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ABOUT STENBERG COLLEGE

For over 29 years, Stenberg College has specialized and excelled in health care and human services education. Our main campus is located in Surrey, British Columbia, Canada, a suburb of Vancouver and BC’s second largest municipality.

We are accredited by the BC government’s Ministry of Advanced Education through the Private Training Institutions branch (PTIB). PTIB is responsible for setting standards of quality and ensuring consumer protection. Stenberg College has also received the BC government’s Education Quality Assurance (EQA) designation, which is BC’s brand or “seal” of quality post-secondary education for public and private institutions.

All our programs are developed in collaboration with industry to meet their needs, which is why our graduates are so successful.

We are a proudly Canadian educational institution with an exceptional reputation and an unparalleled commitment to our students and their success.

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Un monde de possibilités





## Business Diploma – Marketing Specialization with Co-op

**Delivery Method:** In-class

### Options and Duration:

- Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization without Co-op – 51 weeks
- Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization with Co-op – 73 weeks including 22 weeks of co-op
- Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization International without Co-op – 63 weeks
- Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization International with Co-op— 85 weeks including 22 weeks of co-op

**Starts:** January, April, July and October

**Credential:** Diploma

**Wages:** \$15 – \$20/hour

### OVERVIEW

This program will prepare you for various careers in business and management by providing practical skills and knowledge. You will develop a strong foundation in business communication (written and verbal), business math, sales and marketing. Additionally, you will learn about various specializations within the field of marketing, such as digital marketing, event management, advertising, public relations, budgeting and analytics. This program will strengthen your interpersonal skills and help you integrate seamlessly in a diverse workplace.

Students will demonstrate the knowledge base, skills and attitudes consistent with industry expectations for entry-level employment.

### ARTICULATION (Credit Transfer)

Graduates are granted transfer credits toward BCIT's Business Management Advanced Diploma. Upon completion they can continue to BCIT's Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA).



Graduates are also granted 30 transfer credits to complete their Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA), BBA General and/or with one of four (Accounting, Supply Chain Management, Project Management, Energy Management) specializations at Yorkville University.



### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

#### Pre-requisites:

- Grade 12 graduation or mature student status
- English 11 (minimum grade C) or language requirements met as per the Stenberg College Language Proficiency Requirements document if English is a second language
- Completion of 'Program & Career Outcomes' form

#### Language Proficiency Requirements:

##### Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization:

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 6.0 with no component less than 5.5 (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

##### Business Diploma - Marketing Specialization International:

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 5.5 with no component less than 5.0 (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

\*Must be within the last 2 years



# Early Childhood Education Certificate Program with Co-op

**Delivery Method:**

- Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate: In-class

**Options and Duration:**

- Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate without Co-op – 46 weeks, including 8 weeks of practicum
- Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate with Co-op – 69 weeks, including 8 weeks of practicum and a 23-week co-op
- International Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate without Co-op – 58 weeks, including 8 weeks of practicum
- International Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate with Co-op– 81 weeks, including 8 weeks of practicum and a 23-week co-op

**Starts:** January, April, September

**Credential:** Certificate

**Wages:** up to \$19/hour

**OVERVIEW**

As an Early Childhood Educator (ECE) in a daycare or preschool, you'll have the opportunity to nourish young minds and have a positive influence on children, which lasts a lifetime. Throughout our ECE program, you'll learn through lectures and workshops led by highly regarded industry experts, and benefit from practicums where you'll work in childcare facilities throughout the Lower Mainland. During this time, you'll gain firsthand experience that will lay the foundation for a successful career in the field of Early Childhood Education.

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

**Pre-requisites:**

- Grade 12 graduation or 19 years of age
- Proof of 50 hours of volunteer work with children aged 3-5
- Reference letter stating suitability to work with children
- Language requirements met as per Stenberg College Language Proficiency Requirements document if English is a second language
- Completion of 'Program & Career Outcomes' form

**Language Proficiency Requirements:**

**Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate and Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate with Co-op**

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 6.0 with no component less than 6.0 for Speaking and Listening, 5.5 for Reading and Writing (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

**International Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate and International Early Childhood Educator Basic Certificate with Co-op**

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 5.5 with a minimum of 5.5 in Speaking and Listening and no score lower than 5.0 in Reading and Writing (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

\*Must be within the last 2 years.

**ARTICULATION (Credit Transfer)**

Graduates are granted transfer credits toward BCIT's Business Management Advanced Diploma. Upon completion, they can continue to BCIT's Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA).





# Counselling Therapist Diploma Program

**Delivery Method:** In-class

**Duration:** 90 weeks, including 90 supervised clinical counselling hours

**Starts:** April and October

**Credential:** Diploma

**Designation:** Prepares graduates to pursue membership with the Association of Cooperative Counselling Therapists in Canada (ACCT) and the Canadian Professional Counsellors Association (CPCA).

**Wages:** Typically \$80 – \$100/client hour in Private Practice

## OVERVIEW

Counselling Therapists provide support to clients in overcoming challenges, achieving their goals, and bettering their lives. Students learn to approach and resolve real-life situations, proper self-care, ethical decision making and other applicable skills.

This program will help you help others. As a Counselling Therapist, you will be prepared for a rewarding career in counselling and will further your own personal development.

## ARTICULATION (Credit Transfer)

Graduates are granted transfer credits toward BCIT's Business Management Advanced Diploma. Upon completion, they can continue to BCIT's Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA).

Stenberg  
Counselling Program  
20 months

BCIT  
Diploma  
8 months

BCIT  
Degree  
12 months

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

### Pre-requisites:

- Grade 12 graduation or mature student status
- Grade 12 English or equivalent as per the Stenberg College Language Proficiency Requirements document if English is a second language
- Acceptable Medical Examination Form completed by a Physician
- International students must provide a police certificate from country of origin
- Completion of 'Program & Career Outcomes' form

### Entrance Testing:

- Successful completion of a short, written essay
- Successful completion of the 'Computer Skills Assessment' form

### Language Proficiency Requirements:

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 6.5 with no less than 6.5 in Listening and no less than 7.0 in Speaking (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg College).

\*Must be within the last 2 years

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## Post-Graduate Diploma in Canadian Nursing

**Delivery Method:** In-class

**Options and Duration:**

- Post-Graduate Diploma in Canadian Nursing – 70 weeks, including a 10-week co-op
- Post-Graduate Diploma in Canadian Nursing with Additional Co-op – 90 weeks, including a 30-week co-op

**Starts:** January, March, June, September

**Credential:** Post-Graduate Diploma

**Wages:** Registered Nurses in B.C. earn: \$34.83 - \$55.15  
Licensed Practical Nurses in B.C. earn: \$27.87 - \$32.46

### OVERVIEW

This program prepares internationally educated nurses (IENs) for a career as a **Registered Nurse (RN)** or **Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)** in Canada. You will learn about interpersonal communication, medical terminology in the Canadian health care setting, and gain a minimum of 335 hours of hands-on experience through clinical placements, practicums and co-op work experiences which will help you integrate seamlessly in the Canadian workplace.

The program prepares you to begin the regulatory process with the BC College of Nursing Professionals (BCCNP) to meet regulatory requirements for licensure and registration as an LPN or RN after program completion.

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

**Pre-requisites:**

- Bachelor degree in Nursing (Diploma in nursing may be considered if work experience is 4+ years of employment as a nurse)
- Current registration as an RN from your country of origin or last country where majority of work experience is completed
- Minimum 2 years full-time work (30hrs/week), or the part-time equivalent, as a Registered Nurse within last 10 years. 900 hours of that work must be within the last 5 years.
- International students must additionally provide a police certificate from your country of origin
- It is strongly recommended that applicants have 3120+ hours of paid work experience as a nurse to assist with the process of immigration
- To meet practicum placement requirements, we highly recommend students bring copies of all immunization records from their home country.

**Language Proficiency Requirements:**

**Post-Graduate Diploma in Canadian Nursing / Post-Graduate Diploma in Canadian Nursing with Additional Co-op\*\***

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 6.0 with no component less than 6.0 in Speaking and Listening and no score lower than 5.5 in Reading and Writing (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

\*Must be within the last 2 years

\*\*Completion of this program does not assure approval to write the NCLEX-RN or CPNRE exams. Eligibility is determined by the BC College of Nursing Professionals (BCCNP) in BC, or the respective regulatory body in other provinces.



## Licensed Optician Diploma Program with Co-op

**Delivery Method:** In-class

### Options and Duration:

- Licensed Optician without Co-op: 55 weeks, with 6-week full-time practicum and 4-week full-time preceptorship
- Licensed Optician with Co-op: 85 weeks
- Licensed Optician International without Co-op: 67 weeks, with 6-week full-time practicum and 4-week full-time preceptorship
- Licensed Optician International with Co-op: 97 weeks

**Starts:** April and October

**Credential:** Diploma

**Designation:** Licensed Optician

**Wages:** Up to \$25/hour with the potential to earn up to \$80,000/year

### OVERVIEW

Licensed Opticians are integral members of the eye care team who design, produce and fit eyeglasses, contact lenses and specialized products for their clients.

Stenberg's program trains graduates with skills in key areas valued within the field. Through theory and lab courses, students gain a comprehensive education in eyeglass dispensing, contact lens fitting and automated refraction. Emphasis is placed on interpersonal communication, customer service and professional practice.

### ACCREDITATION

Stenberg's Optician Diploma program is accredited by the National Association of Canadian Optician Regulators (NACOR). You must pass the national licensing exam conducted by NACOR to become a Licensed Optician.

### ARTICULATION (Credit Transfer)

Graduates are granted transfer credits toward BCIT's Business Management Advanced Diploma. Upon completion, they can continue to BCIT's Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA).



### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

#### Pre-requisites:

- Grade 12 graduation or mature student status
- English 10 or equivalent as per the Stenberg College Language Proficiency Requirements document if English is a second language
- Math 11 (minimum grade C-) or recognized equivalent
- Completion of 'Program & Career Outcomes' form
- Successful completion of 'Computer Skills Assessment' form

#### Language Proficiency Requirements:

##### Licensed Optician / Licensed Optician with Co-op

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 6.0 with no component less than 6.0 (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

\*Must be within the last 2 years.

##### Licensed Optician International / Licensed Optician International with Co-op

Overall IELTS Test score\* of 5.5 with no component less than 5.5 (or other ESL equivalencies as determined by Stenberg).

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