

ONE post-graduation work permit in their lifetime.

You must meet ALL of the following requirements to be eligible to apply for the PGW (Refer to [Eligibility criteria](#)).

- Must have completed a study program that was
  - o at least 8 months long and
  - o that led to a degree, diploma, or certificate.
- Must have maintained full-time study load in every semester (excluding scheduled breaks). There are exceptions for:
  - o Final academic semester: You can find details about taking part-time studies in your final academic semester [here](#).
  - o Authorized Leave of Absence: If you took an authorized leave of absence during studies, then it should be less than 150 days. We would also recommend speaking to one of the advisors at Camosun International before submitting your application. For more information about authorized leave of absence, please visit the [IRCC website](#).
- Must apply for a PGW within 180 days





## Other Supporting Documents for PGWP

- F Application to Change Conditions, Extend My Stay or Remain in Canada as a Worker ([IMM 5710](#))
- F Scanned copy of your Passport
- F Digital Photo(if requested)
- F Proof of Upfront Medical Examination (If requested if you are planning to work

## How much of Your Online Studies Count toward a PGWP

### F Studies Outside Canada

All of the time you spent studying online at a PGWP-eligible DLI from outside Canada between March 2020 and August 31, 2022, counts toward the length of a PGWP. This policy was updated as of September 1, 2022.

[Find out if these changes affect you and how.](#)

### F Studies inside Canada

Until August 31, 2022

Please note In accordance with the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act and Regulations, the information in this document has been reviewed and approved by Regulated International Student Immigration Advisors (RISIAs). However, this is not an official document and information may change without notification. [Please make sure that you refer to Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada \(IRCC\)](#) for the most upto-date information.

## PostGraduation Work Permit (PGWP) FAQs

### Q. Am I eligible to apply for PGWP?

You can apply for PGWP if you were a ~~full~~ full-time student at Camosun and completed a certificate, diploma or degree which was 8 months or longer. See the IRCC's PGWP eligibility criteria [here](#).

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