



Agent Newsletter – March 2026

Greetings from Durham College! Please see updates from our International Education Office below:

Highlights

- Visa approval & BorderPass partnership
- Popular programs for September 2026 – 12 PGWP eligible programs!
- Ontario Public Colleges Agent Training Module – due by June 5th, 2026
- Application rejection – next steps
- DC Student Workshop in Uzbekistan
- Student Profile – Ricordo (Jamaica)
- Helpful Resources

DC Updates

Visa Approval & BorderPass Partnership

We're delighted to see more of our agent partners using [BorderPass](#) to support students through their immigration journey. If you're interested in learning more about how BorderPass can enhance your advising process, their team is readily available to connect.

Please let us know if you are interested in arranging a one-on-one training session for you and your team!

Popular Programs for September 2026

Our admissions team has identified 12 programs with a high number of available seats for the September 2026 intake. All of the programs listed below are eligible for PGWP, and several of them are graduate certificates!

1. [Cloud and Information Technology Systems \(CITN\)](#)
2. [Early Childhood Education \(ECE\)](#)
3. [Horticulture - Food and Farming \(AAGR\)](#)
4. [Occupational Therapist Assistant & Physiotherapist Assistant \(OTPA\)](#)
5. [Personal Support Worker \(PSWK\)](#)
6. [Applied Data Analytics \(APDA\)](#) – graduate certificate
7. [Artificial Intelligence Analysis, Design and Implementation \(AIDI\)](#) – graduate certificate
8. [Autism and Behavioral Science \(ATBS\)](#) – graduate certificate
9. [Cybersecurity \(CYSC\)](#) – graduate certificate
10. [Environment Health and Safety Management \(EHSM\)](#) – graduate certificate
11. [Project Management - Information Technology \(PMIT\)](#) – graduate certificate
12. [Supply Chain Management - Global \(SCMG\)](#) – graduate certificate

Ontario Public Colleges Agent Training Module

As part of our ongoing commitment to excellence and compliance with the International Education Standards of Practice (IESP), we are reaching out to inform you of the launch of a new training program for all our valued partners.

All counsellors and staff members involved in student recruitment and support are required to complete the Ontario Public Colleges Agent Training module. This training is essential to ensure alignment with provincial standards.

If the training has not been completed, your contracts with Ontario colleges may be impacted.

Training Details:

- **Module:** Ontario Public Colleges Agent Training
- **Launch Date:** December 5th, 2025
- **Deadline for Completion:** June 5th, 2026
- The module can be completed in around 30 minutes

Upon successful completion of the training, participants will receive a Certificate of Completion with a unique identification number. The status of your completion will be

published on a public website as part of the transparency and accountability measures under the Standards of Practice. If you have an active agreement with multiple Ontario public colleges, you only need to complete the training once.

Registration Instructions:

- [Click here to see PDF login instructions](#)
- [Click here to watch the login instructions video](#)

Application Rejection – Next Steps

If any of your students receive a rejection email from Durham College, please let us know! We can recommend other programs that may be more suitable, as long as the student meets the English language requirements. Your timely communication will allow us to support your students and ensure they have the best chance of success!

Please reach out to intlrecruitment@durhamcollege.ca for further details!

DC Student Workshop in Uzbekistan

We recently hosted a DC Student Workshop in Tashkent, Uzbekistan with our partner [First Consultant](#)! It was a true pleasure to connect with students in person. We hope all who attended enjoyed the event, learned more about all that Durham College has to offer, and left feeling inspired to study in Canada!



Meet Ricordo from Jamaica



Durham College has been a supportive and enriching environment for Ricordo's academic journey. With guidance from Student Services through tutoring and helpful direction, he was able to make the most of his time at DC and build a strong foundation for future success.

[Read Ricordo's story](#) and see what's possible.

Helpful Resources

- [PGWP eligible programs](#)
- [Global Entrance Scholarship](#)
- [Winter 2026 - important dates](#)
- [Housing information](#)
- [Deferral request form](#)

Thank you for your ongoing support of international students as they pursue their educational goals. If you have any questions or require further assistance, please feel free to contact us at [Contact us - Durham College](#).