Canadian Federal EE (Express Entry) program

The Government of Canada selects skilled workers based on their skills and ability to contribute to the Canadian economy.　Express Entry is an online immigration application system implemented since January 1, 2015. Applicants who meet any of the following immigration application conditions can enter the EE candidate pool.　In the EE candidate pool, they will be scored according to the CRS scoring standard. Applicants who meet the minimum invitation score can obtain an invitation ITA from USCIS and submit a PR visa application after receiving the ITA.

There are three immigration programs	1. **Canadian Experience Class Immigrant (CEC)** It is for skilled workers with Canadian work experience who want to become permanent residents.	2. **Canadian Federal Skilled Worker Immigrant (FSW)** The program is for skilled workers with foreign work experience who wish to permanently immigrate to Canada.	3. **Canadian Federal Skilled Trades Immigration (FST)** The Federal Skilled Trades Program is available to skilled workers who wish to become permanent residents based on skilled trades qualifications.
Language Test English：CELPIP / IELTS French：TEF / TCF - Writing - Reading - Listening - Speaking	- For NOC 0 or Class A jobs, the language level of CLB 7 is required - For NOC type B jobs, a language level of CLB 5 is required	- The language level of CLB 7 or above, - For IELTS, it means a score of 6 or above in both listening, speaking, reading and writing	- Have achieved CLBCLB level 5 in speaking and listening, - Achieve CLB level 4 in reading and writing
Your language test is valid for 2 years after the test result date.　They must be valid on the date of your application for permanent residence.			
Education	There are no educational requirements for the Canadian Experience class. If so, you can improve your ranking in the Fast track pool.	If you attended school in Canada, you must have a certificate, diploma or degree issued by a Canadian: - Secondary institution (high school) or - Colleges and universities If you are studying abroad you must have: - A complete certificate, as well - Educational Certificate Assessment (ECA) for immigration purposes, the same as a full	The federal technology Industry program has no education requirements. If so, you can improve your ranking in the Fast track pool.

		certificate, diploma or degree from Canada: ○ Secondary institution (high school) or ○Colleges and universities	
Proof of funds		Capital required for 1 person $13,757 (Canadian Dollar) Unless (without proof) conditions ● Currently able to work legally in Canada, and ● Having a valid job offer from a Canadian employer	Capital required for 1 person $13,757 (Canadian Dollar) Unless (without proof) conditions ● Currently able to work legally in Canada, and ● Having a valid job offer from a Canadian employer
Work experience	At least 1 year of skilled work experience in Canada in the last 3 years prior to application (1 year 1,560 hours full-time) You can meet this requirement in a few different ways: ● **Working in a job full-time**: 30 hours per week for 12 months = 1 year full-time (1,560 hours) ● **Equivalent amount of part-time work:** e.g. 24 months, 15 hours per week = 1 year full time (1,560 hours) ● The work is TEER 0/1/2/3, and the work experience must be authorized and recognized by relevant Canadian institutions. The work experience obtained during self-employment or full-time study is not recognized;	● One year of continuous paid work experience in NOC 0, A or B category in the past 10 years ● At least continuous work (full time, equal part time, multiple full time) = 1,560 hours in a year	● At least 2 years of full-time work experience (or an equivalent amount of part-time work experience) in the technology industry within the 5 years prior to your application ● Meet the requirements of work in technical industries specified in the national occupational classification, except for the need for a qualification certificate ● Have a valid job offer with a full-time job for at least 1 year, or ● A certificate of qualification in this technology industry issued by a Canadian provincial, territorial or federal authority ● Work experience counts only after you are qualified to work

			independently in that occupation.
Factor of choice		Canadian Federal skilled Worker immigration scoring standard, pass score 67 points	
Application approval time	4 months	26 months	Indefinite

Cost	Canadian dollar.
Your Application Handling fee (US $850) and permanent residency fee (US $515)	1,365
Your application (no permanent residence fee)	850
Including your spouse or mate Handling fee (US $850) and permanent residency fee (US $515)	1,365
Including your spouse or mate (no permanent residency fees)	850
Including a dependent child	230 （Per child）
Once you receive the invitation to apply Your Fast Track invitation is only valid for 60 days. You should start filling out the online form immediately so that you can get all the information and documents you need before the invitation expires.	
Processing time: varies from program to program	

National Occupational Classification

The National Occupational Classification of Canada (NOC) is the standard by which all Canadian occupations are classified and is the only designated reference for Immigration and Immigration authorities when reviewing an applicant's occupational category. From November 16, 2022, the 2021 version of NOC system will be launched in Canada. The original 0ABCD level division will be replaced by TEER 0-5 (Training, Education, Experience and Responsibilities). The first digit of TEER represents occupational classification, and the second digit represents level classification. The specific correspondence is as follows:

Skill Level 0 – TEER 0

Skill Level A – TEER 1 and TEER 2

Skill Level B – TEER 3

Skill Level C – TEER 4

Skill Level D – TEER 5

Job requirements and examples

The 5-digit NOC code (TEER) directly reflects the classification level, specifically:

TEER 0：Management, such as advertising, marketing executive.

TEER 1：A position with a university degree, such as a financial consultant or a software engineer.

TEER 2：College graduate or 2 years or ABOVE apprenticeship training, or supervisory position, e.g. computer network technician, medical laboratory technician.

TEER 3：College graduate or less than 2 years of apprenticeship training or more than 6 months of on-the-job training, e.g. bakers, dental assistants.

TEER 4：High school graduation, or several weeks of on-the-job training, such as in-home child care providers, retail salespeople, and visual displays.

TEER 5：Short-term training is sufficient without formal education, such as landscaping and ground maintenance workers, delivery service drivers and home delivery dealers.

Application Process:

1. Register on the EE Express Canada website to create a personal online account;
2. Fill in the online evaluation form to evaluate the basic information of the individual and check whether it meets the application requirements;
3. Prepare necessary materials, including but not limited to proof of language scores, academic qualifications, work experience, financial certificates, etc.;
4. Submit the online application and pay the relevant application fees;
5. Waiting for the Canadian immigration invitation letter, if in line with the Canadian federal experience immigration program score requirements, Canadian immigration will reach the scoring criteria of the applicant to issue an invitation letter;
6. After receiving the invitation letter, the applicant should complete all the application procedures required by Immigration Canada and formally submit the application within 60 days.

The most complete application with all supporting documents will be processed in 6 months or less.

The following documents are required to apply for the Canadian Federal Skilled Worker Program:

1. Proof of language proficiency: Applicants need to take the specified language test (such as IELTS or CELPIP) and obtain the required score;

2. Education certificate and academic certificate: the applicant's academic certificate (such as graduation certificate or degree certificate) and transcript are required;

3. Proof of work experience: you need to provide proof of work experience related to your chosen occupation, such as recommendation letters or work certificates, etc.

4. Identification and passport: the applicant's identification and passport are required;

5. Proof of rights and interests: if any, it is necessary to provide the marriage certificate or marital relationship certificate of the married applicant;

6. Employer employment proof (if any) : If the applicant has a Canadian employer who has hired them, the applicant needs to provide the job offer made by the employer and the employment proof;

7. Medical certificate;

8. No criminal record.

The following documents are required to apply for the Canadian Experience Class Immigrant:

1. Proof of language proficiency: Applicants need to take the specified language test (such as IELTS or CELPIP) and obtain the required score;

2. Education certificate and academic certificate: the applicant's academic certificate (such as graduation certificate or degree certificate) and transcript are required;

3. Proof of work experience: you need to provide proof of work experience related to your chosen occupation, such as recommendation letters or work certificates, etc.

4. Identification and passport: the applicant's identification and passport are required;

5. Proof of rights and interests: if any, it is necessary to provide the marriage certificate or marital relationship certificate of the married applicant;

6. Employer employment proof (if any) : If the applicant has a Canadian employer who has hired them, the applicant needs to provide the job offer made by the employer and the employment proof;

7. Proof of funds;

8. Medical certificate;

9. No criminal record.

The documents required to apply for the Canadian Federal Skilled Trades Program are as follows:

1. Proof of language proficiency: Applicants need to take the specified language test (such as IELTS or CELPIP) and obtain the required score;

2. Education certificate and academic certificate: the applicant's academic certificate (such as graduation certificate or degree certificate) and transcript are required;

3. Proof of work experience: you need to provide proof of work experience related to your chosen occupation, such as recommendation letters or work certificates, etc.

4. Identification and passport: the applicant's identification and passport are required;

5. Proof of rights and interests: if any, it is necessary to provide the marriage certificate or marital relationship certificate of the married applicant;

6. Email: The applicant's email address, telephone number and other contact information should be provided;

7. Proof of funds;

8. Medical certificate;

9. No criminal record.

These are the documents required to apply for Canada Express Entry in general. The documents required may vary depending on the circumstances of the applicant. It is recommended that the applicant follow the instructions of the immigration department or immigration lawyer/consultant to prepare the application materials. It is also worth noting that in addition to these basic application materials, each province may have its own additional application requirements. It is recommended to read the application requirements of the local immigration department carefully before preparing the materials.