

*Find Your True*  
**NORTH**

*2022/23 International  
Program Guide*



**PROUD TO BE NORTH.  
PROUD TO BE NORTHERN.**

**N**Northern  
**COLLEGE**

# Northern Experience

## Welcome to Canada!

We are so pleased that you are considering Northern College as your College of choice to study abroad. You will find excellence here, personal attention, but most of all, kindness.

Living far from home is a big adventure, and you will want to choose a College that takes care of all aspects of who you are and what you want to be.

Please look through the choices available to you as an International student and know we are standing by to help prepare and welcome you to study at the College level.

Good luck on your journey.

We know that you will make the right choice and fulfill your dreams.

Congratulations and all the very best!

Your Friends and Family at Northern College



FIND YOUR TRUE NORTH.

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## SCHOLARSHIPS BURSARIES AND AWARDS



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## International Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards

Investing in you and your future to support your education financially is an important step to your success! Northern College has one of the highest number of scholarships, bursaries and awards per student in the province.

We are excited about the support we provide to our students, thanks to the generosity of our donors who are standing by to help you succeed in your studies through their giving!

You don't have to be at the top of your class academically to win scholarships with us.

We have awards for every student, including domestic, international, Indigenous, full time, part time, first year, upcoming graduates and everyone in between.

We believe in you!

You can apply online for a long list of scholarships, bursaries and awards in both the fall and winter semester of any academic year. **The application system opens on the first day of classes in September and in January and closes three weeks later on the last Friday of the month.**

Each award is valued at \$500.

### International Student EXCELLENCE AWARD

#### 15 AWARDS

This award intends to recognize students for their academic excellence and positive contributions to their program.

### International Student LEADERSHIP AWARD

#### 15 AWARDS

This award intends to recognize students that demonstrate leadership qualities through their involvement on and off campus and their ability to guide and inspire others. (i.e., Peer support, student life or community involvement, tutor).

### International Student ROLE MODEL AWARD

#### 15 AWARDS

This award intends to honour international students for demonstrating the important qualities of a role model (honesty, positive attitude, professionalism, integrity, attendance, determination, compassion and acceptance of responsibility in their academics, community and in their extra-curricular activities).

### Proud To Be North, Proud To be Northern INTERNATIONAL ENTRANCE AWARD

#### 25 AWARDS

This award intends to recognize students for having chosen to pursue their post-secondary education in a northern community.





# New Programs

## **ADDICTIONS & MENTAL HEALTH WORKER**

### **Job Possibilities**

Mental Health Workers will be able to work in agencies that assist people living with addiction and mental health. These would include outpatient and inpatient treatment, community outreach and homeless shelters.

### **For more information**

Email: [communityservices@northern.on.ca](mailto:communityservices@northern.on.ca) | [northerncollege.ca/addictions-counsellor](http://northerncollege.ca/addictions-counsellor)



### **Why take this program**

There's never been a better time to be there for others who are struggling with addictions and mental health.

## **BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE DEGREE WITH ALGOMA UNIVERSITY**

### **Job Possibilities**

Northern College graduates who continue with this degree are equipped to develop and maintain networks, systems and programs for both business and industry. Graduates can expect to find employment in the following fields/positions: programmer/analyst; system/network administrator, telecommunications, municipalities, boards/organizations.

### **For more information**

Eric Lapanje | Email: [lapanje@northern.on.ca](mailto:lapanje@northern.on.ca) | [northerncollege.ca/computer-engineering-technician](http://northerncollege.ca/computer-engineering-technician)



### **Why take this program**

Get a **university degree in just over three years at Northern College** in Timmins from Algoma University.

## **CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN**

### **Job Possibilities**

Students graduating from this program may find employment in larger and smaller scale construction projects, including roadway, and mining projects and residential and commercial land development projects.

### **For more information**

Shane Storing | Email: [storrings@northern.on.ca](mailto:storrings@northern.on.ca) | [northerncollege.ca/civil-engineering-technician](http://northerncollege.ca/civil-engineering-technician)



### **Why take this program**

Access to this field can grant you high levels of pay with rewarding work.







HAILEYBURY CAMPUS

# Haileybury Campus & Area

Students come from near and far to study in the modern Veterinary Sciences Centre at the Haileybury Campus, with many of our students earning more than one credential, developing very well-rounded and in demand skill sets.

As a student in Veterinary Sciences, you will become a versatile and adaptable veterinary science professional and with many different programs available to you, the only limits to your potential is your imagination. The campus also features the world renowned Haileybury School of Mines, Practical Nursing, Social Service Worker, Personal Support Worker, Instrumentation and Control, alongside a range of Business, Office Administration programs.

Set in the rolling hills along the shores of picturesque Lake Temiskaming, our Haileybury Campus is located in the City of Temiskaming Shores and community comprised of three small towns with a population of just over 10,000 people. Temiskaming Shores features many of the amenities you'd expect from an urban centre, including a vibrant downtown core, museums, an art gallery, live theatre and multiple live music venues. It's an ideal spot for outdoor enthusiasts, whether you enjoy golfing, camping, horseback riding, downhill and cross-country skiing. You can also the well-maintained cycling and walking trail network that weaves through the community.



LAKE TEMISKAMING



DOWNTOWN  
HAILEYBURY

## **DO**

Take a break from your studies and head out to the top of Devil's Rock. This is a 2.2-million-year-old sheer granite cliff, rising up from Lake Temiskaming to a height of 90 metres (300 ft.) above the water.

## **SEE**

The city is home to numerous museums, an art gallery, live theatre and multiple live music venues. The downtown and Temiskaming Square offer great shopping. Pay a visit to The Little Claybelt Homesteader, Haileybury Heritage and Cobalt Mining Museums and gain insight into the rich history of the region.

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- › A population of 10,000
- › Offering Veterinary Technology – Wildlife Rehabilitation Advanced Diploma and Companion Animal Rehabilitation Graduate Certificate programs – the only ones of their kind in Canada
- › 10,000 square foot state-of-the-art facility: Veterinary Sciences Centre
- › Home of world renowned Haileybury School of Mines



DEVIL'S ROCK



KIRKLAND LAKE CAMPUS



# Kirkland Lake Campus & Area

The School of Welding Engineering Technology at the Kirkland Lake Campus continues to hold an established international reputation as a leader in the field of welding education and training. Northern was the first College in North America to become an authorized training body for the International Institute of Welding (IIW) and has maintained this esteemed status. The campus also offers programs such as Environmental Technician, Early Childhood Education, Practical Nursing, and a range of Business programs.

Located in the heart of Northeastern Ontario, Kirkland Lake hosts impressive festivals and concerts featuring award-winning bands and artists; it's safe to say, Kirkland Lake knows how to entertain. The community's largest festival of the year, Winter Carnival, is so jam-packed with excitement that it was recently declared one of Ontario's Top 100 Festivals by Festivals and Events Ontario.

The community is home to active hockey, soccer, baseball and figure skating leagues, providing year-round sports entertainment. Fans of non-competitive athletics will also feel right at home with access to the beaches of Crystal Lake and the campgrounds of Esker Lakes Provincial Park.

## **DO**

Kirkland Lakers know how to have fun. Check out a full slate of special events throughout the year, from concerts to drag races and snocross. No matter what the season, you'll find something to do in KL!

## **SEE**

Relax after your exams by visiting stunning Culver Park. This park offers 25 expansive acres of land and water. You can go fishing, boating or simply enjoy a picnic with friends while enjoying Canada's North. This landmark is the perfect photo spot located north of Kirkland Lake on Highway 11. Water flows south into the Great Lakes and on to the Atlantic Ocean from here, while north of this point, all waters flow into Hudson Bay and on to the Arctic Ocean.

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- › Annual Homecoming Week showcasing Canada's music scene
- › The International Institute for Welding (IIW) is recognized in 56 countries
- › More than 40 NHLers come from Kirkland Lake
- › Home of the World's Largest Free-Standing Puck, built by our welding students
- › An 18-day Winter Carnival







# Timmins Campus & Area

The Timmins Campus offers various programs in the fields of Engineering Technology and Trades, Health Sciences and Emergency Services, Business, Office Administration and Community Services. In all program areas, students can take advantage of specialized classrooms, laboratories and workshops fully equipped with technologies and instruments that facilitate the integration of theory into practice.

Timmins is a fusion of urban and rural, whether you're the kind of person who yearns for wide open spaces, fresh air and the great outdoors, or a character who digs the arts and culture scene, you are sure to enjoy this community. It's big enough to provide all the amenities and services expected of a larger city, but small enough to ensure you are never far from the outstanding landscapes of Northern Ontario. Timmins offers an assortment of athletic facilities, nightlife and cuisine from around the world. There are plenty of merchants, from rustic and boutique shops to big box stores. Take a deep breath of fresh northern air! Hit the beach or hiking trails. Enjoy fall, winter, spring and summer activities within walking distance of the campus.

## **DO**

Annual activities such as Summerfest, Winter Carnival, Rock on the River, The Great Canadian Kayak Challenge, Stars and Thunder Festival and Summer Concert Series showcase Timmins' strong sense of community.

## **SEE**

Explore downtown Timmins with cafes, bakeries, shops, restaurants and art galleries where you can even book an art class. Urban Park kicks off each summer and features a farmers' market, live music and local retailers.

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- › Timmins has a population of just over 43,000 people
- › The Centre of Excellence for Trades and Technology offers cutting-edge programming in trades and engineering technology
- › State-of-the-art 40, 000 sq. ft. Northern College Integrated Emergency Services Building for Police Foundations, Paramedic and Pre-Service Firefighter
- › A new Virtual Reality Training Centre equipped with 3D simulation stations
- › On-site three-storey burn building that provides hands-on firefighting training



**Integrated Emergency Services Complex (IESC)**







## HAILEYBURY RESIDENCE

# Housing & Accommodations

## **HAILEYBURY CAMPUS RESIDENCE**

The Haileybury Campus is home to a new privately owned and operated residence, located next to the scenic Rock Walk Park, just steps away from the main College building. Its 16 attractive townhouse style apartments were designed with accessibility in mind and can accommodate up to 64 students. Each apartment has four bedrooms, two bathrooms, a kitchen and living area as well as laundry facilities and storage. You will enjoy making new friends in your comfortable home away from home.

## **TIMMINS CAMPUS RESIDENCE**

Only steps away from Porcupine Lake, the Timmins Campus Residence features a large, bright common kitchen with five cooking stations, laundry facilities, lounges with cable television, and a games room.

Living on campus gives you access to computer rooms and athletic facilities, sauna, ball courts and the Quill Lounge. Minutes from your doorstep you will find a mall with all the essentials. Enjoy the beautiful and well-maintained nature trails in your front yard around Porcupine Lake.

Residence Capacity: 103 single rooms with private restrooms, 12 suites and 4 double rooms. Each room includes: phone, cable and internet connections, private three-piece bathroom, bed, desk, chair, lamp, closet and drawers.



## TIMMINS RESIDENCE



# How to Apply

Northern College is a Designated Learning Institution (DLI) and our DLI# is O19315830082.

## **HOW TO APPLY**

**STEP 1** Visit the Ontario College Application Service (OCAS) - International College Portal to fill out an application. [www.ocas.ca/international-info](http://www.ocas.ca/international-info)

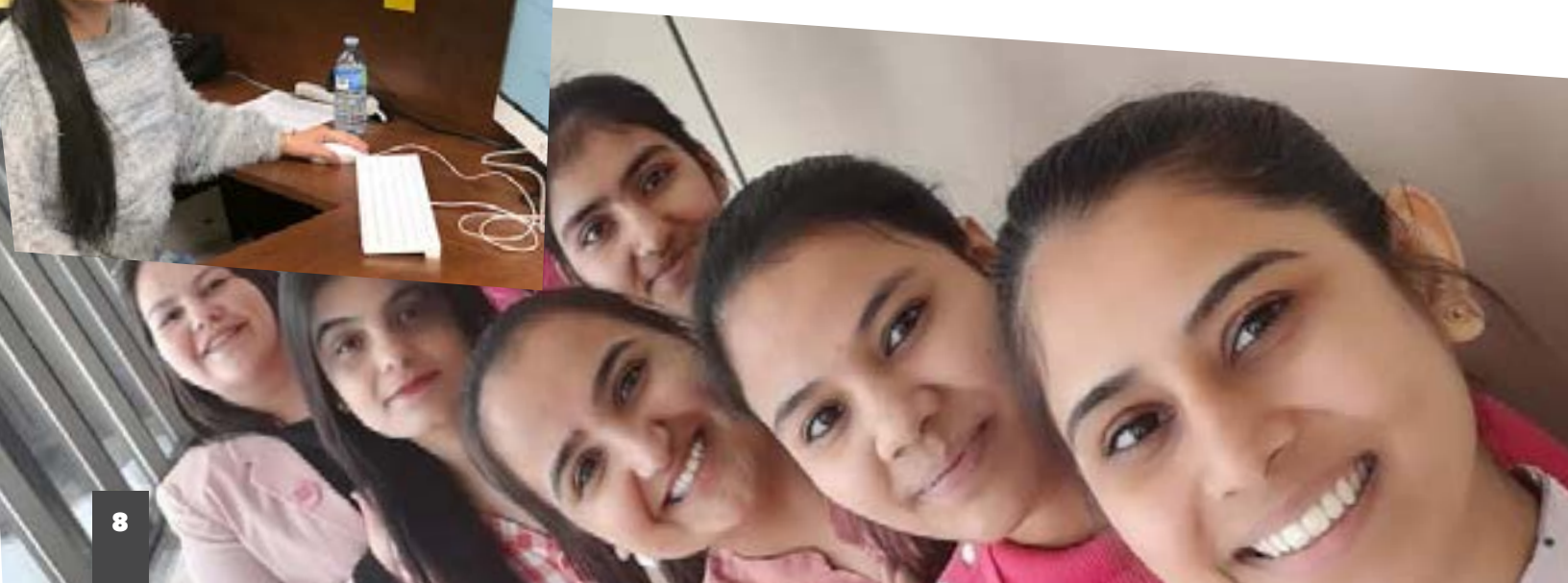
**STEP 2** Pay a non-refundable \$100 fee, which all international applicants pay.

**STEP 3** Send in scanned copies of your original certified secondary school transcripts to get into diploma programs and your college or university transcripts to get into post-graduate programs. Include a notarized English translation of your documents.

**STEP 4** Send proof of your English Proficiency to us. For example, your International English Language Testing System (IELTS) score sheet, directly to the College. After you have paid your fee, Northern College will receive your application within 48 hours.

## **WHEN TO APPLY**

It is recommended to apply for a program approximately 8 months before the program starts due to study permit application times. Check out the specified dates found on our website.







# Application Requirements

You will need to graduate from highschool to get into most of our College certificate and diploma programs. Post-graduate (graduate) certificate programs usually require at least a college diploma or a university degree.

Please visit [northerncollege.ca/international-programs](http://northerncollege.ca/international-programs) to find out the academic entrance requirements of your program or contact [intlapply@northern.on.ca](mailto:intlapply@northern.on.ca) for the information.

The academic admission requirements vary from program to program.

## **LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

If your first language is not English, Northern College will accept the following language proficiency scores:

### **IELTS (Academic) Certificate and Diploma Programs**

Overall score of 6.0 with one individual band could be 5.5 (few programs require high results)

### **IELTS (Academic) Graduate Certificate**

Generally, overall score of 6.5 no individual band lower than 6.0\*\*

### **TOEFL Certificate & Diploma Programs**

iBT: 79, CBT: 173, PBT: 500

### **Graduate Certificate Programs**

Varies from program to program \*\*

### **Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL) Certificate/Diploma Programs**

60

### **Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL) Graduate Certificate**

Varies from program to program \*\*

### **Pearson Test of English (Academic) Certificate and Diploma Programs**

58+

### **Pearson Test of English (Academic) Graduate Certificate Program**

Varies from program to program \*\*

*\*\* Please note that the English proficiency requirements vary from program to program.*

*There are exceptions to the above English proficiency requirements. Please email*

*[intlapply@northern.on.ca](mailto:intlapply@northern.on.ca) for the specific requirement of your program.*







# Before You Go

- 1.** Have a device that has wifi capabilities and connectivity with a fully charged battery while you travel so that you can keep in touch and stay connected during your journey. This will help keep you safe always. Use the free internet/wifi at airports to send messages and keep in touch.
- 2.** Always share your travelling plans with the time, dates, and location of your flights and any updates if things change with us here at Northern College at [international@northern.on.ca](mailto:international@northern.on.ca) so we know where you are and when to expect you.
- 3.** Wait to come to Canada before you buy your technology (laptop or ipad).
- 4.** Have enough cash on hand with you – when you are travelling with a mix of Canadian and American dollars, you can get things right away with ease as there might be issues with a card.
- 5.** Don't bring all your clothing with you. Just bring enough until you get to Canada where you will have better selection and pricing.
- 6.** Don't buy winter coats or boots before you come. Canada will have specialized warm winter clothes at a better price.
- 7.** Bring your favorite cooking spices from home – these typically are more difficult to find in Canada.

**We look forward to seeing you soon! Good luck on your next big adventure!**

**We are excited to learn with you.**





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