counsellor resource
2018 - 2019
Dear Counsellor,

I’d like to acknowledge the important role you have in helping students assess and evaluate their post-secondary options. To help make your job easier, this document contains information about how to connect with us, what’s new at UCalgary, a summary of admission requirements and our important dates and deadlines.

My team and I look forward to working with you in the upcoming year.

Best Regards,
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dates and deadlines

2018
September 29  Open House
October 1     Fall 2019 undergraduate applications open
October 1     Fall 2019 undergraduate awards applications open (as soon as students apply for admissions, they can apply for awards!)
November 15   Estimated date for first round of offers of admission
December 10   Application for residence opens. High school applicants who apply for residence by May 1, 2019 are guaranteed a home on-campus for two years. Students can apply to residence as soon as they apply for admission.

2019
January 15    Initial transcript deadline for prestige award applicants
March 1       Fall 2019 admission application deadline
March 1       High school awards application deadline
March 15      Initial transcript and supporting documents required for admission (high school and transfer applicants)
May 1         Initial deadline to accept an offer and pay admission deposit
May 1         Deadline to apply for a guaranteed room in residence
June 1        Final transcript deadline for transfer applicants
August 1      Final transcript deadline for high school applicants

what’s new

Engineering
Schulich School of Engineering now offers guaranteed admission into a student’s preferred major in their second year for all students who are admitted with at least 90% admission average or higher.
This offer is conditional to the student maintaining a 2.7/4.0 GPA in their first year.

THE FOLLOWING UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS HAVE CHANGED THEIR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE FALL 2019 INTAKE:

Earth Science
• English
• Mathematics 30-1
• Chemistry
• Two approved senior level courses of which one may be an approved option.
Note: a grade of at least 70% in Mathematics is a prerequisite for most first-year math courses

Economics, Geography (BA, BSc), Psychology (BSc)
• English
• Mathematics 30-1
• Three approved senior level courses of which one may be an approved option.
A grade of at least 70% in Mathematics is a prerequisite for most first-year math courses
Psychology (BSc): while not required for admission, Biology and Chemistry are required to complete program requirements

Psychology (BA)
• English
• Mathematics 30-1 or 30-2
• Three approved senior level courses of which one may be an approved option.
To see admission requirements for all our programs, visit: ucalgary.ca/registrar/requirements.

save the date

2018
September 20  Calgary Counsellor Update
September 29  Open House
October 18     Scholarship Information Session
November 8    Application Workshop
November 28   Scholarship Information Session
November 15   Indigenous U
December 10   Application Workshop
April 27      You at UCalgary

Tours
Tours are available on a weekly basis. We also offer tours on Saturday once a month. For tour dates and times, visit ucalgary.ca/future-students/undergraduate/tours-events.

Events
Recruitment events happen throughout the year. For more information, visit ucalgary.ca/future-students/undergraduate/tours-events.
MacEwan Student Centre is a hub for social activity and home to many services, including a medical centre and 20+ food outlets.

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Student's can customize their education by selecting a degree program, as well as a major and a minor. A major is their main specialization and a minor is their secondary one (minors are not selected until after their first year of study). Each degree program has specific admission requirements. High school applicants need to present their high school diploma and 325 credits.

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Visit ucalgary.ca/future-students/undergraduate/explore-programs to explore program possibilities.
The early admission average will be calculated on grades from 20-level courses (or equivalent). If grades for 30-level (or equivalent) courses are available, they’ll be used to calculate the average.

Mathematics 30-1 (A grade of at least 70% is required for admission)
## Admission Requirements (continued)

### Faculty of Kinesiology

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<td>• English Language Arts 30-I</td>
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<td>• Mathematics 30-I (a grade of at least 70% is required for admission to Biomechanics and Exercise Health)</td>
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<td>• Physics 30</td>
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<td>• One approved course or option at the 30 level</td>
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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, Biology and Chemistry

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, One of Mathematics (HL or SL) or Mathematical Studies SL, or Further Math SL (a grade of at least 70% is required for admission), Chemistry (HL or SL), Biology (HL or SL), One approved course

**Notes**: Biomechanics: Mathematics 31 is required and Physics 30 is recommended.

### Faculty of Nursing

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<td>• English Language Arts 30-I</td>
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<td>• Chemistry 30</td>
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<td>• Biology 30</td>
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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, Biology and Chemistry

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, One of Mathematics (HL or SL) or Mathematical Studies SL, or Further Math SL, Chemistry (HL or SL), Biology (HL or SL), One approved course

**Notes**: Mathematics 30-2 is preferred

### Faculty of Science

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<td>• English Language Arts 30-I</td>
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<td>• Two of Biology, Chemistry or Physics at the 30 level, Mathematics 31, CTS Computer Science Advanced</td>
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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, two of Biology, Chemistry and Physics

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, One of Mathematics (HL or SL) or Mathematical Studies SL, or Further Math SL, Two of Biology (HL or SL), Chemistry (HL or SL), Physics (HL or SL), One approved course

**Notes**: Students are encouraged to take high school courses related to their intended major

### Schulich School of Engineering

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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, Mathematics (HL or SL), Chemistry (HL or SL), Physics (HL or SL), One approved course

**Notes**: If Mathematics 31 wasn’t attempted, the final admission average will be minimum of 5% higher. Mathematics 31 will be replaced with another approved course.

### Werklund School of Education

**On Campus**

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<td>• One of Science 30, Biology 30, Chemistry 30 or Physics 30</td>
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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, one of Science, Biology, Chemistry or Physics and one approved course or option

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, One of Mathematics (HL or SL) or Mathematical Studies SL, or Further Math SL, Two of Biology (HL or SL), Chemistry (HL or SL), Physics (HL or SL), One approved course

**Notes**: Preference for admission will be given to students from rural communities for the community-based program

**Community-Based**

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**Early Admission Basis**: English, Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics

**International Baccalaureate**: English A Lit or Language (HL or SL) or English BHL, Mathematics (HL or SL), Chemistry (HL or SL), Physics (HL or SL), History (HL or SL)

**Notes**: Additional courses may be required to meet prerequisites for first year courses.

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1. The early admission average will be calculated on grades from 20-level courses (or equivalent). If grades for 30-level (or equivalent) courses are available, they’ll be used to calculate the average.
2. A grade of at least 70% in Mathematics 30-I is required of at least 4 in IB Mathematics (HL or SL) or Mathematical Studies SL, or Further Math SL is a pre-requisite for first-year mathematics courses.
3. Additional courses may be required to meet prerequisites for first year courses.
4. Mathematics 20-1 or 20-2
5. A completed IB diploma with at least three higher level courses and no individual score below 4.
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENT
English is the official language of instruction at the University of Calgary. All applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency to be considered for admission to an undergraduate program. Details about our English language proficiency requirements can be found at ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/a-11.

INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATIONS PROGRAM
Academically qualified applicants who don’t meet our English language proficiency requirements may apply to the International Foundations Program (IFP). For more details about this program, visit ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/r.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TESTS

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<th>Test</th>
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<td>CAEL (Canadian Academic English Language)</td>
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<td>Cambridge English: Advanced (CAE)</td>
<td>180</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cambridge English: Proficiency (CPE)</td>
<td>180</td>
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<td>IELTS (International English Language Testing System)</td>
<td>6.5</td>
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<td>TOEFL – Internet-based (IBT)*</td>
<td>85</td>
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<td>MELAB (Michigan English Language Assessment Battery)</td>
<td>60</td>
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<td>PET Academic (Pre university Test of English Academic)</td>
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* Our school code for the TOEFL is 0813 and the department code is 05.

Nursing programs require a TOEFL score of 82 (with a minimum of 23 in each sub-score) or an IELTS score of 7.0 (with no bands below a 7.0). Education programs require a TOEFL score of 100 (with a minimum of 27 in each sub-score) or an IELTS score of 8.0 (with no bands below a 7.0).

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
- Nursing programs: ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/a-11
- Education programs: ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/r

COST ESTIMATOR
Student’s can plan their expenses with our online cost estimator by visiting ucalgary.ca/registrar/cost-estimator.

APPROXIMATE COSTS FOR ONE ACADEMIC YEAR

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<th>REQUIRED COSTS</th>
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<td>Tuition (10 courses)</td>
<td>$5,386</td>
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<td>General fees (includes transit pass, health plan, and dental plan)</td>
<td>$1524*</td>
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<td>Approximate required costs</td>
<td>$6,910</td>
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<td>Additional costs</td>
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<td>Books and supplies (two terms)</td>
<td>$2,000-$3,000</td>
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<td>Living Expenses and Spending Money</td>
<td>$2,000-$4,000</td>
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<td>On-campus housing</td>
<td>$7,306-$11,145</td>
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<tr>
<td>Off-campus housing (shared room with All You Can Eat meal plan)</td>
<td>$6,200-$8,500</td>
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* Tuition costs are approximate based on a course load of 10 classes (30 credits) over eight months (two terms). Fees include the international student differential, are based on the 2018-2019 academic year and are subject to change.

**Full fee information is available at ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/p-1-1.**

Exchange rate may vary. Actual amount depends on the exchange rate at the time of payment.