

NSCC PROGRAM APPLICATION

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Apply early!

NSCC makes offers of admission to eligible applicants in order of their application completion date, which is when all application-related documentation is received. Many programs fill quickly each year, so the sooner we receive your complete application, the better your chances of being admitted.

International applicants are encouraged to apply early as a valid study permit is required to study in Canada.

Before you apply

- **Review** your chosen program's admission requirements.
- You can have one active application with up to two choices.
- Your choices will be assessed in order of preference.
- Changing one or both choices requires a new application and fee.
- Homeschooled applicants, applicants with an Individual Program Plan (IPP), mature students and applicants who lack sufficient recognized documentation will require further assessment.
- **Advanced standing** is available if you have significant post-secondary credits that meet the learning outcomes for the first year of a two-year program. To apply for Advanced Standing, please contact Admissions.
- If you want to be **readmitted** into a program but didn't complete all credits from first term, you are required to complete a new application.
- If you have not completed high school and are at least 19 years of age, you will be considered a **mature student**. You may be required to complete pre-requisite courses.

About your documentation

- **Official transcripts** must be received in a sealed envelope or sent directly from the school by email or mail. Faxes are not acceptable.
- **Interim transcripts** should be submitted if you are currently enrolled in courses/programs required for admission.
- All documentation except for official French transcripts from Nova Scotia public high schools must be submitted in English.
- Applications without supporting documentation will be cancelled after 90 days.
- Check MyNSCC for your required documents.
- Documents in a language other than English must be translated by a certified translator (indicated with a stamp or seal and signature on the document).
- Applicants using international credentials to meet admission requirements may be asked to submit documentation to an NSCC approved credential verification service provider to be evaluated for equivalency.
- All submitted documents are recorded and shredded to protect privacy. If you have any questions, please contact us

If you change your mind

- Changing your program choices requires a new application and fee.
- A new application cancels your previous application.
- Carry any choice you want to keep from your old application to your new one. This is especially important if you were admitted or waitlisted on your old application.
- **Contact us** at 902-491-4911 or admissions@nsc.ca if you need help.

Additional admission requirements

- Many programs have additional course or admission requirements which are time sensitive to your admission to the College.
- Check your program on nsc.ca for the latest requirements.

Self-identification

If you are a member of an Indigenous community, or if you are African Canadian, there may be initiatives on your campus such as mentorship opportunities, cultural students' networks/societies or customized services and supports arranged through your Student Services Advising team. Advisors support students and work with faculty and staff to help you access culturally relevant tools and services that enhance success at college.

If you are a student with a disability, you may access accommodations such as alternate format texts, oral testing, extended time on tests and reduced course load. You may also access funding for learning supports such as tutoring, note-taking or assistive technology. To access academic accommodations and supports, please include disability documentation with your application. For more information about available services and academic accommodations, visit nsc.ca/disabilityservices.

If you would like to identify as a member of a community not listed contact the Office of Diversity and Inclusion at 1-888-472-5238.

Dispute resolution

The NSCC application shall be governed by the laws of Nova Scotia and in all respects shall be considered to be a Nova Scotia contract. Students irrevocably submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of Nova Scotia in respect of any and all matters, including disputes arising from or relating in any manner whatsoever to this application and/or student's enrolment at the College.

Submit your application

Forward your completed application form, fee, official transcripts and any other admission documents to the address below or drop them off at any NSCC campus. All submitted documents become the property of NSCC and will not be returned. Your application must be complete before it can be processed.

NSCC Admissions
P.O. Box 220
Halifax, NS B3J 2M4

Questions?

Tel: 902-491-4911
Toll free (in Canada): 1-866-679-6722
admissions@nsc.ca

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Applications may also be submitted online at nsc.ca/applyonline

Personal Information (please print clearly)

Full Name (first, middle, last)

Preferred first name

Previous last name

Date of birth (month/day/year)

Gender Identity Male Female Non-binary/another identity:

Apartment number

Permanent mailing address (street address, rural route or P.O. Box)

City / Town

Province

Country

Postal code

Home telephone

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Cell phone

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Email address

NSCC Student ID number (If you have one.)

(We correspond with you via email. Please ensure this address is secure and accessible.)

English Language Proficiency

Is English your first language? Yes No, my first language is:

(If no, proof of English language proficiency is required.)

Citizenship Status

Canadian Citizen Permanent Resident (Copy of Permanent Resident card required.) International Student

Refugee with protected person status Other:

(Country of Citizenship)

Program Choices

You can apply for two program/campus combinations with one application fee. Changing one or both of your original two choices will require the submission of a new application and fee. Your application will be considered for the next intake of selected program(s).

First/Preferred program choice

Campus/Location

Second program choice (Leave blank if you do not have a second choice.)

Campus/Location

Continuing Care applicants must complete the following:

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence for which you have not received a pardon? For more information, please review additional admission requirements.

Yes No

For office use only

ID

Receipt number

Received (month/day/year)

Application Fee

The non-refundable \$25 application fee (C\$75 International, \$0 ALP, \$0 Achieve) must be received for your application to be processed. **Please do not send cash.**

Credit Card Cheque/Money Order (Payable to NSCC. No post-dated cheques.) Cash, Debit, or Visa Debit (only when paying in person.)

Credit card #:

Exp. Date

Name of Cardholder

(Visa, Mastercard, Discover or American Express)

(month/year)

(as it appears on the card)

Educational History

Please list all schools you attended or are attending, even if the program was not completed. Applications without complete documentation cannot be processed regardless of the date of submission of the application.

High School attended:

Name of institution

Graduation date or last calendar year attended

Nova Scotia Student ID Number

(Month/Year)

(Current Nova Scotia high school students only.
Can be found in your Power School profile.)

Academic Credentials Completed: High School Diploma Adult High School Diploma GED I am/was home schooled

Previous community college, university and/or other education:

Name of Institution

Credential Name

Graduated? No Yes, year of Graduation:

Self-Identification Questionnaire (optional)

NSCC is committed to fostering a diverse college culture and community. Completion of all or part of this section is voluntary. The information collected may be used by staff and faculty to advise you of services and to assist in assessing and improving student services.

If you self-identify as any of the following, please check as many boxes as are appropriate for you.

Indigenous African Canadian Person with a Disability

Permission to Release Personal Information (optional)

NSCC only releases information about your admission status with your consent. Please let us know if there is anyone you would like to grant access to your admission status.

1st Person

2nd Person

Certification

I understand that it is my responsibility to arrange for the submission of transcripts and that the application without all required final documentation will not be considered regardless of submission date. I acknowledge that all submitted documents become the property of NSCC and will not be returned. I certify that the information in this application is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the College will collect, use and disclose my personal information in a confidential manner that is consistent with the operation of a post-secondary institution. My consent is conditional upon Nova Scotia Community College complying with their legal duties and obligations to manage the collection, use and disclosure of personal information.

Applicant Signature

Date (month/day/year)