Express Entry

Express Entry is an online system that we use to manage immigration applications from **skilled workers**.

There are 3 immigration programs managed through Express Entry:

- Canadian Experience Class
- Federal Skilled Worker Program
- Federal Skilled Trades Program

How the Express Entry process works:

1. Create a profile and enter the pool.
2. We'll invite the candidates with the most points in rounds.
3. If you're invited to apply, fill out the application.
4. We'll review your application and make a decision.

Processing times

Varies by program

Fees

Your application: $CAN 1,525

Fees for your family members:

- Spouse: $CAN 1,525
- Dependent child: $CAN 260

Sections

Who can apply

Compare eligiblity requirements for all 3 programs

Check your score

Calculate your Comprehensive Ranking System (CRS) score

Get your documents ready

Language test, education, job offer, funds, police certificates

Create your profile

Submit your profile to enter the pool, what to do if your work permit expires

Rounds of invitations

Scores of latest rounds, how the rounds work, types of rounds

Apply for permanent residence

Submit the online form, upload documents, pay your fees

After you apply

Biometrics, processing, application status

If we approve your application

Confirm your permanent resident status or prepare to arrive in Canada

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