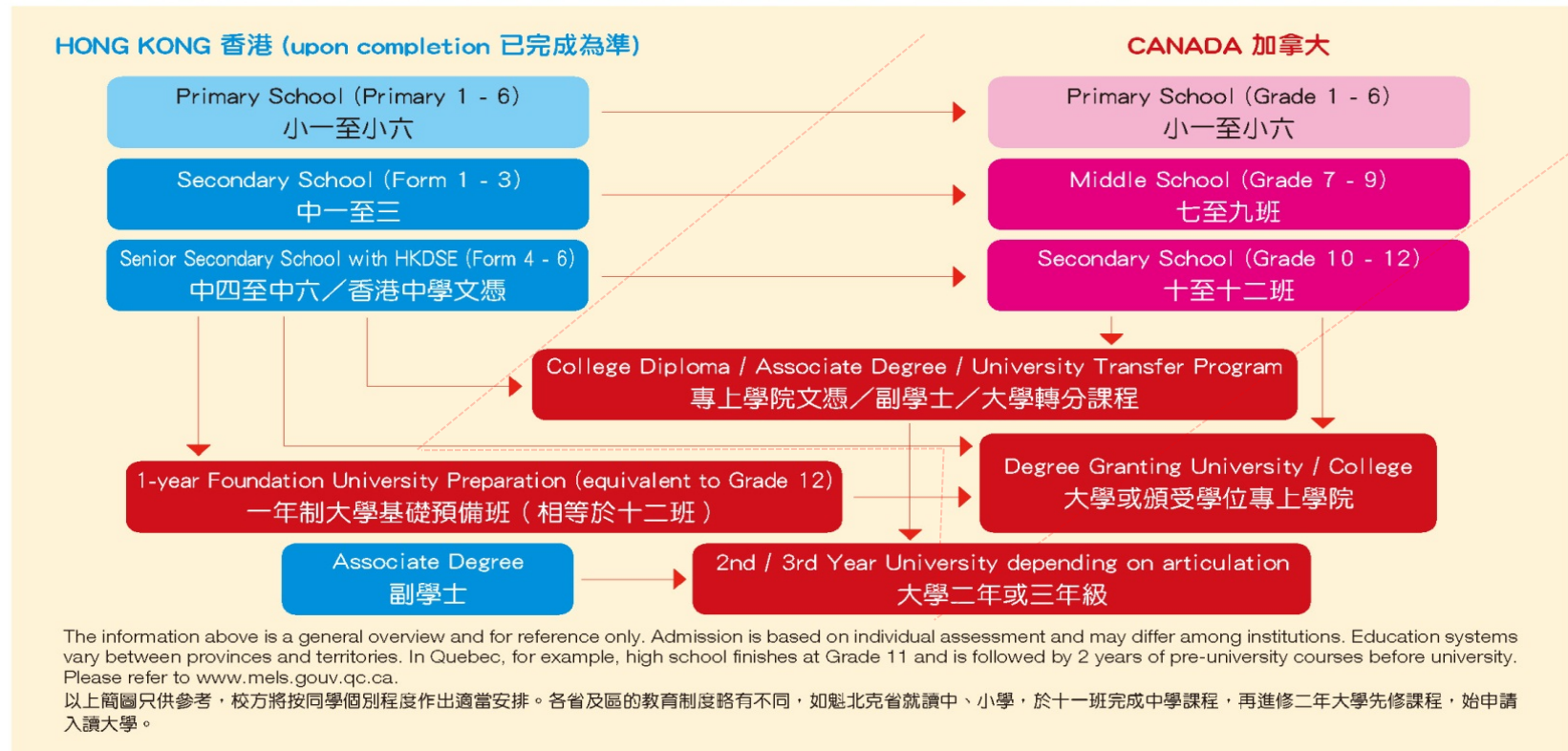




# PATHWAYS BETWEEN LEVELS

- Education pathways are flexible and offer students a streamlined approach
- Arrangements exist between programs, institutions, provinces and countries

## HONG KONG / CANADA EDUCATION CONVERSION CHART 港加教育制度對比圖





# ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES



- Your prior academic records as part of the admission requirements.  
學生之前的學術記錄會被視為錄取過程的一部分。
- Vary from institution to institution and from program to program.  
按個別教育機構及個別課程而議
- After completion of HKDSE/GCE A Level/IB Diploma Program can apply colleges/universities 學生完成普通教育  
証書高級程度考試/國際文憑大學預科課程後可往加拿大升讀大學或學院。
  - University requirement :  
HKDSE (4 core + 2 electives subjects– Category A & C) Level 3 (60%) or above  
GCE (5 IGCSE/GCE/ Ordinary Level subjects **and** 4 AS Level OR 3 AL levels subjects)
  - College requirement for HKDSE [F. 5 standard or HKDSE Level 2 (50%)]
- F. 5 students can apply pre-University or foundation program offered by colleges/universities 某些提供基礎課程  
的學院接受中五畢業生(十一班)。
- Proof of Language Proficiency (IELTS/TOEFL) 必須熟練掌握英語或法語

# Recognition of Qualifications of HKDSE by Canadian Institutions

30 Canadian Education Institutions posted their requirements

The screenshot shows the website of the Hong Kong Examinations and Assessment Authority (HKEAA) for the recognition of HKDSE qualifications by international institutions. The page is titled "香港中學文憑考試的資歷認可" (Recognition of HKDSE Qualifications). It features a sidebar with navigation links, a main content area with a list of institutions, and a right sidebar with additional resources.

**香港中學文憑考試的資歷認可**

簡介

- 香港公開考試的發展
- 香港中學文憑考試的資歷認可
- 香港中學文憑考試/高級程度會考的資歷認可
- 國際考試基準研究
- 聯絡我們

**香港中學文憑資歷認可**

現時全球200間高等院校歡迎持有香港中學文憑學生申請入學，各地院校亦會陸續提供資料。

查閱海外院校就中學文憑試而訂定的一般入學要求詳情。

國家/地區：

索引：[A](#)[B](#)[C](#)[D](#)[E](#)[F](#)[G](#)[H](#)[I](#)[J](#)[K](#)[L](#)[M](#)[N](#)[O](#)[P](#)[Q](#)[R](#)[S](#)[T](#)[U](#)[V](#)[W](#)[X](#)[Y](#)[Z](#)[ALL](#)

\* 只提供各院校收生要求的英文版本

大學名稱	國家/地區	
Algonquin College of Applied Arts & Technology	加拿大	
Athabasca University	加拿大	
Brandon University	加拿大	
Brescia University College	加拿大	
Brock University	加拿大	
College of the Rockies	加拿大	
Concordia University	加拿大	
Confederation College	加拿大	
Emily Carr University of Art + Design	加拿大	
George Brown College	加拿大	
Kwantlen Polytechnic University	加拿大	

**快速連結**

- 成績證明文件
- 申請個人資料

**文憑試海外大學資歷認可搜尋**

**會考/高考海外大學資歷認可搜尋**

**香港中學文憑通訊**

**新學制 - 海外訪客專區 (英文版)**

**訂閱電子通訊**

**考評局頻道**

**無障礙網頁**

**App下載**

**2014 無障礙網頁 Web For All**

**香港中學文憑考試 HKDSE**

[http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/recognition/hkdse\\_recognition/ircountry\\_hkdse.html?5](http://www.hkeaa.edu.hk/en/recognition/hkdse_recognition/ircountry_hkdse.html?5)



# Succeed in Canada



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# Working while/after your studies 求學時或後工作



- On campus
- Off campus
- Co-operative education work placement
- Work after graduation



- For more information on work permit programs and eligibility criteria, visit [www.cic.gc.ca](http://www.cic.gc.ca)





# Working as an international student

## 國際學生可工作

	WORKING ON CAMPUS	WORKING OFF CAMPUS	CO-OPS AND INTERNSHIPS	WORKING AFTER GRADUATION UNDER THE PGWPP	SPOUSAL EMPLOYMENT	CHILDREN ELIGIBLE FOR FREE PROVINCIAL PUBLIC EDUCATION
UNIVERSITIES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
PUBLIC COMMUNITY COLLEGES / CEGEPS	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS AUTHORIZED TO GRANT UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
PRIVATE COLLEGES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES
LANGUAGE SCHOOLS	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO

# Study Permits 學生簽證



- You need a study permit to study in Canada for six months or longer 半年以上的課程, 你需要學生簽證方可在加拿大留學
- You need the following documents to apply:
  - Proof of acceptance from the designated learning institution in Canada 取錄通知
  - Valid passport 有效護照
  - Proof of financial support 財政支持的證
  - Letter of explanation 解釋函
- There are two ways to apply: 申請有兩種方式 :
  - Online 在線
  - On paper 在紙上
- For more information on eligibility, applying and how to prepare for your arrival in Canada, visit the Government of Canada's Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship website: [www.cic.gc.ca](http://www.cic.gc.ca) (under the Study section)





# Practical information



實用  
資料

# Where to begin? 由那開始 ?

## Visit [educanada.ca](https://www.educanada.ca)



查找大學或學院課程：

### **Find a university or college program:**

Search by field of study, language of study, program level or location



了解該計劃的費用：

### **Find out how much the program costs:**

This estimate includes tuition/program fees, books/supplies, groceries, local public transport and miscellaneous costs



確定作為國際學生的入學要求

### **Identify your entry requirements as an international student**



# Program Finder : Universities Canada Database

## [www.universitystudy.ca/search-programs/](http://www.universitystudy.ca/search-programs/)

[Home](#) » [Search programs](#)

Universities Canada's online database of Canadian university study programs can help you determine where to study in Canada and find the programs that most interests you. It contains close to 15,000 undergraduate and graduate study programs including certificates, diplomas and degrees ranging from bachelor's degrees to doctoral degrees. Each program record in our database links back to more detailed information on the website of the Canadian university that delivers the program.

### START HERE

#### KEYWORDS

#### Program Level

-- All --



#### Language of instruction

-- All --



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# Average full-time annual fees to study in Canada

## 在加拿大學習平均全日制年費

	PRIMARY / SECONDARY SCHOOL (PUBLIC)	LANGUAGE *	COLLEGE	UNIVERSITY
TUITION AND STUDENT FEES	\$5,000 - \$14,000	\$14,000	\$5,500 - \$15,000	\$7,000 - \$29,000 **
ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD	\$5,500 - \$9,000\$ (Homestay)	\$7,000 - \$13,000	\$7,000 - \$13,000	\$7,000 - \$13,000
PERSONAL & HEALTH INSURANCE	\$400 - \$800	\$1,000 - \$3,000	\$500 - \$2,500	\$500 - \$2,000
BOOKS	\$100 - \$200	\$100 - \$500	\$800 - \$1,500	\$1,000 - \$2,000
TOTAL (C\$)	\$11,000 - \$24,000	\$22,100 - \$30,500	\$13,800 - \$32,000	\$15,500 - \$46,000
TOTAL (LOCAL CURRENCY)	\$63,800 - \$139,200	\$128,180 - \$176,900	\$80,040 - \$185,600	\$89,900-\$266,800

Notes: These figures will vary across Canada according to fees for selected institutions and programs, housing options and individual spending habits.

\*Based on \$320 per week on average for tuition and 44 weeks per year, the maximum yearly study length.

\*\* Not including specialized degrees, such as executive MBAs, which cost significantly more in annual tuition fees.



## International student tuition fees compared (University undergraduate level)

國際學生學費比較？（大學本科生水平）

COUNTRY	AVERAGE ANNUAL UNIVERSITY FEES (US\$)	AVERAGE ANNUAL COST OF LIVING (US\$)	AVERAGE ANNUAL COST TOTAL (US\$)
AUSTRALIA	\$24,081	\$18,012	\$42,093
SINGAPORE	\$18,937	\$20,292	\$39,229
UNITED STATES	\$24,914	\$11,651	\$36,564
UNITED KINGDOM	\$21,365	\$13,680	\$35,045
HONG KONG	\$13,444	\$18,696	\$32,140
CANADA	\$16,746	\$13,201	\$29,947
FRANCE	\$247	\$16,530	\$16,777

Tuition fees vary between institutions, programs of study and length of study. On an international scale, Canada offers consistent quality education at a reasonable cost. Source: HSBC, Value of Education: Springboard for success, September 2014

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

# Scholarships

## 獎學金

- There are many scholarships for international students available directly from Canadian institutions; students should also research the availability of scholarships from their home governments

加拿大大學獎學金可供國際學生直接申請;您應該諮詢您所在國家/地區的教育部, 有否海外升學獎學金

- Entrance scholarships are generally based on academic merit  
獎學金通常基於學業成績,
- For scholarships offered by the Canadian government,加拿大聯邦和省政府獎學金列

[www.scholarships.gc.ca](http://www.scholarships.gc.ca)

*Vanier scholarships for graduate students (\$50,000/year over three years)*

*Banting Postdoctoral Fellowships (\$70,000/year for two years)*







# Points to note: Application for Post-Secondary Education

## 專上院校申請需知

- Most Colleges study all year: programs offered in fall, winter, spring and summer 大專全年收生: 課程開展於春夏秋冬
- Most universities will open admission in October and close in January – April ( **CHECK** each program for accurate deadlines) 大學多數在十月公開招生, 並在1月- 4月結束 ( **檢查** 準確期限)
- Submit official academic transcripts, language test scores and personal profile (if applicable)  
提供校方成績表, 語言測試報告 及個人陳述(如適合)
- Acceptance is based on academic merit 收生準則以成績為主

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## Canada's Elementary and Secondary Schools

Giving Your Child a Head Start to a Bright Future

Like all parents, you want the best for your child. That's the reason families like yours choose Canada for their children's education. They know that Canadian elementary and secondary schools (K-12) are among the world's best, and that Canadian standardized qualifications are recognized by colleges and universities all around the world.

Entrusting your child to the care of others is a big decision. But Canada's tradition of academic excellence takes every aspect of student life into consideration, ensuring a safe and supportive environment that meets all of your child's needs. Better yet, Canadian schools offer a full range of extracurricular and community activities to help students develop into well-rounded global citizens.

Whether you choose an accredited boarding school or a homestay program with a caring family, you can rest assured that your child will receive the attention and guidance needed to succeed in every way.

**A welcoming environment for your child**  
International students can choose between homestay and boarding options.

At boarding school, your child will be immersed in Canadian culture and the English language (over 60% of boarding students are Canadian). Boarding schools are a great place to learn social skills and develop close ties with fellow students while homestay programs fully immerse students in local culture and offer a family environment to practice English and/or French language skills with native speakers.

In either case, your child will be welcomed with open arms as every effort is made to provide an environment conducive to success. Canada's stability, multiculturalism, clean environment, and world-class healthcare and education systems make it an ideal choice for your child's education.

### Why choose K-12 in Canada?

- Excellent student-teacher ratios
- A nurturing environment focused on student needs
- A consistently high quality education that prepares students for postsecondary study
- Top-notch programs that are provincially accredited and government approved
- Secondary school diplomas recognized worldwide
- A direct pathway to high ranking universities and colleges
- Carefully screened and selected host families that are welcoming, caring and supportive





## Canada's Colleges, Institutes, CEGEPs and Polytechnics

World-Class Skills for World-Class Careers

Canada's colleges, institutes, CEGEPs and polytechnics are recognized worldwide for top-quality instruction and rigorous standards. With their practical, career-oriented programs, they are a great choice for acquiring the knowledge, skills and experience you need to succeed in the workplace.

More and more international students are turning to the Canadian college sector to gain the kind of hands-on skills that lead to meaningful careers in today's competitive job market. Over 90% of graduates find jobs in their field within six months of graduation, and 90% of employers are satisfied with the work they do.

**What are colleges, institutes, and polytechnics?**  
Colleges, institutes and polytechnics are Canadian public postsecondary educational institutions catering to students looking for skills-based programs tailored to the job market. These schools offer a full range of credentials, including bachelor's degrees, certificates, diplomas, apprenticeships, postgraduate credentials, joint bachelor degrees with universities, continuing and online education, distance education, and even some masters' degrees.

**What is a CEGEP?**  
CEGEP is short for Collège d'enseignement général et professionnel. CEGEPs are only found in Quebec and offer two streams of education: three-year technical programs and two-year pre-university programs, which are required for undergraduate admission to Quebec universities. The language of instruction at most CEGEPs is French, although there are some that teach in English.

**Hands-on training with a strong career focus**  
Colleges, institutes, CEGEPs and polytechnics work closely with industries to ensure that courses reflect job market requirements. Programs are very practical, and most include work-integrated learning experiences through apprenticeships, work placements, co-ops and internships. This approach gives you the opportunity to apply and test your skills in real workplace settings. It's a great way to prepare for your future career.

### Why choose a college, CEGEP or polytechnic in Canada?

- Practical programs meet the needs of specific industries and employers
- Work placements are available through co-op education and internships
- Cutting-edge technology enables flexible program delivery
- Over 90% of college graduates obtain employment within six months of graduation
- Over 8,000 programs offered

**Did you know?**

- Over 185 publicly funded colleges, institutes, CEGEPs and polytechnics in Canada, with more than 1,200 programs
- Programs are offered in English, French or both depending on the region
- Program length varies from a few months to four years





## Canada's Universities

Your Springboard to Success

Looking for an unforgettable experience that will last a lifetime? Got your sights set on a top-quality education and a globally recognized degree?

You're not alone! In 2015, more than 232,000 international students who share the same goals as you chose Canada as the place to be for their university studies.

They came to acquire the kind of hands-on, 21st century skills they need to thrive throughout their careers and personal lives.

They came because Canadian universities are engines of innovation, fostering a bold spirit of inquiry and creativity. From developing the latest apps to spearheading social innovation in response to community needs, students are putting their ideas into action at universities across the country.

**Get the hands-on experience employers are seeking**  
Applied learning is fast becoming the norm for today's university students. More than half of today's undergraduates participate in research and work-integrated learning experiences – such as co-operative education, internships and service learning – that give them the knowledge and skills they'll need to succeed.

**Choose from an outstanding array of quality-assured programs**  
International students in Canada have a remarkable number of options available. Whether you prefer a major research-oriented university in a bustling urban centre or a small liberal arts institution in a quiet rural setting, Canada has more than 16,000 undergraduate and graduate programs to choose from at over 85 publicly funded institutions nationwide.

And whatever your choice – from business or engineering to film, multimedia and more – the quality of a Canadian university education is assured by provincial and territorial government charters.

### Why choose a university in Canada?

- Caring and supportive professors
- Cutting edge technology and research labs
- Co-operative education (co-op) and internship options
- Opportunities to work on and off campus
- Great campus life
- Academic advisors who provide valuable guidance
- Health services for students and assistance programs offering support for students with disabilities
- Athletic activities and student clubs that connect you with other students
- Career development services and alumni networks to help you meet your goals







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