**Proof of PAL Exception Template 1 (for study permit extensions at the same DLI and level of study.)**

NOTE: Please check [IRCC’s website](https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/study-permit/get-documents/provincial-attestation-letter.html) to confirm you meet this exemption and make adjustments accordingly to reflect your specific situation.

Today’s Date

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing this letter to explain how I am exempt from the PAL (Provincial Attestation Letter) requirement.

I am an undergraduate student enrolled in xxx program at Western University. My current study permit was issued for the same program. I am applying for a study permit extension because my study permit will expire on xxx (date) while I am expected to complete my program on **xxx (date).**

According to IRCC’s website, I don’t need a PAL since the following applies to me:

*You’ve entered Canada****and****one of the following situations applies to you:*

* *You’re applying for a study permit extension at the same DLI****and****level of study as your current study permit.*

Please kindly accept this explanation along with the Official Western Letter (uploaded under Letter of Acceptance or Letter of Enrollment/Registration) which confirms the above information.

Thank you for your time and understanding.

Best,

Xxxx (your name)

**Proof of PAL Exception Template 2 (for Temporary Resident Visa applications.)**

NOTE: Please check [IRCC’s website](https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/study-permit/get-documents/provincial-attestation-letter.html) to confirm you meet this exemption and make adjustments accordingly to reflect your specific situation.

Today’s Date

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing this letter to explain how I am exempt from the PAL (Provincial Attestation Letter) requirement.

I am an undergraduate student enrolled in xxx program at Western University. My current study permit/work permit expires on xxx (date) and my temporary resident visa expired/will expire on xxx (date). I am applying for a temporary resident visa for travelling purposes.

According to IRCC’s website, I don’t need a PAL since PAL is only required for study permit applications.

Please kindly accept this explanation along with a copy of my study permit/work permit and the Application for Visitor Visa (Temporary Resident Visa) form (IMM 5257) uploaded which confirms the above information.

Thank you for your time and understanding.

Best,

Xxxx (your name)

**Proof of PAL Exception Template 3 (for exchange students)**

NOTE: Please check [IRCC’s website](https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/study-permit/get-documents/provincial-attestation-letter.html) to confirm you meet this exemption and make adjustments accordingly to reflect your specific situation.

Today’s Date

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing this letter to explain how I am exempt from the PAL (Provincial Attestation Letter) requirement.

I am an undergraduate student enrolled in xxx program at xxx University. I am applying for a study permit to start my exchange program at Western University in xxx (month, year).

According to IRCC’s website, I don’t need a PAL since the following applies to me:

* *You’re an exchange student studying under an exchange arrangement between your home institution and a designated learning institution (DLI) in Canada, and you don’t pay tuition fees to the DLI.*

Please kindly accept this explanation along with the Letter of Acceptance from Western University and the Verification of Enrollment from xxx University which confirms the above information.

Thank you for your time and understanding.

Best,

Xxxx (your name)