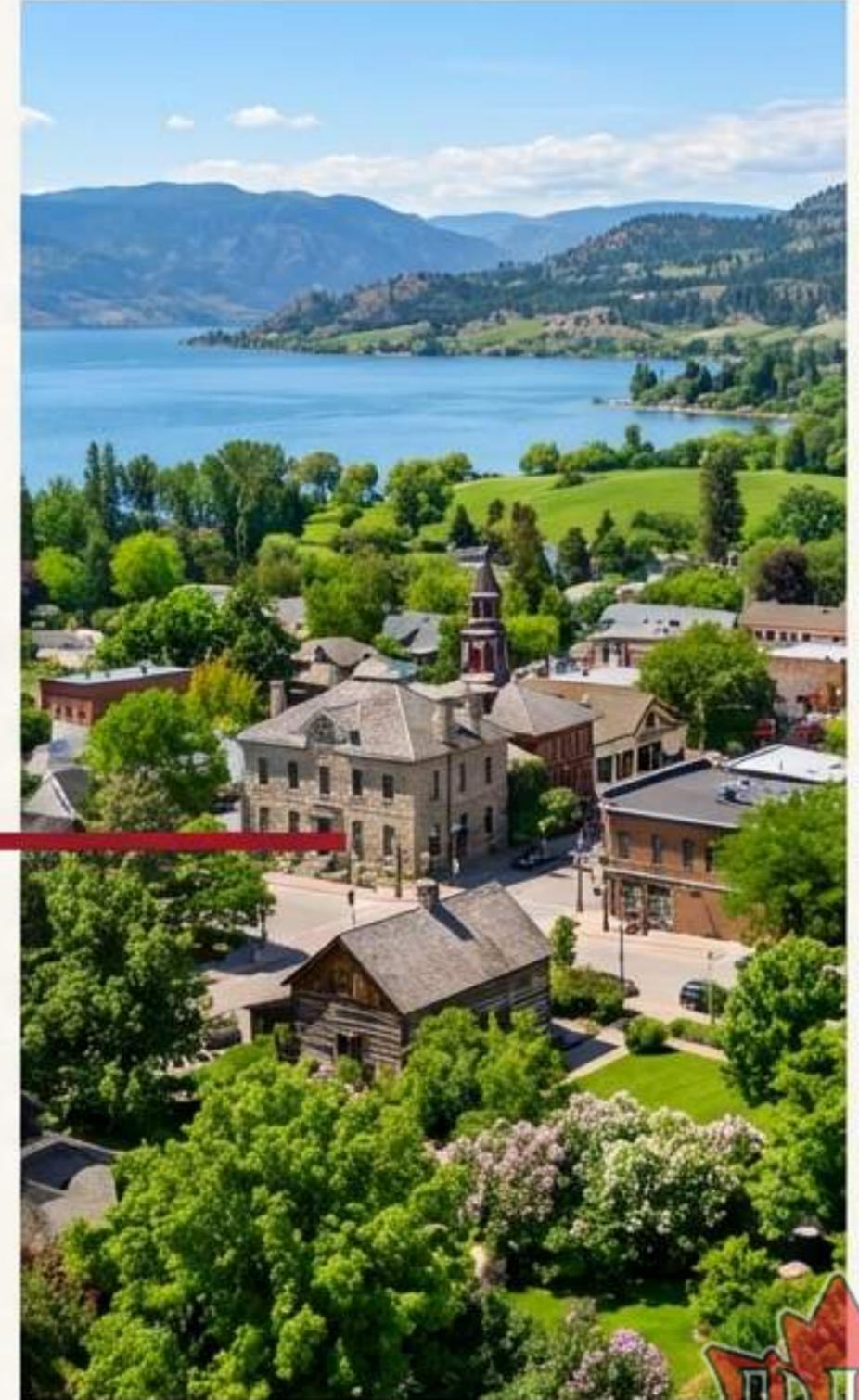




# The Red Carpet to Canada

## The Francophone Community Immigration Pilot (FCIP)

A strategic guide to Permanent Residence for French-speaking professionals seeking a faster, community-focused pathway.



# You Are Not Just a Number in a Pool

Bypass the lottery. Choose a home.



## The Standard Route (Express Entry)



High competition. Impersonal processing.  
Treats you as a data point.

## The FCIP Route



Community-driven. Recommended by name.  
Prioritized processing.

**Core Promise:** A direct pathway to Permanent Residence designed specifically to boost the vitality of French-speaking minority communities outside Quebec.



# Defining the Pilot: The 'VIP' Pathway

The FCIP is an economic immigration program where specific Canadian communities select you, rather than the federal government randomly drawing you.



## Community Recommendation

Vetted by local community board.



## Federal Security Check

Streamlined federal processing (Security & Medical).



CRUCIAL DISTINCTION	
<b>Francophone Mobility (C16)</b>	<b>FCIP</b>
 Temporary Work Permit Only.	 Permanent Residence. <b>You can stay forever.</b>

# The Destination: Six Participating Hubs (2026)

You cannot apply “anywhere.” You must commit to one of these hubs.



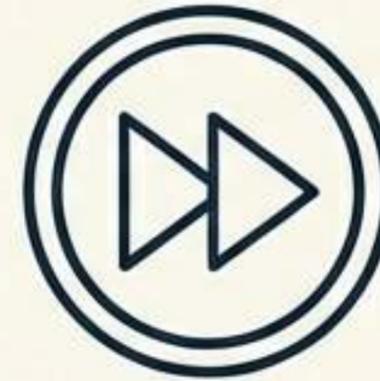
# The 'VIP' Advantage

Why smart professionals choose the Community Pilot over Express Entry.



## Lower Language Bar

Requires only NCLC 5 (Intermediate). No need to compete for top-tier scores.



## Immediate Access

Apply for an LMIA-exempt work permit to move and work while PR processes.



## Settlement Support

Local teams are dedicated to helping you integrate and find housing.



## Community Vetting

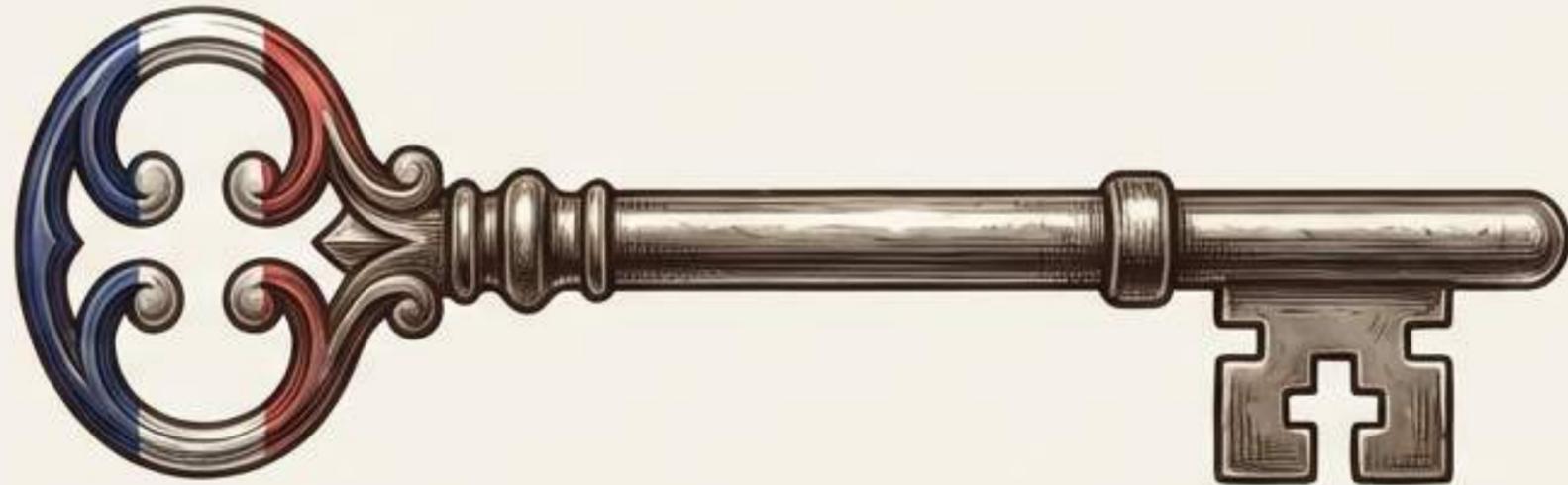
Selection based on "fit" and skills, not just a raw points algorithm.

# Eligibility Pillar 1: The Master Key

## Language Proficiency

**Requirement:** Minimum NCLC 5

**Skills:** Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing (All 4 required)



**Accepted Tests:** TEF Canada or TCF Canada



### Insight

English is NOT required.  
Your French score is the only one that unlocks the door.

### Warning

You must score NCLC 5 in EVERY band. One low score (e.g., NCLC 4 in Writing) is a disqualification.



# Eligibility Pillar 2: The Anchor

## The Job Offer

EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT



- Full-time (Non-seasonal)
- Indeterminate (Permanent, no end date)
- Wage meets Job Bank median for the region



**Constraint:** You cannot find just *any* job. The employer must be authorized by the specific community committee.

# Eligibility Pillars 3 & 4: The Foundation



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## Work Experience

1 Year (1,560 hours) continuous experience in the last 3 years.

Special Callout

**EXEMPTION:** International graduates who studied 2+ years \*in the community\* do not need work experience.



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## Education

Minimum: Canadian High School Diploma.

Foreign degrees require an Educational Credential Assessment (ECA).



# The Roadmap: From Application to Arrival



(Optional Path)



# Timeline & Investment (2026 Estimates)

**Total Processing**



**12 - 16 Months**  
(Post-Federal Submission)

Fee Description	Estimated Cost (CAD)
 PR Application Fee	~\$950 CAD
 Right of Permanent Residence Fee	~\$575 CAD
 Biometrics	\$85 CAD
 Community Fee	\$0 - \$200 (Varies by region)

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**Settlement Funds Required: ~\$2,400 CAD (Single Applicant)**

Note: Significantly lower financial barrier than Express Entry.



# Critical Risks: How to Avoid Refusal

## ⚠ The "Intent" Trap



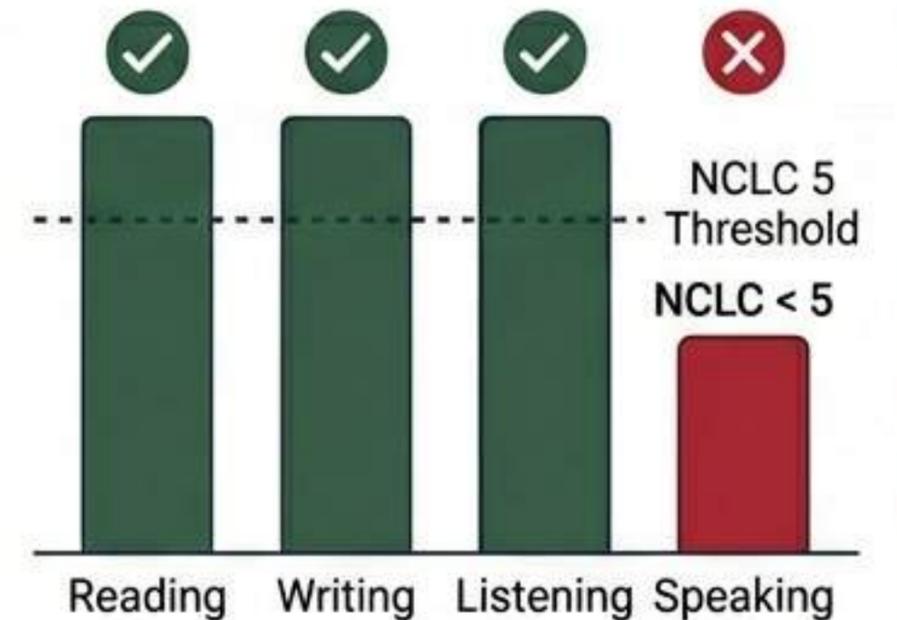
Applying to a small town (e.g., St-Pierre-Jolys) while your LinkedIn says "Open to work in Toronto." You must prove genuine intent to reside.

## ⚠ Quebec Confusion



FCIP is strictly for outside Quebec. You cannot use this to settle in Montreal or Gatineau.

## ⚠ Uneven Language Skills



Meeting the average score isn't enough. You must hit NCLC 5 in all four separate bands.

# Frequently Asked Questions



**Q: Can I apply with English only?**

**A:** No. French (NCLC 5+) is mandatory.

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**Q: Is there an age limit?**

**A:** No hard limit. However, age affects points if you switch to Express Entry. Communities prefer long-term workforce contributors.



**Q: Can my family come?**

**A:** Yes. Spouses qualify for an Open Work Permit, and dependent children are included in the application.



**Q: Can I live in Ottawa?**

**A:** No. You must reside within the specific boundaries of the 6 participating regions.



# Are You the Right Fit?



- Do you have valid TEF/TCF results with NCLC 5+ in all skills?
- Are you willing to live in a specific smaller community (not Toronto/Vancouver)?
- Do you have 1 year of work experience (or a local degree)?
- Do you hold a High School diploma (or ECA equivalent)?

**If you checked these boxes, you are a prime candidate for the Francophone Community Immigration Pilot.**

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# Why Navigate the Map Alone?



## Employer Connection

We help connect you with designated employers in the 6 regions.

## Narrative Building

We craft your "Community Recommendation" package to prove your Francophone Fit and intent.

## Specialization

We focus exclusively on Francophone immigration pathways.

*"We ensure your French skills are the key that unlocks your Canadian future."*

# Your Canadian Future Starts in a Community

Don't let bureaucracy stand between you and your new home.



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