

Pop-In Drop-In: International Admissions

Q: What are the next steps after I get my visa?

A: Upload your visa to your OCAS account under "Offer Options" → "Visa received." Enter your UCI number and expiry date.

Q: Where and how do I upload supporting documents like a visa or study permit?

A: Use the same OCAS process as for the visa. For a study permit or co-op work permit, select the appropriate option and upload the document. If "Visa received" isn't visible, scroll down to "Documents" and click "Change" to upload.

Q: Do I need my study permit to register for classes?

A: Yes. You must have your study permit before registering. You only receive it upon arrival in Canada, so upload it immediately after landing.

Q: How long after uploading my study permit can I register?

Usually less than 24 hours during business days. If uploaded on a weekend or holiday, expect delays until staff return.

Q: Who do I contact for assistance due to visa delays?

Email international.admissions@canadorecollege.ca for general questions. For visa-specific inquiries, email international@canadorecollege.ca.

Q: If I become a permanent resident before or during my studies, can I be reclassified as a domestic student?

A: Yes, if you receive your COPR (Confirmation of Permanent Residence) by the 10th day of class. Submit the document for review. After that date, fees remain as international.

Q: What is the deadline to request a deferral?

A: December 20, as noted on your Letter of Acceptance (LOA).

Q: Is there a fee to defer admission?

A: No fee, but you must have paid at least the minimum deposit. Without it, you'll need to reapply for the next intake.

Q: Can I cancel or change a deferral request after submitting it?

A: Generally, no, as your seat is given to someone else. You can email admissions to check availability, but there's no guarantee.

Q10: How many times can I defer my admission?

A: Only once. After that, you must reapply.