



International  
Centre

## FALL 2021 QUARANTINE BURSARY

SAIT recognizes the increased barriers the pandemic has created for students, therefore, we have created different quarantine bursary options to support you.

### For students arriving prior to August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021:

Given the government requirement to stay in an authorized hotel when arriving to Canada prior to August 8th, 2021, the SAIT Quarantine Bursary of a \$1000 is available to students who:

- Are new students of Fall 2021, or continuing students who are coming to Canada first time AND,
- Arriving Canada between August 1st and August 8th, 2021 AND,
- Complete the 3-day quarantine in the government-authorized hotel AND,
- Have quarantined at SAIT Residence AND,
- Have followed all quarantine protocols while in SAIT Residence quarantine AND,
- Are registered as a full-time student in their program for Fall 2021 (i.e. minimum 9 credits)

### For students arriving on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and afterward:

As the 3-night hotel stopover requirement will be eliminated for all travellers arriving by air after 12:01 A.M. EDT August 9th (August 8th 10:01 P.M. MST). You can start your 14-day quarantine plan right after arriving at the Calgary airport.

In alignment with these changes, SAIT will offer a \$500 quarantine bursary to students who:

- Are new students of Fall 2021, or continuing students who are coming to Canada first time
- Arrive in Canada between August 8th, 2021 (after 10:01 pm MST) and August 31st, 2021 AND,
- Apply and book SAIT Residence **before August 13th** (no exceptions)
- Have quarantined at SAIT Residence AND,
- Have followed all quarantine protocols while in SAIT Residence quarantine AND,
- Are registered as a full-time student in their program for Fall 2021 (i.e. minimum 9 credits).

### Who is NOT eligible for this Bursary?

You are not eligible for the Fall 2021 Quarantine Bursary if you:

- are not a SAIT student (e.g. accompanying family member of a SAIT student who quarantines at Residence), or
- choose to withdraw from your program or become a part-time for Fall 2021, or

- do not follow the rules regarding quarantine, or
- do not fulfill all eligibility criteria mentioned in the FAQ above

### **How do I apply for this Bursary?**

You are automatically eligible for the Fall 2021 Quarantine Bursary if you meet all of the eligibility criteria outlined in the FAQs above. No action is needed from you.

Please note that you must meet **ALL** of the criteria outlined, in order to be considered eligible.

### **How will the Bursary be distributed?**

The bursary will be credited to your mySAIT.ca account once:

- The [add drop deadline](#) has passed **AND**
- All tuition and fees due for the semester has been paid **AND**
- You have uploaded your [Social Insurance Number \(SIN\)](#) to your mySAIT.ca account

There is currently no system in place to dispense or issue cash or cheque payments for the Quarantine Bursary.

### **Does this change the quarantine package inclusions?**

Nope! If you are a bursary recipient, you will still get the full-value quarantine package (transport from airport or hotel to SAIT Residence, private room with attached bathroom and kitchen, door step delivery of three meals a day, dish washing facility, linen change at the end of the week, towel, add-on services from the Reception Desk) **PLUS** a bursary to offset the cost! Talk about win-win!

### **Instead of paying full price and then receiving the Bursary later, can I just pay less while booking my stay at SAIT Residence for quarantine?**

The Fall 2021 Quarantine Bursary is a reimbursement bursary.

This means that you will still pay \$1555 when you book your quarantine package, and once you complete your quarantine successfully the SAIT International Centre you will receive the amount in your mySAIT account, if eligible.

### **If I am selected, when can I expect the bursary to show in my student account?**

An email will be sent out to all eligible students once the Bursary has been credited. It will be credited a few weeks after the add-drop deadline has passed.

### **Who should I email if I have questions?**

Please email [international@sait.ca](mailto:international@sait.ca) with your full name, SAIT ID and questions.