

Great Plains College - Saskatchewan, Canada

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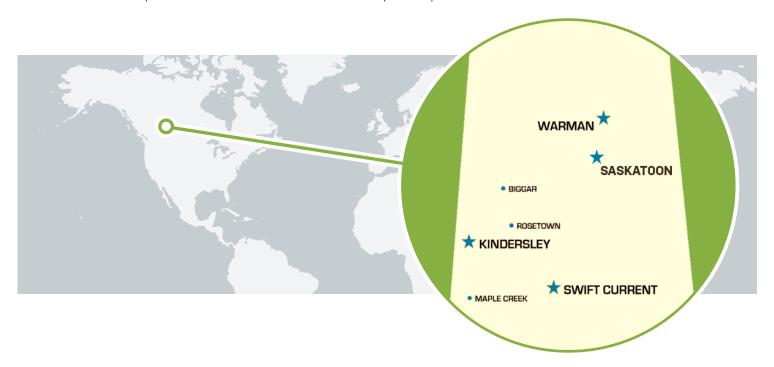
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### TO SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "LAND OF LIVING SKIES."

Located in western Canada, Saskatchewan is known for its magnificent sunsets, northern lights, sunshine, friendly people and 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 and Swift Current Campus locations.

**KINDERSLEY** (pop. 4,571) is the hub of the oil and gas industry in west-central Saskatchewan and hosts the fourday Goose Festival each September. In your spare time, watch junior hockey, or races at Flatlanders Speedway, enjoy the outdoor swimming pool and motocross track.

**WARMAN** (pop. 11,020) 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 20 minutes from Saskatoon, which is one of Saskatchewan's main cities. **SWIFT CURRENT** (pop. 16,604) is the main urban centre of southwest Saskatchewan. Cheer on the Western Hockey League's Broncos or the Western Major 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. You can also play volleyball for the college's varsity team, the SunDogs.

## Choose Great Plains College

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

International program options include: Business Certificate (Swift Current Campus & Warman Campus), Administrative Assistant (Swift Current Campus) and Continuing Care Assistant (Kindersley Campus).

## Pick a Program



### **ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT | SWIFT CURRENT**

1 YEAR CERTIFICATE | INTAKE: SEPTEMBER OR JANUARY
SEPTEMBER-MAY OR JANUARY-MAY AND SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER

This competency-based program allows you to work and learn at your own pace, while receiving practical and applied training in word processing, accounting, spreadsheets, database and Internet searches, office procedures, communications and business calculations.



### **BUSINESS CERTIFICATE | SWIFT CURRENT & WARMAN**

1 YEAR CERTIFICATE | INTAKE: SEPTEMBER SEPTEMBER-IUNE

As a business graduate, you have a wide array of career options including, but not limited to, work in the banking, accounting, human resources, insurance, investment or real estate sectors. You also may run your own business or pursue additional training for a career in management.



### **CONTINUING CARE ASSISTANT | KINDERSLEY**

1 YEAR CERTIFICATE | INTAKE: SEPTEMBER - APRIL

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.

# Program Details

PROGRAM	LENGTH	INTAKE DATE	ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS	APPROXIMATE TUITION AND FEES (CAD\$)	FEES
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 6.0 with minimum 5.5 in each component.	\$12,800	<ul> <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 Certificate	1 Year	September	As a business graduate, you have a wide array of career options including, but not limited to, work in the banking, accounting, human resources, insurance, investment or real estate sectors. You also may run your own business or pursue additional training for a career in management.	\$17,000	
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 6.0. provide a current criminal record check from the country of origin, all immunizations up to date.	\$17,000	

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. Please visit www.greatplainscollege.ca for the latest details.



### **WE CAN'T WAIT** TO MEET YOU

Applications will be accepted from international students for these programs until May 31, 2018, for entry into programs starting in September 2018.

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

- Complete the online application form at www.greatplainscollege.ca/international/apply.
- Pay the \$125 non-refundable application fee via flywire.
- 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.
- 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.

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**

- If your information is submitted via email 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.
- Please let GPC staff know if you plan to apply for a visa through the Study Direct Stream as this will impact your Offer Letter.
- 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.
- A letter of acceptance will be provided upon receipt of the tuition payment.

#### **STUDY PERMITS**

- International students in Canada must apply for a Canadian study permit from the Canadian embassy in order to study at a post-secondary institution in Canada (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.
- 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.

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

Kristy Sletten, Manager of Admissions and International Direct: +1-306-778-5460 | Email: international@greatplainscollege.ca









### **Great Plains College**International

**Mailing Address** 

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