



Checklist

Before you leave your home country:

- Please accept your offer as per the guidelines indicated in your offer of admission. Please see your [Applicant Portal](#) for further instructions. A note that a \$1000 tuition deposit is required upon acceptance.
- The Student Service Representatives are prepared to answer your questions and provide you with assistance either in-person, by email, over the telephone or through your myLaurentian Student Portal: <https://my.laurentian.ca/user/login?destination=node/20>
- [Flywire](#) is the recommended method of payment for international payments at Laurentian University: <https://www.flywire.com/pay/laurentian>
- Make sure you have all the documents you need to enter Canada: <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/study-permit/prepare-arrival.html>
- Book your plane ticket.
- Request an airport pick-up for your arrival in Sudbury by emailing international@laurentian.ca.
- Find a place to live in Sudbury or confirm your living arrangements with the Residence Office.
- Get to know details about Canada, like the weather, it's people, the government and it's laws: <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/new-immigrants/learn-about-canada.html>
- **Check your Laurentian email account every day**, as this is how we will be communicating with you.

We strongly suggest that you:

- Bring enough prescription medication for the first few months of your stay in Canada.
- Obtain the necessary travel and emergency medical insurance for your trip.
- Bring enough Canadian currency to cover your expenses for the first few days in Canada (\$500-\$1000 CDN cash).
- If possible, bring a credit card with you. Please note however, **Laurentian does not accept credit cards** as a method of payment for tuition. *Contact your bank to confirm that your credit card will work in Canada.

When you arrive at Laurentian:

- Attend the International Student Orientation.
- Open a Canadian bank account and get a Canadian cell phone or SIM card.
 - We will help you with this at the International Student Orientation.
- Get your LU student card at the myLaurentian Hub (first floor of the Parker Building).
- Register for your courses. Visit the Centre for Academic Excellence to get help from an Academic Advisor with course registration. See the following link: <https://laurentian.ca/centre-academic-excellence>
- Buy your textbooks.
- Verify your student account balance on [Webadvisor](#) and pay your tuition fees using [Flywire](#).
- (Optional) Get an Ontario Photo ID card so that you can leave your passport safely at home. <https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontario-photo-card>.