

# Wilfrid Laurier University

2025 UNDERGRADUATE VIEWBOOK | INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

**LAURIER**   
WILFRID LAURIER UNIVERSITY



# Welcome to the Laurier community!



For more than 110 years, Laurier has been a premier destination for students seeking success through academic excellence, an exceptional student experience and a community that inspires. Our students use their university education to become the world's next leaders, business owners, researchers, artists and changemakers, in Canada and around the world.





**19,500+**  
undergraduate students  
across 8 faculties

**100+**  
undergraduate  
programs

**40+**  
undergraduate  
programs  
with co-op

**1,350+**  
international students from  
**100+ COUNTRIES**

**115,000+**  
alumni living in over  
**110 COUNTRIES**  
around the world

**3**  
**CAMPUSES**  
in Ontario, Canada

**RANKED  
TOP 15%**  
of universities globally  
TIMES HIGHER EDUCATION, 2024

**4TH IN  
CANADA**  
for scholarships  
and bursaries  
MACLEANS, 2024

A place to learn,  
live and achieve  
your goals.

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# Experience academic excellence.

Learn why Laurier consistently ranks in the top 6% of universities worldwide\* based on quality of education, quality of faculty, research performance and alumni employment.

\*2023 Center for World University Rankings;






- ▾ Choose from over 100 undergraduate programs—the most Laurier has ever offered! Across 8 faculties on our campuses in Brantford, Milton and Waterloo, Ontario.
- ▾ Take part in **real-world learning** opportunities through field placements, community partnerships, competitions and volunteering.
- ▾ Learn from award-winning professors who are experts in their fields and who bring that expertise and knowledge into the classroom. Our 25:1 student-to-faculty ratio also means **your professors will get to know you and your strengths, skills and successes.**







-  **Explore research opportunities**, beginning in your first year, through our 23 research centres and institutions. Work with world-class professors on topics and projects that help you reach your academic and career goals.
-  **Customize your education**, deepen your learning and expand your skills with a minor, option or specialization. Our academic and career advisors are here to guide you as you choose the courses you need during your degree and explore different pathways after your degree, including graduate studies.
-  Complete an academic or English-language pathway through our affiliated institution Wilfrid Laurier International College. **This pathway provides a bright start to your academic journey at Laurier.**



**SCAN TO LEARN MORE**  
about Wilfrid Laurier  
International College.



**97%** of first-year students felt their courses encouraged them to do their best work.

2023 NATIONAL SURVEY OF STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

**86%** of senior students felt their experience at Laurier helped them develop critical and analytical thinking skills.

2023 NATIONAL SURVEY OF STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

**TOP 25%** in 2024  
Best Value University  
Rankings

2024 STUDY ABROAD AIDE RANKINGS

**Your university education is an investment in your future.**

We want to help you understand the cost of studying at Laurier and the scholarships and awards available to help you pay for your education.

# Tuition, finances and scholarships.

## Estimated tuition by faculty.

The tuition fees are estimates only for two terms of full-time undergraduate study. All fees are listed in Canadian dollars and subject to change.

FACULTY	ESTIMATED TUITION FOR 2 TERMS
Arts, Human and Social Sciences, Liberal Arts, Music, Social Work	\$33,220
Lazaridis School of Business and Economics <sup>1</sup>	\$35,478 – \$40,209
Science	\$33,220 – \$35,796
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$33,220 – \$40,209</b>
ADDITIONAL EXPENSES	
Student Fees <sup>2</sup>	\$2,694 – \$4,537
Textbooks and Supplies	\$1,500
Residence: Waterloo	\$7,779 – \$10,926
Residence: Brantford	\$7,943 – \$8,514
Meal Plan: Waterloo <sup>3</sup>	\$2,571 – \$6,796
Meal Plan: Brantford	\$910 – \$1,290
Groceries <sup>4</sup>	\$3,300
Other (clothing, phone, etc.)	\$3,200
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$19,533 – \$29,557</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$52,753 – \$69,766</b>

<sup>1</sup> International tuition fees for double-degree programs with the University of Waterloo are \$57,368 for BBA and BMath, and \$68,510 for BBA and BCS.

<sup>2</sup> Includes a mandatory \$756 fee for participation in the University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP).

<sup>3</sup> Meal plan pricing is for the year and includes a dining hall levy for Waterloo plans of \$10 per term for apartment-style plans and \$25 per term for all-access plans.

<sup>4</sup> Students living in an apartment-style residence should budget for groceries.



## International tuition guarantee.

Tuition rates are set each year for new, incoming international students. Once admitted, tuition rates for continuing international students will increase by **no more than 5% between years of study.**

This international tuition guarantee provides you with reliable tuition information and allows you to budget for your future years at Laurier.



**SCAN** here to calculate the **costs** to attend Laurier.

**600+** competitive scholarships and awards.

**40+ ANNUAL WORKSHOPS** and events on money management.

**6,000+** job postings available each year for part-time, summer and graduated student jobs.



Your education is an investment in your future

**THE STAY GOLDEN AT LAURIER: INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP AND HOUSING GUARANTEE** provides a renewable entrance scholarship valued up to \$20,000 CAD over four years of study (or \$25,000 in approved five-year programs) and guaranteed housing for the duration of your studies at Laurier.

## Awarding your achievements.

We have several **scholarship opportunities** available throughout your years of study at Laurier. All scholarship award amounts are listed in Canadian dollars.

### ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

You are automatically assessed for an entrance scholarship and it is awarded based on your final high school admission average. *No application required.*

ADMISSION AVERAGE	AWARD
95.0–100%*	\$6,000
90.0–94.9%	\$5,000
85.0–89.9%	\$3,000
80.0–84.9%	\$1,500

\*This entrance scholarship is the President's Gold Scholarship.

### IN-COURSE SCHOLARSHIPS

You are automatically assessed for in-course scholarships based on your grade-point average (GPA) in your previous academic year at Laurier. All scholarship award amounts are listed in Canadian dollars.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE	AWARD
11.0–12.0 (equivalent to 85.0–100%)	\$1,500
10.5–10.99 (equivalent to 82.5–84.99%)	\$1,250

### LAURIER SCHOLARS AWARD

Up to **\$40,000** over four years. This prestigious annual entrance scholarship offers recipients the opportunity to join a community of scholars and receive mentorship, networking, research and experiential learning opportunities throughout their degree. *A separate application is required.*

### INSPIRING LIVES SCHOLARSHIPS

**\$1,000 – \$5,000**; Awarded each year to incoming international students who inspire lives of leadership and purpose. *A separate application is required.*

### PRESIDENT'S GOLD SCHOLARSHIP

**\$6,000**; If your admission average is 95% or higher, you will receive this award in your first year at Laurier. This scholarship is renewable each year of your degree (up to five years for some programs) if you meet eligibility requirements. *No application required.*

### COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

**\$250 - \$5,000**; Apply for competitive scholarships, awards and bursaries every year by submitting a student profile. Awards are based on the information provided in your profile and are awarded throughout the academic year. *Student profiles open in the summer.*



**21** residence buildings with  
**3,738** beds

*Waterloo and Brantford*

**9 RESIDENCE LEARNING COMMUNITIES**

*Waterloo and Brantford*

**4 LEARNING CLUSTERS**

*Brantford only*

**350+** leadership positions  
available through the  
First-Year Leadership Program

*We've got a  
place for you!*

# Welcome home.

Our residences in Waterloo and Brantford offer you a **safe and comfortable place to live** in your first year at Laurier. And our live-in residence staff and upper-year students provide that extra support and care you need to feel at home.

**Plus, we've saved a spot for you! You are guaranteed\* a spot in residence,** as long as you submit your residence application and deposit by the deadline.

\*Guarantee is available to first year students starting in the fall term only.

## SAMPLE FLOOR PLANS

Sample dormitory-style.



Double

Sample apartment-style.



Single







**SCAN TO TAKE VIDEO TOURS** of all our residence buildings, learn about living at Laurier, get meal plan information and more.



# Graduate ready for your future.

**Laurier's graduates get hired.** See how the education, experience and support at Laurier ensures you graduate with the skills and knowledge employers want.



**SCAN TO LEARN MORE**  
about graduates' career outcomes.





## Get experience.

**EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING:** Explore professional options through Community-Service Learning, practicum courses, industry-engaged projects and volunteering.

**INTERNATIONAL STUDENT WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM (ISWEP):** This program is exclusive to international students and helps you find on-campus opportunities for work experience while you earn money.

**CO-OP:** Co-op is available in over 40 programs and for most programs you apply to co-op after your first year. Co-op students gain 8 to 16 months of Canadian work experience while earning a salary. Plus, the Lazaridis School of Business and Economics offers Canada's largest business degree co-op program!

## Sample co-op schedule.

YEAR	FALL (SEPT–DEC)	WINTER (JAN–APR)	SPRING (MAY–AUG)
1	Study term	Study term	Break
2	Study term	Study term	Work term 1
3	Study term	Work term 2	Study term
4	Work term 3	Study term	Study term

## Get support.

**CAREER CENTRE:** Receive personalized career support through workshops and panel discussions and one-on-one appointments with our international career consultant.

**JOB FAIRS:** Connect with employers across a variety of industries through our job fairs, which are the largest of their kind in Canada.

**NETWORKING:** Attend workshops and events throughout the year to connect with professionals and Laurier alumni across a variety of industries to begin building your professional network.

## Get hired.

**Over 89%** of 2023 international graduates found employment or went on to postgraduate studies.

Eligible Laurier graduates can work in Canada through the Post-Graduation Work Permit Program.

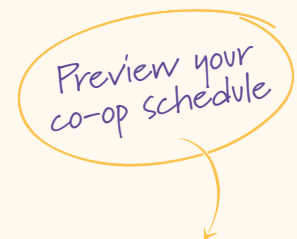
You have access to resources from the Career Centre for life, so you're supported at all stages of your career.

**#1 MOST IMPRESSIVE  
POSTSECONDARY CAREER  
SERVICES MODEL**

CERIC NATIONAL SURVEY OF  
POST-SECONDARY CAREER SERVICES

**1,000+** co-op employers recruit annually, posting more than **6,000** jobs.

**700+ WORKSHOPS AND  
EVENTS** held at the Career Centre every year.



**SCAN HERE TO SEE** programs with co-op and the work-study sequence for your program.

# Picture your student experience.



“ On campus, my favourite spots are the library and Lazaridis Hall because those are my favourite places to study, especially the library. You have your own space, only one person in a spot. **It’s really quiet and it’s really good for studying.** In Lazaridis Hall, you can discuss your courses with your friends. It’s a good place.”

— YUYUN D., BA ECONOMICS AND FINANCIAL MATH, CHINA



“ **The events are amazing and Orientation Week was very good.** And it was my first time outside of my country and doing things on my own. It was interesting and it was fun.”

— FATIMAH P., BASC APPLIED HEALTH SCIENCES, INDIA

“ I’m living off campus and **the LOCUS off-campus orientation day was really helpful because I met people who were in the same living situation as me.** LOCUS also holds fun events for off-campus students and I joined their House Council. The LOCUS friends that I hang out with, we’re really close.”

— HOANG T., INSPIRING LIVES SCHOLARSHIP WINNER, BBA, VIETNAM



“ One of the things I love about Laurier is **there are so many opportunities** for finding jobs or volunteer experiences, adding that extra boost to your resumé. I think what makes Laurier stand apart are the experiences you can get and the number of opportunities for students. **Use those opportunities as much as you can!**”

— SASHINI K., BA ECONOMICS, SRI LANKA





“ **I think one of my best experiences has been residence.** Just sitting in the lounge, talking to my friends, going to residence events. I think that’s been pretty great. And there was a Diwali event, which was also really great considering it was my first Diwali in Canada.”

— AGRIM K., BBA, INDIA

“ **When I got involved in clubs and the cricket team, I gained more confidence.**

I made friends and I realized that if you have a question and if you want to speak about something, then don’t be shy about it.”

ACHINTAYA C., BBA, INDIA

“ **It’s really fun doing a major and a minor.** Before, I had no idea about computer science. I chose business but I had an elective other than business, so I chose Introduction to Python. And that course changed my whole career perspective. After that I decided I’m going to go for it and decided on my minor in computer science.”

— BRIONA D., BBA, VIETNAM



“ **My first job at Laurier was an ISWEP position.** I went to the Career Centre for resumé support, and another international student told me about the ISWEP program. **It’s not easy to work and study at the same time but with the right resources and the right people, which I believe Laurier has, it’s possible.**”

— JAIMIN S., BSC BIOLOGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES, KENYA



# How to apply.

## TUITION DEPOSIT

The international student tuition deposit allows Laurier to ensure that we are adequately prepared to support all the incredible international students who will live and learn on one of our campuses and benefit your study permit application process.

The tuition deposit is required for all undergraduate international students who have received and/or accepted offers of admission. The deposit is not an additional fee. It will be applied to your first-term tuition balance once you enrol in courses and your invoice is issued.

## TRANSCRIPTS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

We communicate what transcripts and documents we need to review your application after you apply. If your first language is not English or you have not studied in an English-language curriculum for a minimum of three years, you must also submit evidence of your English proficiency. Submit a minimum score on an English-language test or register for the Academic Transition Pathway (ATP) Program at Wilfrid Laurier International College.

You may be required to submit additional supporting documents at our discretion, including academic or English-language tests. For descriptions of these documents, visit [wlu.ca/admissions/documents](http://wlu.ca/admissions/documents). Laurier reserves the right to request that official documents be validated through World Education Services (WES).

## STUDY PERMITS

In order to study in Canada, you need a study permit that contains Laurier's designated learning number: O19395164307. To apply for your study permit, you may also need a provincial attestation letter (PAL). If you require a PAL, this will be issued to you by Laurier.

You may also need a visitor visa or Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) to travel to Canada. If so, this will be issued as part of your study permit application.

Learn more at » [canada.gc.ca](http://canada.gc.ca)



**SCAN** to get more information on acquiring a study permit and provincial attestation letter (PAL).



## APPLICATION DEADLINES

### September 2025 Admission

- Apply by **April 1, 2025**.
- Submit your required documents by **May 12, 2025**.

### January 2026 Admission

- Apply by **Nov. 22, 2025**.
- Submit your required documents by **Dec. 1, 2025**.

## English-proficiency requirement.

You must show evidence of your English proficiency if you have not studied in an English-language curriculum for a minimum of three years. Submit a minimum score on an English-language test or register in the Academic Transition Pathway (ATP) program offered through Wilfrid Laurier International College.

Learn more about ATP at » [laurieric.ca](http://laurieric.ca)

## MINIMUM ENGLISH-PROFICIENCY SCORES

LANGUAGE TEST	MINIMUM SCORE
<b>TOEFL IBT</b> Test of English as a Foreign Language	83 overall 20 in each component
<b>IELTS</b> International English Language Testing System	6.5 overall 6.0 in each band
<b>DUOLINGO</b>	120
<b>CAEL</b> Canadian Academic English Language Test	70 overall 60 in each band
<b>PTE ACADEMIC</b> Pearson Test of English Academic	59 overall
<b>CAMBRIDGE ASSESSMENT ENGLISH</b> C1 Advanced	176 overall

Laurier's institution code is 0893.



**SCAN TO GET THE COMPLETE LIST** of tests and programs accepted for English proficiency and information on exemptions.

## CONDITIONAL OFFERS OF ADMISSION

If you do not meet our English-proficiency requirement, you may receive an offer of admission with a condition to provide evidence of your English proficiency.

## EXEMPTIONS

If you have studied for at least three full-time years in an English-language school system, without taking any English as a second language (ESL) courses, you may be exempted from submitting evidence of your English proficiency.

See » [wlu.ca/english-proficiency](http://wlu.ca/english-proficiency) for how to request an exemption.

Application checklist



Submit your application.

Apply as soon as possible to allow enough time for your application to be processed. Apply at [ouac.on.ca](http://ouac.on.ca).



## CHECK YOUR EMAIL

Your confirmation of application email contains your login information for Laurier's applicant portal.



Submit your documents.

Submit any required or supporting documents electronically.



## COMPLETE YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

Submit unofficial copies of your transcripts and other required documents (in English). You submit these documents in a supplemental application, which is found in your applicant portal.



## SUBMIT THE APPLICANT BACKGROUND SUMMARY FORM

Submit this online form through your applicant portal within two weeks of applying.



Accept your offer.

Confirm your offer by **June 2, 2025 at 11:59 p.m. ET** (unless another date is noted on your offer of admission).



## SUBMIT YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPTS AND PAY YOUR TUITION DEPOSIT

Arrange to have your school or educational institution send us your final official transcripts in a sealed and stamped envelope by **July 15, 2025**.

# International Admission Requirements

PROGRAM	CAMPUS AND DEGREE	OSS REQUIREMENTS <i>English required at 60% or C unless otherwise stated. Grades are shown on the Canadian grading scale.</i>	IB REQUIREMENTS <i>All required courses must be HL or SL at a minimum of 3. SL Applications and Interpretations not accepted, unless otherwise stated.</i>	GCE REQUIREMENTS <i>All programs require GCSE English at C/4 or AS/A-level English at D unless otherwise stated. All required courses must be at the AS/A-level with a min. grade of D unless otherwise stated.</i>
<b>LAZARIDIS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS &amp; ECONOMICS</b>				
Business Administration <i>Concentrate in: Accounting, Business and Sustainability, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, Insurance and Risk Management, International Business, Marketing, Strategic Management or Supply Chain Management.</i>	WATERLOO BBA	Advanced Functions at 70%; English at 70%; One of Calculus & Vectors or Data Management at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 90s	English at 4; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 34	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math at C Average Admission Range: A*
Business Administration and Computer Science Double Degree <i>Automatically eligible to participate in co-op.</i>	WATERLOO BBA AND BSC	Advanced Functions at 75% Calculus & Vectors at 75% English at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 90s	English at 4; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 35	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math at B Average Admission Range: A*
Business Administration (Laurier) and Computer Science (University of Waterloo) Double Degree <i>Co-op required – automatic entry.</i>	WATERLOO BBA AND BCS	Advanced Functions at 90% Calculus & Vectors at 90% English at 80% Average Admission Range: Mid 90s	English at 5; Math at 6 Average IB Score: 37	GCSE English at A/7 or English at B; Math at A* Average Admission Range: A*
Business Administration and Financial Mathematics & Analytics Double Degree <i>Automatically eligible to participate in co-op.</i>	WATERLOO BBA AND BA	Advanced Functions at 80% Calculus & Vectors at 80% English at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 90s	English at 4; Math at 5 Average IB Score: 35	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math at A Average Admission Range: A*
Business Administration (Laurier) and Mathematics (University of Waterloo) Double Degree <i>Co-op required – automatic entry.</i>	WATERLOO BBA AND BMATH	Advanced Functions at 85% Calculus & Vectors at 85% English at 80% Average Admission Range: Mid 90s	English at 5; Math at 6 Average IB Score: 36	GCSE English at A/7 or English at B; Math at A* Average Admission Range: A*
Business Technology Management	MILTON BBTM	English at 70% One of Advanced Functions or Calculus & Vectors at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English at 4; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 30	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math at C Average Admission Range: A
Economics, Economics & Accounting, Economics & Data Analytics, Economics & Financial Management	WATERLOO BA	Advanced Functions at 70% English at 70% One of Calculus & Vectors or Data Management at 60% Average Admission Range: High 80s	English at 4; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 33	GCSE English at B/5 or A-level English at C; Math at C Average Admission Range: A
<b>FACULTY OF SCIENCE</b>				
Biochemistry & Biotechnology	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 60% Chemistry at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	Biology; Chemistry at 4; English; Math Average IB Score: 30	Biology; Chemistry at C; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Biology	WATERLOO BA	Biology at 70% Average Admission Range: High 70s	Biology at 4; English Average IB Score: 28	Biology at C; English Average Admission Range: B
Biology, Biology & Chemistry, Biology & Mathematics, Biology & Psychology	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 70% Chemistry at 60% Calculus & Vectors at 60% (Biology & Mathematics only) Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	Biology at 4; Chemistry; English; Math Average IB Score: 32	Biology at C; Chemistry; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Chemistry	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Chemistry at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	Chemistry at 4; English; Math Average IB Score: 30	Chemistry at C; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Chemistry & Mathematics	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Calculus & Vectors at 60% Chemistry at 70% Average Admission Range: High 80s	Chemistry at 4; English; Math Average IB Score: 33	Chemistry at C; English; Math Average Admission Range: A*
Chemistry & Physics	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 75% Calculus & Vectors at 75% Chemistry at 75% Average Admission Range: Low 90s	Chemistry at 4; English; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 34	Chemistry at B; English; Math at B Average Admission Range: A
Computer Science*	WATERLOO OR MILTON BA	Advanced Functions at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math Average IB Score: 30	English; Math Average Admission Range: A



‡ THIS PROGRAM MUST BE COMBINED WITH ANOTHER BACHELOR OF ARTS MAJOR.

\* THIS PROGRAM CAN BE COMPLETED IN COMBINATION WITH ANOTHER BACHELOR OF ARTS MAJOR OR ON ITS OWN.

PROGRAM	CAMPUS AND DEGREE	OSS REQUIREMENTS <i>English required at 60% or C unless otherwise stated. Grades are shown on the Canadian grading scale.</i>	IB REQUIREMENTS <i>All required courses must be HL or SL at a minimum of 3. SL Applications and Interpretations not accepted, unless otherwise stated.</i>	GCE REQUIREMENTS <i>All programs require GCSE English at C/4 or AS/A-level English at D unless otherwise stated. All required courses must be at the AS/A-level with a min. grade of D unless otherwise stated.</i>
Computer Science	WATERLOO OR MILTON BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% One of Calculus, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math; One of Chemistry or Physics recommended Average IB Score: 30	English; Math; One of Chemistry or Physics recommended Average Admission Range: A
Computer Science & Physics	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% Two of Calculus & Vectors, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math; One of Chemistry or Physics Average IB Score: 30	English; Math; One of Chemistry or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Computer Science & Psychology	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% One of Biology, Calculus & Vectors, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics recommended Average IB Score: 30	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics recommended Average Admission Range: A
Data Science	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 80% Calculus & Vectors at 80% English at 70% Average Admission Range: High 80s	English at 4; Math at 5 Average IB Score: 33	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math at A Average Admission Range: A
Environmental Science	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 70% Chemistry at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	Biology at 4; Chemistry; English; Math Average IB Score: 32	Biology at C; Chemistry; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Environmental Studies	WATERLOO BA	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English Average IB Score: 30	English Average Admission Range: A
Financial Mathematics and Analytics	WATERLOO BA	Advanced Functions at 75% Calculus & Vectors at 75% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math at 4 Average IB Score: 30	English; A-level Math at B Average Admission Range: A
Financial Mathematics and Analytics	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 75% Calculus & Vectors at 75% One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English; Math at 4; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average IB Score: 32	English; Math at B; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Geography	WATERLOO BA	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Average IB Score: 30	English; Average Admission Range: A
Geography, Archaeology & Heritage Studies and Geography, Geography and Geomatics, Geography with Environmental Science Option	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% Two of Biology, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English; Math; Two of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average IB Score: 32	English; A-level Math; Two of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Health Sciences	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 60% Chemistry at 60% Average Admission Range: High 80s	Biology; Chemistry; English; Math Average IB Score: 33	Biology; Chemistry; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Honours Science	WATERLOO BSc	Advanced Functions at 60% Two of Biology, Calculus & Vectors, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth and Space Science, or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, or Physics Average IB Score: 30	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Kinesiology Kinesiology with Teaching Option	WATERLOO BKIN	Biology at 70% One of 3M, 3U or 4U Math at 60% Biology and English required in admission average. Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	Biology at 4; English; Math (any HL or SL math accepted) Average IB Score: 32	Biology at C; English; GCSE Math at D/3 or Math at D Average Admission Range: A
Law Degree (University of Sussex, UK) and Science Degree in Honours Science	WATERLOO LLB AND BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Two of Biology, Calculus & Vectors, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth and Space Science, or Physics at 60% English at 70% Average Admission Range: Mid 90s	English at 4; Math and one of Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, or Physics Average IB Score: 36	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C; Math and one of Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, or Physics Average Admission Range: A*
Mathematics	WATERLOO BA	Advanced Functions at 60% Calculus & Vectors at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math Average IB Score: 30	English; Math Average Admission Range: A

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Mathematics & Computer Science	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Calculus & Vectors at 60% One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average IB Score: 32	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Mathematics and Data Analytics	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Calculus & Vectors at 60% One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics at 60% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average IB Score: 32	English; Math; One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics Average Admission Range: A
Policing & Psychology	BRANTFORD OR WATERLOO BA	One 3M, 3U or 4U Math at 60% English required in admission average. Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math (any HL or SL math accepted) Average IB Score: 29	English; GCSE Math at D/3 or Math at D Average Admission Range: A
Psychology Psychology with Teaching Option Psychology with Forensic Psychology Specialization	BRANTFORD BA	One 3M, 3U or 4U Math at 60% English required in admission average. Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math (any HL or SL math accepted) Average IB Score: 31	English; GCSE Math at D/3 or Math at D Average Admission Range: A
Psychology	WATERLOO OR MILTON BA	One 3M, 3U or 4U Math at 60% English required in admission average. Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math (any HL or SL math accepted) Average IB Score: 31	English; GCSE Math at D/3 or Math at D Average Admission Range: A
Psychology	BRANTFORD OR WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 60% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	Biology; English; Math Average IB Score: 32	Biology; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Psychology & Neuroscience	WATERLOO BSC	Advanced Functions at 60% Biology at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	Biology; English; Math Average IB Score: 30	Biology; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
<b>FACULTY OF ARTS, FACULTY OF LIBERAL ARTS AND FACULTY OF HUMAN &amp; SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>				
Bachelor of Arts Degree and Master's Degree in Communication Studies, English, Film Studies, Global Studies, History, Languages, Political Science, Religion & Culture, and Women & Gender Studies	WATERLOO BA AND MA/MAP/MIPP	Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 32	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
Bachelor of Arts and Master's of Business Administration	WATERLOO BA AND MBA	Average Admission Range: Low 90s	English Average IB Score: 34	English Average Admission Range: A*
Ancient Studies, Anthropology‡, Archaeology & Heritage Studies, Communication Studies, Cultural Studies‡, English, Film Studies, French, French with Teaching Option, Global Studies, History, Languages, Medieval & Medievalism Studies‡, Multidisciplinary Studies, North American Studies‡, Philosophy, Policing‡, Political Science, Public Safety‡*, Religion & Culture, Sociology, Spanish‡, Women & Gender Studies*	WATERLOO BA	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English Average IB Score: 30	English Average Admission Range: A
Criminology, English, English with Teaching Option, Health Studies, History, History with Teaching Option, Human Rights, Indigenous Studies‡, Indigenous Studies with Teaching Option, Law & Society, Leadership‡*, Multidisciplinary Studies, Policing‡, Public Safety‡*, Youth & Children's Studies, Youth & Children's Studies with Teaching Option	BRANTFORD BA	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English Average IB Score: 29	English Average Admission Range: A
Applied Health Sciences Applied Health Sciences with Teaching Option	BRANTFORD BASC	4U Math at 60% Biology at 60% Chemistry at 60% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	Biology; Chemistry; English; Math Average IB Score: 30	Biology; Chemistry; English; Math Average Admission Range: A
Game Design & Development; Game Design & Development with Teaching Option Game Design & Development in Combination	BRANTFORD BA	English at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 30	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
Global Studies (Laurier) and International Development Master's Degree (University of Sussex, UK)	WATERLOO BA AND MA	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English Average IB Score: 30	English Average Admission Range: A



‡ THIS PROGRAM MUST BE COMBINED WITH ANOTHER BACHELOR OF ARTS MAJOR.

\* THIS PROGRAM CAN BE COMPLETED IN COMBINATION WITH ANOTHER BACHELOR OF ARTS MAJOR OR ON ITS OWN.

PROGRAM	CAMPUS AND DEGREE	OSS REQUIREMENTS <i>English required at 60% or C unless otherwise stated. Grades are shown on the Canadian grading scale.</i>	IB REQUIREMENTS <i>All required courses must be HL or SL at a minimum of 3. SL Applications and Interpretations not accepted, unless otherwise stated.</i>	GCE REQUIREMENTS <i>All programs require GCSE English at C/4 or AS/A-level English at D unless otherwise stated. All required courses must be at the AS/A-level with a min. grade of D unless otherwise stated.</i>
Health Studies & Public Health (Laurier) and Global Health Master's Degree (University of Brighton and Sussex Medical School)	BRANTFORD BA AND MSC	Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English Competitive IB Score: 30	English Average Admission Range: A
Human Rights (Laurier) and International Development Master's Degree (University of Sussex)	BRANTFORD BA AND MA	Average Admission Range: High 70s	English Average IB Score: 28	English Average Admission Range: B
International Education Studies	WATERLOO BA	English at 70% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 32	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
Law Degree (University of Sussex, UK) and Arts Degree (Laurier) in Criminology, English, History, Human Rights, or Law and Society	BRANTFORD LLB AND BA	English at 70% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 32	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
Law Degree (University of Sussex, UK) and Arts Degree in English, History, Philosophy or Political Science (Laurier)	WATERLOO LLB AND BA	English at 70% Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 32	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
Public Safety and Psychology	WATERLOO OR BRANTFORD BA	One 3M, 3U or 4U Math at 60% English required in admission average. Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English; Math (any HL or SL Math accepted) Average IB Score: 30	English; GCSE Math at D/3 or Math at D Average Admission Range: A
User Experience Design	BRANTFORD BDES	English at 70% Average Admission Range: Low 80s	English at 4 Average IB Score: 30	GCSE English at B/5 or English at C Average Admission Range: A
<b>FACULTY OF MUSIC</b>				
Music Music with Teaching Option <i>Concentrate in: Afrodiasporic Music, Community Music, Composition, Conducting, Education, Musicology, Pedagogy &amp; Wellness, Performance, Small Group Performance, Theory</i>	WATERLOO BMUS	Successful audition; interview; reference letter. Optional portfolio submission. Average Admission Range: High 80s (minimum 75% required)	English Average IB Score: 33	English Average Admission Range: A
<b>FACULTY OF SOCIAL WORK</b>				
Social Work Social Work with Teaching Option	BRANTFORD BSW	Average Admission Range: Mid 80s	English Average IB Score: 32	English Average Admission Range: A
<b>MARTIN LUTHER UNIVERSITY COLLEGE</b>				
Christianity, Interfaith Dialogue and Community Engagement	WATERLOO BA	Average Admission Range: High 80s	English Average IB Score: 32	English Average Admission Range: A

» View complete requirements specific to your international curriculum at [wlu.ca/admissions](http://wlu.ca/admissions).

# Admissions.



## Admission requirements.

You must meet your program's specific admission requirements (see pages 15–18) in addition to your curriculum-specific requirements.

We accept all curriculums for admission consideration. If you don't see your curriculum here, visit our website to find your specific admission requirements at » [wlu.ca/international/admissions](https://wlu.ca/international/admissions).

### AMERICAN CURRICULUM

ACT and SAT scores are not required. Test scores may be requested of homeschool applicants for admission consideration.

- High school graduation.
- Passing grades in six courses at the honours, Advanced Placement (AP) or senior level required for admission.

### ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) COURSES

You may receive transfer credit (up to six courses or 3.0 credits depending on your program) for AP exams at a minimum grade of four. We require official college board test results for your transfer credit assessment.

### BRITISH PATTERN EDUCATION

- The General Certificate of Education (GCE) or equivalent.
- Minimum of two A-level subjects.
- Two AS-level courses may be substituted for one A-level course.
- Three GCSE subjects, or two when three A-level subjects are presented.
- All programs require GCSE English required at C/4 or AS/A-level English at D unless otherwise stated.
- Required courses should be at the AS or A-level unless otherwise stated.

You may receive transfer credits (up to 6 courses or 3.0 credit depending on your program) for A-level courses with a minimum final grade of B or higher.

### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)

- IB Diploma including bonus points.
- Passing grades in at least 6 subjects, three of which must be HL.
- Required courses at a minimum score of 3 unless otherwise stated.
- If you are taking IB courses along with another curriculum, we assess your application based on your entire academic record.

You may receive transfer credit (up to six courses or 3.0 credits depending on your program) for HL courses with a minimum final score of 5 or higher, and if Theory of Knowledge and Extended Essay each have a final grade of B.

## Supporting your application.

### APPLICANT BACKGROUND SUMMARY (ABS) FORM

If your average is below the minimum requirement for your program, your Applicant Background Summary could help you gain admission. You can find this form in the applicant portal. » [wlu.ca/abs](https://wlu.ca/abs)

### SPECIAL CASE AND EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES

If recent or present circumstances have impacted your ability to achieve a strong academic standing, you may submit a personal statement. You can find the form in the applicant portal. Ensure you submit your statement by the deadline. It is your decision to disclose any supporting details.





## Admission decisions.

We reserve the right to consider additional academic information, which may impact the status of your application, including but not limited to repeated courses, consistency of academic performance, and when and where courses and/or tests were completed.

### **TIMING OF OFFERS**

We must receive your required documents before we can assess your application. An admission decision is typically made within three to four weeks of a completed application, or longer for competitive programs.

### **REPEATED COURSES POLICY**

If you are applying to a program in the Faculty of Science or the Lazaridis School of Business & Economics, we consider repeated courses when calculating your admission average. We use a weighted average of your first and latest course attempts for required courses only. If you repeat a course that isn't required for admission, we use your highest grade. For all other programs and faculties, we use your highest grade in any repeated courses.

### **ALTERNATE OFFERS AND WAIT LISTS**

You will automatically be considered for admission to an alternate program if you aren't eligible for your program of choice. We may use wait lists for competitive programs. If you are placed on a wait list, you'll also receive an offer of admission to an alternate program.



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# You belong here.

**Laurier is a university to call home.** No matter where you choose to study—Brantford, Milton, or Waterloo—you'll **experience the welcoming, student-focused community that we're known for.** Elevating your personal and academic growth is at the heart of everything we do across all three campuses and our campuses also play important roles in the cities where they are located, expanding your connection to the community around you.

## Our campuses.

**LAURIER BRANTFORD:** This tight-knit campus integrated into a downtown area offers a modern learning environment with a small community feel. Historical buildings have been redesigned to foster personal and engaging academic experiences. Between classes, enjoy the city's arts and culture scene, hike world-class trails and explore the scenic Grand River.

**LAURIER MILTON:** Our newest campus gives you a chance to study in the greater Toronto area and enjoy the close community Laurier is known for. Offering majors in psychology, computer science with select popular minors and electives, this campus brings industry-leading learning experiences in arts, science, and health.

**LAURIER WATERLOO:** This student-friendly city with a thriving tech-sector and plenty of entertainment options year-round provides the traditional university experience you've always imagined alongside opportunities to establish new traditions of your own. The Waterloo campus spans one large city block, so you're only steps away from your classes, clubs and cozy study spots.







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*Laurier's Waterloo and Brantford campuses are on the traditional territory of the Neutral, Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee Peoples.*

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*Acknowledging them reminds us of our important connection to this land where we live, learn and work. We recognize, honour and respect these nations as the traditional stewards of the lands and water on which Laurier is now present.*



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# Programs.

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## FACULTY OF ARTS

- Ancient Studies (BA) ◆
- Anthropology (BA)
- Archaeology and Heritage Studies (BA)
- Arts Degree (BA) + Business Administration (MBA) ◆
- Arts Degree (BA) + Master's Degree (MA OR MAP)
- Communication Studies (BA) ◆
- Cultural Studies (BA)
- English (BA) (WATERLOO) ◆
- Film Studies (BA) ◆
- French (BA) ◆
- French with Teaching Option (BA)
- Global Studies (BA) ◆
- Global Studies (BA) + International Development (MA)
- History (BA) (WATERLOO) ◆
- International Education Studies (BA)
- Languages (BA) ◆
- Law Degree (LLB) + Arts Degree (BA) (WATERLOO)
- Medieval & Medievalism Studies (BA)
- Multidisciplinary Studies (BA) (WATERLOO)
- North American Studies (BA)
- Philosophy (BA) ◆
- Policing (BA) (WATERLOO)
- Political Science (BA) ◆
- Religion and Culture (BA) ◆
- Sociology (BA) ◆
- Spanish (BA)
- Women and Gender Studies (BA) ◆

## FACULTY OF HUMAN AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- Applied Health Sciences (BASc)
- Applied Health Sciences with Teaching Option (BASc)
- Criminology (BASc)
- Criminology and Policing (BA)
- Game Design and Development (BA)
- Game Design and Development with Teaching Option (BA)
- Health Studies (BA)
- Health Studies (BA) + Public Health/Global Health (MSc)
- Law Degree (LLB) + Arts Degree (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Multidisciplinary Studies (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Policing (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Policing & Psychology (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Psychology (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Psychology with Teaching Option (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Public Safety (BA) (BRANTFORD OR WATERLOO)

## FACULTY OF LIBERAL ARTS

- English (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- English with Teaching Option (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- History (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- History with Teaching Option (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Human Rights (BA)
- Human Rights (BA) + International Development (MA)
- Indigenous Studies (BA)
- Indigenous Studies with Teaching Option (BA)
- Law and Society (BA)
- Law Degree (LLB) + Arts Degree (BA) (BRANTFORD)
- Leadership (BA)
- User Experience Design (BDES) ◆
- User Experience Design with Teaching Option (BDES)
- Youth and Children's Studies (BA)
- Youth and Children's Studies with Teaching Option (BA)

## FACULTY OF MUSIC

- Music (BMus)
- Music with Teaching Option (BMus)
- Music Therapy (BMT)

## FACULTY OF SCIENCE

- Biochemistry and Biotechnology (BSc) ◆
- Biology (BA) ◆
- Biology (BSc) ◆
- Biology and Chemistry (BSc) ◆
- Biology and Mathematics (BSc) ◆
- Biology and Psychology (BSc) ◆
- Chemistry (BSc) ◆
- Chemistry and Mathematics (BSc) ◆
- Chemistry and Physics (BSc) ◆
- Computer Science (BA) (MILTON)
- Computer Science (BA) (WATERLOO) ◆
- Computer Science (BSc) (WATERLOO) ◆
- Computer Science (BSc) (MILTON)
- Computer Science and Physics (BSc) ◆
- Computer Science and Psychology (BSc) (WATERLOO)
- Data Science (BSc) ◆
- Environmental Science (BSc) ◆
- Environmental Studies (BA) ◆
- Financial Mathematics and Analytics (BA) ◆
- Financial Mathematics and Analytics (BSc) ◆
- Geography (BA) ◆
- Geography (BSc) ◆
- Health Sciences (BSc) ◆

- Honours Science (BSc) ◆
- Kinesiology (BKIN) ◆
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- Mathematics (BA) ◆
- Mathematics (BSc) ◆
- Mathematics and Data Analytics (BSc) ◆
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- Psychology (BA) (MILTON)
- Psychology (BA) (WATERLOO) ◆
- Psychology (BSc) (BRANTFORD)
- Psychology (BSc) (WATERLOO) ◆
- Psychology and Neuroscience (BSc) ◆

## FACULTY OF SOCIAL WORK

- Social Work (BSW)
- Social Work with Teaching Option (BSW)

## LAZARIDIS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

- Business Administration (BBA) ◆
- Business Administration (BBA) + Computer Science (BCS) ◆
- Business Administration (BBA) + Computer Science (BSc) ◆
- Business Administration (BBA) + Financial Mathematics (BA) ◆
- Business Administration (BBA) + Mathematics (BMATH) ◆
- Business Technology Management (BBTM) ◆
- Economics (BA) ◆
- Economics and Accounting (BA) ◆
- Economics and Data Analytics (BA) ◆
- Economics and Financial Management (BA) ◆





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- Christianity, Interfaith Dialogue and Community Engagement (BA)



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