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**Great Plains College**  
Saskatchewan, Canada



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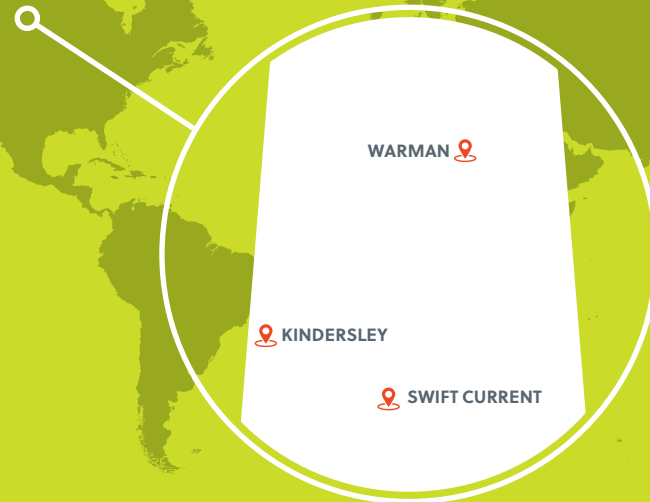
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# Welcome!

**to Saskatchewan, Canada,**  
otherwise known as the “Land of Living Skies.”

**Located in Western Canada, Saskatchewan is known for its magnificent sunsets, northern lights, sunshine, friendly people and agricultural crops, such as wheat, durum, mustard seed and lentils, that feed the world.**

As one of the best places to live, work and study, Saskatchewan offers a rich cultural experience in its welcoming environment, peaceful communities, vibrant cities and spacious parks.



**Located in western Saskatchewan, Great Plains College has international program options at its Kindersley, Swift Current and Warman Campuses.**

**KINDERSLEY** (pop. 4,597) is a vibrant and progressive community located in west central Saskatchewan that is surrounded by rich agricultural land and a thriving oil and gas industry. Kindersley offers the tranquility of a rural lifestyle with all the amenities and benefits of a small city, including an indoor aquatic centre, a junior hockey team and an active arts community.

**WARMAN** (pop. 11,020) is the 9th largest city in Saskatchewan. Access to park space in Warman is second to none, including 14 parks and various sports and recreation facilities. Warman is only 15 minutes from Saskatoon, which is one of Saskatchewan's main cities.

**SWIFT CURRENT** (pop. 17,990) is the main urban centre of southwest Saskatchewan. Cheer on the Western Hockey League's Broncos or the Western Canadian Baseball League's 57's. Enjoy live entertainment events at the Lyric Theatre and Living Sky Casino. Reduce stress at one of the many recreation and fitness facilities.

## Choose Great Plains College

**Great Plains College is recognized in Canada as a Designated Learning Institution (DLI). With small class sizes, friendly and experienced staff and access to support, the college offers a safe, fun and welcoming learning environment.**

International program options include: Business Diploma and Youth Care Worker Diploma (Warman Campus); Business Diploma, Administrative Assistant and Continuing Care Assistant (Swift Current Campus); and Continuing Care Assistant (Kindersley Campus).

# Pick a Program



**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT | SWIFT CURRENT | 1-YEAR CERTIFICATE**  
**INTAKE: September OR January**  
This competency-based program allows you to work individually within a progressive timeline, while receiving practical and applied training in word processing, accounting, spreadsheets, database and Internet searches, office procedures, communications and business calculations.



**BUSINESS DIPLOMA | SWIFT CURRENT / WARMAN | 2-YEAR DIPLOMA**  
**INTAKE: September**  
**Specializations: Management**  
If you like being part of decision-making processes, and are interested in organizational culture and interpersonal dynamics, the two-year Business Diploma will appeal to you. Business Management includes efficient management of people, effective organization of resources and strategic planning for growth.



**CONTINUING CARE ASSISTANT | KINDERSLEY / SWIFT CURRENT | 1-YEAR CERTIFICATE**  
**INTAKE: September**  
Learn to function as a Continuing Care Assistant (CCA) team member in home and special care. Through a combination of hands-on classroom learning and labs, you will receive clinical experience in home and long-term care settings. This program focuses on working with the elderly, but you will be prepared to work with clients of all ages.



**YOUTH CARE WORKER DIPLOMA | WARMAN | 2-YEAR DIPLOMA**  
**INTAKE: September**  
Working one-on-one with youth and their families, you will make a difference. Graduates of the two-year diploma are qualified for jobs as family support workers, group home staff, program coordinators or community outreach workers in a variety of residential, educational or community-based agencies.

# Program Details

PROGRAM	LENGTH	INTAKE DATE	ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS	APPROXIMATE TUITION AND FEES (CAD\$)	FEES (INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS COLUMN AMOUNTS)
Administrative Assistant	1 year	September or January	Gr. 12 with English Language Arts A30 or B30 or 30-level Math, International English Language Testing System (IELTS) overall minimum score of Band 6.5 with minimum 6.0 in each component. Duolingo score of 110.	\$13,760	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Student fee</li><li>• Printing fee</li><li>• Lab fee</li><li>• Health insurance and</li><li>• All books required for your program</li></ul>
Business Diploma	2 years	September	Successful completion of Grade 12 with 30-level Math and a minimum average of 60%, no grades less than 50%, or successful completion of three courses, of at least 3 credit units each, from the Business Certificate program, IELTS scores overall 6.5, no bands less than 5.0. Duolingo score of 105.	Year 1: \$17,660 Year 2: \$14,600	
Continuing Care Assistant	1 year	September	Successful completion of grade 12 with a minimum average of 60%, no grades less than 50%, IELTS scores overall 6.5, no bands less than 5.0, provide a current criminal record check from the country of origin, all immunizations up-to-date. Duolingo score of 105.	\$18,160	
Youth Care Worker Diploma	2 years	September	Successful completion of Grade 12, with minimum average of 60% and no marks less than 50%; IELTS overall score 6.5 with no bands less than 5.0; Duolingo score of 105.	Year 1: \$16,800 Year 2: \$16,800	

Great Plains College makes every effort to ensure that the information presented here is accurate and complete at the time of printing. However, by the time you apply, this information may change. Tuition amounts are formalized/confirmed annually by the end of June and the above-mentioned estimates are subject to change once the tuition levels have been confirmed.

Please visit [www.greatplainscollege.ca](http://www.greatplainscollege.ca) or email [international@greatplainscollege.ca](mailto:international@greatplainscollege.ca) for the latest details.



# Apply Today!

## WE CAN'T WAIT TO MEET YOU

Applications will be accepted from international students for these programs until May 31, 2022, for entry into programs starting in September 2022.

### HOW TO APPLY TO BE AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AT GREAT PLAINS COLLEGE

1

**Complete the online application** form at [www.greatplainscollege.ca/international/apply](http://www.greatplainscollege.ca/international/apply).

2

**Pay the \$125** non-refundable application fee via flywire.

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**Submit all official secondary and post-secondary transcripts** from your home country and from within Canada. Scanned copies of the documents are acceptable for admission purposes. However, an original copy will have to be presented upon your arrival to Great Plains College. If you need to order original documents, then you should have them sent directly to Great Plains College. All transcripts must be translated to English.

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**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 at Great Plains College. The college also accepts the Duolingo language assessment, although in certain streams of visa application it is not accepted so please check with IRCC. Please note that students requesting Language Assessment Waivers will be asked to complete the Duolingo.

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**If you need to contact the college or provide an address where transcripts can be sent see below:**

international@greatplainscollege.ca or mail to:  
Great Plains College International, c/o Kristy Sletten, Manager of Admissions and International  
Swift Current Campus - 129 2nd Ave. NE, Swift Current, SK S9H 2C6

### ACCEPTANCE PROCESS

- You will receive a message within three business days that will confirm the successful receipt of your information.
- Once your application and application fee have been received your application will be processed to determine your eligibility for the program.
- International students who meet the requirements of the program will be provided a written offer letter.
- Accompanying the offer letter will be a request for payment of the tuition deposit, equal to 50 per cent of the tuition amount\*, to successfully hold your seat in the program. Tuition deposits are required to be paid via flywire within 30 calendar days of the letter date.  
\* Study Direct student applicants must pay 100 per cent of tuition.
- A letter of acceptance will be provided upon receipt of the tuition payment.

### STUDY PERMITS AND CO-OP WORK PERMITS

- International students in Canada must apply for a Canadian study permit from the Canadian government in order to study at a post-secondary institution in Canada ([www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada.html](http://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada.html)).
- The official letter of acceptance provided by Great Plains College must accompany your application for a study permit to verify you plan on studying at a Designated Learning Institution in Canada. Great Plains College is a Designated Learning Institution (DLI Number 0214383061827).
- It is strongly recommended that you submit your study permit application at least three 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](http://www.cic.gc.ca).
- Please note that 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.
- Students must complete a practicum (Administrative Assistant, Youth Care Worker programs) or clinical placement (Continuing Care Assistant program) as part of the specific program requirements. In preparation for these, students should apply for a Co-op Work Permit at the time of their Study Permit application.

**For more information on Great Plains College International please contact:**

**Kristy Sletten, Manager of Admissions and International**

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