



About University Canada West

UCW is an innovative business and technology-oriented, teaching-focused institution in Canada, offering undergraduate and graduate degrees for domestic and international students. The University is a dynamic and growing institution defined by its close connections to the business community and a commitment to outstanding student services.

How to Apply

To find out how you can enrol, email: partners@ucanwest.ca

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Entrance awards,
scholarships and
grants are available
to new students.



University Access Program

If you do not meet the minimum English language requirements for entry to the Bachelor, Associate of Arts or MBA programs, you can still improve your English skills to qualify for admission into a degree program at UCW.

The University Access Program (UAP), accredited by Languages Canada, prepares you for higher-level education in an English-speaking institution.

The program focuses on academic English, ensuring that you acquire the study skills needed to complete assignments and examinations with confidence. The courses include the development of specific academic skills such as essay writing, research methods, note taking, critical thinking and seminar or tutorial discussion.

You can meet the English proficiency requirements for admission to our degree programs by successfully completing the advanced level course of the University Access Program (UAC 030). This program is three, six or nine months in length, depending on the entry level. Each course is three months long.

Entry Requirements

- Academic IELTS – 6.0 with a minimum of 5.5 in the writing band or equivalent for UAC 030 Academic English Preparation (Advanced)
- Academic IELTS – 5.5 with a minimum of 5.0 in the writing band or equivalent for UAC 020 Academic English Preparation (Upper Intermediate)
- Academic IELTS – 5.0 with a minimum of 4.5 in the writing band or equivalent for UAC 010 Academic English Preparation (Intermediate)