

International Students – Prepare to start at NSCC

Get all the important deadlines Visit nscc.ca/calendar to view the 2020-21 academic calendar.
Get your Study Permit and Co-op/Work Placement Permit You need both permits to study at NSCC. If you have questions, visit international.nscc.ca/study-permits or the app for international students: iCent.
Download the iCent app for international students Use your student ID number (W######) to access the iCent app. Use this app to help plan for your move to Canada. You can find the app on Google Play and in the App Store.
Make a financial plan Use our Money Matters Financial Planner for International Students to plan your finances for the next year.
Access your personal NSCC account Use your student ID number (W######) and temporary password we emailed to the address we have on file for you to login to nscc.ca/mynscc. To protect your security and privacy, we recommended you change your password as soon as possible.
Pay your first-term tuition on or before November 25 Secure your place in your program by making tuition arrangements by November 25. Make a payment at nscc.ca/paytuition or by contacting your campus Business Office. Questions? Contact your campus: nscc.ca/explorenscc/campuses For all costs and fees associated with your program, visit nscc.ca/costsandfees
Find housing We always recommend that students moving to Nova Scotia plan to arrange for temporary accommodation close to the airport for their first night in Nova Scotia. We also recommend arranging temporary accommodation close to your campus: finding housing can take some time and you'll need a place to stay while you look for a place to live. We ask all international students to download our iCent app to review our travel planning checklists, housing and accommodation information, how to plan your transportation to campus and more. It also provides details/updates on current COVID-19 quarantine planning requirements in effect for Canada, the province of Nova Scotia and NSCC and is updated regularly. Questions? Contact: housing@nscc.ca
Chat with our students Use iCent to connect with International Student Ambassadors, ask them questions and familiarize yourself with Nova Scotia.



0	Complete your Occupational Health & Safety (OH&S) + Workplace Hazardous Materials Information Systems (WHMIS) certificates Getting your certifications in Occupational Health & Safety (OH&S) and Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) is mandatory for every student in any program. They must be completed before January 30. Review the details at nscc.ca/safetycourses
	Get familiar with Bright Space (D2L) Bright Space (D2L) is our online learning platform. It's a great place to connect with your instructors and classmates. You'll be able to access course materials, assignments, learning tools, tests and grades. Explore how to use the platform before your January start at nscc.ca/brightspace
	Learn how to stay healthy and well For information on managing stress, making healthy choices and staying active, visit nscc.ca/healthandwellness
	Understand the benefits of your NSCC student health plan All international students will be enrolled in health and dental and emergency health insurance coverage from NSCC. Visit mystudentplan.ca for more information.
	Attend pre-arrival webinars We will be offering interactive webinars before your program starts to discuss everything you need to do before coming to Canada. Watch for updates on the iCent app and nscc.ca/getstarted
	Purchase your textbooks Details will be coming soon about how to purchase books for your program.
	Get your Student ID card Your Student ID allows you access to library services, other college supports and various community services. Details will be coming soon about how to get your Student ID card.
	Get your Library Access Code Your Library Access Code gives you access to important material that will help you complete your program. Details will be coming soon about how to get your Library Access Code.
	Get your parking permit Parking permits are \$20 per year. Details will be coming soon about how to purchase your parking permit.
	Get involved with your Student Association Class Reps and Executive elections take place in January. For more information, visit nscc.ca/nsccstudentassoc
	Learn about our International Student Ambassador Program Please visit international.nscc.ca/ambassadors for more information.
	Lockers Details about how to get a locker will be coming soon.
	Orientation Day January 5 for new students. Info to come so watch your email and nscc.ca/getstarted
	Check in with Student Services Contact us to get more info on services, connect with your Student Services Advisor or book an appointment with our Learning Strategist to discuss supports available to those with disability-related barriers that impact learning.

Get support 24/7

