

Study in **SASKATCHEWAN**

International Viewbook
2023-2024



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COLLEGES**



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Saskatchewan Colleges is a partnership between five colleges in the province of Saskatchewan. Each college is its own separate entity but the five institutions partner for the purposes of international recruitment and admissions.

International student admissions will be administered through Saskatchewan Colleges, but all applications and acceptance documents will be issued from the specific institution that students apply to.





Canada



Saskatchewan

Saskatchewan is the best place in the world to live, work and study.

Saskatchewan offers a welcoming environment where you can experience a peaceful, secure lifestyle. It has safe cities and high-quality healthcare. Saskatchewan has one of the lowest unemployment rates in Canada.

Our colleges match programming to the growth and expansion of the Saskatchewan labour market making post-graduation employment easy to attain. Nearly 90 per cent of our post-secondary graduates have jobs 60-90 days after graduation.

College staff provide support for all aspects of your settlement and education. Save money with affordable housing; often 50 per cent less than Canada's largest cities.

Small class sizes and friendly staff help you learn and succeed in your studies.

Your future is bright - apply now!



Cumberland College

Cumberland College provides high-quality training and education programs for students in northeastern Saskatchewan. The college prides itself on providing personalized support for students in a safe and welcoming environment in which you can absorb Canadian life and culture.



Melfort

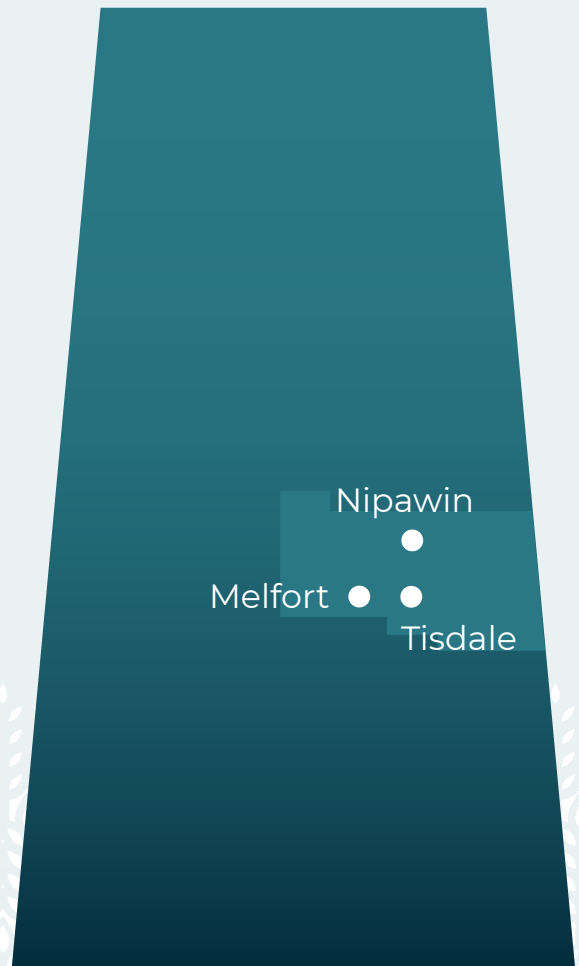
Surrounded by rich farmland, Melfort is a major service centre for Northeast Saskatchewan. The city offers an indoor wave pool, junior hockey, skatepark and numerous other recreational and cultural attractions.

Nipawin

A full-service community situated on the forest fringe, Nipawin is close to many natural attractions and lakes to enjoy year-round activities, such as fishing, swimming, skiing and golfing.

Tisdale

Located in the heart of the region, Tisdale is Northeast Saskatchewan's agricultural centre of trade and commerce. It is known for having the amenities of a larger centre, but with the atmosphere and charm of a small town.



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North West College



North West College is an inclusive and welcoming post-secondary institution that is located in a region of Saskatchewan with a diverse set of labour needs. The college offers a full range of high-quality programs that include trades, business, health and community services. Hands-on learning experiences are an important part of North West programs and add value to the educational experience.



Battlefords

The Town of Battleford and the City of North Battleford, known as the “Battlefords”, are beautifully situated atop either side of the North Saskatchewan River Valley in northwest Saskatchewan. Lending additional charm to this area is the Battle River that converges with the North Saskatchewan River just south of Battleford. The Battlefords offers a wide variety of arts and recreational activities through state-of-the-art facilities.

Meadow Lake

Meadow Lake is a thriving city consisting of a vast assortment of businesses, great schools, excellent health care and a variety of recreational opportunities at quality facilities such as the five-lane indoor pool, outdoor spray park, 18-hole golf course, shale ball diamonds, soccer/football fields, tennis courts, stampede grounds, outdoor rinks and more.

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Great Plains College

Great Plains College is committed to being a leader in post-secondary education and labour market development. The college is focused on meeting the needs of learners and employers in Saskatchewan to build stronger leaders, careers, partnerships and communities.

Kindersley

In the heart of a thriving oil and gas industry, Kindersley offers the tranquility of a rural lifestyle with all the amenities and benefits of a larger centre. Kindersley offers the aquatic centre, motocross track, junior hockey, or races at Flatlanders Speedway.

Warman

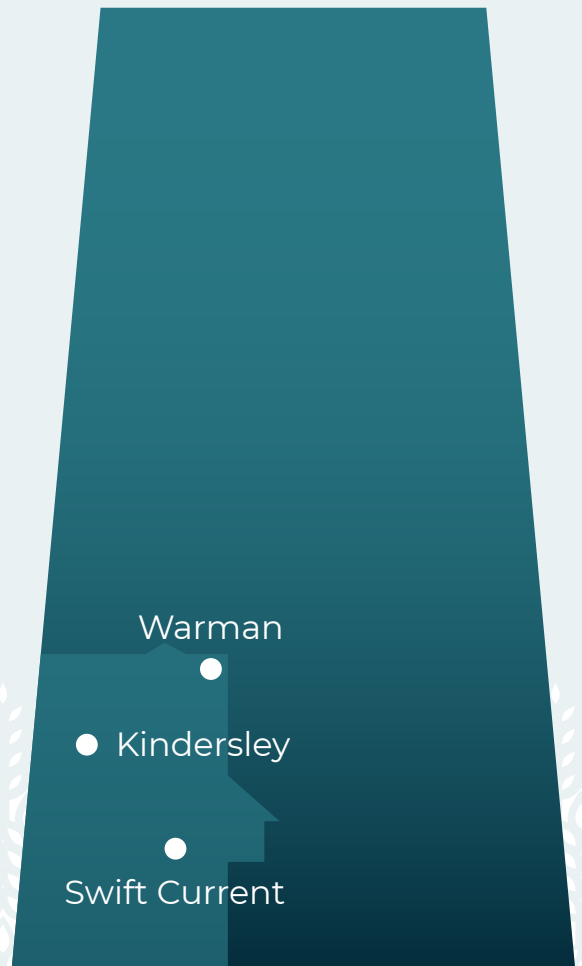
One of Saskatchewan's fastest growing communities, Warman is just a 15-minute drive north of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan's largest city. While in Warman, enjoy the Legends Centre, an award-winning recreation facility with two multi-purpose gyms, a hockey arena and much more.

Swift Current

As the largest centre in the southwest region of Saskatchewan, Swift Current is proud to boast a vibrant downtown core, a variety of housing options and the Chinook Pathway that offers a beautiful walk or ride along the Swift Current creek. Enjoy live sports or entertainment events at the Lyric Theatre and Living Sky Casino.



great plains
college



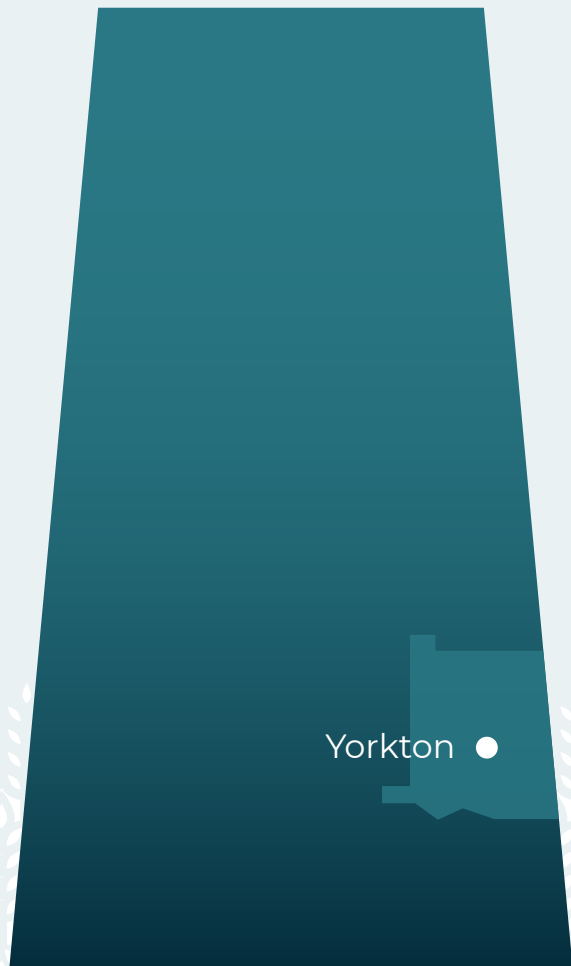
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Parkland College



Parkland College offers a variety of programs and services to meet the education and training needs of communities and industry partners in east central Saskatchewan and western Manitoba. Our programs are designed to develop industry-standard skills and knowledge, leading directly to employment. With many years of experience in welcoming international students, we provide a supportive environment for you to quickly adjust to life in our community and to succeed in your studies.



Yorkton

Most of Parkland students attend classes in Yorkton, the largest city in the region. Yorkton is able to offer amenities and conveniences of a larger city while maintaining strong community bonds. It boasts a rich ethnic diversity which allows the city to offer delectable cuisine, beautiful handcrafts and colourful festivals and events. The city features excellent schools, first-rate health care, great recreation opportunities, many employment opportunities and affordable housing options.

In Yorkton, Parkland College students will attend classes at the college's Main Campus or at the Trades and Technology Centre. The Main Campus offers a friendly environment and modern classrooms and equipment to our business and health care students. At the new Trades and Technology Centre, trades students will learn in our advanced, state-of-the-art power engineering labs and mechanical shops.

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Southeast College

Southeast College delivers a wide variety of career, vocational and academic programming to meet the educational, economic and labour force demands of southeastern Saskatchewan. Each campus offers excellent academic support services and plenty of opportunity for extra-curricular activities.

Estevan

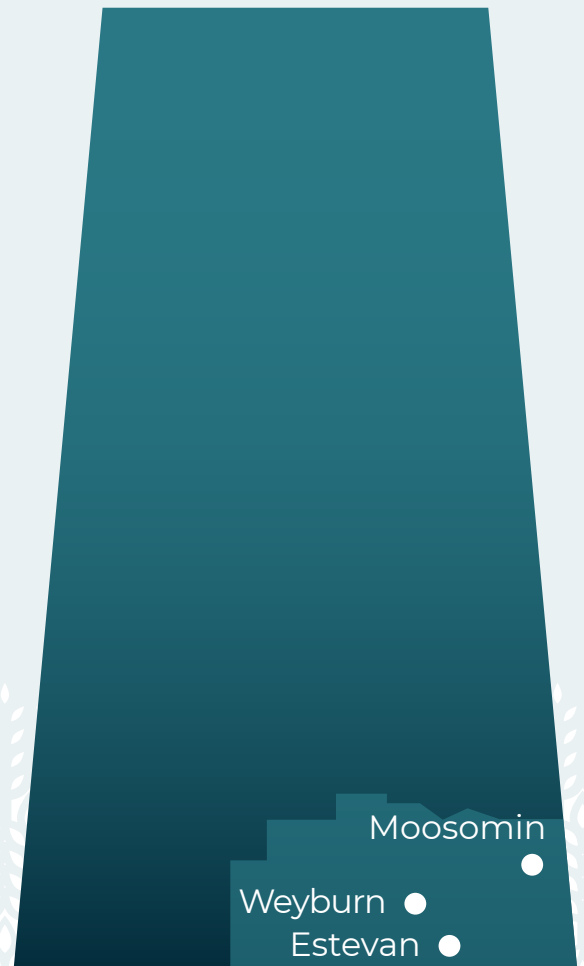
Estevan, the closest city to the United States border of the prairie provinces, is located in the southeast corner of the province nestled along the Souris River. Take in the boutique stores of downtown or the “must-see” rocks of Roche Percee.

Weyburn

Referred to as “The Opportunity City,” in 2019, Weyburn was ranked as Best Place to Live in the Prairies and 45th overall in Canada, by Maclean’s Magazine. Weyburn’s vibrant economy has created opportunities for people from all over the world to visit, live, study and do business.

Moosomin

Located approximately 230 km east of Regina along the Trans-Canada Hwy, this vibrant growing community is surrounded by rich farmland and the oil, gas and potash mining industries. Year-round cultural and sporting facilities include the Moosomin Communiplex and Convention Centre, Heritage Walking Tours and Pipestone Hills Golf Club.



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* Application fee: \$140.
Prices below **include** all fees, tuition, health insurance and books.

Programs

Program Name	Program Length	Entrance Requirements	Approx. Costs*	Intakes Available	College / Location
Administrative Assistant (Office Administration) Certificate	1 year	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 6.0</p>	\$17,000	<p>September</p> <p>January (Great Plains only)</p>	<p>Cumberland Tisdale</p> <p>Great Plains Kindersley Swift Current</p> <p>Parkland Yorkton</p>
Agricultural Equipment Technician Certificate	1 year	<p>Successfully completed program equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 10 - minimum 55% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	\$24,500	August	Parkland Yorkton
Agricultural Sciences Certificate	1 year	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 - minimum 60% average with English, Math/Stats, and Science, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 6.0</p>	\$17,000	October	<p>Cumberland Melfort</p> <p>Parkland Yorkton</p>



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Business Management Certificate	1 year	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	\$17,500	September	<p>North West North Battleford</p> <p>Parkland Yorkton</p>
Business Diploma — General	2 years	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	<p>Year 1 \$17,500</p> <p>Year 2 \$17,500</p>	September	Cumberland Tisdale
Business Diploma — Management	2 years	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	<p>Year 1 \$17,500</p> <p>Year 2 \$17,500</p>	September	<p>Great Plains Swift Current, Warman</p> <p>North West North Battleford</p>



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Continuing Care Assistant Certificate	1 year	Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 - minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%	\$17,500	September	Cumberland Melfort
		English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0		January (Southeast Weyburn only)	Great Plains Kindersley, Swift Current North West Meadow Lake, North Battleford Parkland Yorkton Southeast Estevan Weyburn Whitewood
Disability Support Worker	1 year	Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%	\$17,000	September	Cumberland Tisdale
Early Childhood Education Diploma	2 years	Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%	Year 1 \$15,000	September (North West only)	Great Plains Warman
		English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0	Year 2 \$15,000	January (Great Plains only)	North West North Battleford

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Global Business Management Post-Graduate Certificate	1 year	2 year college diploma or 3-4 year university degree from an accredited institution (minimum 55% average) English language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 6.0	\$18,000	August January	Parkland Yorkton
Health Care Cook Certificate	1 year	Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 10 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50% English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0	\$18,000	September	Cumberland Tisdale Southeast Moosomin
Heavy Equipment Truck and Transport Technician Certificate	1 year	Successfully completed program equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 11 - minimum 55% average, no marks less than 50% English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0	\$22,000	August	Parkland Yorkton
Hotel and Restaurant Management Diploma	2 years	Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50% English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0	Year 1 \$17,000 Year 2 \$17,000	September	Great Plains Warman

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Power Engineering Fourth Class Certificate	1 year	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 - minimum 65% average, no marks less than 50%, Grade 12 math required</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	\$20,000	August	Parkland Yorkton
Youth Care Worker Diploma	2 years	<p>Secondary Diploma equivalent to a Saskatchewan Grade 12 – minimum 60% average, no marks less than 50%</p> <p>English Language requirement – IELTS overall score of 6.5, no bands less than 5.0</p>	<p>Year 1 \$17,000</p> <p>Year 2 \$17,000</p>	September	Great Plains Warman



“I chose my Saskatchewan College because during my application process they were very responsive with my needs and with my inquiries right up until the day I arrived in Canada.


-Ma. Corazon Olimpia Resuello,
Philippines


“While attending my Saskatchewan College, the experience I had was phenomenal. It felt like there was a sense of community. The relationships that the students had were wonderful, we supported each other, not to mention the supports we received from the staff members.

-Andre Harris, Jamaica


How to Apply

1  **Complete the online application form on the relevant institution's website. Email international@saskcolleges.ca for assistance.**

2  **Pay** the non-refundable application fee via Flywire.

3  **Submit all secondary and post-secondary transcripts.** Scanned copies of the documents are acceptable for admission purposes. However, an original copy will have to be presented upon your arrival. All transcripts must be translated to English.

For Parkland, Great Plains and Southeast documents can be uploaded with your application. For Cumberland and North West, documents must be emailed to international@saskcolleges.ca

4  **Provide proof that you meet the English language proficiency requirements.** IELTS results can be scanned and uploaded with your online application. If you have not yet completed the IELTS test, you may still submit your application as long as you can provide your scheduled IELTS test date. Original copies of your IELTS results must be submitted when you arrive.

Other language assessments such as PTE, TOEFL and Duolingo are also accepted.

Please email international@saskcolleges.ca to find out more.



Acceptance Process



You will receive a message within three business days that will confirm that we have received your application.

Once your application and application fee have been received, your application will be processed to determine your eligibility for the program. This process takes three to five business days.

International students who meet the requirements of the program will be provided an **offer letter**.

The offer letter will request payment of the tuition deposit, equal to 50 per cent of the tuition amount.* This deposit **secures** your seat in the program. Tuition deposits must be paid via Flywire within 30 calendar days of the letter date. If you wish to pay 100 per cent of the first year of tuition up front please email international@saskcolleges.ca to indicate this at the time of application.

A **letter of acceptance** will be provided once the tuition deposit has been received. This is the document needed to apply for a study permit.

**Study Direct Stream applicants must pay 100 per cent of first-year tuition.*



Study Permit / Co-op Work Permit

- International students must apply for a study permit from the Canadian government in order to study at a post-secondary institution in Canada.
- Your official letter of acceptance must accompany your application for a study permit to verify that you plan on studying at a Designated Learning Institution in Canada. Cumberland College, Great Plains College, North West College, Parkland College and Southeast College are all Designated Learning Institutions.
- It is strongly recommended that you submit your study permit application at least six months prior to the start of classes to allow adequate time for processing.
- For more information on the study permit process please visit www.cic.gc.ca.
- In addition to the letter of acceptance, you will have to prove that you have

the financial resources to cover the full program tuition and fees as well as living expenses for the duration of your study period. You will also have to verify that you do not have a criminal record, that you do not pose a security risk to Canada and that you are in good health.

- As part of the program requirements, students must complete a practicum or clinical placement in the following:
 - Administrative Assistant
 - Agriculture Equipment Technician
 - Business Diploma
 - Continuing Care Assistant
 - Early Childhood Education Diploma
 - Heavy Equipment Truck and Transport Technician
 - Hotel and Restaurant Management
 - Youth Care Worker Diploma

In preparation for these programs, students should apply for a Co-op Work Permit at the time of their Study Permit application.



Saskatchewan Immigrant Nominee Program

The Saskatchewan Immigrant Nominee Program (SINP) provides international students with one of the fastest pathways to permanent residence in Canada.

Saskatchewan's robust and diverse economy provides ample opportunity for students to find employment in their field of study after they have completed their education.

Once you find employment in your field, you will be well on your way to being able to apply for Permanent Residence in Canada.

For more information on the SINP, please visit www.saskatchewan.ca.



Job Readiness

Saskatchewan Regional Colleges have a strong focus on preparation for the work force. Embedded in each program are opportunities to develop skills such as critical thinking, problem solving, team work and many other job related “soft skills.”

Students are supported in creating a resume and cover letter that are a good representation of what they can offer to future employers. Further to this, students can gain access to information about the interview process or receive coaching on interview skills to prepare them to effectively take on any interview.

Employers often comment on the fact that graduates of Saskatchewan’s Regional Colleges are not only prepared for the work force, but quickly become valued employees based on the skills and abilities gained in their Regional College program.



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