



TEMPORARY RESIDENTS

A student who is in New Westminister accompanied by a parent/legal guardian who meets the criteria below may be eligible for provincial funding. The parent/legal guardian can request a New Westminister tuition fee waiver. It is the responsibility of the parent/legal guardian to demonstrate meeting funding eligibility requirements every year or fees may lawfully be charged for the student to attend school. For details, please refer to District Procedure [AP300](#).

Parent Study Permit

- Study Permit – must be valid for 1 year or longer in program as indicated on the Permit. If the program of study changes, [acknowledgement](#) of the change from IRCC is required.
- Verification of Enrollment (not Letter of Acceptance) in a degree or diploma program at a public post-secondary institute in B.C., or in a degree program at a private post-secondary institute in B.C.
(ELL programs of up to 1 year in duration at an EQA school where the completion of the ELL program is a prerequisite for entry to the degree or diploma program may be accepted if the Study Permit issued meets the criteria above.)

Parent Work Permit

- Work permit – must be valid for 1 year or more for Employer as indicated on the permit
- Proof of Employment (e.g. contract, employment letter, statement of earnings) to substantiate hours of work per week. Financial information can be redacted.

Post Grad Work Permits are accepted with proof of employment. Open Work permits issued to spouses are generally not accepted.

The documentation above is required in addition to the documents from the Parent Checklist. Once reviewed for Tuition-Waiver eligibility, a Letter of Verification is emailed to the parent and to the catchment school. Inquiries can be directed to iep@sd40.bc.ca.