

2022-2023

Social Work

Program Overview

NorQuest College offers an approved and accredited two-year full-time Social Work diploma program with a multicultural focus. The program's mission is to teach students the value of human diversity in the context of Indigenous and multicultural knowledge and practice within an anti-oppressive and ethical framework that is supportive and empowering.

Career Potential

Graduates are employed in government and non-governmental settings in areas such as child and youth protection, addictions counseling, family support, and other related helping disciplines. Graduates can pursue careers that deal directly and indirectly with child neglect, foster care, juvenile offenders, family conflict and individual emotional problems, and may expect to work with individuals, families, groups, and communities.

Admission Requirements

- Language Arts – this requirement can be met with any of the following, or an equivalent course:
 - 60% in English Language Arts 30-1
 - 60% in [ESLG 1860](#)
- Documentary evidence of having completed at least 100 voluntary and/or paid work hours in the human services field.

ELP Requirements

You must provide proof of ELP prior to admission. ELP test results must have been obtained within two years of the start date of your program.

Acceptable evidence of ELP may be one of the following test scores:

- IELTS Academic: 6.5; no section score below 6
- TOEFL iBT: 84; no section score below 21
- Cambridge English Language Assessment: 180; no section score below 165
- CAEL: 70; no section score below 70
- PTE Academic: 59; no section score below 56
- Duolingo: 115
- minimum of:
 - 80% in [ESLS 8000](#) or [ESLS 8100](#), and 80% in [ESLW 8000](#) or [ESLW 8100](#); or
 - 50% in [ESLG 1898](#) and [ESLG 1899](#)
 - 50% in [ESLG 1860](#) and [ESLG 1861](#)

Quick Facts

Credential: Diploma

Length: 6 terms

Deliveries:

[SEPTEMBER](#)

Edmonton

FT In person

Tuition and Fees

Canadian Students

Total tuition: \$13,765.44

Total fees: \$3,005.00

International Students

Total tuition: \$41,602.08

Total fees: \$3,005.00