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## English Language Requirements

The substance of Quest Blocks and the style in which they are taught demands a high degree of proficiency in reading, writing, speaking and oral comprehension of English. Applicants whose native language is not English are required to submit the results for at least one of the following:

- TOEFL: must achieve at least 575 (paper-based) or 90 (internet-based) with a score of no less than 20 in each of the 4 testing sections. Please ensure that Quest's institution code 8341 is included on the TOEFL sheet.
- IELTS: must achieve a score of 6.5 overall, with no less than 6.0 in each of the four areas (reading, speaking, listening, writing).
- Duolingo: must achieve a minimum score of 110 or higher. Applicants should submit their results directly through the online or app-based service.
- Pearson Test of English: must achieve a minimum overall score of 60 with minimum scores of 55 in each section.
- Cambridge English C1 Advanced or C2 Proficiency: (previously the Cambridge Advanced Exam CAE, and the Cambridge Proficiency Exam CPE; new): must achieve a minimum overall score of 180.

Students who have completed schooling in English are exempt from English proficiency test requirements. Their transcript must indicate they have completed at least two years of full-time study at a high school, university or college at which English is the official language of instruction for at least 50% of their course work.

## Transfer Admission from Another College or University

Transfer students from other universities and colleges are encouraged to apply for admission. Given the unique nature of the Quest curriculum and course of study, the previous coursework done by transfer students will be evaluated individually to determine its applicability and transferability to the Quest degree. Normally, only credits with a grade of "C" or higher will be considered

- 50% of all coursework counting toward graduation requirements must be completed at Quest University Canada. This includes credits earned on exchange or academic leave while enrolled at Quest
- Students entering Quest with prior university experience may be granted at most 16 blocks (two years) of transfer credit at time of entry

## **Mature Applicants**

Mature applicants are those who have not attempted full-time studies in the last four years. While they may not meet all general admission requirements, Quest will consider their application based on their likelihood of success at the University.

## **Applicant Privacy**

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