32.4% of Black individuals (ages 25-64) held a bachelor’s degree or higher in 2021, similar to the national average of 32.9%. [1]

In 2021, educational attainment was highest among the African-origin Canadian-born Black population and lowest among the Canadian-origin Black population. [3]

41.1% of Black Canadians (ages 25-54) were more likely to hold a bachelor’s degree than non-visible minority and non-Indigenous individuals (34.2%) in 2021[2]

46% 16%
Black-African origin Black-Canadian origin

27% 27%
Black-Caribbean origin
Non-racialized, non-Indigenous—parents born in Canada

Sources
[1] Statistics Canada, By the numbers: Black History Month 2023
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[6] Statistics Canada, Average and median employment income by visible minority, selected sociodemographic characteristics and the census year