



# HOLBORN

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## About Canada

Canada is the second largest country in the world by land area. However, it is home to a relatively small population of just 37 million people. Canada is one of the most developed countries, the tenth largest economy by GDP. The country is a constitutional monarchy with a long history of parliamentary democracy. It has a close relationship with the neighbouring United States and deep traditional ties with the United Kingdom. Canada is a member of NATO, the G7, OECD, the Commonwealth, the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum, and the Organization of American States.

Canada has long been regarded as a safe family friendly country with a relatively low cost, high-quality education system, social benefits and impressive standard of living.

Canada is committed to opening its borders to welcome thousands of new immigrants to the country each year. Canada prides itself on its diversity and acceptance of people from all backgrounds, creeds, classes and races. Newcomers are encouraged to practice their culture and lifestyle to add to the rich diversity of the country.

## The Start Up Visa Programme

The Federal government launched the Canada Start Up Visa Program as a pilot in 2013 and, following its successful introduction, it was made permanent in 2018.

The programme aims to bring skilled entrepreneurs to Canada to drive innovation and job creation in the economy. In addition to government backing, business incubators, angel investors, and other local, regional and national organisations provide a wide support base.

The Start Up Visa Programme offers one of the fastest pathways to permanent residency and citizenship.



## The Benefits

- Irrevocable, permanent residency
- Freedom to settle anywhere in Canada except Quebec
- Family residency including spouse and dependent children under 22 years old
- Status in Canada is not tied to Start Up Company
- The fastest path to permanent residency
- Federal government backed programme

## Why a Start Up Visa

Canada's Start Up Visa Programme is designed to attract dynamic entrepreneurs from around the world and encourage them to create innovation and growth in the economy. The programme fast tracks qualifying entrepreneurs to permanent residency and a route to full citizenship. It is not limited to the high-tech sector and business people, innovators and experienced managers are encouraged to apply.



## Required documents

MAIN APPLICANT	MAIN APPLICANT	SPOUSE	DEPENDENT
GENERIC APPLICATION FORM TO CANADA (IMM 0008)	X		
ADDITIONAL DEPENDENT DECLARATION (IMM 008DEP) Only required if main applicant has 5 or more dependents	X		
SCHEDULE A: BACKGROUND DECLARATION (IMM 5669)	X	X	X ABOVE 18
TRAVEL HISTORY (IMM 5562)	X		
STARTUP BUSINESSCLASS (IMM 0008 SCHEDULE 13)	X		
ADDITIONAL FAMILY INFORMATION (IMM 5406)	X	X	X ABOVE 18
COPY OF PASSPORT PAGES	X	X	X
PROOF OF LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY	X		
LETTER OF SUPPORT	X		
BIRTH CERTIFICATE'	X	X	X
NATIONAL ID OR HOUSEHOLD REGISTER	X	X	
ORIGINAL POLICE CERTIFICATES	X		
MARRIAGE AND/OR DIVORCE CERTIFICATES	X	X	
NAME CHANGE OR DATE OF BIRTH CHANGE DOCUMENTS	X	X	
TWO PASSPORT PHOTOS	X	X	X
OTHER BASIC SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS	X	X	X
PROOF OF SETTLEMENT FUNDS	X		

## Application Requirements

- A minimum of one year post secondary education
- Experience in business or technology fields
- Sufficient funds to show the family (a recommended minimum of CDN\$30,000)
- English language test pass
- The desire to move and start a new life in Canada

## The Cost

Applicants will require minimum funds of \$170,000





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