Visa for Study in Canada

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Study without Permit

Students may study in Canada without a study permit if the duration of their course or program of studies is six month or less.

Students will be given a Visitor's permit when entering Canada with specific observation notes. Students will need to provide the following on their arrival in Canada:

- *proof of acceptance*

- *valid passport*

Study with a Study Permit 🇨🇦

Step 1:   Print & complete the Application for Study Permit [IMM 1294]

Step 2:   Proof of acceptance
Proof of Identity
Proof of financial support
Letter of explanation, if you wish to apply for a Study Permit

Step 3:   Certificat d'acceptation du Quebec

Step 4:   Include the correct Application Fee ($125.00 CAD)

Step 5:   Make sure that the application is complete, using the document checklist [IMM 5483]

Step 6:   Submit the application, fees, and required documents to a Visa Office at the Canadian embassy.

Step 7:   Supply additional information or documents when the Visa office requests it, may include: medical exam, police certificates, …

Work without a permit

Students may work without a work permit:

on the campus of the university or college at which they are full-time student, for the period for which they hold a study permit.

Students who are studying without a study permit are NOT allowed to work on campus

Co-op and Internship

Students who wish to participate in a co-op or internship program must apply for a Work Permit. (There is no fee for this application). To be eligible for a Work Permit, the following conditions apply:

- ➢ Valid Study Permit;
- ➢ The intended employment must be an essential part of your course of study in Canada;
- ➢ The employment must be certified as part of the academic program by a responsible academic official of the institution;
- ➢ The co-op or internship employment cannot form more than 50% of the total program of study.