

# WELCOME TO NBCC!

NBCC Fredericton is so excited to have you join us. Here is a quick guide on some must have info.



## Important Info



### GENERAL EMERGENCY:

Emergency services: **DIAL 911** for police, ambulance, or fire.



### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUPPORT:

Immigration: [immigration@nbcc.ca](mailto:immigration@nbcc.ca)

Student Success Coach:

[Katelyn.Forbes@nbcc.ca](mailto:Katelyn.Forbes@nbcc.ca)



### YOUR SAFETY:

**Your safety is our top priority.** Don't walk alone at night if possible. Lock your car and home doors. If you feel unsafe, reach out to security or student support on campus or call the police if off campus.



### HEALTH RESOURCES:

**Apply for Medicare Health Card:** this is New Brunswick's health card used for hospital and doctors visits: click here [www2.snb.ca](http://www2.snb.ca) to apply. Note that it can take up to three months to be processed and receive your card. Apply for your social insurance number, this will give you a number that you use to work in Canada. Visit: [www.canada.ca](http://www.canada.ca) to apply.

**Tele-Care 8-1-1: Call 8-1-1** any time of day or night to receive support from a nurse and get a referral to additional healthcare services in your community.

**211:** Dial 2-1-1 a referral helpline for New Brunswickers to call when they need help finding community support. [nb.211.ca](http://nb.211.ca)

**Local Hospital: Dr. Everett Chalmers  
Regional Hospital**

Location: 700 Priestman St., Fredericton,  
New Brunswick, E3B 5N5  
Telephone: 506-452-5400

Accessing Healthcare in New Brunswick:  
[Accessing healthcare \(gnb.ca\)](http://Accessing healthcare (gnb.ca))

## Student Support

We are here for you! Every campus has a Student Success Centre to ensure you have the tools and support needed throughout your journey at NBCC.



### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SUCCESS COACHES

International Student Support



### COUNSELLING

Counselling and Career Services



### FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

Financial Resources



### LIBRARY ASSISTANTS

Library Services



### LEARNING STRATEGISTS

Learner Services



### CUSTOMER SERVICE

[nbcc@nbcc.ca](mailto:nbcc@nbcc.ca) | 1-833-592-6222

Mental health app:

 mywellness



# Campus Facilities

Your campus has some great spaces to enjoy! Gymnasium, Fitness room, Library, student Lounge and quiet areas.

Once you arrive, you can sign up for on-campus and city tours to learn and explore more.



# Student Experience

## ORIENTATION

[Orientation and Onboarding](#)

## GET CONNECTED

Get involved on campus! Your Student Union offers events, sports and more. Visit: [www.nbccsu.ca](http://www.nbccsu.ca)

## ADDITIONAL COMMUNITY/GOVERNMENT RESOURCES

- [Service New Brunswick](#)
- [Working NB | PETL Working NB](#)
- [Opportunities New Brunswick](#)
- [Newcomers and Immigration | City of Fredericton](#)
- [Community Food Banks](#)
- [Emergency Food Cupboard](#)
- [Living in NB \(gnb.ca\)](#)

## MULTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION/ORGANIZATION:

- [Multicultural Association of Fredericton](#)
- [Hola Atlantic](#)
- [CAFi \(For French Speaker\)](#)
- [Immigration Fredericton](#)
- [The New Brunswick Multicultural Council](#)

## EAL-ENGLISH AS SECOND LANGUAGE RESOURCE:

[Grammar Basics - English Language Tools - Library Learning Commons at New Brunswick Community College](#)

[Learn with Rosetta Stone - English Language Tools - Library Learning Commons at New Brunswick Community College](#)

## STUDENT ID

Order your student ID online: <https://nbcc.libguides.com/photoid>. Location to pick up is also available on this page.

## STUDENT UNION HEALTH & DENTAL

Be sure to opt in or out of your health & dental plan provided by the Student Union.

More at [www.mystudentplan.ca](http://www.mystudentplan.ca)

## GUARD.ME

Your protection while studying in Canada: [www.nbcc.ca/international/guardme](http://www.nbcc.ca/international/guardme)

## IMMIGRATION

- [International Student Visas, permits, and immigration](#)
- [Provincial Immigration Programs](#)
- [Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada](#)







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# Fredericton

Fredericton is nestled along the shores of the beautiful Saint John River and is the capital city of New Brunswick. The city itself is full of history, nature, art, dining and youthful energy thanks to the high number of university and college students living here. The population is approximately 61,134.

### HIGHLIGHTS OF LIFE IN FREDERICTON

- Tons of restaurants (Asian, Indian, Italian, BBQ, Seafood, Bakery's and more!)
- Art galleries
- Nature Parks
- Shopping mall
- Fun outdoor and indoor parks

### GET TO KNOW FREDERICTON

- [City of Fredericton | Smart. Sustainable.](#)
- [Fredericton Capital Region](#)

### WHAT TO PACK:

- Required documents to present when entering Canada
- Books
- Items that remind you of your home country (eg. flag, music or family recipes)
- Medications
- Toiletries
- Weather appropriate clothes
- Light bed linens (bed sheets, pillowcases, etc)
- Laptop
- Thermometer

There's no dress code at NBCC. Students here usually dress casually in comfortable and practical clothes. Bring whatever clothing you like, in the style that you are used to wearing. If you're in a co-op program, you'll need additional business attire for interviews and work terms.

The weather in Canada varies from season to season. Classrooms are heated in the winter and air-conditioned in the summer. However, we recommend that you bring different types of clothing to suit the changing climate outdoors.

### CLIMATE:

We have 4 seasons in Canada. New Brunswick is on the East coast so you get a bit more snow and cooler temperatures the more north you go.

	<b>FALL:</b> September-December   <b>15 to 0 degrees Celsius</b>
	<b>WINTER:</b> December-May   <b>0 to -25 degrees Celsius</b>
	<b>SPRING:</b> May-June   <b>8 to 20 degrees Celsius</b>
	<b>SUMMER:</b> June-September   <b>20 to 34 degrees Celsius</b>

**Spring and summer:** Light-weight clothing is best  
**Spring and fall:** Sweaters and light waterproof jackets are useful for cool and rainy days  
**Winter:** Heavy jackets, scarves, gloves, hats and waterproof boots are essential

# Housing in Fredericton

## Fredericton Campus Guide

NBCC does not offer housing for students. You will need to secure your own place before or just after arriving. Make sure to be aware of rental scams and always sign a lease to secure your accommodations. Learn more about your rights as a tenant [here](#). Want to learn more about tenant rights?

Call **1-888-762-8600** or email [irent@snb.ca](mailto:irent@snb.ca).

*\*Tip: be prepared to pay first month's rent and damage deposit.*

### → ROOM RENTALS:

- Rent a room in a house: **\$500-\$1,000** a month
- Apartments: **\$950-\$1700** a month
- House rentals: **\$1,400- \$2,500** a month

### → LOOK ONLINE:

- [Places4Rent](#)
- Browse Real Estate, MLS Listings Near You in New Brunswick | Kijiji Classifieds
- Facebook Marketplace/Groups
- [Off-Campus Housing \(nbcc.ca\)](#)

### → HOUSING COSTS

- Housing for Newcomers to Canada | CMHC ([cmhc-schl.gc.ca](#))

### → COST OF LIVING NB

- Cost of Living Across Canada | Comparing 10 Canadian Cities | [WOWA.ca](#)
- Consumer Price Index by geography, all-items, monthly, percentage change, not seasonally adjusted, Canada, provinces, Whitehorse, Yellowknife and Iqaluit ([statcan.gc.ca](#))

### → TRANSPORTATION INFO

- [Fredericton Transit | City of Fredericton](#)  
Student Monthly Pass - \$55.00/month for full-time students (with appropriate identification). Passes can be purchased at **UNB Student Union** - The Welcome Centre, and at **City Hall**.



### PART TIME EMPLOYMENT

**\$15.30/hour** is minimum wage for New Brunswick

Looking for part time work? Look at [www.ca.indeed.com](http://www.ca.indeed.com), [www.jobbank.gc.ca](http://www.jobbank.gc.ca), [www.nbccsu.ca/job-postings](http://www.nbccsu.ca/job-postings) and search under Fredericton. For questions reach out to your Student Success Coach.

### CAREER

- [Career Services](#) - Career Services ([nbcc.ca](http://nbcc.ca))
- [Employment Resources](#) - Finding a Job - Library Learning Commons at New Brunswick Community College
- [Individuals](#) - PETL Working NB
- [Headstart to Employment](#) Intake Form
- [Tax information](#) - Canada Revenue Agency - [Canada.ca](#)

### CHILDCARE SERVICES

NBCC does not provide childcare services on campus. Do not bring your children to class. To secure childcare services please research available options in advance. Daycare spaces are very limited in New Brunswick.

Go to the [Parent Portal \(nbed.nb.ca\)](#) where you can register to view the daycare facilities in your campus area and put your name on a waitlist.

