

**High Commission of India  
Ottawa**

**GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR INDIAN STUDENTS IN CANADA**

- **Registration** - All Indian students in Canada are advised to register at the High Commission's website: <https://hciottawa.gov.in/IndianRegistration>.
- **Keeping personal information and documents safe:** It is important to keep one's personal details safe, including bank account and credit card details at all times. It is important to be also careful about storage of documents such as passport/visa, identification etc.
- **Beware of scam/fake calls/communications:** Some Indian nationals have of late been receiving calls, emails etc. from unscrupulous elements, about their Canadian visa/ immigration status, job offers, for payment/repayment of fees, etc. At times, the callers/ senders have claimed to be an official from the High Commission of India or Consulates General of India in Toronto or in Vancouver. Please note that the High Commission of India in Ottawa, Consulate General of India in Toronto or Consulate General of India in Vancouver do not make such calls or communications as mentioned above. Such phone calls/ communications by impersonators may be reported to the concerned law and order authorities. Beware of such people, social networking scams, and telephone calls requesting for your personal information and/or bank account details for money transfer.
- **In case for Emergency:** Dial 911 or equivalent local helpline number immediately. In case of any untoward incident, report to the administrative division and/or International Students Office at the University/College immediately.
- **Emergency numbers of High Commission of India and Consulates General of India in Toronto and Vancouver :-**

High Commission of India, Ottawa:	+1 613-899- 4622.
Consulate General of India, Toronto:	+1 647 668 4108
Consulate General of India, Vancouver:	+ 1 604-551-9626.
- **Consular Jurisdiction of High Commission of India in Ottawa and Consulates General of India in Toronto and Vancouver:** The consular jurisdiction of the High Commission/Consulates is available at: <https://hciottawa.gov.in/pages?id=2&subid=6>

- For any guidance, including if detection of any symptoms of depression/loneliness, the following points of contact may be reached out to at the High Commission/Consulates General of India:

1. Mr. Tarun Kumar, First Secretary (Education):  
[pic.ottawa@mea.gov.in](mailto:pic.ottawa@mea.gov.in) (Ottawa)
2. Mr. Ravinder K. Mangla, Consul (Education):  
[pic.vancouver@mea.gov.in](mailto:pic.vancouver@mea.gov.in) (Vancouver)
3. Mr. Abhishek Ranjan, ASO (Education):  
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