

QUB Admission Requirements Canada



Entry Requirements for Undergraduate:

- ▶ The Canadian High School Diploma (Grade 12). The minimum requirement is usually 75 - 80% overall, although some programmes do require higher grades and may specify exact grade requirements in relevant subjects.
- ▶ Alberta: A General High School Diploma with an average of at least 75 - 80% in five acceptable grade 12 courses.
- ▶ British Columbia: the Senior Secondary Graduation Diploma with at least five Bs in acceptable grade 12 courses and 75 - 80% overall.
- ▶ Manitoba: the High School Graduation Diploma with five credits awarded at 300 level in at least four subject areas and at least 75% achieved in each of these areas.
- ▶ Ontario: The Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) is required normally with an average of 80% in six Grade 12 U/M courses. Certain programmes may require Grade 12 U/M courses in specific subjects.
- ▶ Saskatchewan: the Grade 12 Standing/Division IV Standing (Secondary School Diploma) with an average of at least 75 - 80% in five acceptable subjects.

Entry Requirements for Postgraduate (Taught):

Entry to taught masters programmes at Queen's University Belfast usually require either a UK upper second-class (2:1) or a lower second-class (2:2) undergraduate degree. For most courses the content of your Bachelor degree may also be considered. Please check our [Course Finder](#) for detailed entry requirements.

The comparable Canadian qualifications are as follows:

UK Upper Second-Class Honours (2:1)

- ▶ A good four-year Bachelor degree or three-year Baccalauréat with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 on a 4 point scale, 6.0 on a 9 point scale, 8.0 on a 12 point scale or 73% (where the pass mark is 50%). Please note that for graduate admission to either the 5 year Medicine or Dentistry degrees, a minimum CGPA of 3.3 on a scale of 4.0 (78%) is required.

UK Lower Second-Class Honours (2:2)

- ▶ A good four-year Bachelor degree or three-year Baccalauréat with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.7 on a 4 point scale, 5.0 on a 9 point scale, 7.0 on a 12 point scale or 70% (where the pass mark is 50%).

English Language Requirements:

- ▶ Canada is deemed to be majority English-speaking, so Canadian nationals are exempt from further English language requirements.
- ▶ If a non-Canadian applicant has completed a degree through the medium of English at a Canadian institution (in person with a student visa), this can be accepted without need for a further English test (once verified by Queen's University).
- ▶ IELTS or an equivalent acceptable qualification: [English Language Requirements](#)