

Post-Graduation Work Permit (PGWP) Overview Kathleen Cobb (RCIC #531193) Winter 2025

Brief Overview (not comprehensive)

Helpful Links

You are eligible for the PGWP if you:

WHO

Completed an NBCC program that was at least 8 months in length and

led to a diploma or certificate,

Maintained full-time status during each semester of your program

(some exceptions apply; see link),

Provide proof of language test results with a minimum score of CLB 5

in all four categories, and

Meet (or be exempt from) the field of study requirements.

Work in Canada after you graduate: Who can apply - Canada.ca

You can only receive a PGWP once in your life.

Current as of: January 30, 2025



WHERE	Apply online from inside or outside Canada. There are considerations associated with applying from outside of Canada (including work authorizations while waiting for a decision, ability to enter Canada, etc.).	My immigration or citizenship application - Canada.ca
HOW	Learn more about submitting your PGWP application through ongoing NBCC webinars (see the Brightspace Event Calendar) and available resources.	International Student Visas, permits, and immigration (nbcc.ca) Guide 5580 - Applying for a Work Permit - Student Guide - online application - Canada.ca

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