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Your Guide For Traveling to Calgary!



Maligayang pagdating!

Bienvenido!

Bienvenue!

Welcome!

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Things to remember before taking your trip



- **Keep your documents with you in your carry-on luggage when you travel, not in your checked luggage**
- **Your study permit (and co-op work permit, if applicable) will be printed upon entry - take time to ensure the information on it is correct**
- **Dress for the weather, winters can be especially cold in Calgary**

Things to remember before taking your trip

- **Have the address where you are staying your first night handy**
- **Travel with snacks. Stores and restaurants may be closed at the time of your arrival**
- **Once you arrive, be sure to immediately call someone back home to let them know you have arrived safely**



Transportation from the Calgary Airport



Calgary transit provides public transportation to and from the Airport.

- **Route 100: Connects the Airport terminal to and from the McKnight-Westwinds LRT Station (LRT Blue Line)**
- **Route 300: Connects the Airport terminal to and from downtown Calgary**

Transportation from the Calgary Airport

A boarding ticket must be purchased before boarding Calgary Transit vehicles

- **Ticket machines are located at Door 15, Pillar 32, and Door 1, Pillar 7**
- **Debit, Credit and Canadian coins are accepted as payment**
- **Fares are marked on ticket machines (\$11.25 for a day pass)**



Transportation from the Calgary Airport



Round-the-clock taxi service is available to and from the airport. standard municipal mandated fare rates apply. A typical fare any direction to and from the airport may range from \$40 and \$50. Fares vary however based on traffic, and distance traveled.

Transportation from the Calgary Airport

Taxi Stands can be found at the following locations at the airport;

- **From the International Terminal, located on the arrivals level outside of doors 16 and 17**
- **From the Domestic Terminal, located on the arrivals level outside of doors 1 and 6.**



Transportation from the Calgary Airport



TappCar



UBER

The Transportation Network Company (TNC) Provides affordable transportation connecting passengers to and from the airport. After arranging your ride, you can meet your TNC driver at one of the designated zones - located on the arrivals level outside doors 1 and 12.

Authorized TNC operators at the airport include;

- **Cowboy Taxi**
- **TappCar**
- **Uber**

Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan (AHCIP)

Students studying in Alberta with a valid study permit may apply for the Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan (AHCIP) immediately upon arrival into Alberta.

STEP 1: Complete the Application form(S)

- **Download the general application form for AHCIP coverage**
- **Download application form for AHCIP Coverage: Canadian Children of Non-Eligible Parents**



Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan (AHCIP)

STEP 2: Gather your supporting Documents

You must provide supporting documents that prove:

- Alberta residency
- Identity
- Legal Entitlement to be in Canada



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STEP 3: Submit the application

- **In Person:** Bring the completed application for and your original documents to an Authorized Registry Agent. There is no charge for this service
- **By Mail:** Send your completed application form and photocopies of your supporting documents to the AHCIP office;

Alberta Health
Attention: Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan
PO. Box 1360, Station Main
Edmonton, Alberta T5J 2N3



While you are in Calgary!



There is a very strong Philippine community in Calgary! So, you are not as far from home as you thought! Calgary is where over 75,000 Filipinos call home.

Start your search for a little of home in Calgary by visiting the [Philippine Cultural Center Foundation](#)

**#206 4656 Westwinds Drive NE.
Calgary, AB. T3J 3Z5
403 568-9901**



While you are in Calgary!

Calgary is a modern metropolitan city boasting more than 1.3 million people in its statistical area. Calgary is also spread over across more than 2,000 square miles. So, Calgary has a lot of attractions for almost anyone!

- [City Of Calgary Main Page](#)
- [Calgary Wikipedia](#)
- [Tourism Calgary](#)



While you are in Calgary!



Here are just a few of the many sites to see in and around Calgary.

- [Heritage Park Historical Village](#)
- [The Calgary Zoo](#)
- [The Calgary Exhibition and Stampede](#)
- [The Calgary Tower](#)
- [Prince's Island Park](#)
- [Fish Creek Provincial Park](#)
- [Telus Spark Science Center](#)
- [Studio Bell](#)
- [Stephen Avenue Walkway](#)
- [Calgary Pathway System](#)

While you are in Calgary!

If its action that you are looking for, Calgary is also home to many professional (Major and Minor league) and armature sport teams.

Calgary Sporting attractions;

- [Calgary Flames \(NHL Hockey\)](#)
- [Calgary Stampeders \(CFL Football\)](#)
- [Calgary Roughnecks \(NLL Lacrosse\)](#)
- [Cavalry FC \(CanPL Soccer\)](#)
- [Calgary Surge \(CEBL Basketball\)](#)
- [Calgary Dinos \(University Sports\)](#)



Your Program at Bay River College



Other than your field placement experiences that you will gain, you will also be completing the following modules with us here at Bay River College;

- **Hospitality Today: An Introduction:**
A comprehensive introduction to the many entities that make up the hospitality industry, as well as an overview of today's hot issues including ethical challenges and management concerns.

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- **Managing Service in Food and Beverage Operations:**

How food service professionals create and deliver guest-driven service, enhance value, build guest loyalty and promote repeat business.



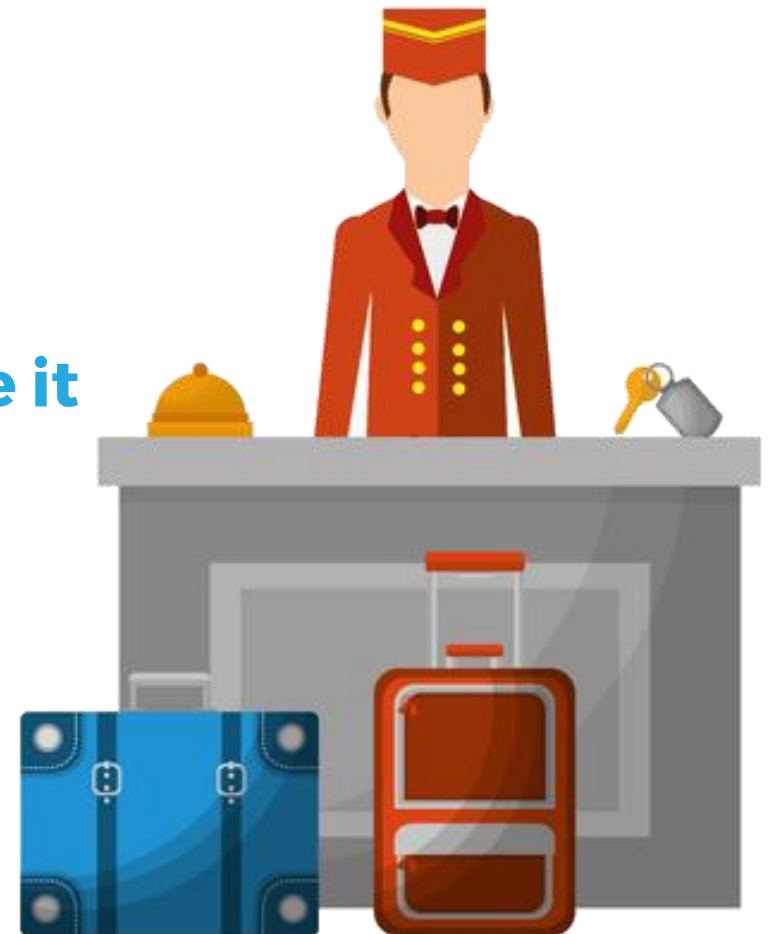
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- **Management of Food and Beverage Operations:**
Successful management and operational tactics used in food and beverage operations, how food service operations improve quality standards while reducing expenses, and explores ways that technology can be used to give guests greater value for their dining dollars while improving quality and efficiency.

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- **Supervision in the Hospitality Industry:**
Supervision and management skills that are essential to hospitality workplace success.
- **Managing Front Office Operations:**
Overview of a hotel's front office and the role it plays in creating memorable guest experiences.
- **Managing Beverage Operations:**
Focuses on the successful elements of a beverage operation, based on research to identify those that are thriving.



Philippine Embassy and Consulate General



**The Philippine Consulate General – Calgary serve
Filipinos who reside in Alberta and
Saskatchewan**

**The Philippine Consulate General – Calgary
Suite 100, 1001 – 1st Street SE.**

Calgary, Alberta. T2G 5G3

1 403 455-9457 (Main Line)

**1 587 577-1524 (Emergency / in case of death and/or arrest
of Filipino Nationals)**

Main Website: <https://philcongencalgary.org>

Passports: calgarypcg@gmail.com

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Assistance to Nationals: calgarypcg.ATN@gmail.com



Accommodations in Calgary and Banff

Bay River College is a proud partner with [Banff Lodging Co.](#) to provide our students with lodging accommodations during their stay in and around Calgary during their studies and work here.



Accommodations in Calgary and Banff

- Contact our main line (1 403 457-6400), or Calgaryadmin@bayrivercollege for general information.
- Contact Banff Lodging Co. regarding your specific accommodations and related services.



[Banff Lodging Company](#)
Suite 300, 229 Bear Street
PO Box 1070
Banff, AB. T1L 1H8



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Salamat!

Gracias!

Merci!

Thank You!