

VCC Program Highlights

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Automotive Collision and Refinishing Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$38,909 for 2 years

- Auto body collision, refinishing and glass technicians
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$62,568 annual median salary
 - \$19 to \$41 hourly wage range
- Employer examples: autobody and collision shops
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 89%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 10 Math
- English 10, or IELTS 5.0 (4.5 each band), or DET 95, or ILAC PW 2.2, or ILSC I3, or equivalent



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Automotive Parts and Service Management Diploma

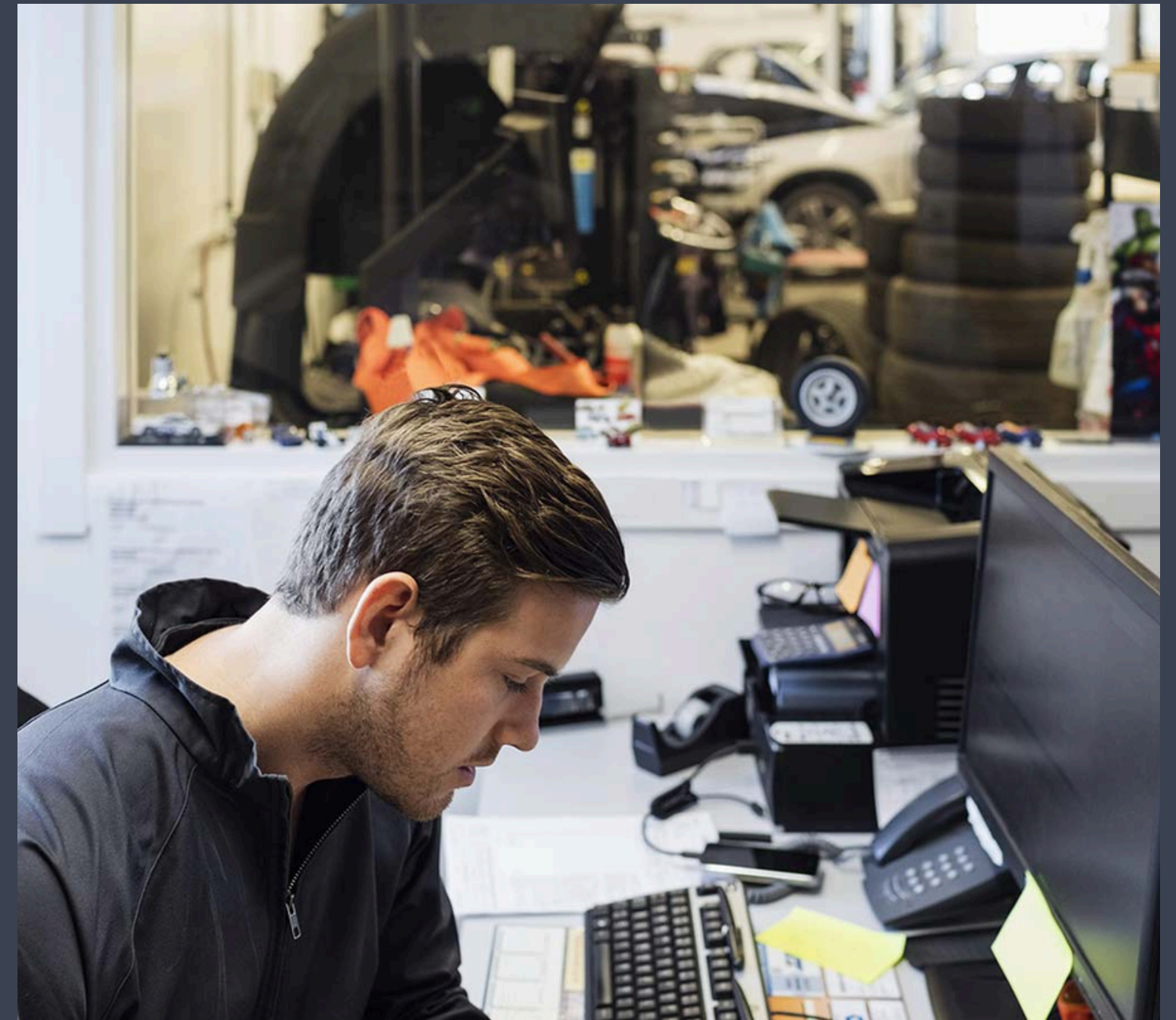
Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$38,280 for 2 years

- Auto Service Advisor, Auto Parts Advisor
- Salary Info and Positions from Indeed
 - Auto Service Advisor: \$60,000 to \$95,000 / year
 - Auto Parts Advisor: \$55,000 to \$90,000 / year
- Employer examples: autoshops

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 10 Math
- English 12 with C-, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.2, or ILSC A2, or equivalent



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Automotive Service Technology Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$36,477 for 2 years

- Automotive service technicians
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$66,739 annual median salary
 - \$20 to \$43 hourly wage range
- Employer examples: [autoshops](#)
- VCC's [graduate employment rate](#): 93%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 10 Math
- English 11, or IELTS 6.0 (5.5 each band), or DET 105, or ILAC PW 3.1, or ILSC A1, or [equivalent](#)



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Heavy Mechanical Technology Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$38,802 for 2 years

- Heavy-duty equipment mechanics
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$88,826 annual median salary
 - \$28 to \$52 hourly wage range
- Employer examples: [transport and machinery shops](#)
- VCC's [graduate employment rate](#): 92%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 10 Math
- English 10 or IELTS 5.5 (5.0 each band), or DET 95, or ILAC PW 2.2, or ILSC I3, or [equivalent](#)



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Early Childhood Care and Education Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$46,204 for 2 years

- Early childhood educator and assistants
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$41,172 annual median salary
 - \$17 to \$26 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: [daycare](#), [childcare centres](#)
- VCC's [graduate employment rate](#): 93%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Letters of recommendation, interview
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or [equivalent](#)



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Dental Technology Sciences Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$44,200 for 2.5 years

- Registered Dental Technician
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$54,226 annual median salary
 - \$25 to \$33 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: dental labs and clinics
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 83%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Human Biology 12 with C+
- Math 11, or Physics 11, or Chemistry 11 with C+
- Portfolio review and interview
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or equivalent



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Health Care Assistant Diploma

Career Example

- Health care assistant, home support worker
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$47,760 annual median salary
 - \$18 to \$26 hourly wage range
- Employer examples: senior or health care facilities
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 91%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- 18 years old or older
- Police check and English competency declaration form
- English 10, or IELTS 6.0 overall with 6.0 in Speaking and Listening and 5.5 in Reading and Writing, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$45,933 for 2 years



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Occupational/Physical Therapist Assistant Diploma

Career Example

- Physiotherapy assistant, rehab assis
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$50,054 annual median salary
 - \$18 to \$36 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: physiotherapy offices
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 98%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Biology (Anatomy and Physiology) 12 with
- English 12 with B, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 Listening/Reading, 6.5 Speaking/Writing), or DET 120, or equivalent
- Other requirements upon acceptance

Tuition Estimate: \$51,935 for 2 years



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Optician Diploma

Career Example

- Licensed Optician
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$56,311 annual median salary
 - \$22 to \$40 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: [optical labs](#), [optometrist offices](#), [eyewear stores](#)

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 11 Math with C-
- English 12 with C-, or IELTS 6.0 in all bands, or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or [equivalent](#)

Tuition Estimate: \$42,420 for 2 years



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CAD & BIM Technicians Diploma

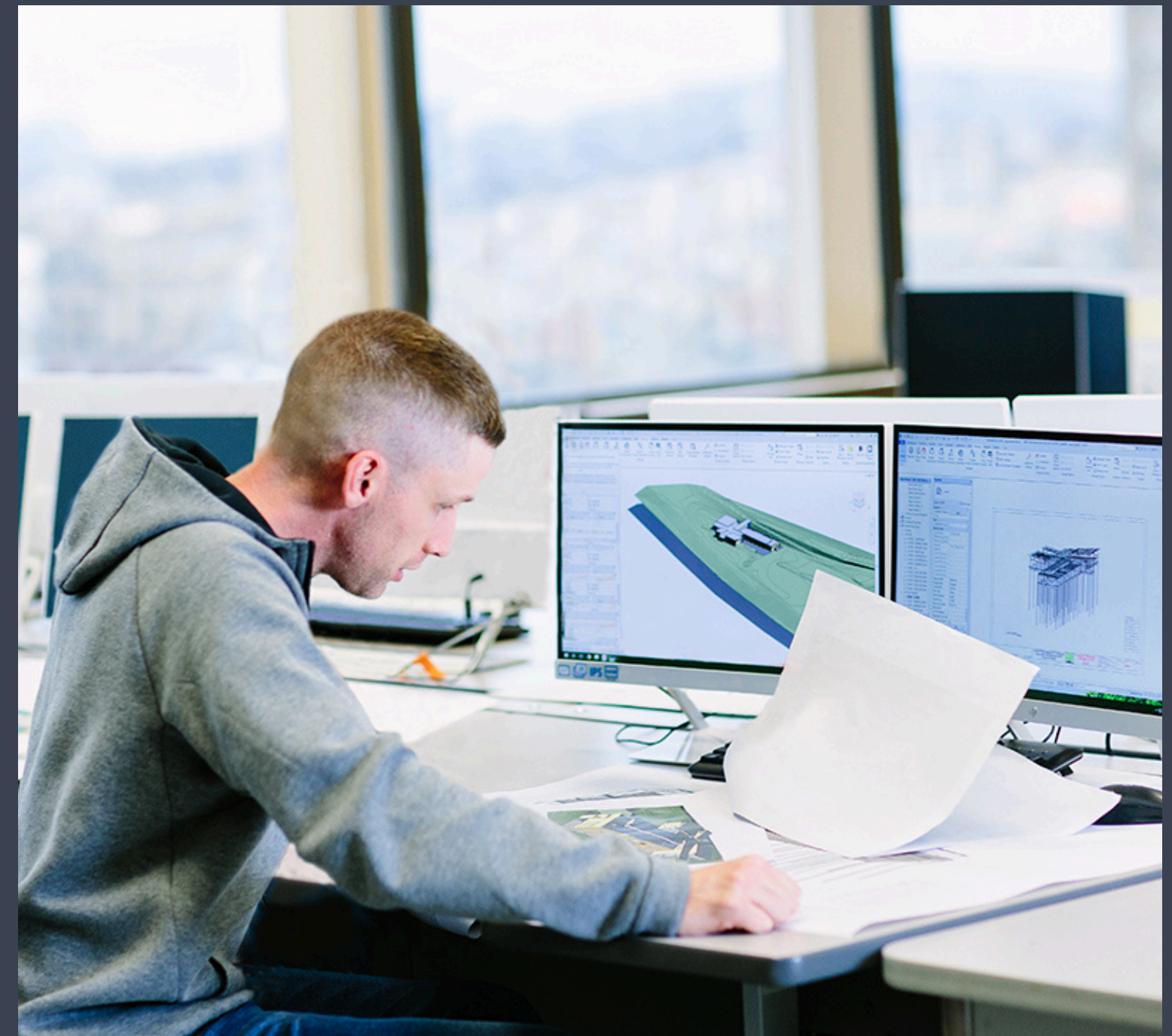
Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$42,556 for 2 years

- Drafting technicians (Architectural, Civil / Structural, Mechanical Engineering, Steel Construction Modelling)
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$66,739 annual median salary
 - \$22 to \$43 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: drafting companies, construction firms, engineering, government and other industries
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 70% to 80%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 11 Math
- English 12 with C-, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.2, or ILSC A2, or equivalent



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Computer Systems Technology Diploma

Career Example

- User support technicians
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$65,175 annual median salary
 - \$23 to \$45 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: technology, health, engineering, finance, consulting firms and other industries

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 12 Math with C
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.2, or ILSC A2, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$46,204 for 2 years



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Electronic Repair Technology Diploma

Career Example

- Electronic service technicians (household and business equipment)
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$58,396 annual median salary
 - \$20 to \$37 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: technology, security, electric, telecommunication companies, consumer electronic retailer, and more

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 10 Math with C-
- English 11 with C-, or IELTS 6.0 (5.5 each band), or DET 95, or ILAC PW 3.1, or ILSC A1, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$41,089 for 2 years



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Network Technology, Administration and Security Post-Degree Diploma

Tuition Estimate: \$41,443 for 2 years

Career Example

- Computer network and web technicians
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$65,175 annual median salary
 - \$23 to \$45 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: [technology](#), [health](#), [engineering](#), [finance](#), [consulting firms](#) and [other industries](#)
- VCC's [graduate employment rate](#): 91%

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or [equivalent](#)



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Cybersecurity, Governance, Risk and Compliance Post-Degree Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$32,754 for 2 years

- Cybersecurity specialists
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$98,732 annual median salary
 - \$25 to \$69 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: [technology](#), [health](#), [engineering](#), [finance](#), [consulting firms](#), [government](#), and [other industries](#)

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or [equivalent](#)



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Accounting Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$39,794 for 2 years

- Accounting technician, accounting clerk, financial assistant, tax preparation clerk
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Accounting clerk: \$49,658 annual median salary
 - Accounting technician: \$52,933 annual median salary
- Employer examples: accounting firm, business units, automotive, construction, technology, government, and many other industries

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Math 11
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent



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Marketing Technology Diploma

Career Example

- Marketing assistant, social media coordinator, digital marketing coordinator, CRM specialist
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$59,961 annual median salary
 - \$19 to \$55 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: technology, health, engineering, finance, consulting firms, government, and other industries

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Math 11 with C+
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$39,794 for 2 years



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Business Management Post-Degree Diploma

Tuition Estimate: \$39,794 for 2 years

Career Example

- Retail and wholesale trade manager, food service supervisor and manager, other services supervisors, consultants, bank associates, etc.
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Retail and wholesale trade manager: \$72,933
 - Other service supervisors: \$45,112
 - Other service managers: 91,7683
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 93%

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent



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Project Management Post-Degree Diploma

Career Example

- Project assistant, project coordinator, project manager
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Average range from \$50,000 to \$100,000
- Employer examples: health, construction, engineering, education, technology, government, and many other industries
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 83%

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC PW 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$39,794 for 2 years



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Fashion Design and Production Diploma

Career Example

- Fashion designer
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$70,180 annual median salary
 - \$25 to \$45 per-hour wage
- [Employer examples](#): fashion retailer, self-employed, designer firm, etc.

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Letter of intent, references, [Portfolio review and interview](#)
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or [equivalent](#)

Tuition Estimate: \$35,919 for 2 years



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Graphic Design Diploma

Career Example

- Graphic designer
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$65,175 annual median salary
 - \$20 to \$56 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: marketing firm, self-employed, technology, health, education, engineering, government and many more industries
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 83%

Admission Requirements

- Resume, letter of intent, references, portfolio review and interview
- English 12 with C, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$43,625 for 2 years



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Jewellery Art and Design Diploma

Career Example

- Jewellery designer, polisher, repairer and salesperson
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$70,180 annual median salary
 - \$25 to \$45 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: jewellery design firm, self-employed, retailer
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 81%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Resume, letter of intent, portfolio review and interview
- English 12, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$38,605 for 2 years



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Music Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$31,602 for 2 years

- Music instructors, musician, singers, band members
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Musicians and singers: \$35,592 annual median salary
 - Conductors, composers and arrangers: \$44,800
 - Other performers: \$46,000
- Employer examples: self-employed, music academy, music studio
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 88%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Audition and interview, Supplemental Application form
- English 12, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or equivalent



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Baking and Pastry Dual Certificates

Career Example

- Baker, pastry chef
- [Salary info from WorkBC](#)
 - \$35,977 annual median salary
 - \$17 to \$23 per-hour wage
- [Employer examples](#): bakery, restaurants, hotels
- VCC's [graduate employment rate](#): 86%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 10 completion
- Math 10
- Foodsafe Level 1
- English 10, or IELTS 5.5 (5.0 each band), or DET 95, or ILAC 2.2, or ILSC I3, or [equivalent](#)

Tuition Estimate: \$38,909 for 2 years



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Culinary Arts Diploma

Career Example

- Professional Cook Level 1, Level 2, Level 3, Chef
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - \$37,541 annual median salary
 - \$17 to \$24 per-hour wage
- Employer examples: restaurants, hotels, hospitals, supermarkets, senior homes, catering companies, etc.
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 89%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 10 completion
- Math 10
- English 10, or IELTS 5.5 (5.0 each band), or DET 95, or ILAC 2.2, or ILSC I3, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$44,380 for 2 years



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Hospitality Management Diploma

Career Example

Tuition Estimate: \$36,477 for 2 years

- Accommodation, travel, tourism and related services supervisors, food service supervisors
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Food service supervisor: \$38,584 annual median salary
 - Accommodation Supervisor: \$47,969 annual salary
- Employer examples: restaurants, hotels, cruise ships, food and beverage outlets and accommodation services
- VCC's graduate employment rate: 85%

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 completion
- English 12 with C-, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC 3.2, or ILSC A2, or equivalent



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Hospitality Management Post-Degree Diploma

Career Example

- Accommodation service managers, restaurant and food service managers
- Salary info from WorkBC
 - Food service managers: \$52,140 annual median salary
 - Accommodation managers: \$64,174 annual salary
- Employer examples: restaurants, hotels, resorts, cruise ships, food and beverage outlets and accommodation services

Admission Requirements

- Bachelor's degree
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$31,853 for 2 years



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University Transfer

First-Year Transfer

- Arts (30 credits)
- Sciences (30 credits)
- Computing Science and Software Systems (30 credits)
- Engineering (36 credits)

Two-Years Transfer

- Science (Computer Science Pathway, 60 credits)

Admission Requirements

- Grade 12 graduation
- Grade 12 subjects with C+ based on streams (e.g. Sciences with C+, Math with B)
- English 12 with C+, or IELTS 6.5 (6.0 each band), or DET 115, or ILAC 3.3, or ILSC A2, or equivalent

Tuition Estimate: \$18,578 to \$25,826 per year



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