

CLI College Program Admission Requirements

All applicants must meet the admission requirements for their chosen program before being accepted. This includes both general admission criteria and international student qualifications.

Please refer to the specific program page on our website for detailed information on its admission requirements.

International Student Qualifications:

- Not a Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident
- Possess a valid Student Visa issued by the Canadian government
- Hold a minimum of a secondary school diploma or equivalent (Grade 12)
- Be at least 18 years old at the time of application

Student Visa Application:

International students are encouraged to apply early, as student visas can take several months to process. You may apply for a Student Visa with the Canadian government upon receiving your official Letter of Acceptance from CLI College. Applications can be submitted at the nearest Canadian Embassy, High Commission, or Consulate.

For further information on Student Visas and Temporary Resident Visas, please visit the Citizenship and Immigration Canada website

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada.html>.

Required Documents:

- Valid passport
- Completed CLI College International Student Information Form
- Attested copies of all academic transcripts (from secondary school onwards)
- Proof of English language proficiency (official test results)

English Language Proficiency Requirements:

All applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency. Official test results from a test designated by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) must be submitted to CLI College. You can find more information on CIC-approved language tests

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/express-entry/documents/language-requirements/language-testing.html>.

Unless otherwise specified in the program requirements, applicants must meet the minimum English language proficiency score. Test scores are valid for a maximum of one year.

Acceptable English Language Proficiency Tests:

- IELTS Academic: Total band score of 6.0
- Canadian Language Benchmarks Assessment (CLB): 7 in each strand
- TOEFL iBT: 70 (overall score), PBT: 560
- Canadian English Language Proficiency Index (CELPI): 60
- Pearson Test of English (Academic) (PTE): 54

Additional Requirements:

- Transcript and educational credential equivalencies may require assessment through International Qualifications Assessment Service (IQAS) or World Education Services (WES) in some cases.
- Applicants are advised to check current processing times for Student Visa applications on the Citizenship and Immigration Canada website
<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada.html>.

Cancelling Your Application:

Please notify the CLI College Registrar's office if you wish to cancel your pending application. Application fees become non-refundable if you cancel after accepting an offer of admission.