Common First Year

The Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology (ECET) diploma programs and **the Bachelor of Engineering Program (BEng)** all share the same first year (level 1 and level 2) courses. Therefore, please submit your application to level 1 Electrical and Computer Engineering Technology.

If you are having any trouble with the application process:	apply@bcit.ca
If you have questions about the Admissions process: Examples: when to apply, where to apply, what grades to submit, when to submit grades, how to meet entrance requirements, waitlists, etc.	admissions@bcit.ca
If you are an international applicant with questions about the admissions process.	International_Admissions@bcit.ca

If you need to upgrade prerequisites, you can do so through adult education courses offered by your local school board, or you can explore some of BCIT's upgrading options at the following link:

http://www.bcit.ca/admission/upgrading/

Entrance requirements

Applicants must meet all entrance requirements and will be accepted on a first qualified basis, as long as space remains. *To find out if the courses you've taken meet the entrance requirements, please submit an application to the program and the Admissions department will assess you. Such assessments are not done by the program area.*

- **English:** two years of education in English in an English-speaking country with **one** of the following:

    o English 12 (67%) or

    o Three credits of post-secondary English, Humanities or Social Sciences (67%) from a recognized institution.

    For a list of recognized institutions please go to:

    http://www.cicic.ca/868/Search-the-Directory-of-Educational-Institutions-in-Canada/index.canada

- **Physics 12 (67%)**
- **Chemistry 11 (67%)**
- **Math: one of the following:**

    o Principles of Mathematics 12 (73%) or

    o Pre-Calculus 12 (73%)

    To read more about how to meet BCIT's entrance requirements please go to:

    http://www.bcit.ca/admission/requirements/

Advanced Placement

You may be eligible to apply to an advanced level of the program through **1. re-admission** or **2. direct entry**. The following applies to all advanced placement applicants:

- **Complete applications:** you must show proof of completing all requirements (proof of registration is acceptable for advanced placement applicants) to be considered.

- **Competitive entry:** if the number of applications exceeds available seats, BCIT will accept those deemed to have the best opportunity for success.

- **Acceptance based on seat availability:** confirmation may not be available until approximately one week before the term begins.

1. **Re-admission:** Have you completed part of this program at BCIT and want to apply to an advanced level? If so, you must submit the Technology Re-admission Form with your application form. Applications are accepted throughout the year. To find the form, please go to:

    http://www.bcit.ca/files/admission/pdf/tech_readmit.pdf

2. **Direct Entry:** Are you new to this program but have completed an equivalent part of it at BCIT or elsewhere and want to apply to an advanced level? If so, BCIT accepts complete Direct Entry applications until:

    - March 31st for the Fall (September) intake

    - October 31st for the Winter (January) intake

For more information about the Direct Entry application process please go to:

http://www.bcit.ca/files/admission/pdf/de_ecet.pdf

You will need to submit the Course-by-Course Self-Assessment form with your Direct Entry application. To find that form please go to:

http://www.bcit.ca/files/admission/pdf/cxc_selfassessment_ecet.pdf

Frequently Asked Questions

Question: I am a red seal electrician. Will I get credit for any courses?
Answer: No. In our program you will be learning different things and using more mathematics and science than you experienced in your training to become an electrician.
Question: I would like to get credit for a few courses in level 1 and level 2. Should I apply for Direct Entry?
Answer: Students who are accepted to level 1 of the program may apply for individual course credits for a maximum of two courses in level 1 and two courses in level 2. Students who believe they are eligible for more credit than that, must apply as a Direct Entry Student.
Question: I have completed a technology diploma elsewhere in Canada. How can I get into the BEng?
Answer: It is likely that you will need to complete some courses from the common first year before you will be permitted to compete for a seat in Level 3 BEng. Submit your application as a Direct Entry applicant to level 2 ECET. You will be assessed and contacted with the results, once the Direct Entry application deadline for that intake has passed. For details on the Direct Entry process, please see the link noted in the Direct Entry section above.
Question: I am currently enrolled in a prerequisite course but have not completed it. Can I still apply?
Answer: Yes. Submit your application online and include proof of registration, and/or an interim grade, when you upload your supporting documents.
Question: Do you accept international students?
Answer: Yes, we accept international students to both the diploma and the BEng programs. Submit your application online.