

# Invested in your success

At Selkirk College, students come first. Whether you live on campus or in the community, we are committed to ensuring you have access to the support, information and tools you need.

## FINANCIAL AID FOR SELKIRK COLLEGE STUDENTS

Once you are a Selkirk College student, you can apply for a variety of financial aid options in each year of your studies. Find out more and apply at:

+ [selkirk.ca/financial-aid](http://selkirk.ca/financial-aid)



**\$425,000+**  
in scholarships & bursaries



is provided each year to  
**400+ Students**

## EXPERIENCE LIFE ON CAMPUS

Make student housing your home away from home. Study and socialize alongside a lively community of students with great access to college amenities. Explore opportunities in Castlegar and Nelson.

+ [selkirk.ca/student-housing](http://selkirk.ca/student-housing)

# What makes you unique?

What kind of career suits your personality? What are you passionate about? How do you want to make an impact on the world? What are your values, strengths and goals? Take a look and find your fit at Selkirk College.

**THE ARTS**

- Creative
- Independent
- Open to fresh ideas
- Curious, inquisitive
- Expressive

**HOSPITALITY & TOURISM**

- Adventurer
- Team player
- Cultural awareness
- Guest experience focused
- Multitasker

**UNIVERSITY ARTS & SCIENCES**

- Explores ideas
- Creative, analytical thinker
- Seeking understanding
- Writer and researcher
- Innovative

**ENVIRONMENT & GEOMATICS**

- Observer, critical thinker
- Problem solving
- Values the natural world
- Strong communicator
- Tech savvy

**INDUSTRY & TRADES TRAINING**

- Critical reasoning skills
- Strength, stamina
- Mechanical, tech ability
- Ability to plan, organize
- Builder

**HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES**

- Idealistic
- Generous
- Communicator
- Empathetic
- Courageous

**BUSINESS**

- A strong leader
- Unstoppable
- Motivated
- Adaptable
- Organized

You may fit in with more than one program. We can help you find your program and explore your career options. Contact us at [hello@selkirk.ca](mailto:hello@selkirk.ca)

Explore more: [selkirk.ca/selkirk-experience](http://selkirk.ca/selkirk-experience)



Free parking  
Except for Victoria Street Campus



Free Wi-Fi



Free fitness  
& recreation activities

# ACADEMIC UPGRADING

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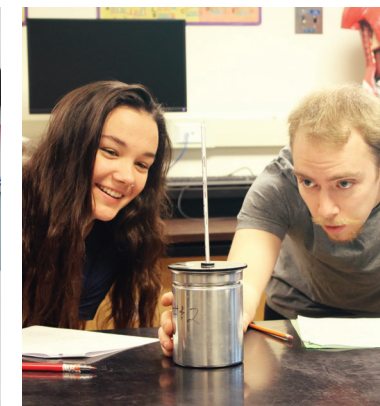
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# ACADEMIC UPGRADING

I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO **PURSU**E MY DREAMS.

Do you need prerequisite courses, better grades or improved learning skills? Academic Upgrading offers high school-level courses, pathways to high-demand careers and high school graduation. Tuition is free, and funding is available to cover all fees. + [selkirk.ca/academic-upgrading](https://selkirk.ca/academic-upgrading)

## LEARN IN A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT

Instructors are committed to your success. They will help you build a plan and achieve your goals. You'll have access to study space, learning support, technology and a vibrant community of learners.

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

Classes are offered in person at Castlegar, Grand Forks, Kaslo, Nakusp, Nelson, Trail and online. Get the courses you need, where and when you need them. Learn during the spring, fall or winter.



*Because Selkirk College was local, I knew it would be the best fit for me. It was entirely free to upgrade my prerequisite courses while working part time. I attended my classes online, it was flexible and life could still happen while I was in school."*

—Stevi Watson, Academic Upgrading

### Adult Upgrading Grant

This grant can cover student fees, books, supplies, applicable transportation and unsubsidized daycare costs. Don't miss this opportunity. Email [upgrading@selkirk.ca](mailto:upgrading@selkirk.ca) to get started today!

### BC Adult Graduation Diploma (Dogwood)

To be eligible to graduate with an Adult Dogwood, students 18 years of age or over must complete five courses. Courses and credits can be counted from post-secondary institutions, secondary schools and often from workplace or other learning establishments.

Upgrading instructors and college counsellors can help to determine which courses count toward the Adult Dogwood.

### COLLEGE SUCCESS

If you're heading to post-secondary classes for the first time or returning to school, you can take advantage of our free summer college success courses to get you ready. Courses include:

- Access to Trades Math
- College Success
- Math Refresher

### YOUR PATHWAY TO SUCCESS

Have you always wanted to be an engineer, nurse, health care assistant or computer designer? We have custom pathways to these and many more meaningful, in-demand careers.

Connect with a pathways coordinator to explore how we can help you get to where you'd like to go!

*"I was looking for a college that offered summer school so that I could take high school upgrading courses. I needed science courses as a prerequisite to get into University Arts & Sciences. I finished my associate degree at Selkirk College, and I am transferring into UBC to major in Computer Sciences."*

—Kai Sawamoto, Associate of Science graduate

### STUDY AREAS INCLUDE:

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Biology                     | Learning & College Success       |
| Chemistry                   | Mathematics                      |
| Computer Studies            | Physics                          |
| Education & Career Planning | Social Studies                   |
| English                     | Adult Dogwood Graduation Diploma |
| Indigenous Fine Arts        |                                  |