



UNIVERSITY OF
KING'S
COLLEGE • HALIFAX

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INSTITUTION INFORMATION

Program highlights	<p>King's offers a humanities intensive first year program called the Foundation Year Program. Students spend their first year reading and analyzing great books from the ancient world to the present day.</p> <p>We also offer a Bachelor of Journalism Honours program. Students will learn to tell stories for multiple platforms, reporting in every class and having their stories published on our own news site. In fourth year, students do an internship at a media outlet of their choosing.</p> <p>King's and Dalhousie share the Bachelor of Arts, Science and Music programs with each other. Meaning the programs available in those faculties are open to students from both schools.</p>
Student population	1,000
Co-op programs	<p>Internship placements are a requirement in the Bachelor of Journalism (Honours) program.</p> <p>We offer co-op options in sustainability and several science programs that we share with Dalhousie.</p> <p>We also have a public humanities fellowship that allows undergraduate students to receive summer employment in a professional setting. Many of our students have worked in communications, research and education-based roles.</p>

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

Minimum Alberta admission requirements	Students must have five 30-level courses with no grade below 60%. All students must have ELA 30-1 and science students must also have Pure Math 30, Math 31 and Math 30-1. Please see specific requirements by using the link in the box below.
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Admission requirements online	https://ukings.ca/admissions/admission-requirements/undergraduate/
English language proficiency requirements	Please head to our English language requirements page for information about which tests and scores we accept.
Minimum admission average	<p>Bachelor of Arts and Music with the Foundation Year Program – 75%</p> <p>Bachelor of Arts and Music undeclared– 70%</p> <p>Bachelor of Science with the Foundation Year Program or undeclared – 75%</p> <p>Bachelor of Journalism (Honours) – 80%</p> <p>Many King’s programs are limited enrolment and meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission.</p>
Conditional admissions process	Applicants are assessed on a rolling basis. Final official transcripts/grades must be submitted prior to August 1.
IB credit information	IB Students need 26 points for admission. Students who complete HL subjects with final grades of 5-7 may be eligible for a university credit. King’s offers a second year transfer credit for TOK students who receive a grade of C or higher. Please visit our IB Transfer Credit Table for a list of course equivalencies.
AP credit information	Students who complete AP subjects with a national exam result of 4 or 5 may be eligible for a university credit. Please visit our AP Transfer Credit Table for a list of course equivalencies.
Policy on repeated courses	The higher of the two grades will be considered for admission.
Policy on summer school, night school, online courses, and correspondence courses	These courses will be considered for admission.
Treatment of out-of-province high school courses from schools such as Blyth or MEI	These courses will be considered for admission.
Application deadline	The application deadline to be considered for awards is March 1. The international application deadline is April 1. There is no hard application deadline for undergraduate domestic students, but admission is assessed on a rolling basis throughout the year and some programs, specifically journalism, are limited enrolment.

Application fee	\$65
Timing of offers/grades used	<p>Applications are assessed on a rolling basis.</p> <p>Academic grade 12 and/or grade 11 final marks are used in an admission average calculation (grade 12 courses are prioritized in the calculation).</p> <p>Most scholarship offers are awarded using first semester and mid-year grades.</p>
Deferral policy	<p>Students can access a deferral request form in their application portal once they received an offer of admission. A \$200 confirmation deposit is required to process their deferral request form, but paying the deposit does not guarantee that their deferral will be approved.</p> <p>For any questions, please reach out to admissions@ukings.ca.</p>

RESIDENCE INFORMATION

Residence options	We offer single, double and semi-private rooms to incoming students.
Residence application deadline	We recommend students apply to residence by May 15, because if students are accepted to King's, have paid their admissions deposit and have applied to residence by this date, they have a guaranteed spot in residence. There isn't a hard deadline to apply, but room assignments do start to go out in June.
Guaranteed residence?	Yes, for students who are accepted to King's, pay their admission deposit and apply to residence by May 15.
Room deposit fee	There is a \$50 fee to apply to residence and a \$400 deposit fee to secure a student's place in residence once they have received their residence offer in June.
Can you apply online?	https://ukings.ca/campus-community/residence/apply-for-residence/

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Scholarship information website	https://ukings.ca/admissions/finances/scholarships/
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Number of scholarships awarded	For incoming undergraduate students, we offer an automatic entrance award and eight major awards.
Scholarship application deadline	March 1 st .
Decision criteria	For automatic entrance awards, students need to achieve an admission average of 85% or above. For the major awards they would need that grade average along with completing a 500-word scholarship essay which is applicable to every major scholarship. They also must fill out the scholarship application form.
Guaranteed scholarship program	<p>Students who apply to King's by March 1 with an admissions average above 85% will receive an automatic scholarship. The amount goes by up the five percentile.</p> <p>85-89.9% = \$2,000 90 – 94.9% = \$2,500 95% + = \$3,500</p>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Treatment of diploma marks	We use the final blended mark.
Transcript requirements	<p>Students can apply during the early admission period Oct. 15 – Jan. 31 by uploading their unofficial transcript to their application portal. All applicants must have their school submit their official mid-year or first-semester grade 12 transcript by March 1. Transcripts can be emailed to admissions@ukings.ca or mailed to</p> <p>Registrar's Office University of King's College 6350 Coburg Rd Halifax, N.S. B3H 2A1</p>
Tuition differentials	Our base tuition \$11,209. This will change slightly based on the program the student is enrolled in.
Treatment of second choice program(s)	Students can apply online by using our application portal . Applicants can apply with a first and second choice with one application fee.

NEW INSTITUTION UPDATES/HIGHLIGHTS

Last year, King's released our [virtual campus tour](#), allowing students to see the campus through a series of 360 degree photographs. Students can see the residence spaces, lecture halls, dining hall, library and much more.

King's College has a [unique partnership](#) with the Faculty of Law at the University of Calgary. Graduates of King's who completed our Foundation Year Program are provisionally pre-admitted to the Faculty of Law at UCal.

On November 14th, the directors of the Foundation Year Program and the School of Journalism are coming to Calgary to deliver short lectures and chat with prospective students. The goal is to provide students with an idea of what attending King's would be like without having to travel to Halifax to experience a lecture. The event is from 7 – 9:00 p.m. at the Devonian Gardens. You can find more information on our [National Lecture Tour page](#) on our website.

This season, five of our teams made it to the Canadian Collegiate Athletic Association National Championships. At King's, students who are enrolled or have taken the Foundation Year Program are eligible for the Deane Little Award for Varsity Athletes which is a scholarship worth \$5,000 per year. King's has [varsity teams](#) in men's and women's badminton, basketball, soccer, rugby and women's volleyball.

ENGINEERING & NURSING REQUIREMENTS

We don't offer engineering or nursing.