

PARKLAND COLLEGE



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Parkland College is the smart investment for your future.

Whether you're from around the corner or around the globe, we offer training to suit your needs. From agriculture to welding, Parkland College offers a broad range of programs including bachelor's degrees, diplomas, certificates, and adult basic education. We offer a variety of university and skills training programs close to home so you don't have to worry about transfer credits.

Forget the typical lecture theatre with 300 students crammed into old wooden desks. Our unique learning environment, where class sizes are typically smaller and instructors and classmates know you by name, can help you get better grades and learn more effectively.

Bachelor's Degrees (Four Years)

BACHELOR OF INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

Providing a holistic First Nations teaching perspective, the Indigenous Education program from First Nations University of Canada provides tremendous opportunity whether you want to teach elementary or secondary education.

The program is generalist in approach. It emphasizes language and arts and requires a concentration in Indigenous education. Specific Indigenous education courses have been designed to introduce teachers to the unique needs of First Nations students.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Parkland College partners with the U of S College of Nursing and Saskatchewan Health Authority to deliver a world class nursing education. Through the use of distributed learning technology, students in Yorkton are able to learn where they live.

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) is a non-direct entry four-year degree program, which includes a pre-professional year of university level courses, followed by three years of nursing education and clinical practice opportunities.

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

The BSW program from the University of Regina emphasizes preparing students to gain the skills necessary to counsel individuals and groups, develop and administer programs, empower community groups, conduct social research, analyze programs, policies and issues, and develop and implement problem solving strategies. The program is generalist in approach and will prepare you to work with disadvantaged and minority groups in urban, rural, and remote areas. Classes are available as a mixture of face-to-face, blended, and online delivery.

University Classes

FIRST YEAR & DISTANCE DELIVERY

Thanks to partnerships with the University of Saskatchewan and University of Regina, students are able to take the first year of almost any undergraduate degree from the two institutions at Parkland College.

We offer more than 60 course offerings to choose from. First-year students take classes in a wide range of subject areas to get a broader understanding of learning at the university level. The College's smaller class sizes and access to instructors often help students get better grades.

At the end of your first year, you can apply for professional programs such as Pharmacy & Nutrition, Nursing, etc. Make an appointment with our academic advisors to go over your program plan and ensure you have all of the prerequisites lined up.

Diplomas (Two Years)

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

If you like being part of decision-making processes, and are interested in organizational culture and interpersonal dynamics, the Business Management specialty will appeal to you. You could work in an administrative role in a wide range of public and privately owned enterprises, crown corporations and government organizations, or start your own business.

PRACTICAL NURSING

Licensed practical nurses (LPNs) are in demand across Canada. There are more job opportunities now than ever before, and more chances to create a career that suits your interests. LPNs typically work in an area of interest such as gerontology, maternal-child, medical, mental health, palliative, pediatric, rehabilitation, or surgical nursing.

The same. But different.

Choosing Parkland College for your education gives you the best of both worlds. We keep class sizes small and offer a learner-centered community feel. And because our post-secondary programs meet the same standards as those at Saskatchewan Polytechnic and the province's universities, you will graduate with the same credentials as students on those campuses. Come to Parkland College and see the difference we can make for you.

Post-Secondary Admissions Chart

Program	Full-Time/ Part-Time	Length	Location	Approximate Start and End Dates
Agricultural Equipment Technician	FT	36 weeks	Yorkton	Sept 2023 - May 2024
Agriculture Sciences Certificate	FT	32 weeks	Yorkton	Oct 2023 - April 2024
Bachelor of Arts in Sociology	FT	3 or 4 years	Yorkton	September - April
Bachelor of Indigenous Education	FT	4 years	Yorkton	September - April
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	FT	4 years	Yorkton	September - April
Bachelor of Social Work	FT	4 years	Yorkton	September - April
Business Certificate - Year 1	FT	32 weeks	Yorkton	Aug 2023 - April 2024
Business Diploma - Year II (Management)	FT	32 weeks	Yorkton	Aug 2023 - April 2024
Continuing Care Assistant	FT	32 weeks	Yorkton	Sept 2023 - May 2024
Continuing Care Assistant	PT	varies	Canora, Fort Qu'Appelle	varies
Early Childhood Education	PT	varies	Fort Qu'Appelle, Yorkton	varies
Emergency Medical Responder	FT	2 weeks	Yorkton	November 2023
Firefighter	FT	14 weeks	Melville	July 2023 - Oct 2024
Heavy Equipment Truck & Transport Technican	FT	35 weeks	Yorkton	Sept 2023 - June 2024
Medical Laboratory Assistant	FT	27 weeks	Yorkton	Oct 2023 - June 2024
Office Administration	FT	32 weeks	Online	Aug 2023 - April 2024
Power Engineering - Fourth Class	FT	32 weeks	Yorkton	Aug 2023 - April 2024
Power Engineering - Third Class	FT	16 weeks	Yorkton	Aug 2023 - Jan 2024
Practical Nursing	FT	2 years	Yorkton	Feb 2025 - Feb 2027 (Applications open Oct 1, 2023 - May 30, 2024)
Primary Care Paramedic	FT	48 weeks	Melville	Aug-May
Welding	FT	35 weeks	Yorkton	Sept-May
University (60+ class offerings to choose from)	FT & PT	varies	Yorkton	varies

- If you do not meet the entrance requirements, special admissions may be an option. Contact a Parkland College counsellor for more information.
- All tuition fees listed are for Canadian residents and subject to change up to one month prior to delivery.
- Tuition fees do not include books, materials, fees, or applicable taxes. Please refer to parklandcollege.sk.ca for more details.

Entrance Requirements (all programs have an English Language Requirement)	Approximate Tuition	Credential	Credit Granting Institute
Grade 10, English Language Requirement, Special Admission - ACCUPLACER	\$7,000	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ English A30 and B30, Foundations 20 or Pre-Calculus 20, and any 20 level core science, special admission - ACCUPLACER, English language requirement	\$5,500	Certificate	Lakeland College
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30, a 30-level Math or Science, a 30-level language, social science or fine arts, and an approved 30-level course - minimum average of 72%	set by universities	Bachelor Degree	University of Regina or University of Saskatchewan
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30, a 30-level Math or Science, a 30-level language, social science or fine arts, and an approved 30-level course - minimum average of 65%	set by universities	Bachelor Degree	First Nations University of Canada
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30, Biology 30, Chemistry 30, and a 30-level Math - minimum average of 72%	set by universities	Bachelor Degree	University of Saskatchewan
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30, a 30-level math, plus two other approved 30-level academic subjects - minimum average of 65%	set by universities	Bachelor Degree	University of Regina
Grade 12, or successful completion of three (3) courses of at least 3 credit units each from this Business certificate program or the Business diploma (year 1), Special Admission - ACCUPLACER	\$4,600	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12, or successful completion of three (3) courses of at least 3 credit units each from this Business certificate program or the Business diploma (year 1), Special Admission - ACCUPLACER	\$4,600	Diploma	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 or GED, special admission option; Standard First Aid and Heartsaver CPR "C" AED; satisfactory immunization records prior to clinical; criminal record check. Driver's licence and vehicle required for clinical.	\$4,900	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 or GED, no special admission option; Standard First Aid and Heartsaver CPR "C" AED; satisfactory immunization records prior to clinical; criminal record check. Driver's licence and vehicle required for clinical.	\$375-650/class	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30	\$375-475/class	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
OHS Standard First Aid with CPR "C" or HCP "C"	\$1,500	Certificate	St. John Ambulance
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30; any grade 11 Science and one of Math Foundations 20, Workplace and Apprenticeship Math 20 or Pre-Calculus 20. Minimum Average of 50% each class. Standard First Aid and CPR Level "C" AED; and a Drivers License. Must be 18 years of age before the start date of the program. Good physical health.	\$11,000	Certificate	Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency
Grade 11 w/ Foundations of Math 20 or Pre-Calculus 20 or Workplace and Apprenticeship Math 20, Special Admission - ACCUPLACER	\$6,800	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ a min. grade of 70% in English A30, English B30, Math Foundations 20 or 30 or Pre-Calculus 30, Health Science 20 or Biology 30, and Physical Science 20 or Chemistry 30. Criminal record check and English language required.	\$9,750	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12, Special Admission - ACCUPLACER	\$4,600	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ Foundations of Math 30 or Pre-Calculus 30 or Math B30 - minimum overall average of 65%, Special Admission - ACCUPLACER. Chemistry and Physics are recommended.	\$5,600	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Successful completion of Power Engineering Technician - Fourth Class	\$3,800	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ min. overall average of 65% in the following five subjects: English A30, English B30, Foundations of Math 30 or Pre-Calculus 30 or Workplace and Apprenticeship Math 30; one of Biology 30, Chemistry 30 or Physics 30; and one of Social Studies 30, History 30 or Native Studies 30. No Special Admission option. Satisfactory immunization records, current Standard First Aid and CPR C/ AED or equivalent and criminal record check are required prior to clinical,	\$12,500	Diploma	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 12 w/ English A30 & B30, Biology 30 or Chemistry 30, Workplace & Apprenticeship Math 30 or Foundations of Math 30 or Pre-Calculus 30 - minimum average of 60%. Driver's licence required. Standard First Aid and CPR Level "C" AED; Transferring Lifting Repositioning (TLR) Certification & WH-MIS required before start of program.	\$6,800	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Grade 10, Special admission - ACCUPLACER	\$6,400	Certificate	Saskatchewan Polytechnic
Visit parklandcollege.sk.ca for admission requirements	set by universities	University credit	University of Regina, University of Saskatchewan

- Parkland College makes every effort to ensure that the information in this guide is accurate and complete at the time of printing. However, by the time you apply, the information provided here may change. Please visit www.parklandcollege.sk.ca for the latest details.
- Programs are subject to cancellation or postponement.

Certificates (One Year or Less)

AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT TECHNICIAN

Students will learn assembly, repair, service, and maintenance on all types of agricultural equipment through a combination of classroom instruction and hands-on shop time.

AGRICULTURE SCIENCES

Master fundamental skills that are essential for modern agricultural operations, including computer training, keeping accurate business records, and using up-to-date and innovative technology. Skills specific to crop production will involve you in practical field skills used to identify plants and weeds and assess a variety of pest problems.

BUSINESS (YEAR I & YEAR II)

The Year I certificate will give you a solid foundation in accounting, finance, marketing, economics, and more. If you like being a leader and being part of decision-making processes, the Year II diploma with a management specialty will appeal to you.

CONTINUING CARE ASSISTANT

Learn the fundamentals required to work in care homes, home care, and community health centers. Full-time and part-time courses are available. The program consists of theory courses, lab skills, and practicum placements in special care facilities and home care.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Broaden your understanding of children's physical, social, cognitive, creative, and emotional development. You will also develop an understanding of the importance of play as a vehicle for learning.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER

Recognized by the Saskatchewan College of Paramedics, this certificate prepares you for emergencies to help sustain life, reduce pain, and minimize the consequences of injury or sudden illness until the next level of health care personnel takes over.

FIREFIGHTING

If you're looking for a hot job in municipal or industrial firefighting, this is the place to start. This unique and comprehensive program provides preparation for entry-level career positions. Our program curriculum exceeds National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) requirements by including more practice runs and hands-on activities.

HEAVY EQUIPMENT TRUCK & TRANSPORT TECHNICIAN

Learn basic training in two high-demand mechanical trades at once. Heavy duty equipment technicians work on large mobile equipment—bulldozers, cranes, graders, loaders, and earthmovers used in construction, mining, and forestry. Truck and transport mechanics work on trucks, buses, and highway transport vehicles for dealers, garages, and transportation companies.

MEDICAL LABORATORY ASSISTANT

New Program! This high demand program will train students to work in a laboratory setting. Master the skills of health information collection, medical specimens processing, and basic laboratory activities. Medical laboratory assistants work in a high paced, professional team environment with other health care providers and patients.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

Valued for their ability to bring organization and professionalism to the workplace, Office Admin graduates possess a wealth of skills related to the business office environment, with an emphasis on computer applications. Practical, hands-on training will prepare you for the demands and rewards of functioning in the modern office.

POWER ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN (FOURTH & THIRD CLASS)

Power engineering technicians help keep power plants running safely and efficiently. Fourth Class graduates can go directly into the workforce or pursue their Third Class certificate and beyond. You could work in the oil patch, mining, manufacturing, energy, health, and other industries. It's a physical job that requires problem-solving skills and a knack for working with machinery.

PRIMARY CARE PARAMEDIC

Combine authentic hands-on training in pre-hospital emergency care with both hospital and ambulance practicums. Students will learn to perform physical assessments of the various body systems. You will also be able to recognize and manage medical and trauma injuries, as well as common cardiac and respiratory emergencies.

WELDING

Sparks will fly as you learn on state-of-the-art equipment and one-of-a-kind projects in our Canadian Welding Bureau certified shops, and write your CWB test before you graduate. You will receive training in multiple welding processes, operating fabrication equipment, using blueprints, general shop practice, and shop safety.

Graduate with less debt.

Completing a full degree, diploma, or certificate at Parkland College can mean more of your money stays in your pocket. You can save on moving expenses, rent, food, and transportation. Even if you take just one year at Parkland College, the cost savings can be significant. So when you start your career, there's less debt to pay off and more of your paycheck stays with you.

Adult Basic Education

ADULT 10 & ADULT 12 (UPGRADING)

Adult Basic Education (ABE) provides educational opportunities to those who have completed high school and wish to upgrade specific classes, those would like to upgrade their literacy skills, and individuals who did not complete high school.

Complete your Adult 10 or Adult 12 in a face-to-face setting. Daytime ABE classes are held in Yorkton, Melville, Fort Qu'Appelle, and Kamsack.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASSES FOR NEWCOMERS TO CANADA

Parkland College's English Language Training program will assist Newcomers to Canada in improving their speaking, reading, listening, and writing skills in English. Eligible newcomers are welcome to advance their skills with a qualified English Language teacher in our face-to-face and online classes.

As a Parkland College student, your studies will follow the Canadian Language Benchmarks (CLB). The CLB describes the different skill levels of adults who are learning English as a second language. Currently the Parkland College English Language program includes instruction for people from CLB 1-8.

WORKPLACE TRAINING & MENTORSHIP PROGRAMS

Essential Skills are needed for success in work, learning, and life. They are the foundational skills that make it easier to learn all other skills.

A strong foundation can help you perform tasks required by your occupation, act as a base for learning other skills, and enhance your ability to be innovative and adapt to workplace change.

Customized programming can include:

- One-on-one Essential Skills upgrading
- Group training
- Project based training
- Practical application



Parkland College delivers
customized training the way you need it.

In the classroom. Online. On site.
We can even develop a program for you.

- Mental Health First Aid
- Computer Training
- Web & App Developer
- Leadership Training
- Welding Training
- Fireman Boiler Operator
- Truck Driver Training
- Conflict Resolution
- Personality Dimensions
- Water Operator Training
- Security Guard Training
- Introduction to Farm Hand
- Customer Service
- Emergency Services
- Fire Safety & Fire Extinguisher Training

Safety Training Options

- First Aid/CPR/AED
- H2S Alive
- GLOBAL Ground Disturbance
- Fall Protection for Industrial
- Confined Space Awareness/Entry
- Transportation of Dangerous Goods
- WHMIS
- Supervision & Safety
- Ready to Work
- OHC Training—Level I & II
- Basic Rigging
- Online Safety Training

Contact Parkland College at 306.786.2760 to get started today!



How To Apply

Electronic and downloadable application forms are available online at apply.parklandcollege.sk.ca. Online applications will be assessed a non-refundable \$60.00 application fee. Paper applications are charged a non-refundable \$90.00 application fee. Online applications are encouraged and save you money.

Parkland College accepts applications from October 1 until May 31, as long as space is available and you satisfy the admission requirements. Applications for most programs are processed in the order they are received (first qualified/first admitted); the sooner you submit your application and supporting documents (transcripts, certificates, etc.), the better your chances of being

accepted for an available program seat. Please note that your application is not considered complete until we have received all of your supporting documents and can assess your eligibility for the program.

Once a program fills up, we have a wait list. Prerequisites for most programs are listed on our website and in the admissions chart on Page 3 of this guide.

Once your program entrance requirements have been met, you will receive an acceptance letter outlining program, tuition, and scholarship details. You will also be asked to pay a non-refundable \$350.00 tuition deposit to secure your seat.

Scholarships

Parkland College awards a wide variety of scholarships to students beginning post-secondary studies at the College and to students already enrolled. Awards are presented twice a year with application deadlines in January and June of each year. Students must meet the requirements specified for each scholarship in order to be eligible. More information is available at scholarships.parklandcollege.sk.ca.



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