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International students bring a wealth of talent and diversity to Canada's educational landscape. They also play a vital role in the workforce, contributing to a vibrant economy.

To better support these students and address evolving needs, the Canadian government recently announced changes to off-campus work hour regulations. Let's delve into the details and explore what this means for you.

Increased Flexibility: More Hours to Work Off-Campus

Great news! Starting September 2024, international students can enjoy Increased Off-Campus Work Flexibility.

Enrolled full-time at a [Designated Learning Institution](#) (DLI), you can now work up to 24 hours per week off-campus during semesters. This represents a welcome increase from the previous limit of 20 hours.

This additional flexibility provides students with the opportunity to Earn More While Studying, helping manage living expenses and potentially contribute to tuition fees.



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Temporary Full-Time Work Ends



The temporary policy implemented during the COVID-19 pandemic that allowed certain international students to work full-time off-campus will not be extended beyond its expiry date of April 30, 2024.

Unlimited Hours During Breaks: Make the Most of Your Time Off

While attending classes, the work-hour limit applies. However, during scheduled academic breaks, such as summer and winter holidays, international students are free to work Unlimited Hours During Breaks.

This allows them to maximize their earning potential and potentially gain valuable Work Experience During Breaks in their fields of study.

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Why 24 Hours? Balancing Studies and Work

The decision to set the new work hour limit at 24 hours reflects the government's commitment to striking a balance between Balancing Studies and Work.

Supporting students financially is important, but ensuring they prioritize their academic success is equally crucial.

Working too many hours can impact academic performance. The 24-hour limit aims to allow students to contribute to the workforce while maintaining focus on their studies.

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Previous Expectations and the Path Forward

Earlier discussions had hinted at the possibility of a 30-hour work week for international students. While the final decision came in 24 hours, the government may continue to explore options for adjusting future working hours.

1. Can international students in Canada work off-campus?

Yes, international students in Canada with a valid study permit can work off-campus under specific guidelines. Generally, you'll need to be enrolled full-time at a designated learning institution (DLI) in a program lasting at least six months and leading to a degree, diploma, or certificate. You'll also need a [Social Insurance Number \(SIN\)](#).

2. How many hours can international students work in Canada while in school?

International students in Canada can work up to 20 hours per week off-campus while classes are in session.

However, this is set to increase to 24 hours per week starting in September 2024. There are no restrictions on work hours during scheduled breaks (summer and winter).

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3. Is the temporary full-time work policy for international students extended?

No, the temporary policy allowing some international students to work full-time off-campus ended on April 30, 2024.

4. Can international students work full-time in Canada during breaks?

Yes! During scheduled breaks (*summer and winter*), international students in Canada can work full-time (more than 40 hours per week) without restrictions.

5. What are the requirements for full-time work as an international student?

The specific requirements for full-time work during breaks may change. However, you can usually find the latest information on the Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) website or you can contact us for more updated information.

6. Where can I find information on working more than 40 hours as an international student?

The blog post you mentioned might have included a link, but it's best to check the official [IRCC website](#) for the most up-to-date details: Look for sections related to "off-campus work for international students" and "**working during breaks.**"

7. Why are work hours for international students increasing?

The Canadian government is aiming to address labor shortages in various sectors while also helping international students manage their finances through increased earning potential.

8. What are the best jobs for international students in Canada?

The best jobs for you depend on your skills, interests, and qualifications. Popular options include on-campus jobs, customer service roles, hospitality and tourism, and administrative positions. Research job postings and explore opportunities relevant to your field of study for a smoother transition.

9. How do I apply for a work permit as an international student?



In most cases, if you have a valid study permit with off-campus work authorization, you won't need a separate work permit to work off-campus. However, it's always recommended to double-check with the [IRCC website](#) for any updates or specific circumstances.

10. What are the changes to the study permit with the new work hour rules?

The new work hour rules (increasing to 24 hours per week) shouldn't directly affect your study permit. However, it's a good practice to stay updated on any changes to immigration regulations. You can find official updates on the IRCC website.

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