

CMTN Programs Open for International Applications

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Important Notice

IRCC has recently announced changes to the post-graduation work permit (PGWP) eligibility. As a result of the new PGWP- eligibility criteria from IRCC, the following Coast Mountain College programs are currently eligible for PGWP consideration, based on their Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) code alignment. Please check [IRCC page](#) for updates as the list may be updated without notice.

Eligible CIP codes may be updated by IRCC without notice. If codes change, it is our understanding that the PGWP-eligibility will be given based on the date that the student applied for their study permit or the current list, whichever is more favorable to the student.

We will make changes to this document as we become aware of IRCC changes. Always ensure that you have the most current document before making any decisions about your application.

This information is current as of November 27, 2024.

PGWP-Eligible Programs available at CMTN: (Eligible CIP codes may be changed by IRCC without notice.)

1. **Applied Coastal Ecology Diploma (CIP 26.1302)**
(Two-year program – September 2025 intake, Prince Rupert BC)
2. **Practical Nursing (PN) (CIP 51.3901)**
(Two-year program)
 - September 8, 2026 – Terrace, BC; and Smithers, BC
 - September 5, 2028 – Terrace, BC; and Prince Rupert, BC

Please note that entry requirements are competitive and demanding; and the course PNUR103 must be successfully completed online at either TRU or CMTN prior to receiving an official letter of acceptance. To view the detailed admission requirements for international applicants interested in this program, please visit this link: [International Resource & Forms](#)

3. **Associate Degree in Science, Environmental Geosciences Specialization (CIP 30.4101)**
(Two-year program – September 2025 intake, Terrace, BC)

4. **Associate Degree in Arts, Criminology Specialization (CIP 45.0401)**
(Two-year program – September 2025 intake, Terrace, BC)
Or

Criminology Diploma (CIP 45.0401)

(Two-year program – September 2025 intake, Terrace, BC)

*Please note that, while Criminology programs prepare graduates for work in policing, corrections, courts, parole, intelligence agencies, or border control service, these jobs require an applicant to be a Permanent Resident or Canadian Citizen. There are, however, ample opportunities in the social support sector as well as in the private security sector to gain work experience while in Canada on a work permit, which could form an excellent foundation for future work in the justice sector if/when a person achieves PR status. International graduates of our Criminology Program have found meaningful work in roles related to transitional housing, community support agencies, and private security.

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5. **Social Service Worker Diploma (CIP 44.0000)**
(Two-year program – September 2026 in Terrace, BC)
6. **Physical Sciences Certificate (CIP 40.0101)**
(One-year program – September 2025 intakes in Terrace, BC; and Prince Rupert, BC)
7. **Applied Earth and Environmental Studies Certificate (CIP 03.0103)**
(One-year program – September 2025 intakes in Terrace, BC; and Prince Rupert, BC)

Other Programs open to International students but are NOT currently PGWP-Eligible:

(Eligible CIP codes may be changed by IRCC without notice.)

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8. **West Coast Culinary Diploma**
(August intake, Terrace, BC) *very limited seats available.
Not PGWP-eligible.
9. **Associate Degree in Arts, General Studies**
(September and January intakes, Terrace, BC or Prince Rupert BC)
Not PGWP-eligible.
10. **Associate Degree in Science, General Studies**
(September intake only, Terrace, BC or Prince Rupert, BC)
Not PGWP-eligible.
11. **Business Administration Diploma (any specialization)**
(September intake, Terrace, BC, Smithers, BC or Prince Rupert, BC).
Not PGWP-eligible.
12. **Post-Degree Diploma in Professional Accounting**
(September 2025 intake, Terrace, BC)
Not currently PGWP-eligible. CIP under IRCC review
13. **Early Childhood Care and Education Diploma**
(September 2025 intake, Terrace, BC)
Not currently PGWP-eligible. CIP under IRCC review