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## **Post-Secondary International Student Orientation Handbook**

This handbook will help you get the most out of your time in Manitoba. It contains a variety of information that will help you adapt to your new classrooms and community in Manitoba. It contains valuable information on Manitoba's education system, student life, culture, as well as tips to help you adjust to life in Manitoba. <a href="http://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/pdf/ps\_handbook.pdf">http://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/pdf/ps\_handbook.pdf</a>

Province of Manitoba International Education Branch: <a href="https://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/">https://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/</a>

The International Education Act: <a href="http://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/about/legislation.html">http://www.gov.mb.ca/ie/about/legislation.html</a>

#### Planning to work in Manitoba, Canada? An Essential Workbook for Newcomers

Immigration, Refugees, & Citizenship Canada has developed a workbook aimed at helping newcomers to Canada adjust to life in Manitoba. <a href="http://www.immigratemanitoba.com/wp-content/uploads/manitoba-canada-immigration-cic-mpnp-workbook.pdf">http://www.immigratemanitoba.com/wp-content/uploads/manitoba-canada-immigration-cic-mpnp-workbook.pdf</a>

#### **Guard.Me Health Insurance**

All international students in the program are covered under a mandatory Guard.me health insurance plan. Students do not need to purchase additional travel insurance. Please read the coverage and claims details at: <a href="https://www.guard.me">www.guard.me</a>

### **Citizenship and Immigration Canada**

Students can apply for a study permit online and organize all of their application information. This needs to be completed outside of Canada and before a student comes to Canada. <a href="http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/e-services/index.asp">http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/e-services/index.asp</a>

Police Record Check: http://www.winnipeg.ca/police/pr/pic.stm

Child Abuse Registry: <a href="https://www.gov.mb.ca/fs/childfam/child\_abuse\_registry.html">https://www.gov.mb.ca/fs/childfam/child\_abuse\_registry.html</a>

**Social Insurance Numbers:** <a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/services/sin.html?utm\_campaign=not-applicable&utm\_medium=vanity-url&utm\_source=canada-ca\_social-insurance-number">https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/services/sin.html?utm\_campaign=not-applicable&utm\_medium=vanity-url&utm\_source=canada-ca\_social-insurance-number</a>



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#### **Study Permit Extension Application**

Students can also apply online to extend their study permits. If they wish to extend their permit, they should apply before their current permit expires.

www.cic.gc.ca/english/information/applications/extend-student.asp

### **Living in Manitoba**

A Government of Manitoba website where students, their parents and adults can go to find information about living in Manitoba. It includes useful information on climate, education and Canadian culture. <a href="https://www.immigratemanitoba.com">www.immigratemanitoba.com</a>

### **City of Winnipeg**

A municipal government website providing information about events, places to visit and other items of interest for people living in or visiting Winnipeg. <a href="http://www.winnipeg.ca/interhom/">http://www.winnipeg.ca/interhom/</a>

## Winnipeg Transit

Find out about bus passes, including costs and where to purchase them, bus schedules and search bus routes. www.winnipegtransit.com

## Winnipeg Weather

The Government of Canada website for current weather, forecasts and historical weather information. <a href="http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/mb-38\_metric\_e.html">http://weather.gc.ca/city/pages/mb-38\_metric\_e.html</a>

## **Tourism Winnipeg**

Find out about things to do in Winnipeg, including places to eat, events to watch, activities to enjoy and more. <a href="https://www.tourismwinnipeg.com/">https://www.tourismwinnipeg.com/</a>

#### **Travel Manitoba**

Explore Manitoba, find out about the places to visit, cultural events and activities happing in the Province. <a href="https://www.travelmanitoba.com/#/gallery/recent">https://www.travelmanitoba.com/#/gallery/recent</a>