



Laurentian University Institutional Factsheet

2021-2022

Institutional Information

Name of the institution	Laurentian University / Université Laurentienne
Postal address	935 Ramsey Lake Road Sudbury Ontario P3E 2C6
Language of programs	We are a bilingual university offering a variety of courses in both English and French. Please consult the Laurentian university website to explore program options https://laurentian.ca/undergraduate-programs
Institution website	www.laurentian.ca or www.laurentienne.ca
Online course catalogue	www.webadvisor.laurentian.ca

Main Contacts

Contact person	Melissa Ouimette
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Contact person	Tamara McLoughlin
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Important Dates

Academic Semesters

Fall Semester (including exams)	September - December
Winter Semester (including exams)	January - April

For details on all important dates, including start and end dates, exam schedules etc., please visit

www.laurentian.ca/important-dates.



Application Deadlines

Applications for interested students must reach our institution by:

1st Semester (September to December)	April 1 st
2nd Semester (January to April)	October 1 st

Language Proficiency Requirements

For all incoming exchange students, we require a sufficient level of proficiency in the language of study (being English or French). We ask students to provide proof of language proficiency by a professional language instructor to attest to their language competencies or by submitting an official language test score.

Orientation

For more information on Orientation, events visit www.laurentian.ca/orientation.

Arrival Information

Email international@laurentian.ca for updated arrival information for the Fall and Winter academic semesters.

Immigration Documents

Most international students will require a study permit and a visitor visa or eTA in order to enter Canada. International exchange students who will be attending Laurentian University for a short-term program of up to 6 months in duration do not require a study permit. You may want to consider applying for a study permit if you want to work on or off-campus. You may be able to work but only if you have a study permit and are following the conditions of the study permit. You will need to include a letter of explanation to clarify why you are applying for a study permit for one semester when you apply.

Study in Canada as an International Student; Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada Website:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada.html>

Contact person	Troy Boyer, RISIA
Role	Coordinator, International Student Services Regulated International Student Immigration Advisor
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University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP)

Our institution requires all foreign students to purchase the **MANDATORY** University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP). There are no exceptions. For more information, please explore the UHIP webpage:

<http://uhip.ca/your-coverage.aspx>

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Housing and Residence

To learn more about Laurentian University Residence on-campus accommodations, please visit <https://laurentian.ca/accommodations>. Note that students are responsible for finding accommodations off-campus.

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Role	Residence Coordinator
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Accessibility Requirements

Our institution has the infrastructure to welcome students and staff with accessibility requirements. Please contact Accessibility Services at accessibilityservicesinfo@laurentian.ca to learn more about their services or by visiting the following link:

<https://laurentian.ca/accessibility-services>

Official Transcript

Exchange students can contact transcript@laurentian.ca to request an official transcript of their studies at Laurentian University to be sent to their home institution. Students should identify as Exchange participants and will be issued one complimentary transcript.

Credit Value & Grading System

For one semester of full-time studies, students would be encouraged to take up to 5 courses equaling 15 credits in total (the equivalent of 30 ECTS credits). For two semesters of full-time studies, students would be encouraged to take up to 10 courses equaling 30 credits (the equivalent of 60 ECTS credits).

Grading Scale

90% - 100%	A+	=	10	Exceptional
85% - 89%	A	=	9	Outstanding
80% - 84%	A -	=	8	Excellent
75% - 79%	B+	=	7	Very Good
70% - 74%	B	=	6	Good
65% - 69%	C+	=	5	Satisfactory
60% - 64%	C	=	4	Adequate
55% - 59%	D+	=	3	Passable
50% - 54%	D	=	2	Marginal
40% - 49%	E	=	1	Failure
0% - 39%	F	=	0	Failure



Student Life

To learn more about the exciting student life here at Laurentian please feel free to explore:

- [The Laurentian University Website](#)
- [Student General Association](#)
- [Association des étudiantes et étudiants francophones \(AEF\)](#)
- [Laurentian University Social Media page](#)