

# CANADA

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PROGRAM	<a href="#">McGill University</a>	<a href="#">University of British Columbia (UBC)</a>
<b>HIGHLIGHTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• McGill University is one of Canada's most prestigious universities and offers a wide variety of courses all taught in English.</li> <li>• The university is located in Montreal, rated as the best student city in Canada and a bilingual (French/English) city located within the francophone province of Quebec.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The University of British Columbia (UBC) is a global center for research and teaching and is consistently ranked among the 40 best universities in the world.</li> <li>• UBC's Vancouver campus is located on the western tip of the Point Grey Peninsula, bordered on three sides by forest and one side by ocean. The campus is about a 30-minute bus ride from downtown Vancouver.</li> </ul>
<b>ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3.00 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure</li> <li>• Junior, Senior, or Graduate standing by departure</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3.00 cumulative GPA at the time of application and maintained through departure</li> <li>• Junior, Senior, or Graduate standing by departure</li> </ul>
<b>WHEN</b>	Fall: early September - late December Spring: early January - late April Year: early September - late April	Fall: early September - early December Spring: early January - late April Year: early September - late April
<b>COURSEWORK</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Courses are available in the Faculty of Arts, Faculty of Education, Schulich School of Music, Faculty of Religious Studies, Faculty of Science, and Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences.</li> <li>• French language study is optional.</li> <li>• Students take a minimum of 4 courses per term, each worth 6 UC quarter units (minimum 24 units per term).</li> </ul>	Courses are available in most academic disciplines.  During the fall term only, qualified Biology majors have the opportunity to take upper-division marine science courses at the Bamfield Marine Sciences Centre (BMSC), a unique research and teaching facility on the west coast of Vancouver Island.  Students take 4 courses per term, each worth 6 UC quarter units (minimum 24 units per term).
<b>HOUSING</b>	Off-campus apartments and shared houses in the Montreal area. McGill University has several resources to help you research and arrange your housing.	University-managed housing or private apartments near campus. Spaces in university housing are limited. UBC can provide assistance to students who wish to find housing off-campus.
<b>COST</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall: \$17,000*</li> <li>• Spring: \$16,850**</li> <li>• Year: \$32,000*</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall: \$15,850*</li> <li>• Spring: \$17,050**</li> <li>• Year: \$30,200*</li> </ul>
<b>APPLICATION DEADLINE</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall &amp; Year: <b>February 15, 2024</b></li> <li>• Spring: <b>August 1, 2024</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fall &amp; Year: <b>February 15, 2024</b></li> <li>• Spring: <b>August 1, 2024</b></li> </ul>

## COST COMPARISON

Estimated Yearly Totals	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul
<b>UCSB Year</b> \$37,710			UCSB Year (\$37,710) <sup>†</sup>									
<b>Option 1</b> \$42,140		McGill Fall (\$17,000* / 24 UC qtr units)				UCSB Winter (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>		UCSB Spring (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>				
<b>Option 2</b> \$29,420		UCSB Fall (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>				McGill Spring (\$16,850* / 24 UC qtr units)						
<b>Option 3</b> \$32,000		McGill Year (\$32,000* / 48 UC qtr units)										
<b>Option 4</b> \$40,990		UBC Fall (\$15,850* / 24 UC qtr units)				UCSB Winter (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>		UCSB Spring (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>				
<b>Option 5</b> \$29,620		UCSB Fall (\$12,570) <sup>†</sup>				UBC Spring (\$17,050* / 24 UC qtr units)						
<b>Option 6</b> \$30,200		UBC Year (\$30,200* / 48 UC qtr units)										

<sup>†</sup>Based on the UCSB Financial Aid Office 2023-24 cost of attendance for undergraduate California residents living off-campus who entered UC fall '22 (other students must determine their costs based on the [cohort-based tuition](#) for the year they entered UC).

\*Estimates based on UCEAP 2023-24 costs include: UC tuition, program fees, pre-departure expenses (visa, etc.), UCEAP Travel Insurance, round trip airfare, room & board, books, and other incidental expenses. Fees listed are estimates and are subject to change.

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Not included: Non-Resident Fees; \$363/quarter UC Student Health Insurance Plan (UCSHIP) if you have UCSHIP at UCSB. Fees listed are estimates and are subject to change.