

Written Notice

- a. To initiate a refund, written notice must be provided:
 - i. By a student to the institution when the student withdraws, or
 - ii. By the institution to the student where the institution dismisses a student.

Tuition Refund Policy for Approved Programs

Refund entitlement is calculated on the total fees due under the contract, less non-refundable (registration/application) fees.

Circumstances when Refund Payable	Amount of Refund
Before program start date , institution receives a notice of withdrawal (applies to all students)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No later than seven days after student signed the enrolment contract, and • Before the program start date. 	100% tuition and all related fees , other than application fee. Related fees include: administrative fees, application fees, assessment fees, and fees charged for textbooks or other course materials.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 30 days before the later of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) The program start date in the most recent Letter of Acceptance (international students) b) The program start date in the enrolment contract. 	Institution may retain up to 10% of tuition, to a maximum of \$1,000. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More than seven days after the student and institution signed the enrolment contract, and • Less than 30 days before the later of: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) The program start date in the most recent Letter of Acceptance (international students) b) The program start date in the enrolment contract. 	Institution may retain up to 20% of tuition, to a maximum of \$1,300. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.
After program start date , institution provides a notice of dismissal or receives a notice of withdrawal (applies to all students, except those enrolled in a program delivered solely by distance education)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the program start date, and up to and including 10% of instruction hours have been provided. 	Institution may retain up to 30% of tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the program start date, and after more than 10%, but before 30% of instruction hours, have been provided. 	Institution may retain up to 50% of tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the program start date, and after 30% or more of instruction hours, have been provided. 	Institution may retain 100% of tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.
Student does not attend program – “no-show” (applies to all students except those enrolled in a program delivered solely by distance education):	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student does not attend the first 30% of the program. 	<p>Institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.</p>
<p>Institution receives a refusal of study permit (applies to international students requiring a study permit):</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Before 30% of instruction hours would have been provided, had the student started the program on the later of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) The program start date in the most recent Letter of Acceptance b) The program start date in the enrolment contract • Student has not requested additional Letter(s) of Acceptance. 	<p>100% tuition and all related fees, other than application fee.</p>
<p>After the program start date, student withdraws or is dismissed (applies to students enrolled in a program delivered solely by distance education):</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student completed up to 30% of the program. 	<p>Institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student completed more than 30% but less than 50% of the program (based on evaluation provided to student). 	<p>Institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the program start date, and after 50% or more of instruction hours, have been provided. 	<p>Institution may retain 100% of tuition. Institution must refund fees paid for course materials if not provided to the student.</p>
<p>Institution must pay the tuition or fee refund within 30 days after receiving notice of withdrawal or refusal of study permit; providing a notice of dismissal, or the date on which the first 30% of the hours of instruction are provided (no-show).</p>	

Refund of Consumables

Where a student withdraws or is dismissed from their program they are entitled to 100% refund of any as yet to be received consumables that have been prepaid.

Where a student withdraws or is dismissed from their program after receiving technical equipment from the College free of charge: The student must return the equipment unopened or as issued within 7 calendar days; and If the student fails to return the equipment as set out above, the College may deduct the reasonable cost of the equipment from any amount to be refunded to the student.

Refund of application/registration fee - before training begins

If a student terminates a student contract before the vocational training begins, the college is entitled to any application/registration fee paid by or on behalf of the student. The college must refund any application/registration fee that has been paid by or on behalf of the student if

- (a) a college terminates a student contract before the vocational training begins, or
- (b) the vocational training does not begin on the commencement date set out in the student contract.

Refund of non itemized resources and materials

Will be based on the same calculations as per tuition refund policy

Payment of refunds

A refund of a student's tuition must be paid

- (a) to the student, or
- (b) in the case of a student who has an outstanding student loan in respect of the vocational training for which the refund is being provided, to the lender that made the student loan.

If a college receives payment of a student's tuition from a government, agency or person other than the student, any refund of the student's tuition must be paid to the government, agency or other person.

If a college is required to refund a registration fee or tuition, the refund must be paid not later than the earlier of the following 30 days from the day the student contract is terminated.

Refund for Programs that Do Not Require Approval

Refund entitlement is calculated on the total fees due under the contract, less non-refundable (registration/application) fees.

If tuition is less than \$4,000:
There is no refund.

Refund policy if tuition is \$4,000 or more:

The institution will refund 100% of the tuition and all related fees, other than application fees, if both of the following apply:

- The student does not attend the program, and
- The institution receives from the student a notice of withdrawal or a copy of refusal of a study permit no later than 30 days after the later of:
 - a) the start date of the program in the most recent Letter of Acceptance
 - b) the start date of the program in the enrolment contract.

The refund will be paid within 30 days of the date the institution receives the notice of withdrawal or copy of study permit refusal.