# ROCK GUIDE TRAINING

The W.A.S Rock Guide Training Program introduces fundamental skills to become competent in rock climbing.

In three hands-on courses, students will learn the fundamentals to rock climbing and guiding. Throughout the program, students will build a resume of rock climbs and multi pitch experiences to help prepare them for reaching an ACMG / UIAGM level if they choose so.

# **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Minimum 18 years old, proficiency in English.

Additional physical requirements are necessary for this course.

#### **PROGRAM HOURS**

1. Rock Guide Level 1	22.5
2. Rock Guide Level 2	67.5
3. Rock Guide Level 3	67.5

# **PROGRAM COSTS**

Tuition Fee	\$5,000
Application Fee	\$125



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# **PROGRAM DETAILS**

# **Start Date**

July

# **Length of Study**

157.5 full time hours within 6 months

# Credits

8

# Credential

Certificate



- Complete online application on W.A.S website
  - Attach a copy of picture ID/passport with date of birth & address
  - Attach a copy of English certificate and resume
- Receive program approval from W.A.S and pay the application fee & program deposit
- Receive you Letter of Acceptance from W.A.S
- Apply for your study online through the CIC website; WAS recommends using an immigration expert

#### **CANADIAN (CIC) STUDY PERMIT SUMMARY**

- Foreign Students accepted into this program must apply for a one year study permit
- A standard study permit (under the regulation R186F) allows work off campus up to 20 hours per week during regular academic sessions and work full-time during scheduled breaks

# **COURSE SCHEDULING**

The exact dates and times of upcoming courses can be found on the W.A.S website. Students can expect course scheduling to vary throughout the year. Some courses will run back to back while others include a scheduled break of up to 90 days or more.

#### **ADDITIONAL COSTS**

Students are expected to provide their own equipment for certain courses. W.A.S recommends students research and understand the equipment costs related to the activities within the courses. Please visit our website for more details.

# **PAYMENT BREAKDOWN**

Prior to a Letter of Acceptance being issued, a \$125 application fee and \$1,750 program deposit is required. The program deposit is held and used towards the final tuition payment. Please review the W.A.S payment policy.

# **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

- Online credit card payment
- Pay with cash or cheque at the school
- Pay with an Online E-transfer please send to "info@whistleradventureschool.com"
- Pay via a bank deposit please contact the administrator for details

# **HOUSING**

W.A.S can provide shared housing to enrolled students on a month by month basis. Students are required to complete the housing application on the W.A.S website.

# WORK

Students may seek employment based on their study permit work allowance (R186F). Students will need a Canadian Social Insurance Number (SIN) before applying for jobs. Study and work permits expire upon graduation or withdrawal from W.A.S as per CIC rules.

# **POST-GRADUATION WORK PERMIT**

Graduation from any W.A.S program does not qualify you for a Post-Graduation Work Permit. Eligibility is assessed by CIC on a case by case basis. W.A.S will provide successfully graduating students with transcripts and certificates. W.A.S recommends all students consult an immigration expert to determine the best pathway to achieve CIC permits.