

Behaviour Intervention Certificate



Faculty of Applied Community Studies

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Educational Institution	Douglas College
Type of Institution	Public post-secondary Douglas is not required to be accredited in Private Career Training Institutions Agency (PCTIA)
Location	David Lam Campus 1250 Pinetree Way Coquitlam, BC V3B 7X3
Program Name	Behaviour Intervention Certificate
Official Credential	Certificate
Type of Program	Part-time (online)
Length of Program	1 year (3 semesters); 2 courses per semester
Scheduled Breaks During Program	One week reading break occurs in the Winter semester
Program Start Date	September
Program End Date	August
Tuition Fees	Please see website for current tuition fee chart: https://www.douglascollege.ca/current-students/enrolment-services/fees-and-related-information/tuition-fee-charts
Program Admission Requirements	-English 12 with grade of "C" or equivalent -60 hours of volunteer/work experience with children/adults with a developmental disability - Package of supplementary documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Letter of intent ▪ Resume ▪ 2 professional reference letters -Interview or attendance at selections meeting may be required Note: Applicants will be formally requested for a criminal record search and a TB test <u>at a later date</u>
Cost of Texted Books	Varies by semester Approximately \$100-200/semester
Other Costs	Students are expected to be equipped with school supplies. Students are required to have a First Aid & CPR certificate before graduation (approximately \$180)
Class Hours	Online courses
Number of hours per week of class	Approximately 6 hours/week

Number of Students Per Class	30
Instructor: Student ratio	1 to 30
Classroom Structure	Online
Practicum	Practicum placement occurs in 3 rd semester.
Practicum arrangements	You will be placed with a qualified supervisor, or if you are a working BI, you may use your worksite for practicum (if the site meets the criteria). A satisfactory criminal record search and negative TB test results are required.
Attendance Policy	There is a strict attendance policy and students are expected to attend 100% of all classes
Mark required to graduate program	Students must complete all required courses with a satisfactory grade in order to qualify for graduation
Other graduation requirements	Current Standard First Aid with CPR Certificate (minimum 8 hour course)
School assistance with job placement upon graduation	Not available through the department. Douglas College offers career counselling services for students through the Career Centre: https://www.douglascollege.ca/student-services/student-resources/career-centre
Percentage of graduates who are employed in the field	Very high.
Name & phone numbers of graduates	Not available due to confidentiality policies
Career Prospects	Special Education Assistant in schools, day program worker, supported employment worker, Behaviour Interventionist, residential care worker, etc.