



CONGRATULATIONS and HELLO SUMMER!

If you are graduating this spring, CONGRATULATIONS from the ISS team!

If you are staying in Montreal, check out [Tourism Montreal](#) to find out about the best Terraces in town, [the best ice cream](#), [how to rent a bike and routes to ride](#), and attractions such as [the Montreal Botanical Gardens](#), [public markets](#), or [a picnic getaway](#).

[MTL Blog](#) also has some great features to inform and inspire you - particularly their "[Things To Do in Mtl](#)" section". ISS is also planning summer socials throughout the summer - You can register in the [Programs Section](#) below.

Finally, we are open all summer! [Contact us](#) or submit a [myISS request form](#) and an ISS team member will follow up with you.



Best wishes,
[The International Student Services Team](#)

IMMIGRATION

Planning on working over the Summer Break? Make sure you are authorized to do so!

In order to be authorized to [work during a scheduled break](#) in your program, you must be enrolled full-time in the term before and after the break. If you were not enrolled for at least 12 credits in the Winter 2024 term, or if you will not be enrolled for at least 12 credits* in the Fall 2024 term, you will not be authorized to work during the Summer Break. *Exceptionally, some students may be able to work during the Summer Break if they are full-time in Winter 2024 AND will be part-time in Fall 2024 because Fall 2024 is their last term before graduation.

TIP: Depending on your program, the Summer semester may not be considered a regularly scheduled break. If you are unsure whether or not you have a regularly scheduled break in the summer, contact your department/faculty.

For more information on working on or off-campus, see our [Work Authorization Cheat Sheet](#).

PROGRAMS



Post-Graduation Work Permit Webinar

Do you have questions about working full-time after completing your studies at McGill? Are you eligible? What will be the duration of the work permit? Can you study on a work permit? Join this online webinar led by an ISS Immigration Advisor to learn the answers!

Thursday, May 9th from 10am - 11:30am

Register on [myInvolvement](#)



Renewing Immigration Documents Webinar

Is your CAQ and/or Study Permit expiring soon? Join this online webinar led by an ISS Immigration Advisor to find out what steps you need to take to renew your documents!

Tuesday, May 7th from 9am - 10:30am

Register on [myInvolvement](#)



Summer Social: Mont Royal Sunset

This excursion will give you a unique opportunity to walk up the mountain, take some breathtaking photos of Montreal and enjoy the sunset view from the Kondiaronk Belvedere! Yes, that's the official name of the area showcasing the MTL Downtown skyline!

All you need is good walking shoes and a curiosity to explore Montreal beyond the McGill bubble.

Friday, May 10th, 6pm - 8pm

Register via [myInvolvement](#)

INTERNATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE (IHI)

IHI 2024-2025 Rates

For students who will be returning next academic year, please note that the 2024-2025 premium rates are now published on our [website](#).

Plan type	1 Semester	2 Semesters	Full Year
Single	\$349	\$698	\$1,047
Dependent	\$1,072	\$2,144	\$3,216
Family	\$2,037	\$4,047	\$6,111

Staying well during the summer

Classes may have ended, but [Student Wellness Hub's programs and services](#) remain available to returning students throughout the summer months. Please note that students must be in Quebec to be eligible for clinical appointments, but workshops and non-clinical programming can be accessed from anywhere.

Also, did you know that students on the IHI plan have coverage for private therapy off-campus? See your [handbook](#) for details. Graduating this spring? You remain covered by your IHI plan until August 31st.



MAY CELEBRATIONS AROUND THE WORLD

May 1 : [May Day](#)

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May 1: [Twelfth day of Ridvan](#)

May 3: [Coptic Good Friday](#)

May 5: [Coptic Easter](#)

May 5: [Fasika](#)

May 5: [Cinco de Mayo](#)

May 6: [Sham El-Nessim](#)

May 9: [Ascension Day](#)

May 15: [Buddha Purnima](#)

May 17 – May 19: [Sanja Matsuri](#)

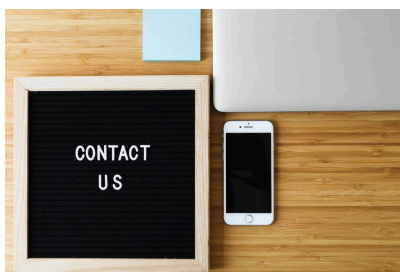
May 19: [Pentecost/Whit Sunday](#)

May 25 – May 26: [Lag B'Omer](#)

May 27 – May 28: [Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh](#)

Visit [McGill Office Religious and Spiritual Life's webpage](#) to find out about in-person celebrations happening on and around McGill campus!

If we missed a celebration in your country or region, send us more information at events.iss@mcgill.ca!



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