

USEFUL LINKS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Program Delivery Instructions – Temporary Residence - Students (*policy, procedures and guidance used by visa officers*)

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/resources/tools/temp/students/index.asp>

Covers topics such as:

- when a study permit is required, and who needs one
- how study permit applications are assessed
- students and work
- Post Graduate Work Permit

Express Entry (*includes links to the self-assessment wizard for the Federal Skilled Worker, Canadian Experience, and Federal Skilled Trades programs*)

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/skilled/index.asp>

Express Entry Comprehensive Ranking System (CRS) <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/express-entry/criteria-crs.asp>

Program Delivery Instructions - Permanent Residence - Economic classes (*policy, procedures and guidance used by visa officers*)

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/resources/tools/perm/econ/index.asp>

National Occupation Classifications aka “NOC”

<http://www5.hrsdc.gc.ca/NOC/English/NOC/2011/Welcome.aspx>

Canadian Language Benchmarks (CLB) for Express Entry (*requirements by immigration program, and the CELPIP and IELTS equivalents*)

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/immigrate/skilled/language-testing.asp>

Employment Services Development Canada’s main page on Labour Market Impact Assessments for Temporary Foreign Workers: http://www.esdc.gc.ca/en/foreign_workers/index.page

Employment Services Development Canada’s main page on Labour Market Impact Assessments to support a foreign skilled worker’s application for Permanent Residence:

http://www.esdc.gc.ca/en/foreign_workers/hire/permanent/overview.page

Immigration and Refugee Protection Regulations: <http://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/regulations/sor-2002-227/>

See particularly:

- R 73(1) & 73(2) – definitions of what is meant by “full-time” and “work”
- R 75-84 Federal Skilled Workers
- R 87.1 Canadian Experience Class
- R 87.2 Federal Skilled Trades

Help Centre – Express Entry: <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/helpcentre/results-by-topic.asp?top=29>

Enquiries about Express Entry: CIC.IR-ExpressEntry-EntreeExpress-RI.CIC@cic.gc.ca

IRCC Web Form (for sending enquiries if you have an application in process):
<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/contacts/web-form.asp>