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Subject: FW: Clarification on CRS Points for Education Based on Diploma and Bachelor's Program Path - REP-A-2025-0695 - Due 11-Apr-25
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Good day,
[redacted] **Representatives Mailbox.**
Please note that this mailbox is intended for general guidance and does not provide responses to case-specific inquiries but have provided the following information as guidance. If you have case specific questions about a file, you are encouraged to submit the IRCC Web form.
Please see our response to your question.
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The candidate may be awarded 120 points as per section 11(1)(a)(v) of the *Ministerial Instructions respecting the Express Entry system* (MIs) upon completion of the bachelor's degree. If only the two-year diploma is completed, a candidate may be awarded 98 points for their two year diploma as per section 11(1)(a)(iv) of the MIs.

Please be advised that the assessment of an application is based on a case-by-case basis; each application will be considered on its own merits, with a final decision based on a review of all the information available to the officer at the time of decision. The onus is always on the applicant to provide sufficient documentation to satisfy an officer that they meet the requirements.

We trust that this information will assist you.

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The Immigration Representatives Mailbox

From:
Sent: [redacted] 2, 2025 10:39 AM
To: Immigration Representatives / Représentants immigration (IRCC) [redacted]
Subject: Clarification on CRS Points for Education Based on Diploma and Bachelor's Program Path

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I am writing to seek clarification on the points a student would receive in the Comprehensive Ranking System (CRS) for education under the Core/Human Capital factors.

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The student in question is pursuing a two-year diploma at a college, after which they will continue their studies at a university to complete a bachelor's degree. The credits from the diploma program will be transferred to the university, and they will complete the bachelor's degree in an additional two years.

My question is whether, under this educational path, the student would be awarded 98 points or 120 points in the CRS system for education.

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