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# **Global Knowledge Works**

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## Study and Settle Abroad

Every year more than 50 lakh students graduate in India and there is no mechanism to provide them jobs. Also, beyond few reputed institutes, the quality of education provided to these students is not up to the mark. The second issue is 'job dignity' phenomenon attached with most of jobs (Department store worker, Fast food joint worker, Showroom salesman) along with minimal wages that can't guarantee even a basic life style.

Unlike India, countries like Australia, Canada and many others have reverse situation. There are more work and less people. The equality of job and pay means that a fast food joint worker and a general manager would be at par in society.

These 2 factors ensure that every year more than 4 lakh student go abroad to pursue higher education from India. The top countries are Unites States of America, United Kingdom, Australia, Canada, New Zealand. Singapore, Recently, students are also moving to non-English speaking countries like Germany, Japan, Sweden, Switzerland to pursue specific courses.

**All this can be achieved in less than 15 lakhs budget!!!**



### Study Abroad and Settle procedure

If a student wants to study abroad and settle, he has to follow a simple 6 step process: -

- 1) Shortlist Course, University, Country based on his profile
- 2) Apply to colleges abroad and get an offer
- 3) Apply and get student visa of that country
- 4) Pack bags and go to study abroad
- 5) Use the post work permit visa and start working there
- 6) Apply for Permanent Residency (PR) and settle there

**GKWorks act your counselor, guide and mentor throughout your journey**

## How to Select Country and University

We at GKWorks have created a simple frame work that should help students to choose a particular country for study abroad. Please do have a look below. We also summarize all the information in simple lines below

1. If you are an above average/ good student/ brilliant wishing to pursue an education and career in Science, Engineering and Technology course, believe in your own ability to find jobs on your own, USA is the best place
2. If you are an average to above average to good student, limited budget and wish to settle permanently in your chosen developed country; Australia, Canada, Ireland and New Zealand are for you
3. If you are from rich background who is looking for education and international exposure with very minimal chances of settlement, UK is the country for you.
4. If you are from rich background who is looking for education and International exposure with very minimal chances of settlement and closer to India in terms of distance, Singapore and Dubai are the places for you.
5. Non-English-speaking Countries offer zero chance of permanent settlement so countries like Germany, France, Italy should be chosen to pursue a specific course and career. Students should not depend upon Country and University to assure them job/ permanent settlement.
6. If you are genius/ brilliant student then premium Universities like Stanford, Oxford are for you. You are mostly on your own and you know what you wish to achieve and how to achieve. We, as education consultants can help you in the process.



## GKWorks Study and settle Abroad services package

GKWorks provide a comprehensive service package for students so that their journey to Study abroad is hassle free. For Study Abroad admissions, GKWorks charges a nominal consultant fee depending upon university and country. Below are the services included in our standard package

1. Career Counseling
2. IELTS/ TOEFL/ PTE guidance and training
3. Right University Selection as per student need and parent comfort
4. Full documentation assistance
5. Support in SOP, LOR and Resume buildings
6. Application filing to chosen universities
7. Provisional Admission from University follow up
8. Fee deposit assistance
9. Admission Letter follow up with University
10. Bank Loan Assistance
11. Visa Documentation
12. Visa Filing
13. Pre-departure briefings about country, culture and other finer details
14. Airport drop to Indian Airport
15. Airport Pick-up from the destination country airport
16. Accommodation support in destination country
17. Part time job assistance
18. Full course duration assistance

**Life time relationship for mutual support .**



Canada is a North American country stretching from the U.S. in the south to the Arctic Circle in the north. Major cities include massive Toronto, west coast film centre Vancouver, French-speaking Montréal and Québec City, and capital city Ottawa. Canada's vast swaths of wilderness include lake-filled Banff National Park in the Rocky Mountains. It's also home to Niagara Falls, a famous group of massive waterfalls.

**Language : English, French.**



**Capital : Ottawa**

**Population : 36,307,820**

# CANADA



**Currency : Canadian dollar**  
**1 Canadian dollar= 53.75 INR**

**Main Industries:**  
**Agriculture, Energy, Technology,**  
**Services, Manufacturing**

**Per Capita income:\$48,466 World Rank 15th**  
**HDI index: 0.926 very high · World Rank 12th**  
**Minimum Wages/hr : \$11.35 per hour.**



## Study and Settle in Canada

Country	Canada	Canada
Course Level	PG	UG
Courses	Business, Science, Engineering	Business, Science, Engineering
Exams Required	UG & IELTS	12th & IELTS
Marks Required	55%; 6.5	65%; 6
Duration (years)	2	3
Education cost (Lakhs)	13	15
Living cost (Lakhs) 10	15	
Part-time Job earnings (Lakhs)	12	18
Work Permit (years)	3	3
PR chances	High	High
Net Cost (Lakhs)	11	12



### 1. Summary

Canada is one of the most preferred destination for Indian students for study and settle. Over years, millions of Indians has settled in Canada. Canada is a developed country with plenty of job opportunities. Main provinces in Canada which are preferred by Indians are- Ontario and British Columbia with primary cities as Toronto, Vancouver and Ottawa. One can study and settle in Canada for 10-12 Lakhs INR.

### 2. Courses and Exams

Indian students go to Canada for both Undergraduate and Post-graduate courses in Business; Science and Engineering. Students need to clear class 12th (with 65% marks) for UG admission and bachelors (with 55% marks) for PG admission. English test IELTS (International English Language Testing System) needs to be given by every student looking to study in Canada. For UG one needs to score 6 in IELTS and for PG 6.5 in IELTS

### 3. Part-time Jobs

Canada treats students as adults and provides them ample opportunities to learn and earn. Many part-time jobs are available for students within the campus and also around the campus. In Canada these part-time jobs are considered very respectful and also gives students a real-life experience at work. This also enable students to earn their living cost and also understand the value of money. These jobs are like being accountants / cashier, managers at stores, sales people for different companies etc. Money is earned on hourly basis and minimum amount is pre-decided. To make sure that student focus on study, the government has restricted the part time job to only 20 hours per week. Typically, a student can earn more than INR 6 lakh per year.

### 4. Availability of Finances

Finances - for college admission there is a process called GIC (bank account) in which you have to keep one year of living cost INR 5 Lakhs. Apart from this 1st year tuition cost - around INR 7-8 Lakhs need to be transferred on confirmation of admission. Hence total requirement is around INR 15 Lakhs only. Funds can be fresh in your bank account and shouldn't be old unlike other countries like US and UK.

### 5. Job and Post study work-permit& Permanent Residency

After completing 2 years of full time Diploma or Degree in Canada, a student gets up to 3 years of work permit. During this work permit, the day student gains 12 month of Full Time work experience or 15600 hours of working he is eligible to apply for Permanent Residency. After one-year course, one year of work visa is granted.

### List of documents for application

#### Original documents

- Passport
- Letter of Recommendation (LOR) (only for universities)

#### Softcopy or Photocopy

- Copy of 1st and last page of Passport
- IELTS Score card
- 10th Mark-sheet
- 12th Mark-sheet
- 10th Pass Certificate
- 12th Pass Certificate
- Bachelor Semester-wise Mark-sheets
- Bachelor Degree Certificate
- Work-experience certificate
- CV / Resume
- Statement of Purpose (SOP)



**Capital: Canberra**



Australia is a country and continent surrounded by the Indian and Pacific oceans. Its major cities – Sydney, Brisbane, Melbourne, Perth, Adelaide – are coastal. Its capital, Canberra, is inland. The country is known for its Sydney Opera House, the Great Barrier Reef, a vast interior desert wilderness called the Outback, and unique animal species like kangaroos and duck-billed platypuses.

**Language: English**

**Currency: Australian Dollar**

**1 Australian Dollar**

**= 51.08 INR**

**Population: 2.46 crores (2017)**



# AUSTRALIA

**Per Capita income:\$52,191 World Rank 17th**

**HDI index:0.939 very high World Rank 3rd**

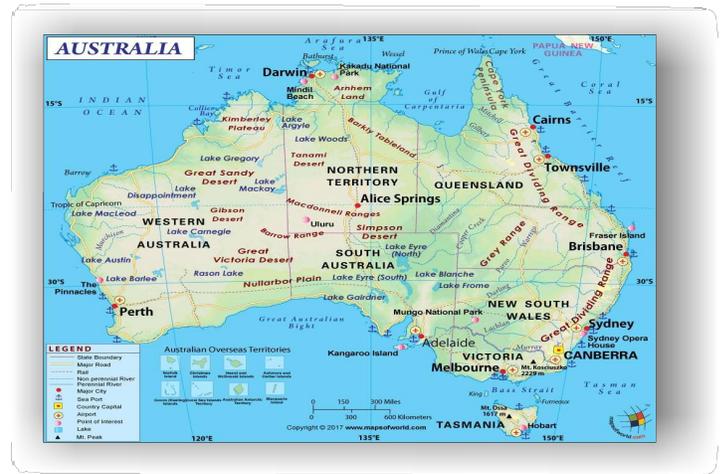
**Minimum Wages/hr : \$18.93**



**Main Industries: Service Industry, Tourism, Healthcare, Media & Entertainment, Finance, Mining, Manufacturing Industry, Agriculture**

## Study and Settle in Australia

Country	Australia	Australia
Course Level	PG	UG
Courses	Business, Engineering	Business, Science, Engineering
Exams Required	UG & IELTS	12th & IELTS
Marks Required	50%; 6	60%; 6
Duration (years)	2	3
Education cost (Lakhs)	20	22
Living cost (Lakhs)	10	15
Part-time Job earnings (Lakhs)	15	22.5
Work Permit (years)	2	2
PR chances	High	High
Net Cost (Lakhs)	15	15



### 1. Summary

Australia is one of the most preferred destinations for Indian students for study and settle. Over years Lakhs of Indians has settled in Australia. Australia is a developed country with plenty of job opportunities. Main provinces in Australia where Indians go are-New South Wales and Queensland, with primary cities as Sydney, Melbourne, Perth and Brisbane. One can study and settle in Australia for as low as INR 15 Lakhs.

### 2. Courses and Exams

Indian students go to Australia for both Undergraduate and Post-graduate courses in Business; Science and Engineering. Students need to clear class 12th (with 60% marks) for UG admission and bachelors (with 50% marks) for PG admission. English test IELTS (International English Language Testing System) needs to be given by every student looking to study in Australia. For UG one needs to score 6 in IELTS and for PG 6 in IELTS.

### 3. Part-time Jobs

Australia treats students as adults and provides them ample opportunities to learn and earn. Many part-time jobs are available for students within the campus and also around the campus. In Australia these part-time jobs are considered very respectful and also give students a real-life experience at work. This also enable students to earn their living cost and also understand the value of money. These jobs are like being accountants / cashier, managers at stores, sales people for different companies etc. Money is earned on hourly basis and minimum amount is pre-decided. To make sure that student focus on study the government has restricted the part time job to only 20 hours per week. Typically, a student can earn more than INR 7.5 lakhs per year.

### 4. Availability of Finances

Finances - for college admission, a student needs to keep one year of living cost ~INR 7 Lakhs. Apart from this 1st year tuition cost - around ~10 Lakh INR need to be transferred on confirmation of admission. Hence total funds required is around 15 Lakh INR. Funds can be fresh in your bank account and shouldn't be old unlike other countries like US and UK.

### 5. Job and Post study work-permit & Permanent Residency

After completing 2 years of full time Diploma or Degree in Australia a student gets up to 2 years of work permit. During this work permit, the day student completes 12 month of Full Time work experience, he is eligible to apply for Permanent Residency. It takes 6 -12 months to have it. If course duration is less than 92 weeks, no work permit is assured.

*\*2 years work permit is granted after completion of minimum 2 years of Study*

#### List of documents for Australia

##### Original documents

- Passport
- Passport of Spouse (if applicable)

##### Softcopy or Photocopy

- Copy of 1st and last page of Passport
- IELTS Score card
- 10th Mark-sheet
- 12th Mark-sheet
- 10th Pass Certificate
- 12th Pass Certificate
- Bachelor Semester-wise Mark-sheets
- Bachelor Degree Certificate
- Work-experience certificate
- CV / Resume
- Statement of Purpose (SOP)
- Marriage certificate (if applicable)



**Capital: Wellington**

**Currency: New Zealand dollar**  
**1 Newzealand Dollar = 48.05 INR**

**Main Industries: Agricultural & horticulture sector, mining, fishing industries**



# NEWZEALAND

New Zealand is a country in the southwestern Pacific Ocean consisting of 2 main islands, both marked by volcanoes and glaciation. Capital Wellington, on the North Island, is home to Te Papa Tongarewa, the expansive national museum. Wellington's dramatic Mt. Victoria, along with the South Island's Fiordland and Southern Lakes, stood in for mythical Middle Earth in Peter Jackson's "Lord of the Rings" films.

**Language: English, Maori**



**Population: 47.9 lakhs (2017)**

**Per Capita income: 41,616**

**HDI index: 0.917 very high World Rank 16th**

**Minimum Wages/hr : \$16.50**



## Study and Settle in New Zealand

Country	NZL	NZL
Course Level	PG	UG
Courses	Business, Engineering	Business, Science, Engineering
Exams Required	UG & IELTS	12th & IELTS
Marks Required	50%; 6	50%; 6
Duration (years)	1	3
Education cost (Lakhs)	10	20
Living cost (Lakhs)	5	15
Part-time Job earnings (Lakhs)	6	18
Work Permit (years)	1+2	1+2
PR chances	High	High
Net Cost (Lakhs)	3	17



### 1. Summary

New Zealand is one of the preferred destinations for Indian students for study and settle. Over years Lakhs of Indians has settled in New Zealand. New Zealand is a developed country with plenty of job opportunities. Main Cities in New Zealand where Indians go are Auckland, Wellington and Hamilton. One can study and settle in New Zealand for ~5-15 Lakhs INR.

### 2. Courses and Exams

Indian students go to New Zealand for both Undergraduate and Post-graduate courses in Business; Science and Engineering. Students need to clear class 12th (with 50% marks) for UG admission and bachelors (with 50% marks) for PG admission. English test IELTS (International English Language Testing System) needs to be given by every student looking to study in New Zealand. For UG one needs to score 6 in IELTS and for PG 6 in IELTS

### 3. Education and Living cost

Education cost for UG is around 20 lakhs INR for 3 years while for PG is around 10 lakhs INR for 1 year. Accommodation and Food is the main living cost incurred by students. All universities and colleges provide accommodation to the students. Most of the student don't take them as they prefer to take off campus accommodation which is lesser than the price of On Campus. Many students prefer to live outside campus to share the lower cost of living with friends. There are options of Food for Indians and most New Zealand cities have Indian restaurants and shops. Per year living cost is around 5 lakhs INR. Hence total cost for UG would be around 35 lakhs INR and PG would be around 15 lakhs INR.

### 4. Part-time Jobs

New Zealand treats students as adults and provides them ample opportunities to learn and earn. Many part-time jobs are available for students within the campus and also around the campus. In New Zealand these part-time jobs are considered very respectful and also give a student a real-life experience at work. This also enables student to earn their living cost and also understand the value of money.

### 5. Availability of Finances

Finances - for college admission a student needs to keep 1 year of living cost ~5 Lakh INR. Apart from this 1st year tuition cost - around ~10 Lakh INR need to be transferred on confirmation of admission. Hence funds with around 15 Lakh INR. Funds can be fresh in your bank account and shouldn't be old unlike other countries like US and UK.

### 6. Job and Post study work-permit & Permanent Residency

After completing 2 years of full time Diploma or Degree in New Zealand a student gets up to 3 years of work permit. During this work permit the day student completes 12 month of Full Time work experience he is eligible to apply for Permanent residency. It takes ~12 months to have it. After one year of course, student can get 1 year of work permit.

### List of documents for New Zealand

#### Original documents

- Passport

#### Softcopy or Photocopy

- Copy of 1st and last page of Passport
- IELTS Score card
- 10th Mark-sheet
- 12th Mark-sheet
- 10th Pass Certificate
- 12th Pass Certificate
- Bachelor Semester-wise Mark-sheets
- Bachelor Consolidated Mark-sheet or Transcript
- Bachelor Degree Certificate
- Statement of Purpose (SOP) Signed by student
- Letter of Recommendation (LOR) - 2

**Note: All documents need to be Notary attested**





**UK**

**Capital: London**

**Population: 6.6 crores (2017)**

**Main Industries: Finance and banking, Information Technology, Construction, Oil and Gas, Government. Healthcare, Manufacturing, Wholesale and Retail.**



**Currency: Pound sterling (£, GBP)**  
**1 Pound sterling = 91.80 INR**

The United Kingdom, made up of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, is an island nation in northwestern Europe. England – birthplace of Shakespeare and The Beatles – is home to the capital, London, a globally influential centre of finance and culture. England is also site of Neolithic Stonehenge, Bath's Roman spa and centuries-old universities at Oxford and Cambridge.

**Language: English**



**Per Capita income:44,177 World Rank 19th**  
**HDI index:0.922 very high World Rank 14th**  
**Minimum Wages/hr £8.21**

## Study in UK

The United Kingdom is one of those developed countries which do not need any introduction. The United Kingdom consists of four countries- England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. The United Kingdom is the world's fifth largest economy, with regard to the Gross Domestic Product. The United Kingdom has a temperate climate, with a lot of rain all around the year. With such old and reputed universities like University of Cambridge and University of Oxford being the top institutes of the UK, the allure of studying in the UK is understandable.

### Courses and Exams

The students pursue undergraduate as well as post graduate courses in the UK in any stream of their choice, be it science, commerce or humanities. Some of the exams that the students have to appear for, depending on their choice of course, are SAT, TOEFL or IELTS, GRE and GMAT. Some other exams are BMAT (Biomedical Admission Tests), UKCAT, Cambridge law test etc. Students need to clear class 12th (with 60% marks) for UG admission and bachelors (with 50% marks) for PG admission. Some universities accept the TOEFL score and some other universities accept IELTS score. The students need to have a minimum score of 6.5 in IELTS and a score between 79 and 93 in TOEFL.

### Education and Living Cost

In 2017, international students paid between £10,000 and £35,000 annually for lecture-based undergraduate degrees. An undergraduate medical degree can cost international students up to £38,000 per year. The post graduate courses in the UK have no upper limit and are much more expensive than the graduate level courses in the UK. Similarly, cost of living in UK is also very high.

### Part-time Jobs

Indian students who go to the UK usually work a part-time job to earn some extra money and to get familiar with their surroundings. A part time job helps the students meet people who live in the USA and interact with them, this helps them learn more about the culture of the country they are living in. Some of the easy to find on campus jobs are Library Monitor, Teaching Assistant, Tour Guide, Peer Tutor, Academic Department Assistant, Campus Tech Support, Production Assistant, University Book Store Assistant, Babysitter and Barista. The students can work for only 20 hours per week as per the visa guidelines for working part-time jobs.

### Availability of Finances

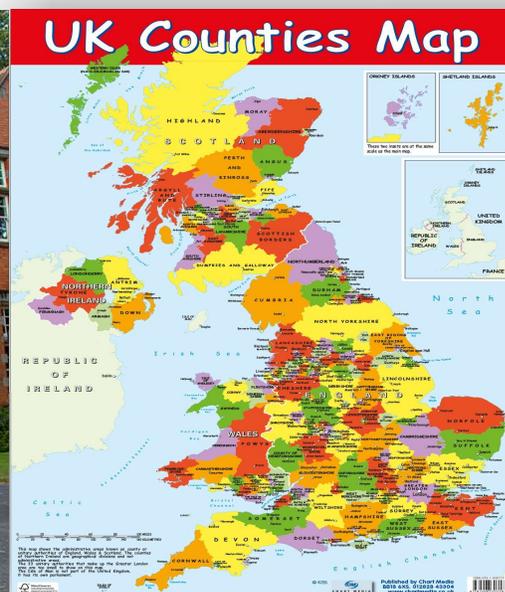
A student needs to show a decent amount of money in their account and also have funds required for living in the UK, there is no minimum requirement. But, the funds in the account should be at least 3 months to 6 months old. The available amount must justify the overall cost of the student's trip to the UK. So, estimate the cost of airfare, food, lodging, tours, shopping and a bit of extra amount. The student can present Saving Account, Time deposits & Investments to present as Source of Funding.

### Jobs and Post Study work-permit & Permanent Residency

Tier 2 is the most common visa route for international graduates to get a job. To qualify, the student will need to find work with an employer who is willing to pay the student a minimum salary of £20,800 a year. The students can work part-time jobs for 20 hours a week. These part-time jobs can also help students in getting a job, as relevant jobs add value to the resume of the students.

### Advantages of Studying in UK

- 1. Some of the best institutes in the world are in the UK. The institutes of the UK consistently out rank Indian institutes and have globally earned a great reputation.
- 2. Institutes in UK offer flexibility of choice and enables the student to blend academic and vocational courses of their choice.
- The UK is the home of the British people, so all the people converse in English. Therefore it is an ideal place to develop language skills and enhance employment prospects.
- 3. The teaching and study methodology used in the UK gives the student freedom to be creative and develop a great set of skills and confidence.
- As a student one gets the opportunity to be taught by the world's best academics and; the student also benefits from constant academic support of these experts.



Ireland is an island in the North Atlantic. It is separated from Great Britain to its east by the North Channel, the Irish Sea, and St George's Channel. Ireland is the second-largest island of the British Isles, the third-largest in Europe, and the twentieth-largest on Earth.

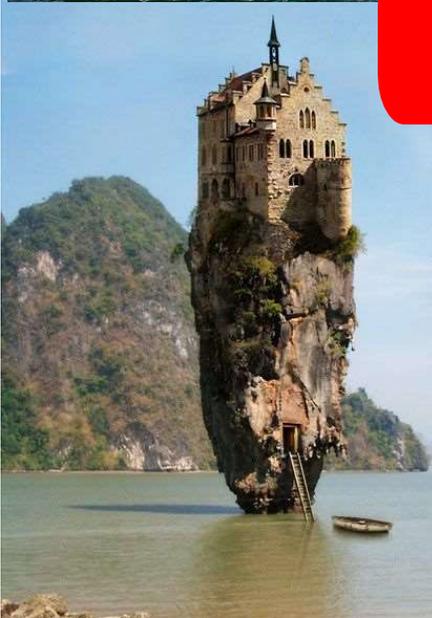
**Languages: English, Irish, Ulster Scots**

**Main Industries: Agriculture, Beverages, Chemicals and Fertilizers, Clothing, Construction, Electronics and Data Processing, Food Processing, Machinery, Pharmaceuticals, Textiles,**



**Per Capita income:\$69,119**  
**HDI index:0.938 very high World Rank 4th**  
**Minimum Wages/hr : € 9.55**

# Ireland



**Capital:Dublin**

**Currency: Euro**  
**1 Euro = 81.03 INR**

**Population:4,803,748**



## Study and Settle in Ireland

### INTRODUCTION TO IRELAND

Ireland is a popular destination for international students and offers a high level of education that is recognised throughout the world, combining a remarkable higher education experience with historical cities, beautiful scenery and a unique heritage. Ireland is located on the west coast of Europe and is a member of the European Union.

### COURSES AND EXAMS

Students have to pass one or more additional tests before they can be considered by most universities for admission. These range from the standardised graduate and college admission tests such as GRE, GMAT and SAT to English Language tests, such as TOEFL and IELTS.

### EDUCATION AND LIVING COST

The cost of living for a student in Ireland can vary depending on what part of the country you live in, what type of accommodation you choose, your transport options for traveling to and from classes, as well as a range of other factors.

Tuition fee for

Undergraduate courses 9,000 – 45,000 EUR/year for undergraduate degree courses.

Postgraduate Master and PhD courses: 9,150 – 37,000 EUR/year

### PART TIME JOB

All nationals from the European Economic Area (EEA) are free to take up full-time or part-time employment in Ireland while studying.

International students engaged in full-time study of at least one year's duration (on a course leading to a qualification which is recognised by the Irish Department of Education and Skills currently do not need a work permit to work in Ireland.

Students holding a valid immigration stamp 2 permission will be permitted to work 40 hours per week only during the months of June, July, August and September and from 15th December to 15th January inclusive. At all other times students holding Immigration permission Stamp 2 will be limited to working 20 hours per week. The permission to work ceases on the expiry of the students Stamp 2 immigration permission.

### AVAILABILITY OF FINANCES

In addition to the tuition fees, all students (irrespective of EU/ non-EU) at universities and colleges in Ireland are required to pay nearly €2,500 per year as a service fee for supporting the clubs, societies and for examination entries. With banks introducing lucrative schemes, all-round-the-year borrowers should do a thorough research of the market before settling in on their choice.

### JOB AND POST WORK PERMIT AND PERMANENT RESIDENCY

Once you have finished your studies in Ireland, you may wish to stay back a little longer and consider taking up a job to gain invaluable work experience. If you are enrolled as a full-time student, with an Irish accredited degree, and have the Visa Stamp 2 you may qualify for the Third Level Graduate Scheme. The steps to the process is as following –

Students can apply for non-renewable extension of up to 2 years after course completion. This extension is granted for the purpose of finding suitable employment.

Later on, you can apply for a green card (renamed Critical Skills Employment Permit) or work permit (renamed General Employment Permit).

A new visa stamp – Stamp 1G – is now granted to foreign graduates who are authorized to work under the Third Level Graduate Scheme. So if you are granted Stamp 1G you don't need to separately apply for visa extension.

The time of extension also depends on what your level is on the National Framework of Qualifications. For those pursuing degree at the level of 8 or above, the period for Graduate Employment Scheme is 12 months. For those with degree on level 7, a 6 month extension will be provided.

Generally, you can apply for residency after legally living in Ireland for 5 years. This includes General Employment Permit holders. However, as a nice advantage for techies, Critical Skills Employment Permit holders can apply for residency after just 2 years. Once you've been granted residency, you won't need any further employment permits.



The U.S. is a country of 50 states covering a vast swath of North America, with Alaska in the northwest and Hawaii extending the nation's presence into the Pacific Ocean. Major Atlantic Coast cities are New York, a global finance and culture center, and capital Washington, DC. Midwestern metropolis Chicago is known for influential architecture and on the west coast, Los Angeles' Hollywood is famed for filmmaking.

**Language: English**

**Main Industries: Real Estate,  
Renting & Leasin  
State & Local Government  
Finance & Insurance. Health  
& Social Care, Durable Manufacturing.  
Retail Trade, Wholesale Trade,  
Nondurable Manufacturing.**



**USA**

**Per Capita income: 62,518 World (7th)  
HDI index: 0.924 very high World Rank 13th  
Minimum Wages/hr : \$7.25**



**Capital: Washington, D.C.**

**Currency: United States Dollar  
1 United States Dollar = 71.26 Indian Rupee**

**Population: 32.57 crores**



## Study and Settle in USA

William McKinley famously said “The mission of United States is that of benevolent assimilation”. The United States of America, or the USA, has always been a melting pot of people belonging to different race and religions. The USA's status as a developed nation is hugely because of these hard working people who have their roots all over the world and chose to settle in the USA. Indians prefer to migrate to New Jersey, Bay area, Chicago and Greater New York Area in the USA.

### Courses and Exams

The students aim for getting admission in both- undergraduate as well as post graduate courses in the USA in all walks of life, be it science, commerce or humanities. Some of the exams that the students have to appear for, depending on their choice of course, are SAT, TOEFL or IELTS, GRE and GMAT. Students need to clear class 12th (with 60% marks) for UG admission and bachelors (with 50% marks) for PG admission. Some universities accept the TOEFL score and some other universities accept IELTS score. The students need to have a minimum score of 6.5 in IELTS and a minimum score of 78 in TOEFL.

### Education and Living Cost

The tuition fees and cost of studying in the USA varies substantially from one place to another across different cities, colleges and universities. The cost of studying in USA can vary from \$5,000 to \$50,000 for one year. The cost of living in the USA and the expenses for day-to-day activities usually lie between \$8,000 and \$12,000 for one year. Though most of the colleges provide on-campus accommodation, the students prefer to live off-campus because it usually cheaper than living on-campus.

### Part-time Jobs

Indian students who go to the USA usually work a part-time job to earn some extra money and to get familiar with their surroundings. A part time job helps the students meet people who live in the USA and interact with them, this helps them learn more about the culture of the country they are living in. Some of the easy to find on campus jobs are Library Monitor, Teaching Assistant, Tour Guide, Peer Tutor, Academic Department Assistant, Campus Tech Support, Production Assistant, University Book Store Assistant, Babysitter and Barista. The students can work for only 20 hours per week as per the visa guidelines for working part-time jobs.

### Availability of Finances

A student needs to show a decent amount of money in their account and also have funds required for living the USA for one year. It is always a good idea to show at least 1.5 times the total cost on your i20 form. An I-20 form is the document issued to the student after he/she has been accepted by a school in the U.S. This document is important because the student will need it to get his/her student visa and enter the United States.

Jobs and Post Study work-permit & Permanent Residency

An F1 student is generally entitled up to one year of post-completion practical training. Authorization for this type of practical training may be granted for a maximum of 12 months and starts once the student has graduated or completed their course of study. For students studying STEM courses (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) a new rule allows a 24 month extension that means they can continue to stay in US for three years after finishing their course of study.



**Global Knowledge Works i.e. GKWorks is India's leading Career counseling company for Study Abroad, MBBS Abroad and Skilled migration services. We help candidates to reach their ideal destination. Founded by IIT-IIM Alumni and head quartered in Delhi, GKWorks is now present in over 20 cities across India**

**GKWorks through its highly qualified and experienced top management provide life and career mentoring to people from age group 14 to 60. This unique customised service is provided to selected clients with a vision to help them achieve best in their life and careers**

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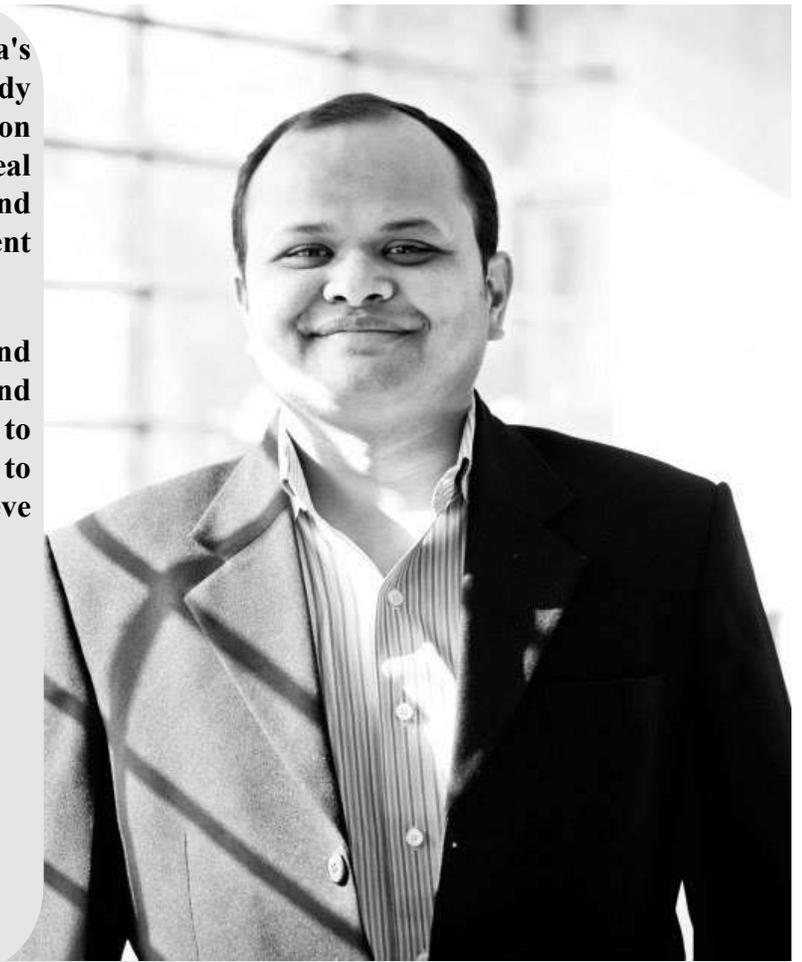
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