

Application for Selection Certificate

Dependent child aged 22 or older or who is married or a de facto spouse

INSTRUCTIONS

How to complete this form

Answer all questions accurately. If you run out of space, please finish your answer on a separate sheet marked with the number of the section of the form to which it refers.

Who is required to fill out this form?

Each dependent child aged 22 or older or who is married or a de facto spouse. These are children of the principal applicant or his spouse or de facto spouse who is accompanying him to Québec.

Appendices, supporting documents and place of application submission

You must send this form together with the appendices and the necessary supporting documents to the immigration office responsible for files originating in your country. Closely examine the list of documents to append to your Application for a Selection Certificate, based on your country of residence at www.immigration-quebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/biq/index.html.

For more information on immigration to Québec, please consult the website of the Ministère de l'Immigration et des Communautés culturelles at www.immigration-quebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/index.html. To access the pages of the office that covers your country, select your country of residence on the website of the Ministère.

Payment of fees

Fees must be paid when your application is filled. A variety of payment methods are accepted by the Ministère. **They also vary depending on your country of residence.** For information on this subject, select your country from the drop-down menu on the following page: www.immigration-quebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/immigrate-settle/permanent-workers/official-immigration-application/cost-immigrating/fees-payment.html.

Questions 8 and 8.1: Education

- Indicate the name of the diploma or, failing that, the certificate of the last school year successfully completed. If you are studying in Quebec towards a diploma granted by a legally authorized Quebec institution, give the name of the diploma and the expected completion date of these studies.
- Indicate if any of the diplomas mentioned are among the choices presented in Section 8.1. For more information on mutual recognition agreements (MRA), consult the site:
www.immigration-quebec.gouv.qc.ca/fr/biq/paris/entente-france-quebec/index.html.

Question 9: Work experience

Indicate full-time or part-time work experience acquired through remunerated employment over the past five years, including military service and a youth exchange program (ex.: working holiday program). Include full-time or part-time remunerated or non-remunerated work terms completed over the past five years during apprenticeship, training or specialization that led to a diploma.

Questions 10 and 10.1: Language skills

To speed up the processing of your application, enclose with it an attestation for assessing french language knowledge – either a Test d'évaluation du français adapté pour le Québec (TEFaQ) or a Test de connaissance du français pour le Québec (TCFQ). You may also submit the results of any of the following tests: the Diplôme d'études en langue française (DELFF), the Diplôme approfondi de la langue française (DALF), the Test de connaissance de français (TCF) or the Test d'évaluation du français (TEF). If you choose the TCF or TEF, you must enclose the results of both the compulsory test and the optional test.

You can learn what centres give these tests from the following links:

- TCFQ, TCF, DELF and DALF tests: www2.ciep.fr/tcf/centres/liste.aspx
- TEFaQ and TEF tests: www.fda.ccip.fr/tef/centres

Question 11: Preliminary Evaluation for Immigration (PEI)

The Preliminary Evaluation for Immigration enables you to obtain directly online a free summary evaluation of your chances of being selected by Québec. Note that this It **does not, however, lead to a formal decision**, but rather provides you with a positive or negative opinion regarding your candidacy. You can do this evaluation starting on the next page:

www.form.services.micc.gouv.qc.ca/epi/index.jsp?languageCode=en.

Question 12: Use of the services of a paid individual

The forms and instructions were designed to enable persons wishing to immigrate to Québec to fill out the forms without help. It is therefore not necessary to use the services of a paid individual to handle your immigration process.

The Ministère de l'Immigration et des Communautés culturelles does not give priority or special treatment to applications from individuals who retain the services of a paid individual. All applications are treated equally.

If you decide to retain the services of a paid individual, be advised that the Ministère, to better protect applicants against dubious or illegal practices, deals only with:

- members in good standing of the Barreau du Québec or the Chambre des notaires du Québec;
- persons with a special authorization issued by the above organizations;
- immigration consultants recognized by the Ministère de l'Immigration et des Communautés culturelles and entered in the ***Registre québécois des consultants en immigration***.

To find out if an immigration consultant is recognized by the Ministère, consult the Register at the following address:

www.micc.gouv.qc.ca/consultant.

If you use the services of an immigration consultant to advise you, help you or represent you in the framework of this application, you must notify the Ministère and identify this person. **Do not forget to give your personal residence address along with that of the person who advises you, assists you or represents you.**

Power of attorney: if you want someone to represent you in your dealings with the Ministère, you must send an original power of attorney, signed by you and this person, to the office responsible for handling your application.

Common values of Québec society

Québec welcomes immigrants with their know-how, skills, language, culture and religion. Québec provides services to help them integrate and participate fully in Québec society. Integrating in Québec society means being prepared to learn about and to respect its common values. Please consult information on the common values of Québec society at:

www.valeurscommunesduquebec.gouv.qc.ca.

Signatures

This form must be signed in two places by the dependent child who is aged 22 or older or who is married or a de facto spouse: the "Common values of Québec society" section on Page 5 and the Declaration section on Page 6. It is very important to sign this form in both places. Otherwise, the file will be returned to you.

DEFINITIONS

Family member:

- a spouse or de facto spouse, who must be at least 16 years old;
- a dependent child and, if applicable, that child's dependent child.

Spouse

A married person who is at least 16 years of age, and who:

- was not the spouse of any other person on the marriage date;
- is not de facto spouse of any other person while living apart from his spouse for at least one year.

De facto spouse

A person who is at least 16 years old and who:

- has been cohabiting for at least one year with an opposite-sex or same-sex partner who is at least 16 years of age; or
- has had a conjugal relationship for at least one year with such a person but, since the person is being persecuted or the object of a certain form of penal control, cannot live with that person.

Dependent child

The biological offspring of either parent, who has not been adopted by any person other than their parent's spouse or de facto spouse; or the adopted child of either parent.

One of the following situations applies to this child:

- he/she is less than 22 years old, and neither married (he/she is single, widowed, or divorced) nor a de facto spouse; or
- he/she is still substantially dependent on the financial support of a parent, and
 - is 22 years of age or older, is studying full-time*, and is neither married nor a de facto spouse; or
 - became a spouse or de facto spouse before the age of 22, and is a full-time student*; or
 - is 22 years of age or older, and has been unable to support himself/herself at least since his/her 22nd birthday, owing to a physical or mental disability.

This definition also extends to the child of a dependent child.

* In order to be considered a full-time student, the child must be enrolled on a continuous basis in a postsecondary institution that is accredited by the relevant government authorities; must be attending this institution; and must have been actively taking academic, professional, or vocational training courses there on a full-time basis and without interruption at least since his/her 22nd birthday, or since the date on which he/she married or became a de facto spouse.

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Date order received

Reserved for Administration

Individual Reference No: _____

File No: _____

1. Identification

Family name at birth _____ First name _____

Family name after marriage (if applicable) _____ Sex F M

Other names that you use or by which you are known _____ Passport or identity card number _____

Date of birth Year _____ Month _____ Day _____ Place of birth City _____ Province / Region _____ Country _____ Citizenship _____

2. Present marital status (notify us immediately if your status changes; for the definition of de facto spouse, see definitions on the detachable page)

Single Married De facto spouse Separated Divorced Marriage annulled Widowed
Have you been married more than once? Yes No

3. Residence address

Number _____ Street _____ App. _____ City _____ Province / Region _____ Postal code _____ Country _____

Mailing address, if different (give the name of the person living here if this address is not directly related to you) _____

Telephone no. Home _____ Telephone no. Work _____ E-mail address _____ Other (specify) _____

Fax no. Home _____ Fax no. Work _____ Other (specify) _____

4. Dependent children. You must declare all dependent children, whether they are accompanying you or not. (see the definitions on the detachable page for the definitions of a dependent child)

Family name at birth	First name	Relationship	Date of birth			Place and country of birth
			Year	Month	Day	

5. Name and address of your spouse or de facto spouse and dependent children (if different from your permanent address)

Name	Address	Country	Telephone

6. Have you ever applied:

For a temporary stay in Canada?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Province _____	Date _____	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Waiting for a decision
For permanent immigration to Québec?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Waiting for a decision
			Under which program?		
			<input type="checkbox"/> Regular program	<input type="checkbox"/> PEQ	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
For permanent residence in Canada (except Québec)?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Province _____	Date _____	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Waiting for a decision
For refugee status in Canada?	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Province _____	Date _____	
			<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Waiting for a decision

7. List every place where you have lived in the past 10 years (use a separate sheet if necessary)

Length of time				City (number and street)	Province / Region	Country
From Year	Month	To Year	Month			

8. Education, excluding elementary school (start with your most recent diploma)

	From		To		Name of institution / Country	Name of diploma obtained (see instructions on detachable page)
	Year	Month	Year	Month		
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						

	Year diploma obtained	Specialization	Primary language of instruction
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

8.1 Are any of the diplomas entered under Question 8 Québec diplomas or their equivalent and found among these choices:

- Québec diploma
- Canadian diploma
- Diploma or training recognized as equivalent by a Québec regulatory body (except medical degree)
- Foreign diploma covered by a mutual recognition agreement (ARM)
- Other _____

9. Employment during the past 5 years, including military service (start with your most recent job; use a separate sheet if necessary) (see instructions on the detachable page)

Expe- rience	From			From			Name of company including your own and country where it is located (enter full name - no abbreviations)
	Year	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
6							

Expe- rience	Job title	Hours worked per week	Primary language of work
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			

10. Language skills (see instructions in the detachable part)

	None				Beginner				Intermediate				Advanced			
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
French																
• Understand spoken	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
• Ability to speak	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
English																
• Understand spoken	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			
• Ability to speak	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

10.1 Are you submitting the results of a French test with your application? Yes No

If so, which one?

- TCFQ TCF DELF other (specify) _____
- TEFaQ TEF DALF

11. Have you completed a Preliminary Evaluation for Immigration (PEI) before filling out this DCS?

- Yes No

DECLARATION ON THE COMMON VALUES OF QUÉBEC SOCIETY

Québec is a pluralist society that welcomes immigrants who come from the four corners of the earth with their know-how, skills, language, culture and religion.

Québec provides services to immigrants to help them integrate and participate fully and completely in Québec society in order to meet the challenges of a modern society such as economic prosperity, the survival of the French fact and openness to the world. In return, immigrants must adapt to their living environment.

All Quebecers, whether they are native-born or immigrants, have rights and responsibilities and can freely choose their lifestyle, opinions and religion; however, everyone must obey all laws no matter what their beliefs.

The Québec state and its institutions are secular; political and religious powers are separate.

All Quebecers enjoy rights and freedoms recognized by the *Charter of Human Rights and Freedoms* and other laws and have the responsibility of abiding by the values set forth in them.

COMMON VALUES

The principal values set forth in this Charter, which are the foundation of Québec society, are as follows:

- Québec is a free and democratic society.
- Political and religious powers are separate in Québec.
- Québec is a pluralist society.
- Québec society is based on the rule of law.
- Women and men have the same rights.
- The exercise of human rights and freedoms must respect the rights and freedoms of others and the general well-being.

Québec society is also governed by the *Charter of the French language*, which makes French the official language of Québec. Accordingly, French is the normal and usual language of work, instruction, communications, trade and business.

DECLARATION

UNDERSTANDING the scope and significance of the foregoing

and

AGREEING TO respect the common values of Quebec society,

I DECLARE that I wish to live in Québec within the framework of and abiding by its common values, and that I want to learn French, if I do not speak it already.

Signature

Date

