

Edison College General Information Kit





About Edison College

Founded in 1973, Edison College Canada has a 50-year legacy of providing thousands of students a premium educational experience. Our staff are credentialed experts that bring real-world experience to give our students the edge. Our graduates also benefit from our vast network of Community partners as well as regulatory recognition – being fully accredited by the BC Government's Ministry of Post-Secondary Education and Future Skills



50+ Years of Shaping Futures

Committed to Student Success

With a half-century of nurturing talent and inspiring success stories, we are proud of our history and want to be a part of transforming your dreams into a fulfilling career. Check out our benefits below and come visit us on campus to see what we're all about!

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MISSION

Our mission is to provide a platform for a transformative educational experience focusing on industry-relevant training, interpersonal skills, and personal goals in a safe, encouraging, and inclusive space.

VISION

Our vision is to be in constant pursuit of excellence in education, empowering our graduates to be well-rounded difference-makers; and providing the tools for growth and the space to express ideas freely and organically, enabling dreams to become reality.

VALUES

The values that we strive to embody are: Compassion by responding with sensitivity; Courage in the face of adversity; Diversity through fostering a welcoming atmosphere; Integrity with adherence to these values; and Lifelong Learning in the pursuit of knowledge.

The Edison Edge

A Journey Tailored to You

Forget the one-size-fits-all approach. Our class sizes are capped at 20, ensuring you get the personalized attention you deserve. Flexible schedules, online classes, and evening options mean you can balance life, work, and education seamlessly. And the best part? You can complete your program in just 8 months!

Affordable & Accessible

We believe your ambition shouldn't be limited by your budget. That's why we offer scholarships, all-inclusive pricing with no hidden fees, and tailored payment plans. Our programs are eligible for student loans and grants, making your educational journey more achievable than ever.

A Community That Cares

At Edison, we celebrate diversity and foster a safe, inclusive environment where every voice is heard. Our small, multicultural community is the perfect place to build lasting professional relationships and grow both personally and academically.

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Programs & Courses at Edison College

Health Care Assistant Diploma



Program Duration: Theory and Labs: 20 Weeks / 499 Hours Practicum: 2 Weeks / 60 Hours Clinical: 5 Weeks / 210 Hours Delivery Methods: Combined In-Class & Online



Program Description

This Health Care Assistant Diploma Program helps students develop the core skills needed to care for clients in a variety of care settings. The courses in this program include personal care, assisting with mobility and feeding needs, communication, assisting with medication, and clinical skills related to palliative and acute care.

Edison College's Health Care Assistant program prepares students for diverse opportunities in the health care field. Graduates of this program can work in a variety of health care environments such as acute care hospitals, long-term care facilities, group homes, assisted living facilities, and in the community providing home care.



Workplace Settings

Complex Care

- Acute Care
- Home Support
- Assisted Living
- Group Homes
- Adult Day Care

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Health Care Assistant **\$67,899**

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Health Care Assistant with Co-op Diploma



Program Duration: Theory & Labs: 20 Weeks / 499 Hours Cooperative Placement: 24 Weeks / 495 Hours Practicum Hours: 2 Weeks / 60 Hours Clinical: 5 Weeks / 210 Hours Delivery Methods:



Program Description

This Health Care Assistant with Co-op Diploma helps students develop the core skills needed to care for clients in a variety of care settings. The courses in this program include personal care, assisting with mobility and feeding needs, communication, assisting with medication, and clinical skills related to palliative and acute care.

Edison College's Health Care Assistant with Co-op program prepares students for diverse opportunities in the health care field. Graduates of this Co-op program can work in a variety of health care environments, such as acute care hospitals, long-term care facilities, group homes, assisted living facilities, and in the community providing home care.



Workplace Settings

Estimated Salary

- Complex Care
- Acute Care
- Home Support
- Assisted Living
- Group Homes
- Adult Day Care

Admissions Requirements

Health Care Assistant with Co-op

\$67,899

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Chairside Dental Assistant Diploma



Delivery Methods: Combined In-Class & Online



Program Description

This Chairside Dental Assistant diploma program is a blended package that will provide you with both the clerical as well as dental assisting skills that are highly valuable and sought after in a dental clinic environment. You will be trained to prepare patients for dental check-ups, assist the dentists in different procedures, and also do clerical duties like scheduling appointments and managing records.

Dental assistants work in dental clinics, hospitals, community health services, etc. As an integral part of the dental practice, you will have the skills to assist dentists directly with patient care.



Workplace Settings

- Dental and Dental Specialist Offices
- Dental Sales
- Pedodontist Office Settings
- Dental Distribution Companies
- Dental Manufacturing Companies
- General Dentist or Orthodontist Office Settings

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Chairside Dental Assistant **\$87,617**

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Community Support Worker:

Addictions & Mental Health Specialization







Program Description

This Community Support Worker Diploma program will provide graduates with the skills to help clients effectively manage areas within the scope of their personal and social realm, specializing in the implementation of addiction and mental health programs and services. Graduates will be able to observe, understand, and evaluate responsiveness to various treatment programs and provide the necessary support via networking systems.



Workplace Settings Estimated Salary

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- Addiction and Counselling Support Center
- Correctional Facilities
- Women Shelters
- Community Mental Health Care Center
- Social Service Government Agencies
- Group Homes

Admissions Requirements

Community Support Worker **\$52,140**



Therapeutic Recreation Activity Assistant Diploma



Program Duration: Theory: 20 Weeks / 372 Hours Practicum: 3 Weeks / 90 Hours





Program Description

This Therapeutic Recreation Activity Assistant Diploma focuses on the knowledge and skills required to plan, implement, and evaluate individuals or groups in therapeutic recreation and social activities. Program participants will learn to plan and implement supervised activities for older adults with cognitive and physical impairments and gain hands-on experience with supervised practicum experience. In this program, students will learn how to enhance their clients' quality of life through leisure activities. The program will prepare students to work with a variety of client groups in different care settings such as hospitals, group homes, assisted living facilities, etc.



Workplace Settings

- Long-Term Care Facilities
- Adult Day Care Centres
- Hospitals
- Group Homes
- Assisted Living Facilities
- Rehabilitation Clinics

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Therapeutic Recreation Activity Assistant **\$59,195**

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Medical & Dental Office Administrator Diploma







Program Description

The Medical & Dental Office Administrator Diploma program is designed to prepare students for an exciting and rewarding career in the front-line roles within the ever-growing health services industry. This unique program provides coursework in health care terminology, medical and dental office administration, medical billing, insurance and bookkeeping procedures, and introductory medical transcription. This strong foundation of medical office procedures, coupled with courses in effective communication strategies and the latest computer applications, ensures that graduates are in demand in a wide variety of health care settings.



Workplace Settings

- General Practitioners or Specialist Offices
- Massage Clinics
- Dental Clinic Medical Office
- Dermatology Clinics
- Physiotherapy Clinics
- Other Various Medical Offices

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Medical & Dental Office Administrator **\$47,969**

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Medical Laboratory Assistant Diploma



Program Duration: Theory: 30 Weeks / 750 Hours Practicum: 6 Weeks / 120 Hours





Program Description

The Medical Laboratory Assistant Diploma program provides both a theoretical foundation and a practical skill set. This in-demand and career-focused program includes courses on medical terminology, clinical chemistry, microbiology, urinalysis, ECG, and phlebotomy training for the application of current medical laboratory procedures.

This Medical Laboratory Assistant program prepares graduates to work as Medical Laboratory Assistants at a medical laboratory within a variety of institutions, both in public (hospitals) or private settings (such as LifeLabs, etc.).



Workplace Settings

- Hospital Laboratories
- Industry Laboratories
- Private Clinics
- Other Health Care Settings
- Phlebotomy Clinic

Estimated Salary

Medical Laboratory Assistant **\$53,204**

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Admissions Requirements

Hospitality & Tourism Management with Co-op Diploma



Program Duration: Theory: 48 Weeks / 960 Hours Co-op Placement: 24 Weeks / 480 Hours Delivery Methods: Combined In-Class & Online



Program Description

This Hospitality and Tourism Management with Co-op Diploma program consists of 16 courses offered in 48 weeks of academic studies, delivered in a total duration of 960 hours (20 hours per week). This program also has a Co-op placement of 24 weeks / 480 hours. During the 16 academic courses in the theory section, students will learn the concepts and techniques related to tourism, hotel, and restaurant operations. The courses in this program will focus on the management and development, which includes food preparation and service, financial analysis, accounting, front and back-office operations, and the interrelation between hospitality and tourism.



Workplace Settings

- Hotel and Resorts
- Travel Agency
- Tour Companies
- Cruise Lines
- Spa and Wellness Centres
- Restaurant and Catering Companies

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Hospitality & Tourism Management with Co-op **\$47,969**

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Hospitality & Tourism Management Diploma







Program Description

This Hospitality and Tourism Management Diploma program consists of 16 courses offered in 48 weeks of academic studies and delivered in a total duration of 960 hours (20 hours per week). In this program, students will learn the concepts and techniques related to tourism, hotel, and restaurant operations. The courses in this program will also focus on the management, development, and marketing of tourism and hospitality; this includes food preparation and service, financial analysis, accounting, front and back-office operations, and the interrelation between hospitality and tourism.



Workplace Settings

- Hotel and Resorts
- Travel Agency
- Tour Companies
- Cruise Lines
- Spa and Wellness Centres
- Restaurant and Catering Companies

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Hospitality & Tourism Management **\$47,969**

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Applied Arts Illustration Diploma



Delivery Methods:



Program Description

This Applied Arts Illustration Diploma program is a one-year comprehensive program that prepares students for a career in illustration. The program utilizes both analogue and digital techniques, allowing each student to hone their unique skill, develop a marketable style, and strengthen their creative voice while learning the ins and outs of the illustration industry and how to thrive in it.



Workplace Settings

- Editiorial: Magazines, Book Publishing
- Textiles: Fabric Design
- Video Games: Concept Art
- Children's Books: Picture Book
 Illustration
- Ephemera: Short-lived Art Items
- Film/Music: Promotional Visuals

Admissions Requirements

Estimated Salary

Applied Arts Illustration **\$81,693**



2D Character Animation Diploma



Delivery Methods:



Program Description

Edison College is Victoria's oldest and largest animation college! As a Toon Boom Harmony Centre of Excellence since 2015, Edison College has been training and inspiring artists to participate in the country's booming digital arts and entertainment economy. This 2D Character Animation Diploma is a one-year intensive diploma program designed to get students ready for a career as a 2D character animator. Students will learn through live practical demonstrations and theory followed by guided in-class assignments.



Workplace Settings

- Animation Studios
- Game Development Studio
- Advertising Agencies
- Educational Media Production Companies
- Television and Film Production Companies

Estimated Salary

2D Character Animation **\$77,751**



Admissions Requirements



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