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Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

1. What immigration documents do I need to study at Trebas?

Most international students must have a valid Québec Acceptance Certificate (CAQ) and a valid study permit.

2. Can I work while studying?

You may be eligible to work during your studies if your study permit includes a condition allowing you to work on or off campus. If this condition is not included, you may be able to apply to have it added.

3. Does Trebas provide health and hospitalization insurance?

No, you must sign up for a private health and hospitalization insurance for international students within 30 days of your arrival in Canada.

4. I am currently a student at another school in Canada. Do I need to apply for a new study permit to study at Trebas?

No, you may continue to use the same study permit if it is still valid. However, you must inform Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) that you have changed school through your online account.

5. I have received my Québec Acceptance Certificate (CAQ), but I would like to defer the start date of my program. Do I need to apply for a new CAQ?

If your start date is deferred by only one semester, you do not need to apply for a new CAQ and you can continue to use your current CAQ.

If you are deferring your start date by more than one semester, you must obtain a new CAQ.

6. How can I obtain a provincial attestation letter (PAL)?

In Quebec, international students may obtain a provincial attestation letter in the form of a Québec Acceptance Certificate (CAQ) issued by the Ministère de l'Immigration, de la Francisation et de l'Intégration (MIFI).

For your CAQ to also serve as a PAL, it must include the following line: "This letter of attestation confirms that the applicant has a place in the Québec share of the distribution of study permit applications or that he or she has been exempted."