PROGRAMS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS 2024-2025

All certificate and diploma programs listed below are Alberta Advanced Education Ministry – approved credentials.

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Program (Credential)	Program Length	Start Dates		Delivery*	Required on Site Labs**	Practicum***	Post- Graduate Study Permit Eligible****	
Academic Upgrading – High School Diploma	Varies	Sept	i. O	nline	Online			
Adult Basic Education - Certificate	Varies	Sept	i. O	nline	Online			
Addictions Counselling Diploma				Online		YES		
Advanced Care Paramedic Diploma	2 years	Sept.		Blended	YES	YES	YES	
Business Administration Certificate					Online		OPTIONAL	
Computer Network Specialist	1 year	Sept.			Online		YES	
Early Learning and Child Care Certificate	1 year	Sept	. Online		Blended		YES	
Early Learning and Child Care Diploma	1 year	Sept.	Sept. Online		Blended		YES	
Educational Assistant Certificate	1 year	Sept.	Sept. Online		Blended		YES	
Health Care Aide	1 year	Sept.		Blended	YES	YES	YES	
Human Resource Management	1 year	Sept. Online				OPTIONAL		
Introduction to Surveying	1 year	Ongoing		Blended	YES			
Office Administration	1 year	Sept.		Online		YES		
Oilfield Operator	20 weeks	Sept.		Blended	YES			
Power Engineering 3 rd Class	1 year	Sept.			Online			
Power Engineering 4th Class	1 year	Sept.			Online			
Practical Nurse	2 years	Sept.			Blended	YES	YES	YES
Primary Care Paramedic	1 year	Sept.			Blended	YES	YES	YES
Social Work – Diploma	2 years	Sept.			Blended		YES	
Survey Theory and Calculations	20 weeks	ongoing		Blended	YES			
University Studies – Certificate	1 year	Sept.	Online	May	Online			
University Studies - Diploma	1 year	Sept.	Online	May	Online			

^{*}DELIVERY: Northern Lakes College programming may be offered online, face-to-face or blended. Blended is online with some campus attendance required. If "online" is stated, the program is completed without coming to a campus – supports are offered online.

^{**}REQUIRED ON SITE LABS: You will be required to travel to a campus location one or more times during your program.

^{***}PRACTICUM: If a practicum is noted, you are responsible for obtaining a coop study permit. Apply for this permit when you apply for your study permit.

^{****}POST GRADUATE WORK PERMIT: Starting September 1, 2023, you must complete 50% of your program in-class in Canada.