

## **Career Counselling**

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It all started with a '**Moose**' and a TikToker's passion for visual design. Check out how a young <u>Calgary</u> <u>TikToker</u> designed and presented a new image to Transport Canada. Coming soon to a highway near you!

IMPORTANT	New Demands	Skilled, Respected, Valued
Post-Secondary Information	New Programs	A Career in the Trades!

1. If you are waiting for your admission status, be sure to **update** your high school marks for your post-secondary institutions. Unsure? Check with your institution to see if this is required and how to submit.



2. **WATCH FOR DEADLINES!** Accept your offer of admission and pay your deposit. Applications may be cancelled if you do not pay your fees.



3. If additional application requirements need to be addressed, please ensure your deadlines are met ie. portfolios, volunteer hours, prerequisite course work, references, auditions, medical requirements, etc. Are you interested in working with diverse industries where you would lead <u>sustainable</u> <u>innovation strategies</u>? Medicine Hat College is offering "a first of its kind in Canada" diploma in this field. Another first for MHC is the <u>Service Dog & Canine</u> <u>Studies Management Diploma</u> with an opportunity for work integrated learning.

MacEwan's <u>Alberta Foundation</u> <u>Program</u> focuses on strengthening a learner's admissibility to university through dedicated support and mentorship. Or, take a look at the <u>Bachelor of Fine Arts</u> with many choices including film studies and song writing.

New to students with autism is the six month <u>Autism CanTech!</u> program preparing for data entry skills for the digital economy at NorQuest College. NorQuest also has a new <u>Machine Learning Analyst</u> <u>Diploma</u> to enter the workforce

in artificial intelligence or machine learning.



Apprentices learn on the job, ensuring that they receive practical, hands-on-training that meets the current needs of industry and future employers.

Check out the <u>Work Transition</u> section of your <u>BRSD High</u> <u>School Plus</u> site to learn more about the *Trades* (Apprenticeships).

You can connect to Alberta Apprenticeship and Industry Training for details about the **Trades & Occupations List** including trade descriptions, apprenticeship information (e.g., length of apprenticeship for both on-the-job training and technical training) and <u>Trade Entrance</u> <u>Requirements</u>.

Find links to *Financial Assistance* for the trades (i.e., *Grants, Loans* & *Tax Benefits; Employment Insurance;* and *Scholarships*).



It's that time again! Check your courses, marks and credential requirements in your myPass account with your Detailed Academic Report and your Credential Requirement Checklist.

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