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Welcome to CAPS-I

Welcome to CAPS-I's 16th edition of catalogued information about each member school board/district. CAPS-I is very pleased to offer this resource and trust that you will find the information insightful and helpful with respect to assisting you in choosing a public school that best fits the interests and academic needs of a student wanting to pursue education either in English or French in Canada.

CAPS-I represents the voice of international education programs in the public school sector across Canada. The members offer quality homestay programs and one offers a dormitory available to host international students. School boards/districts are able to offer a seamless pathway from primary to secondary school. Many CAPS-I members have partnerships with post secondary institutes in Canada which allows the pathway to continue from secondary (high school) education through to universities and colleges.

You will notice some uniformity among schools with regards to academics when you examine the profiles included in this catalogue. Canada has a strong reputation for providing quality K-12 education and Canadian public schools follow similar curricula that are established by each provincial/territorial government.

CAPS-I member school boards/districts tend to differ mostly in two areas, (1) geographical location and (2) the extracurricular programs. They offer a wide range of locations and corresponding lifestyles. Choose from ocean life, to life surrounded by the Rocky Mountains, to life on the prairies, to life by the Great Lakes, to life in the historic part of Canada, to life on the tundra — students won't be disappointed with the selection. They can also choose from life in a large city with a bustling population of over 1 million people or life in a small rural community that represents a more relaxed lifestyle. The extracurricular activities offered are often reflective by the size and location of the program.

Each member's profile will assist by providing more about the location and activities offered by their school(s).

Please visit our website at caps-i.ca to learn more about our member schools and Association. CAPS-I looks forward to assisting you in learning more about public school systems and the wide range of public school options available in Canada.



About CAPS-I

The Canadian Association of Public Schools — International (CAPS-I) is a non-profit association comprised of over 125 publicly-funded school districts/boards. Each year, members educate over 30,000 international students in short and long term programs at various grade levels ranging from elementary through to high school graduation. CAPS-I schools set the standard for quality international student programs in Canada. CAPS-I schools offer:

- Opportunities for students to study short or long term from elementary school through high school (Grades K–12)
- High quality educational programs in all public schools
- Highly qualified, government-certified teachers (many with masters degree or doctoral diploma)
- Internationally recognized high school graduation diplomas
- Opportunities to learn in either English or French
- Proven success in development of English language skills
- Extensive selection of both academic and optional courses
- Integration and learning alongside Canadian students
- Modern, well-equipped schools, and classrooms
- On-going school and district-based support for international students
- Comprehensive orientation programs for students
- Counselling regarding graduation requirements and post-secondary opportunities
- Carefully screened, caring host families

Students attending CAPS-I schools will:

- Experience a Canadian lifestyle
- Learn about Canadian customs and cultural activities
- Have an opportunity to participate in sports, fine arts, and performing arts
- Make life-long Canadian friends



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Mission

The Canadian Association of Public Schools—International is committed to advocacy and promotion of international education programs in Canadian public schools.



Mandate

- To act as a forum for sharing information about international education in public schools.
- To serve as a resource for K-12 international student programs.
- To foster a collaborative approach in the promotion of international education opportunities across Canada.
- To ensure all member programs adhere to prescribed standards and practices related to student care and support, homestay, and partners/agents relationships.
- To initiate, facilitate, and coordinate joint marketing activities.
- To become a provincially, nationally, and internationally recognized organization.
- To act as an advocate for K-12 international education.
- To collaborate with provincial and federal governments and international educational groups within and outside of Canada.

Belief Statements

- We believe international education strengthens public education in Canada.
- We believe public schools in Canada must provide excellent international education programming to international students.
- We believe ongoing support is essential to maximize success for international students in schools and homestays.
- We believe that international students provide a complementary, enriching experience to the Canadian multi-cultural mosaic.
- We believe the presence of international programs assist Canadian staff and students in preparing for life in the global community of the future.
- We believe the multi-national relationships developed through international programs will result in long term benefits for Canada.
- We believe investment in international education programs in public schools is beneficial for sustainability and growth of international programs in a competitive, world-wide market.



Canada's public education system consists of schools from Kindergarten to Grade 12 (or Grade 11 in Québec — see *Why Study in Québec* for further details). All public schools in Canada are provincially accredited, follow a standard curriculum, employ only government certified teachers, and are publicly funded. While the education system in each province contains many similarities, each has its own curriculum and guidelines to reflect the culture and history of its region. Over 95% of Canadians choose public school education for their children.

Canada spends more on education (per capita) than any other country in the G8. Canadian public high school students consistently rank near the top in the world on standardized tests. Canadian high school graduation diplomas are recognized throughout the world.

Canada's public schools have been accepting international students since the 1980s, have well-developed infra-structure and support including ESL (English as a Second Language) and FSL (French as a Second Language) instruction as well as carefully supervised homestay programs. Almost all public schools are co-educational and accept international students for high school graduation programs or for shorter stays of weeks, months or a year or two. Many elementary schools also accept young students for short term and full-year programs.

Most school boards offer non-religious education although in a few provinces some faith-based schools are also publicly funded.

Elementary* – Elementary schools provide educational programs for students from Kindergarten and Grade 1 through to Grades 4, 5, 6, or 7. These early years provide an important foundation for lifelong learning.

Middle* – Middle schools typically enrol students in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 however the specific grades offered may vary by school and region. Middle school prepares students for junior high and high school grades.

Junior High* – Junior high schools generally include Grades 7, 8 and 9 and provide a transition for students from elementary to high/secondary school.

Secondary or High Schools* — Secondary or high schools offer opportunities for students beginning in Grade 8, 9 or 10 to continue their studies through to Grade 12 (or Grade 11 in Québec) to complete graduation requirements. These schools offer students more choice and opportunity to specialize in their particular areas of interest while preparing for post-secondary education and future careers. Where offered, qualified students may also enrol in the International Baccalaureate Program or take Advanced Placement (AP) courses.

** Specific grades may vary by school and region*





Affordability and High Standard of Living

Each year, thousands of international students and their parents choose Canada as a study destination because tuition fees are competitively priced yet provide a high standard of living. The standard of living in Canada is among the highest in the world.

Choosing a School and Educational Program

All school boards/districts across Canada offer educational programs from Kindergarten through to Grade 12 (5-18 years) or Grade 11 in Québec. However, which programs are offered to international students will vary. School structures and grade groupings also

vary throughout the country. In Canada, international students can choose to study and live in small towns with rural settings, suburban, mid-size communities, or in larger urban cities. Selecting a school is an important decision, however all CAPS-I public schools offer the highest quality learning experiences in friendly welcoming schools.

All CAPS-I schools have knowledgeable and well-trained staff to assist international students and ensure they are registered for the appropriate academic and optional courses to suit their language ability, personal interests, and future goals.

As students progress through the grades, they are provided with more choice of optional courses and specialized programming (subject to availability) including: Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, sports & fine arts academies, apprenticeship, and French Immersion opportunities to name just a few.

Learn more about CAPS-I member schools and programs offered by reviewing detailed profile information at: caps-i.ca

International students have a very comprehensive network of caring and supportive individuals that are ready and willing to assist at all stages of their learning experience. International students are also well supported and cared for outside of the classroom and school community as well. Most international students will live with a local host family and be in regular communication with the Homestay Coordinator.

All of the people involved in the students 'circle of care and support' are of course available to answer any questions from the parents of the international students as well. Parents of international students are encouraged to remain informed and in contact throughout their child's study program.

Unfortunately all experiences whether short or long term must eventually come to an end. International students either return home or move onto further their studies at the post-secondary level. International programs, homestays, and school staff also support students through this departure and transition process.



Living in Canada



Host Family Accommodations

Living with a host family provides an excellent opportunity for international students to develop conversational English and/or French skills and experience life as part of a typical Canadian family.

CAPS-I member homestay programs will provide a carefully selected Canadian host family including:

- a warm, welcoming, and friendly living environment
- parenting, support, and guidance
- a furnished private bedroom
- a study area
- three meals per day and snacks
- an introduction to the community

All CAPS-I programs adhere to prescribed practices to ensure that their host families are carefully and appropriately screened before they are selected into the program to ensure they are:

- friendly and caring
- English and/or French-speaking (primary language spoken in the home)
- able to complete successfully a criminal record check with the local police department
- able to successfully complete a reference check process
- willing to welcome an international student into their family
- willing to include the student in their family and community activities
- interested in learning about other cultures and customs

How to Apply

Each school or group of schools has a unique registration form. Complete the registration form for the school of choice and then submit it with the required documents.

Remember to note application deadlines!

Once a student's application has been accepted and tuition fees have been paid, an Official Letter of Acceptance will be issued to the student. Be sure to apply for a study permit as soon as the Official Letter of Acceptance has been received. Visit the Citizenship & Immigration Canada website for more information about the study permit application process:

cic.gc.ca/english/study/study.asp

The student's study permit and visa as necessary must be applied for and received before coming to Canada.



For more information about living in Canada, what to bring, weather, getting around, and cultural tips, please visit our website at: caps-i.ca

Study in Canada. Feel at home.



A caring home supports a successful school year, in and beyond the classroom

Students who live with Canada Homestay Network host families enjoy a safe, affordable, and authentic Canadian experience that complements their study programs and helps them feel at home.

Feel safe & supported

Caring hosts provide support, guidance, meals, and a comfortable bedroom and home.

Settle in faster

Hosts help students adjust to daily life and feel at home in their new school and community.

Live the culture

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"Excel Abroad is more than a program—they're family."

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"Excel created lifelong bonds. We still reunite as family."

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Student Support Highlights

- Custodianship services
- Airport pick-up/drop-off
- Academic Matching & Monitoring based on student goals
- Tailored Homestay Experiences
- Cultural Integration through daily life and excursions (e.g., maple syrup farms, museums)
- Emotional & Social Support from a dedicated team

Excel-Certified Host Families

- Thorough vetting background checks, home inspections, interviews, references
- Mandatory training on youth mental health, cultural awareness, and emergency response
- Daily support Excel staff available to host families at all times

Welcome to Excel Abroad

Excel Abroad offers full-service international student support focused on:

- Academic success
- Cultural integration
- Emotional well-being

Founded by educators, parents, and professionals, they bring **55+ years of combined experience** to deliver personalized homestays and end-to-end student care in Canada.

What Makes Excel Abroad Unique

- **Family-run & community-rooted:** Personalized approach with local knowledge
- **Hand-matching students with host families** based on values and lifestyle
- Emphasis on **relationships, care, and cultural respect**

Core Student Services

- **Personal Interviews** for personalized placements
- **Thoughtful Family Matching** using interview insights
- **Pre-arrival Meet & Greets** with Excel, hosts, and biological parents
- **24/7 Emergency Support Line**
- **Academic Oversight** via regular school contact
- **Cultural Activities** and monthly contests
- **Custom Onboarding** and welcome kits

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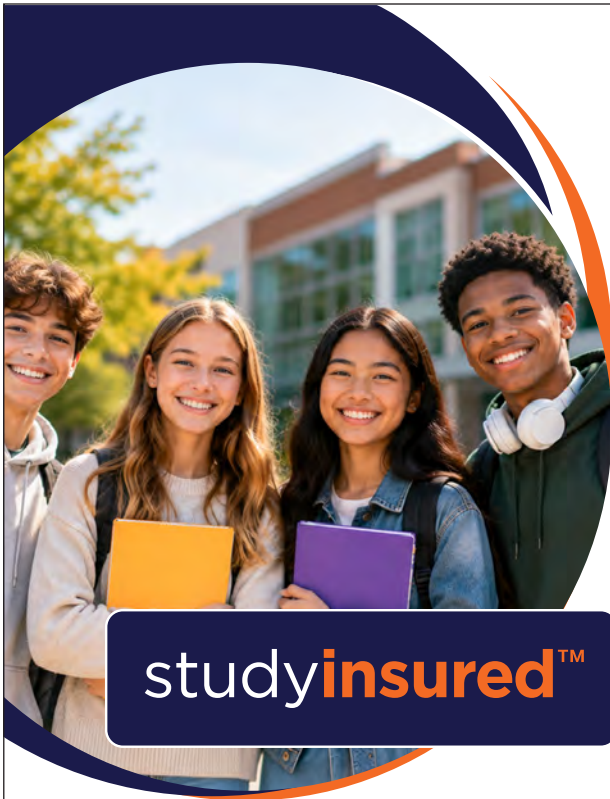
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British Columbia

A Dynamic Place to Study

Set between the Pacific Ocean and the Rocky Mountains, British Columbia (BC) is the western gateway to Canada. BC boasts every kind of geography from seashores to mountains, from prairie to lakes, from urban landscapes to towering forests in its 945,000 sq. km. of terrain. Canada's third largest province is truly a recreational paradise.

But it is not all nature. The cities offer great shopping, music, art, and culture of every description. BC attracts and produces a large number of artists, musicians, and crafts people who participate in an interesting variety of festivals and community events year-round.

So, whether you want to eat fabulous seafood and cycle the Stanley Park seawall in Vancouver, go snowboarding or mountain biking at one of many ski resorts, boating along the incredible west coast of Canada, you can experience BC in all its wonders as you study in a world class education of one of BC's many schools. BC is truly a dynamic and diverse place to learn.

*An incredible place
to live and to study*



Abbotsford School District



Located on Canada's west coast near to Vancouver, Abbotsford is one of the fastest growing cities in Canada, and offers the perfect mix of great schools and a welcoming community. Our award winning public schools and teachers have hosted international students for many years. Students receive expert ESL instruction while preparing to graduate from high school and enter universities across Canada, the US and around the world. Courses are taught in modern facilities using the latest equipment and methods. We offer IB, AP, strong academics and a wide range of interesting elective courses, including technology, business, sports academies, and fine arts. Students can take part in our many clubs and recreation activities, including Skiing, Climbing, Rafting, Paintball, Mountain Biking, Hiking and Camping.

We are proud of our strong student support — in addition to helpful school staff we have 8 International Student Liaisons who speak a variety of languages, and who are in constant communication with students, teachers and homestay families. We run our own high quality homestay program. Families encourage students to participate in real Canadian life and language. Younger students are welcome to live with a parent while studying with us. We welcome students from around the world to study and succeed in our supportive, caring program. Choose Abbotsford!

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Sports Academies, Fine Arts, Technology, Aviation, Animation, TV/ Film, Architecture, Business, 3D Design/ Engineering, Music Production, Sports Medicine, Programming, Sport Specific PE Classes in Rugby, Basketball, Soccer, Volleyball, American Football
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	April 31 for September October 30 for February

School Details

Number of Schools:	46
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	20,000
Total International Students:	370
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Burnaby School District



Burnaby offers international students the opportunity to live the Canadian school experience in a safe, family-friendly community. With outstanding schools, exceptional opportunities, and a welcoming support network, students experience the very best of Canadian education and lifestyle. Located in one of British Columbia's most desirable communities, Burnaby provides easy access to city life, world-class universities, and some of the province's most spectacular outdoor experiences—offering the perfect balance of opportunity, adventure, and quality of life.

International students study alongside Canadian students in one of Burnaby's 8 secondary or 41 elementary schools. Students can start in September or February and stay for one semester (5 months), one year (10 months), or graduate with a British Columbia High School Diploma.

Burnaby offers exceptional opportunities both inside and outside the classroom, including Canada's largest Advanced Placement program, 6 sports academies, more than 100 elective course options, visual and performing arts, technology, leadership, clubs, and teams. All schools provide strong English Language Learning (ELL) support to help students succeed academically and socially.

Students also have the opportunity to live with a carefully selected Canadian host family. Homestay allows students to experience Canadian culture firsthand, improve their English in everyday situations, and build confidence and independence while feeling at home in their new community.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Half Year, Short Term may be available upon request
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement & AP Capstone, 6 Sports Academies, IT Academies, Robotics, Theatre Production & Design, and more
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September, February, April
Application Deadlines:	No specific deadlines

School Details

Number of Schools:	49
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	27,000
Total International Students:	900
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Campbell River School District



Campbell River School District and our Host Families have been welcoming international students for over 15 years. Students choose Campbell River as a study abroad experience because of the safe and welcoming community, the proximity to nature and our incredible Host Families. We manage our own homestay program and consider host families essential to the study abroad experience.

The city of Campbell River is home to 47,000 residents with exceptional arts, culture, and recreation facilities. The area surrounding Campbell River is known for its exceptional beauty as we are nestled between the majestic mountains of Strathcona Park, lakes, and the Salish Sea. The climate is mild all year-round allowing locals to enjoy the outdoors. For those of you interested in winter sports we are a 40-minute drive from Mount Washington Alpine Resort, where you can ski and snowboard in the winter.

The Campbell River School District has two schools to choose from: Carihi Secondary School and Timberline Secondary School. Both schools have 900 students and offer high-level academics and electives. Our small intimate international program enables students to immerse themselves in English and make Canadian friends. Success for us is lifelong relationships between our international students and our host families, students, and our community.

Program Details

Program Established:	2005
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Semester
Specialized Programs:	Outdoor Adventure, Forestry, Hockey, Career Trades, Sports, Fine Arts, Ignite Sports Training, Sports Leadership
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Open but based upon availability (Please e-mail to enquire about space)

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Airports: Campbell River Airport (YBL)
Comox Airport (YQQ)

School Details

Number of Schools:	18
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	5,500
Total International Students:	70
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12
<i>Younger students accepted upon consultation</i>	



Central Okanagan Public Schools



The Central Okanagan, located just east of Vancouver, is characterized by the best of city life with shopping, dining, arts, and entertainment, as well as diverse recreation opportunities in a beautiful natural setting. Kelowna and West Kelowna are the largest cities in the interior of British Columbia with a total population of approximately 250,000 people. Offering a wide variety of activities in the distinct four seasons, the community is a popular destination for tourists worldwide.

Central Okanagan Public Schools is the 5th largest school district in the province and is recognized for quality programs and outstanding results. All schools offer a comprehensive curriculum which includes academic and elective courses as well as a wide variety of extra-curricular opportunities. With fewer than two-percent English language learners in schools, the Central Okanagan offers a complete English Immersion experience for international students. Program staff, teachers, principals, and host families work together to ensure that students are academically successful, improve their English language skills, and return to their home country with positive lifelong memories of their Canadian study abroad experience.

Central Okanagan Public Schools operates its own Homestay Program for high school international students. Each homestay is carefully screened to ensure it meets the expectations and high standards for hosting international students from around the world. Host families receive training and are supported and supervised by our Program homestay coordinators.

Program Details

Program Established:	2006
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement & Academies
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Open

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School Details

Number of Schools:	45
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	25,000
Total International Students:	400
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Chilliwack School District



Chilliwack is a safe and friendly community of approximately 100,000 residents located on the West Coast of British Columbia, Canada. It enjoys the warmest year-round climate of any city in the country and has a magnificent setting in the Eastern Fraser Valley, surrounded by beautiful mountains, forests, rivers, and lakes. Not large enough to have to deal with many big city challenges and distractions for students, it is big enough to offer a full range of shopping, dining, and recreational facilities, and opportunities. Furthermore, the big city attractions of Vancouver are just one hour west of Chilliwack by car or by bus.

The Chilliwack School District has been providing exceptional educational and life experiences for international students from around the world since 1995. Our team prides itself on offering a “family feel” to our program as we strive to support our students to become an active part of our community and their school. In addition, as 98% of the students in our District have English as their first language, we offer an ideal environment in which to make Canadian friends, become fluent in English, and excel in classes. With our modern facilities and the help of our caring and highly professional teachers, our international students achieve tremendous results in school and in getting accepted at fine post-secondary institutions around the world. Additionally, our schools and community offer extensive athletic programs, numerous club opportunities, and special functions. This all adds up to making Chilliwack a fun place to learn, play, and make new friends and memories to last a lifetime.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Short Term (3 or 4 months), 1 Semester, Full Year, Multiple Year
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Sports Academies, Trades Programs, Outdoor Education Programs, Fine Arts and Technology education
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May 31, November 30

School Details

Number of Schools:	30
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	14,500
Total International Students:	225
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12
Homestay students accepted for Grades:	8-12

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(30 minutes)
Vancouver International Airport (YVR)
(80-90 minutes)



Coast Mountains School District



Coast Mountains School District offers students a destination that offers a high-quality personalized education while enjoying the local culture, outdoor recreational activities, hands-on natural resources and the safety and friendliness of a smaller community that will enhance your learning and overall experience. Our school district is part of the public education school system operated by the Province of British Columbia's Ministry of Education. The Ministry of Education ensures that there is consistent delivery of education throughout all sixty provincial school districts.

Our International Student Program encompasses Grades 9 to 12, Full Year Programs (10 months) and One Semester Programs (5 months) in fully integrated programs with Canadian students. ELL (English Language Learner) programs are available at all schools to support the needs of international students.

The area of Terrace and Kitimat is home to the great outdoors. Located in the majestic Coast Mountains, both Terrace and Kitimat are known for their extraordinary beauty. Terrace and area is home to approximately 16,000 people while over 8,000 people call Kitimat their home. With a mild climate all year, residents enjoy the great outdoors all year round.

Enjoy the benefits of being in a smaller community and living with caring and friendly families. Host families are the backbone of our program in providing a true experience of Canadian culture. Students will experience new foods (salmon and wildmeats), new activities, and the way of life of our Indigenous people.

Terrace and Kitimat are like hidden gems. Celebrities such as Tom Cruise are a regular during the ski season. Blake Shelton and Payton Manning often visit to experience the amazing salmon run. International students can experience world class fishing (all species of salmon), skiing (Shames Mountain is 30 minutes from Terrace), hiking (endless trails) and mountain biking.

Program Details

Program Established:	2023
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 30 & May 31

School Details

Number of Schools:	19
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	4,200
Total International Students:	1
International Students Accepted for Grades:	10-12

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Comox Valley Schools



We welcome students from around the world! Our friendly, welcoming community enjoys the warm temperate climate of BC's West Coast. We offer all modern amenities for medical and dental care, shopping, theatres, and a multitude of community sports programs. There is easy access to Vancouver and Victoria, including a 30 minute flight from the Comox Valley International Airport to Vancouver. Visiting students and their families enjoy outstanding recreational activities including world class skiing and snowboarding on Mt. Washington, golfing, water sports, mountain biking and hiking. It takes only 30 minutes to be skiing and 10 minutes to be at the ocean, lakes and rivers.

Top Ten Reasons to Study in the Comox Valley

- 98% English speaking community
- Small class sizes emphasizing individual attention to students
- Staff and homestay families provide students with a dedicated support system
- An advanced curriculum prepares students for success in their post-secondary education
- University application assistance provided
- Experienced teachers, nationally recognized in their fields
- Academies — Explore Outdoor Education, Golf, Ice Hockey, Volleyball
- ESL/ELL support available to all students at no extra cost
- International Support teachers exclusively provide guidance for international students
- Diverse international student population from over 25 countries

Program Details

Program Established:	2004
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Sports, Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September, February & April
Application Deadlines:	December & June

School Details

Number of Schools:	18
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	8,000
Total International Students:	250
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Conseil scolaire francophone de la Colombie-Britannique



Le CSF se fait une joie d'accueillir les élèves internationaux dans leurs écoles secondaires de Vancouver et North Vancouver!

You are between 13 and 18 years old and dreaming of discovering Canada while studying in a Canadian secondary school. Join the unique program offered by the Conseil scolaire francophone (CSF) in British Columbia for a term (3 months), a semester (5 months), or a full year (10 months) and more.

Study in a CSF French-speaking school: Follow an enriching academic program tailored to your needs in French. Discover a unique and motivating teaching approach with the International Baccalaureate® (IB) program.

Discover a wide variety of exciting school clubs, sports, cultural, and extra-curricular activities. A perfect way to make new friends.

Improve your English quickly: The cities of Vancouver and North Vancouver provide an immersive English-speaking environment, enabling you to practice and enhance your English skills daily.

Experience urban life: The dynamic cities of Vancouver and North Vancouver are ideal for meeting friends, enjoying a cold fruit juice or a hot chocolate with your host family, shopping, or simply soaking in the cosmopolitan atmosphere.

You want to stay with us and graduate? By enrolling in our schools before Grade 12, you also have the unique opportunity to earn not one, but three prestigious diplomas: the Dogwood Diploma of British-Columbia, the Cornouiller Diploma of British-Columbia, and the International Baccalaureate. These diplomas will allow you to pursue your studies at all Canadian universities, as well as internationally.

This international program combines learning, discovery, and friendship while allowing you to thrive in a safe and stimulating environment.

So, come over and join us! Embark on this exciting academic adventure that will open incredible doors and pave the way for a bright future!

Program Details

Program Established:	2025
Programs Offered:	Full year, Semester, or short term from 1 to 4 months
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate (IB)
Programs Offered In:	French
Entrance Dates:	all year round
Application Deadlines:	no application deadlines

School Details

Number of Schools:	47
High Schools for International Students:	3
Elementary Schools for International Students:	1
Total Students:	6,000
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

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Conseil scolaire
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Colombie-Britannique

Coquitlam School District



Coquitlam School District, located in Metro Vancouver, is a public-school district in the province of British Columbia, Canada. Nestled in the mountains and edged by the Pacific Ocean and Fraser River, we enjoy a mild climate with a safe environment and an affluent style. Our 70 schools — including 8 high schools — are centres of excellence for teaching and learning. Our many and varied programs include Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate and Sports Academies.

Coquitlam provides a safe and supportive English Immersion atmosphere in which students can learn English quickly with the support of BC Certified teachers. Our program coordinators, youth workers, and international education support teachers help our international students academically and emotionally ease into their new school and educational environment while providing them with excellent guidance throughout their stay in Coquitlam.

Our main goal for all students is to be able to experience the highest levels of academic and personal achievement while enjoying the Canadian west coast culture. Coquitlam graduates are accepted at universities throughout North America and around the world. Coquitlam truly is an ideal setting for international students with excellent year-round recreation, shopping, and dining.

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp, Teacher Training, Customized Group Programs
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Sports, Music, IB Programs, Hockey Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French, Mandarin Immersion
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 15 & May 15

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School Details

Number of Schools:	70
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	31,000
Total International Students:	1,200
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

COQUITLAM
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Cowichan Valley School District



The Cowichan Valley is located on scenic Vancouver Island, just north of the capital city of Victoria. It is considered one of the most beautiful geographic regions in British Columbia. It is known for its friendly communities set among rain forests, mountains, lakes, and rivers, seaside communities, and beaches. The mild winters and long dry summers provide an ideal lifestyle choice for Canadian families and a popular year-round destination for tourists.

The Cowichan Valley School District offers high-quality education. Our four secondary schools offer a full range of academic courses, and international students can also choose to participate in advanced programs, fine arts, and individual or team athletic programs. Schools feature state-of-the-art science labs, computer labs, language studies, art studios, drama theatres, media and editing rooms, music rooms, dance studios, cooking labs and well-equipped gymnasiums. Each school also offers specialized elective courses that are unique to the school or the region such as forensic science, environmental science, outdoor education, rock climbing and golf. Specialised sports academies, such as ice hockey and rugby, are also available for students who wish to have additional coaching.

We have been hosting international students for over 25 years. We have one of the most experienced homestay programs in Canada, and have a full-time homestay manager to oversee the needs of our students. We are one of few programs that have ESL specialist teachers who work only with our international students. This ESL support is included in tuition costs, and is available throughout the regular school year.

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Sport Academies, Art Academies, & Academic Academies
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September, February, April
Application Deadlines:	Continuous Intake

School Details

Number of Schools:	27
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	8,000
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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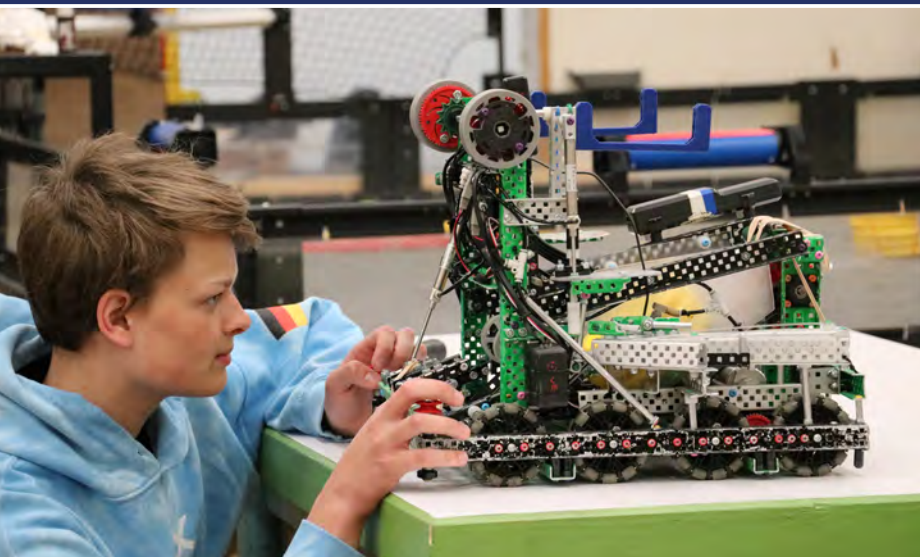
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International Student Program

Delta School District



Delta is located 30 minutes from downtown Vancouver and 20 minutes from the Vancouver Airport (YVR). Tsawwassen, Ladner and North Delta are known for their friendly and welcoming atmosphere, quiet and safe streets, access to the Fraser River and the Pacific Ocean, open spaces, beaches, and parks. Its proximity to downtown Vancouver, the USA border, the Tsawwassen Ferry Terminal and the Vancouver Airport inspires global-minded residents with a high standard of living.

The Delta School District has 24 elementary schools and 7 secondary schools. Our 600 international students come from diverse backgrounds and are integrated into Canadian classrooms with Canadian students, with appropriate ESL support offered where needed. Consistently one of the top school districts in the province for graduation rates, our students gain recognition for their academic successes, leadership abilities and contributions to the school, local and global communities.

A wide range of elective courses are offered in all high schools in the areas of IT, STEM, Fine and Performing Arts, Physical Education, Applied Skills, Business, Leadership and Humanities, among others. International students are encouraged to join clubs and sports.

Delta staff operate and supervise homestay and custodianship, offering students 24-hour access to support. Our caring host families are at the Vancouver Airport to welcome students into our community and their families. We also welcome students living with a parent.

Delta operates monthly sightseeing activities, including ski trips, sporting events and cultural activities. We also offer summer camp programs.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	Traditional Schools, IB (elementary and secondary), AP, French Immersion, Specialized courses in Soccer, Volleyball, Baseball/Softball, Basketball & Film & Television Production
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	Continuous Intake
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	31
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	16,000
Total International Students:	600
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Greater Victoria School District



The Greater Victoria School District's Victoria International Education (VIE) has a long-standing reputation for offering high-quality academic and short-term programs, to international students from around the world. As part of the public school system, our programs are approved and accredited by the British Columbia Ministry of Education. The District's seven high schools provide full integration with Canadian students in a consistent, world-class academic program. Schools feature an amazing array of elective courses, ESL support, well-equipped facilities, large outdoor sports fields and many extracurricular activities.

VIE's homestay program places students with Canadian families, approved and supervised by our staff. Homestays give students an authentic insight into the Canadian way of life and opportunities to improve English skills, allowing students to move with ease and confidence in Canadian society. VIE also supports students with school-based international student advisors, multi-cultural homestay officers and experienced program staff committed to each student's success.

Victoria, British Columbia's capital has been ranked as one of the top ten most beautiful cities in the world. It enjoys a year-round moderate climate, and offers the benefits of a small centre, with large-city amenities. Clean, quiet and safe, Victoria is the perfect place to study and experience Canadian culture.

Program Details

Program Established:	1992
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp, Academic Program, Group ELL
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, French Immersion, Sports Academies
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	December & May

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School Details

Number of Schools:	45
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	20,000
Total International Students:	900
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Kamloops Thompson School District



Welcome to Kamloops! Our city is located in British Columbia's exciting south-central interior and is a short drive or flight away from Vancouver, our province's largest city. Kamloops offers a premium BC education complete with guaranteed university pathway options. Our unique geography and mild, semi-arid climate affords our students a range of interesting activities to pursue including mountain biking, hiking, and some of the world's best downhill skiing and snowboarding. We have excellent athletic and cultural facilities, along with great shopping and superb restaurants. Please visit our website, ispcanada.ca to learn more about what Kamloops has to offer.

Our students live with families in our own locally managed homestay program allowing us to be responsive to questions and concerns. Kamloops is 100% English-speaking providing for a rich immersion environment in our homes and schools. We strive to ensure the best possible homestay match for our international guests.

With a focus on nature and the natural environment, Kamloops boasts the best activities program in Canada. The International Student Program offers over 40 weekly activities (sd73.bc.ca/en/schools-programs/isp-activities.aspx) including overnight trips to Banff, Jasper, Bella-Coola, Tofino, and Wells Gray Park. These activities guarantee all students have a complete Canadian experience while keeping them connected and assisting them in making friends. Kamloops is a city rich in experiences and opportunities. Come and see for yourself, we would love to host you!

Program Details

Program Established:	1990
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	IB, Fine Arts School, ELL, 2+1 Program
Academies:	Swimming, Dance, Hockey, Health Sciences, Outdoor Education, Digital Arts and Technology
Application Deadlines:	First Come, First Served Basis

School Details

Number of Schools:	49
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	16,600
Total International Students:	285
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Kootenay Lake School District



Join Kootenay Lake's International Program! Experience a world-class education in the heart of British Columbia, Canada, with Kootenay Lake School District 8 (SD8). This unique program leverages a stunning natural environment to provide students with hands-on, career-focused learning opportunities that last a lifetime.

Why Choose Us?

- **Outdoor Activities:** Enjoy year-round outdoor activities like skiing, biking, hiking, kayaking, and paddleboarding in one of Canada's mildest climates.
- **Comprehensive Education:** Benefit from intensive academics, sports academies, outdoor opportunities, and the arts within smaller, safer, and more personalized communities.
- **English Immersion:** Fully immerse yourself in an English-speaking environment, making it easy to make friends and embrace Canadian culture.

Exceptional Homestay Experience A dedicated homestay program ensures students live with carefully selected host families, providing a rewarding and supportive experience. The international staff checks in with students regularly and offers monthly outdoor activities, such as ziplining, canoeing, and rock climbing.

Pathway to Top Universities Kootenay Lake has a pathway agreement with the area's post-secondary institution, which offers transfer agreements to many top Canadian universities.

Kootenay Lake - Outstanding Academics, Unlimited Opportunities Embark on an educational journey with Kootenay Lake's International Program and unlock a future of endless possibilities. Apply now!

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Half Year, 3-month (September to November, January to March, April to June)
Specialized Programs:	Outdoor Education, Mountain Biking, Dance, Volleyball, Basketball, Media Arts (film, design, theatre, acting)
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	Ongoing
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	16
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	5,000
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	6-12

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School District 8
Kootenay Lake
International Education



Langley School District



In Langley our commitment to our international students is reflected in our motto of “Transforming Students to Global Citizens.” We will work with you to customize your experience and provide the school and program you are looking for with a safe and caring homestay environment.

Langley School District, located in Langley BC, is only 45 kilometres east of Vancouver. It is a family-oriented community with almost all of our 250,000 residents speaking English as their first language. International students attending Langley schools will have a perfect opportunity to improve their English while being immersed in Canadian culture.

Langley International Student program focuses on all educational options including Elementary and Secondary programs. Our schools offer an excellent learning environment and a wide variety of extra-curricular activities. All secondary schools have a dedicated International Student Coordinator that will work with you to develop the program you are looking for including the amount of ELL support you will need.

In addition, we also have our own in-house homestay program. Our department staff carefully screens all our homestay families to ensure your experience in Langley is one that is safe and comfortable.

Program Details

Program Established:	1989
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Sports Academies, EDGE (Integrated Environmental Studies)
Programs Offered In:	English, Dedicated Fine Arts
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

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School Details

Number of Schools:	45
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	25,000
Total International Students:	850
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Maple Ridge–Pitt Meadows School District



Prepare for your future by living and studying in the Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows School District International Program. Located in Metro Vancouver, we are on nature's doorstep at the foot of the Garibaldi Mountain Range, only 50 minutes' drive from beautiful Vancouver. Students can enjoy outdoor activities such as biking and hiking, or take advantage of community activities at the recreation centres, ice skating rinks, gyms, dance studios, and many athletic clubs such as karate, soccer, baseball and running.

Our schools are staffed by dedicated BC Government certified teachers, experienced at integrating international students into the school community. Students who study in our district and stay to graduate will earn a British Columbia Dogwood Diploma, recognized by Universities and Colleges around the world.

International students receive ELL support, if needed, to help them with their English language acquisition. Each high school has an International Liaison teacher to support the students' academic and school success. In Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows SD42, all schools are equipped with up-to-date technology, allowing students to integrate technology as a 21st century tool for learning.

Our in-house homestay program is staffed with four full-time homestay coordinators who match students with local host families with similar interests. Students are taken care of from the time the airplane lands in Canada until they depart. Come to Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows SD42 for An Authentic Canadian Experience.

Program Details

Program Established:	1993
Programs Offered:	Graduation, Full Year, One Semester
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, French Immersion, Microsoft IT Academy, Interdisciplinary Arts Academy, Sports Academies (soccer, ice hockey, basketball, softball) <i>*additional fees may apply</i>
Programs Offered In:	English, French, Spanish, Japanese
Entrance Dates:	September, February, & April
Application Deadlines:	November & May

School Details

Number of Schools:	27
High Schools for International Students:	6
Total Students:	16,500
Total International Students:	530
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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**MAPLE RIDGE
PITT MEADOWS**
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM

Mission Public Schools



“Our Mission is Student Success”

Located in the beautiful Vancouver Coastal Region, Mission offers a welcoming and safe community surrounded by lakes, rivers, and mountains. Just one hour east of Vancouver and close to the USA border, Mission provides students with the perfect balance of small-town comfort and easy access to the city through convenient commuter rail service.

Our district offers exceptional academic opportunities designed to help students achieve their educational goals. We provide personalized short-term and long-term programs in English Language Learning, Canadian cultural experiences, and the British Columbia Graduation Program.

International students are fully integrated into Canadian classrooms while receiving the support they need to strengthen their English skills and thrive academically. Students can explore a wide range of engaging programs and electives, including Outdoor Education, Hockey Academy, Musical Theatre, Business, Robotics, Visual Arts, and many more.

From the moment students apply, our dedicated International Program team is committed to supporting them every step of the way. We carefully match students with our outstanding homestay families, all of whom are English-speaking and focused on creating a welcoming, family-centered experience.

Our International Program is known for its caring staff, supportive school communities, and exceptional homestay families—many conveniently located within walking distance of schools and local amenities.

Join Mission for an unforgettable Canadian experience where students can achieve their academic goals, build lifelong friendships, and create lasting memories through adventure and cultural exploration.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short-term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Sports Academies, Community Recreation, Fine Arts and Performing Arts, Robotics
Programs Offered In:	English and French
Entrance Dates:	September and February
Application Deadlines:	June 30 (September intake) January 1 (2nd Semester)

School Details

Number of Schools:	17
High School (Gr. 10-12)	1
Middle Schools (Gr. 7-9)	2
Total Students:	7,000
Total International Students:	135
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Nanaimo-Ladysmith School District



For over 25 years, the Nanaimo Ladysmith International program has attracted students from around the globe to our world-class learning environments. Both Nanaimo and Ladysmith offer a unique West Coast community experience with stunning harbour fronts and vast recreational opportunities. Our K-12 program offers students an opportunity to study English and standard academic subjects in a caring and supportive environment. Students are placed for one semester, yearly, or may graduate with a BC Diploma. Students have access to a wide support network including International program staff, Homestay Coordinators, classroom teachers, their host family, and a Custodian.

International students are fully integrated with Canadian students and are encouraged to participate in a variety of programs including athletics, music, dance, theatre, fine arts and educational excursions to Vancouver, Victoria, Whistler, Tofino, Yukon, and the Rocky Mountains. Our in-house Homestay program carefully selects and matches students to ensure they stay in inclusive, welcoming, and friendly living environments. Our placement team monitors each student on a weekly basis to ensure Homestay success.

Nanaimo features a mild year-round climate for exploring our scenic surroundings. Students are amazed by our natural wonders, surrounded by forested mountains, rocky shores, and sandy beaches, students can explore a variety of recreational opportunities with easy access to fun year-round! Nanaimo is the perfect place to study and experience Canadian culture.

Program Details

Program Established:	1998
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short-term
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February alternate entrance dates will be considered
Application Deadlines:	May 15 for September enrollment, November 15 for February enrollment

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School Details

Number of Schools (28 Elementary, 6 Secondary):	34
High Schools for International Students:	6
Total Students:	15,600
Population of District:	140,000
Total International Students:	380 FTE
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



New Westminster Schools



New Westminster is centrally located within the lower mainland of British Columbia. A 40 minute train ride to downtown Vancouver and a 40 minute drive to the Vancouver International Airport. With five train stations and efficient bus services it is the perfect base to explore the big city, while living in a smaller community. New Westminster has just under 80,000 residents in our city of 15.5 km². We are a city steeped in history as the original capital of British Columbia and an International Program that began in 1987 making it one of the original providers of education to international students.

Our city is unique in having only one high school, New Westminster Secondary School. We are proud to boast our new school building was opened in 2021 and features the most up-to-date design and learning environment for our 2300 students in grade 9-12. With such a large school there is an abundance of classes in our academic, arts, athletics, and technical programs. Students will have their own academic and personal counsellor to navigate this journey. Students also have access to our in-house homestay program. The best part is that the International Education staff are located within the high school, always available and easily accessible to students, parents, and agents.

Program Details

Program Established:	1987
Programs Offered:	One Semester, One-Year, High School Graduation, custom group programs, English Language Learner (ELL) programs
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Hockey Academy, Lacrosse Academy, Volleyball and Basketball Skill Development Electives
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September, January / February
Application Deadlines:	April 1st for September, November 1st for January / February

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School Details

Number of Schools:	12
High Schools (Grade 9 to 12):	1
Total Students:	7,000
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



North Vancouver School District



The North Vancouver School District welcomes students from around the world to study in our comprehensive schools — all 6 secondary and 25 elementary schools host students. Our students consistently achieve a high level of scholarship and academic awards each year.

International students are fully integrated and are encouraged to participate in unique educational opportunities through a variety of programs such as Band and Strings, drama productions, educational excursions, and Academies.

North Vancouver, known for its beautiful natural surroundings, is located between the scenic Coast Mountains and the ocean in a prime area known as the North Shore. We are an easy 15 minute commute to the world class city of Vancouver. International students will enjoy a healthy lifestyle while engaging in many outdoor activities. North Shore mountains (Grouse, Seymour, and Fromme) provide amazing opportunities for skiers, snowboarders, mountain bikers, and hikers. Additionally, all the other sports such as soccer, basketball, golf, rugby, football, and hockey are readily available. Our students consistently celebrate outstanding achievements in all BC school sports.

Program Details

Program Established:	1996
Programs Offered:	5-month semester; Academic year; 15-month term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Hockey, Soccer, Basketball, Field Hockey, Digital Media, Art Academies, Dance Academy, Volleyball Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & January / February
Application Deadlines:	November 15 & May 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	31
High Schools (Grade 9 to 12):	6
Total Students:	19,000
Total International Students:	600
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

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Okanagan Skaha School District



School District No. 67 is located in the sunny interior of British Columbia, in the region known as the Okanagan Valley. The district includes the communities of Penticton and Summerland, which are situated between two sparkling fresh water lakes, lush orchards, vineyards, and majestic mountains. Surrounded by world class recreational opportunities, and sensational scenery, the communities are well known for their beautiful weather all year-round, numerous beaches, skiing and healthy lifestyle.

Okanagan-Skaha has 11 Elementary Schools (K-7) and 3 High Schools (8-12). We offer one semester programs (5 months), and full year cultural (10 months) and graduation programs (2+ years). We take pride in allowing only 1% of the school population for each Country/Language Culture giving our International Students the optimal experience at school, partnered with our integrated homestay program.

Why Should you Choose Okanagan-Skaha?

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safe and Accessible Communities• Quality In-House Homestays• Global Ambassador Program to greet new students and help with integration with domestic students• Ski Program at Apex Mountain• Mountain Biking, Horseback Riding, | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hiking, Paddling, Rock Climbing — 4 seasons of Outdoor Adventure• Affordable• English Immersion (1% Rule)• Athletic Programs and Academies• Outdoor Adventures All Year-Round• Personalized Educational | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience• Responsive and Approachable Team• World Renowned Educational Programs and Facilities• Robust Extracurricular Activities• Innovated Elective Course Offerings |
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Experience the rich Canadian culture in the scenic Okanagan Valley, join our community and receive an excellent education! Come Learn & Play in Beautiful Okanagan-Skaha!

Program Details

Program Established:	1985
Programs Offered:	1 Semester, Full Year, Graduation
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Sports, Academy Programs (Hockey, & Swimming), Outdoor Education
Programs offered in:	English
Entrance dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No formal deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	14
Middle/High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	5,800
Total International Students:	80
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

Contact Information

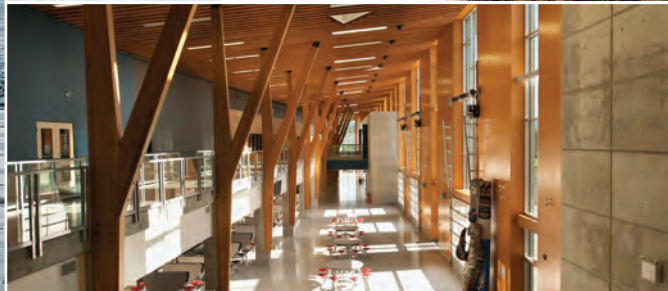
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Pacific Rim School District



The Pacific Rim School District is located on central Vancouver Island in British Columbia, offering students an authentic West Coast Canadian learning experience. Our schools place students within reach of the renowned beaches of Pacific Rim National Park, the snowy slopes of Mt. Washington and the city of Nanaimo, with direct ferry connections to Vancouver. Our intentionally small International Student Program welcomes students from a diverse range of countries and provides a personalized experience with strong opportunities for English immersion, integration with Canadian students, and participation in school and community life.

The district covers a large geographic area that includes the Alberni Valley and the west coast communities of Ucluelet and Tofino, as well as the renowned beaches and natural surroundings of Pacific Rim National Park. Port Alberni is a welcoming, English-speaking community that offers international students an excellent environment for experiencing Canadian life and developing their English language skills.

We pride ourselves on the quality of our homestays, where international students become part of a Canadian family and community. Students attend regular Canadian public schools alongside local students and have access to unique Outdoor Education programs, Hockey Academy, French Immersion, sports teams, clubs, extracurricular activities, and a full range of academic courses. Pacific Rim offers a personalized Canadian education in modern schools, surrounded by the spectacular natural environment of Vancouver Island's West Coast.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, and Short-Term
Specialized Programs:	Hockey Academy, Outdoor Ed, French Immersion, Fine Arts, Band
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	December 10 & June 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	11
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	4,000
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Peace River North School District



International students benefit from flexible and fully developed programs taught by British Columbia government certified teachers in modern, well-equipped schools. Our small communities and institutions have an excellent staff/student ratio and provide a supportive study environment.

Our District will become a “home away from home” for students, who may choose to stay with carefully screened and monitored homestay families. Modern school facilities, a variety of course offerings, high academic standards, enjoyable cultural destinations, and the safety of our communities provide an ideal venue for international study.

Program Details

Program Established:	2004
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	University Preparation, French Immersion, Fine Arts, Career & Technical Education, Speed Skating, STEM
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	November 15 & June 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	22
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	6,000
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT 60
PEACE RIVER NORTH**

Powell River School District



Stretched along the coastal shores of the Pacific Ocean, Powell River is known for breath-taking scenery and natural environment. Surrounded by ocean, mountains, lakes, rivers, water falls, rain forests and wildlife, Powell River is ideal for our unique, innovative Eco- Education programs.

Since 1985, Powell River School District, has provided the highest standards in education to students from around the world. With limited student enrollment, students enjoy small classes with 25 Canadian students. Immersed within a 100 percent English speaking community, students excel at all levels of academic studies at a rapid pace.

International students can attend high school, middle or elementary school to earn the British Columbia Graduation Diploma, or gain cultural experience and improve English proficiency. Powell River offers outstanding Specialized Programs such as: High School Graduation and University Credits in a Single Program, University/College Entrance Prep courses, On-Campus Career & Technical Training Facility.

Powell River's unique student-centered English Immersion program combined with state of the art, fully equipped, technologically advanced schools provide the highest level of successful educational experience. Vibrant Canadian students, along with highly trained professional teachers, a strong academic foundation and social nurturing guarantee students are well prepared to compete with the best in the world.

Program Details

Program Established:	1985
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer ESL Program
Specialized Programs:	Eco Education, Dual Credit, Film School, Career Trades
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	9
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	3,300
Total International Students:	25
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Qualicum School District



The Qualicum School District is located on Vancouver Island, BC, and encompasses the charming beach front cities of Qualicum and Parksville in the Oceanside region. Qualicum School District provides international students from all over the world the opportunity to live with a local family, study in a Canadian school and enjoy the wonderful quality of life we enjoy on Vancouver Island. We offer a very strong and comprehensive English as a Second Language (ESL) program with specially trained and experienced instructors to ensure International Students have the best instruction possible.

Qualicum School District has an abundance of athletic, arts and cultural organizations. Our schools provide all students with the opportunity to participate in many excellent academics, performing arts and athletic activities including Specialized programs in: Golf, Soccer, Hockey, Outdoor Education, Music, Leadership and Global Studies Programs offered through River, Ocean and Mountain School (ROAMS). A dedicated International Student Counselor is based at each secondary school to provide academic counseling and support. Students are also encouraged to participate in activities outside of school including, soccer, baseball, beach volleyball, ice hockey, tennis, golf, swimming, dance, skiing, snowboarding, horseback riding, karate, and taekwondo. Students are also provided with an annual itinerary of activities and travel opportunities to further enhance their Canadian experience. The friendly and welcoming nature of our people enhances the spectacular natural setting. Located in a sub-mediterranean zone, this area enjoys the mildest year round climate in Canada.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Winter Camp, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Global ROAMS and ROAMS (River, Ocean and Mountain School), Golf and Ice Hockey, Science Research Methods Course, Music Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & January
Application Deadlines:	November 15 & May 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	10
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	4,500
Total International Students:	182
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

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Airports: Nanaimo Airport (YCD)
Qualicum Beach Airport (KD AIR)
Comox Valley Airport (YQQ)



Richmond School District



Richmond is rated as one of the most livable and well-managed cities in Canada. Just 25 minutes south of Vancouver, Richmond is home to the Vancouver International Airport (YVR) and the proud co-host of the 2010 Olympics.

Richmond Schools offer:

- A safe and friendly full-immersion experience in a Canadian school
- English Language courses to facilitate integration in all courses with Canadian students
- Comprehensive 24-7 support services
- Excellent facilities for sports, clubs, and leisure activities
- Pathways to academic success and for post-secondary study options
- Organized activities for international students to round out their Canadian cultural and English study experience

Across Canada, Richmond is considered a leading school district in the development of English Language Learning (ELL) curriculum and assessment and can provide outstanding support to international students who wish to develop English fluency while studying full time at one of our elementary or secondary schools. Richmond students consistently exhibit exceptional levels of achievement, demonstrated through high graduation and completion rates, examination results, scholarship awards and university entrance acceptance rates. In addition to core academic courses, international students can participate in a variety of specialty programs and unique courses, including: Senior Years' International Baccalaureate (IB), Advanced Placement (AP), Engineering, Fashion Design, Computer Animation, French Immersion, Music Composition and countless student clubs and sport teams.

Program Details

Program Established:	1998
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp, Winter Camp, Professional Learning, Groups
Specialized Programs:	IB Diploma Programme, Engineering, Sports, French Immersion, Chef Training, Advanced Placement (AP), Leadership
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline, Early applications encouraged

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School Details

Number of Schools:	48
High Schools for International Students:	10
Total Students:	22,000
Total International Students:	600
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Rocky Mountain School Districts



The Rocky Mountain International Student Program (RMISP) is located in the Kootenay and North Shuswap regions of beautiful British Columbia. With six world-class ski resorts, friendly small cities and dozens of mountains, lakes, hot springs and rivers, it is truly an outdoor recreation paradise. River rafting, mountain biking, hiking, rock climbing, golf, downhill and cross-country skiing, snowboarding, curling, ice skating, fishing, swimming, SUP/boating, and camping are just some of the common activities students can enjoy in this region. Space permitting, students may choose their school and city from: Revelstoke, Golden, Invermere, Kimberley, Cranbrook, Fernie, Sparwood, Sicamous, Salmon Arm, Enderby or Armstrong. RMISP provides international students from all over the world the opportunity to live with a caring local family and enjoy an excellent quality of life.

Each RMISP community has a local coordinator who meets weekly with students and is always available for additional support. We provide regular social events and included monthly program trips such as ski days, overnight field trips to major Canadian cities, and outdoor activities for international students. Exciting elective course options in our schools include Outdoor Education, Ski Academy, Hockey Academy, Mountain Biking, Musical Theatre, Leadership, Robotics, Culinary Arts, Digital Media and Web Design, SuperFit, Yoga, Tourism and more! Our welcoming communities located close to larger urban centres are very safe and have everything a student would need — hosting many seasonal festivals, concerts, hockey games, arts and cultural events. More information: facebook.com/rmisp

Program Details

Program Established:	1987
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Sports Academies (Hockey, Outdoor Education)
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September / February and November/ April space permitting
Application Deadlines:	Variable

School Details

Number of Schools:	55
High Schools for International Students:	13
Total Students:	18,000
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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Kelowna International Airport (YLW)
Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Saanich Schools



Saanich Schools International Student Program (SISP) in Greater Victoria on the beautiful west coast of British Columbia enjoys the finest weather in Canada, and a high-quality standard of living. Saanich is a safe and welcoming community with breathtaking scenery, the spectacular Pacific Ocean, mountains, beaches, parks and rainforests. Outdoor activities can be enjoyed year-round.

SISP is committed to ensuring each international student has the most enriching experience possible. We strive to provide a caring, safe and culturally rich environment in schools, homestays and community. High-quality academic courses coupled with specialized programs and academies help guide students in Saanich. These courses and programs include the Institute for Global Solutions (IGS), Vancouver Island's only public-school district offering the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma, Advanced Placement (AP), French Immersion, focus courses on fine and performing arts, outdoor education, and technical trades courses. These include chef training, wood, metal, automotive and drafting, and an institute of marine studies. SISP offers academies for golf, rowing, lacrosse, judo, sailing, ice hockey and rock climbing.

High level student support is offered to all international students in Saanich. International student advisors manage the students educational programming and their emotional needs. English Language Learner (ELL) classes are provided for students needing extra support while improving their English level. There are even free after school "tutorials" available for additional extra support.

Three homestay coordinators and a homestay manager provide ongoing monitoring of students in the internal Saanich Schools homestay family program. Homestay families who have a keen interest in other cultures, an open and respectful attitude towards others, and a willingness to integrate a young person into their home are what to expect in Saanich.

Program Details

Program Established:	2001
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term,
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement (AP) and dual-credit, International Baccalaureate (IB), French Immersion, Spanish, French, Outdoor Education, Culinary Arts, Sports Academies (Lacrosse, Golf, Rowing, Rock Climbing, Ice Hockey, Judo, Sailing)
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Continuous

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School Details

Number of Schools:	14
Middle Schools for International Students:	3
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	7,000
Total International Students:	330
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12
Students Accepted with Accompanying Parent:	K-8



Sea to Sky School District



Sea to Sky School District #48 is located just north of Vancouver, from the stunning coastal scenery of Squamish to the mountainous landscapes of Whistler and Pemberton. Our schools are equipped with outstanding facilities and STEM technologies. We have three high schools (one per community), one middle school, one model school: Learning Expeditions (grades 8-12), and eleven elementary schools. All our schools are accredited by the British Columbia Ministry of Education and offer the BC Curriculum. ELL is provided by a team in every secondary school. Our school district's progressive Learning Plan sets the stage for a very personalized and relevant learning experience for all our students. We believe diversity is a strength, inclusion is a right and personalization is the way forward.

The Sea to Sky International Student Program is unsurpassed for arts, sports and outdoor recreation. How can you not be inspired by our landscape? Sea to Sky is home to the 2010 winter Olympics, the Chief (world-class rock-climbing destination) Whistler Blackcomb (North America's #1 ski and bike destination) and Joffre Lakes Provincial Park, to name a few. Our west coast corridor is considered a mecca for hiking, rock climbing, mountain biking, kite boarding, paddling and golf. We have academies in ice hockey, mountain biking, skiing, snowboarding, and outdoor leadership. At Pemberton Secondary, we also offer an Indigenous Education program where students can learn about the language and culture of the local Lil'wat people. We are proud of our internal homestay program as we have a team of homestay coordinators that work in our high schools so we are fully aware of their academic and home life.

Program Details

Program Established:	1996
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term Programs (3 months min)
Specialized Programs:	Indigenous Education, Outdoor Education, Ski, Board & Bike Academy, Farming, Ice Hockey, Mountain Biking, Career Trades, Professional Cooks, Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French Immersion
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Ongoing – check for availability

School Details

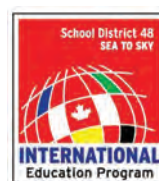
Number of Schools:	16
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	~ 6000
Total International Students:	200
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12
Students Accepted With Accompanying Parent:	K-7

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Sooke School District



The Sooke School District is located in the Greater Victoria Region of southern Vancouver Island, in the suburban and smaller town centres and fishing villages along the western shoreline of British Columbia's capital city region. These communities lie between 20 and 40 minutes west of downtown Victoria, and are connected by the Greater Victoria Regional Transit system, allowing students easy access to the entire Greater Victoria area.

Our public school program is approved and accredited by the British Columbia Ministry of Education. We host approximately 250 international students each year, in a district with over 14,000 local students. Our school district is growing each year due to the influx of families moving into the region, creating a dynamic and family-oriented environment for living and studying. To keep up with this growth, two new high schools opened in September of 2015, Belmont Secondary and Royal Bay Secondary.

Students who choose to study in Sooke Schools have the opportunity to study for one semester, one full year, or to take part in our multi-year Graduation Program. During their studies, students can choose to take part in a variety of academic and elective course offerings, such as Computer Science, Graphic Design, Concert and Jazz Band, Performing Arts, Psychology, Business Studies, and many more.

The natural beauty of our rugged coastline and beaches, combined with the proximity to downtown Victoria, and our friendly, welcoming communities creates the perfect environment for students to live and study.

Program Details

Program Established:	1989
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Quarter (limited availability)
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement and dual-credit, Spanish/French/Japanese language, Outdoor Education, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Sports Academies (Soccer, Dance, Equine/Horseback Riding, Climbing, Mountain Biking, Baseball, Softball, Ice Hockey, Golf, Lacrosse)
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February (and select other times throughout year)
Application Deadlines:	Ongoing (March 31 preferred)

School Details

Number of Schools:	26
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	14,000
Total International Students:	250
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

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Sunshine Coast School District



The Sunshine Coast International Program provides a unique opportunity for students from around the world to learn in a beautiful, natural setting close to Vancouver and Whistler. We have a safe and welcoming environment where diversity is celebrated. We provide excellent academic programs in schools where English is spoken by all students, with a focus on personalized learning and support for student success.

We offer a variety of unique options for students. School clubs and courses such as Outdoor Education and Leadership provide options for personal development. We also offer a wide variety of other courses such as Band, Choir, Visual Arts, and Drama. Hands on courses include such things as Television, Textiles, Cooking, and Carpentry.

We provide a full homestay family program, support through a school coordinator, and regular activities both on the Sunshine Coast and in Vancouver. Our sports teams include Rugby, Volleyball, Basketball, Skiing and many others. Our teams participate in the Vancouver sports leagues.

We pride ourselves on being a scenic coastal community, with small-town charm, close to the big city.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September and January
Application Deadlines:	No Specific Deadlines

School Details

Number of Schools:	12
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	3,300
Total International Students:	24
International Students Accepted for Grades:	10-12

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Surrey Schools



Located on Canada's spectacular west coast, Surrey Schools is 40 minutes southeast of Vancouver. Surrey, has six distinct town centres in modern suburban neighbourhoods as well as White Rock which is a tranquil, oceanfront area clustered around a sandy beach, promenade, restaurants, and shops. Both communities are friendly and family oriented with public transit that easily links us to Vancouver.

Surrey offers a great range of artistic and athletic activities, from world-class sports facilities to top performance venues. Surrey's warm summers and mild winters provide year-round opportunities for golf, tennis, hiking, and cycling. With the mountains, ocean, and lakes nearby, popular recreational choices are skiing, snowboarding, sailing, swimming, and fishing.

Students learn and live well, receiving a strong foundation in academic success combined with a safe, comfortable, and healthy Canadian lifestyle. International students comprise less than 5% of every school's population to ensure that each student receives the necessary support and services. We invite students to study for one semester, one year or come to graduate!

Program Details

Program Established:	2001
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 3 month, 4 month, Graduation
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Science Academy, Online Learning, Academic Summer School
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	October 31, May 31

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School Details

Number of Schools:	125
High Schools for International Students:	21
Total Students:	83,000
Total International Students:	700
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Vancouver School Board



Vancouver Public Schools welcome international students!

Come to beautiful Vancouver to study in one of 16 high schools. Walk or cycle the seawall at Stanley Park, explore the downtown including Canada Place, shops, theatres and restaurants — walk Kitsilano beach or Granville Island — make new friends in school clubs and activities! Our international student program is well supported with advisors, counsellors and multilingual staff. Students can choose schools that offer academics in English, mathematics, science and social studies and electives such as orchestra, strings, dance, robotics, IT, school and community sports, fashion design, Spanish, French, Japanese and Mandarin, AP courses and many more.

All Vancouver secondary high schools (grades 8–12) follow a semester system with entry points in September and February. Elementary schools (grades K–7) are all linear with September as the entry point. All Vancouver schools offer English language support as needed.

There are international student field trips to Vancouver Playland's Hallowe'en Fright Nights, ferry trip to Vancouver Island, VanDusen Gardens, Sea to Sky snowshoeing, as well as to watch Vancouver pro sports teams such as the Vancouver Canucks (NHL hockey) and the Vancouver Whitecaps (MLS soccer). More detailed information is available by contacting us.

Program Details

Program Established:	1986
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May & November

School Details

Number of Schools:	110
High Schools for International Students:	16
Total Students:	50,000
Total International Students:	950
International Students Accepted for Grades:	1-12

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School Board
INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

Vernon School District



Vernon International presents world-class education and adventure! Five unique high schools offer courses as diverse as AP Calculus, English First Peoples, Theatre Arts, and Automotive Technology. Beautiful lakes, spectacular trails, and one of the top ten ski resorts in North America make Vernon the place to experience the Canadian dream!

Dive into life in the Okanagan Valley. Our summers are some of the warmest in Canada and we are famous for our beaches. In spring and fall, miles of hiking and riding trails are waiting to be discovered. Winter snow covers Silver Star Mountain Resort with pure powder, only 25 minutes away! Skiers and snowboarders can explore gentle beginner slopes, extreme double-black-diamond runs, and a terrain park. In every season, Vernon is the place to be!

The adventure doesn't end when class begins. The Vernon School District offers elite sport academies in everything from soccer to ice hockey and baseball to Nordic skiing. Students can join school teams for rugby, football, soccer, basketball, volleyball, golf, tennis, track and field, and even mountain bike racing. Private sessions are available in the community for horseback riding, sailing, sword fighting, and martial arts. Local art academies provide lessons in acting, singing, music, and dance to round out the experience. If students are artistic or interested in the trades, classes in sculpture, painting, metalwork and woodwork are offered as electives within the school day. The options are truly limitless!

International Coordinators at each high school work with the students to ensure the best possible experience. Whether students come for the summer or stay through to graduation, they are supported every step of the way. ESL classes are offered to students who would like to develop their English skills and tutors are available for other subjects. Coordinators even offer assistance with university and college applications. Our international graduates have gained entrance to some of the best universities in Canada and around the world. Vernon International is the path to adventure and success!

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	By semester, September and January as well as continual intake.
Application Deadlines:	February and October

School Details

Number of Schools:	19
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	9,400
Total International Students:	350
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

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Mailing Address:
1401 – 15 Street
Vernon, British Columbia V1T 8S8

Airport: Kelowna International Airport (YLW)



West Vancouver Schools



Imagine studying on Canada's spectacular west coast! West Vancouver is a beautiful community with the majestic Coast Mountains to the north and the Pacific Ocean to the south—and we are only 20 minutes from downtown Vancouver! The United Nations recognizes our city as one of the most livable in the world.

Our International Programs were the first in Canada to welcome global students into our country's public schools. We have offered our courses since 1982 and developed one of the best international education programs in Canada. We consistently achieve top results in academics, sports, and the arts.

Let an education in Canada open exciting new possibilities for:

- academic and personal growth
- development of critical thinking, creative, and leadership skills
- a chance to shine in an education system that challenges and inspires.

Begin your journey into a bright future in West Vancouver.

Program Details

Program Established:	1982
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 5 Months
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Sports Academies (fencing, field hockey, robotics, etc.)
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Applications Open:	October 15 & February 2

Contact Information

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Website: westvancouver.schools.ca/international
Phone: +1-604-981-1158

Mailing Address:
1075 21 Street
West Vancouver, British Columbia V7V 4A9

Airport: Vancouver International Airport (YVR)

School Details

Number of Schools:	17
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	7,200
Total International Students:	400
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



WHY STUDY IN ALBERTA



Alberta — An Exceptional Quality of Life

Alberta is a great place to study, live, work and visit. From modern cities to lakes and mountains, Alberta has much to offer.

The province's size and diversity offers a wide variety of cultural, recreational and entertainment opportunities — an exceptional quality of life recognized for its natural beauty, diverse culture, urban safety, and rural charm.

As the main gateway to the Canadian Rockies, Alberta boasts unparalleled scenery: Rocky Mountains, picturesque foothills, parklands and rolling prairies and remote northern forests.

Alberta is a vibrant, prosperous province with abundant natural resources and an efficient and modern infrastructure. It has a strong and diversified economy with leading industries including energy, agriculture, forestry, manufacturing, and information and communication technologies. Alberta has no provincial sales tax.

Alberta — A World Class Education System

Alberta schools offer high-quality curriculum that is recognized world-wide. Alberta's standardized curriculum provides students with the knowledge and training to succeed now and

Alberta

in the future. Alberta's teachers are dedicated professionals who inspire and encourage students to find their passion for life-long learning.

Resources to support the delivery of curriculum in schools are diverse, accessible and current; offering students and teachers strong interactive technology supports that enhance the learning experience.

The Alberta High School Diploma is accepted by admissions officers of prestigious universities and post-secondary institutions throughout the world.

International students have many opportunities to excel both on an academic and personal basis. A strong support network assists students with any challenges while adjusting to life in Alberta. School authorities can help students find a suitable school and living accommodations.

Friendly people, reasonable tuition fees, safe communities and schools that focus on success for every student no matter where in the province they reside, make Alberta one of the world's best places to live and study.



Battle River School Division



Battle River School Division provides high quality learning experiences for all of its students. From the moment students arrive in our school division, they are welcomed and supported to ensure their success. Our school division offers full academic programs, many fine art, music, language and athletic programs as well as specialized English Second Language (ESL) support. Students are able to participate in field trips, extracurricular activities and develop lifelong friendships with local students and staff. Our schools are modern and have up to date facilities with fully equipped computer labs, science labs, gymnasiums and other specialized facilities.

Battle River School Division's schools are located in small, safe, welcoming communities. Battle River School Division's principal city is Camrose with a population of about 18,500. The city is large enough to have all the amenities of larger cities but remains a safe, warm and welcoming community. There are numerous small towns that also provide welcoming and supportive environments. Camrose is conveniently located within 45 minutes of the Edmonton International airport.

Battle River School Division's supervised Homestay program will ensure that students are matched and placed in a family with compatible values. Working as a team, our program staff, school teachers, principals and host families all work together so that students have a successful study period, learn English quickly and in context and return to their home country having had a true Canadian experience.

Program Details

Program Established:	1965
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	June 1 & November 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	23
High Schools for International Students:	11
Total Students:	5,600
Total International Students:	60
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

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Mailing Address:
4302 38 Street
Camrose, Alberta T4V 4B2

Airport: Edmonton International Airport (YEG)



Calgary Board of Education



The Calgary Board of Education (CBE) is located in the city of Calgary, Alberta. Calgary is a vibrant, cosmopolitan city of over 1,600,000 people. Friendly, clean and safe, it has a high standard of living. Calgary is one hour away from the world famous Canadian Rocky Mountains. Calgary offers a wide variety of outdoor activities, cultural attractions and more.

The CBE has excellent schools ready to welcome international students from around the world. CBE boasts some of the top PISA scores in the world. All high schools have International Student Coordinators who assist students with course planning, transition, and post-secondary planning. All high schools offer a wide range of academic courses, including Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate programs, as well as a wide range of complementary courses including art, music, sports, second languages and technical programs. All schools offer English as an Additional Language programming for all levels and an expansive offering of extra-curricular activities. Our teachers are highly trained and experienced and our standards of academic excellence are among the highest in the world.

The CBE works with Canada Homestay Network to provide a caring and supportive homestay experience with excellent families from around the city who are eager to host international students. Living with a Canadian family is an excellent way to learn about Canadian culture and improve English.

Our goal at the CBE is to ensure our students have a valuable academic and cultural experience. We look forward to welcoming you to our wonderful city and school community!

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 4 Months
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Performing and Visual Arts
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September (K-Gr. 12) and February (Gr. 10-12; 1 semester or 4 month requests only)
Application Deadlines:	Last Friday in April for a September start; Last Friday in September for a February start

School Details

Number of Schools:	251
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	142,000
Total International Students:	350
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

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Mailing Address:
1221 8 Street SW
Calgary, Alberta T2R 0L4

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)



**Calgary Board
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Calgary Catholic School District



The Calgary Catholic School District (CCSD) is the largest public Catholic school district in Western Canada. CCSD's size allows for a large, dedicated EAL support team that provides dedicated and effective English education. Our district also has qualified teachers and professional support staff that care for the student's emotional well-being in addition to their success in academics. All CCSD staff strive to fulfill the mission of 'Living and Learning in our Catholic Faith' which is exhibited by the caring culture in all of our schools.

All CCSD schools provide faith-based learning that follows the Alberta provincial curriculum. This curriculum is recognized for its strong academics by many top universities across North America. This strong reputation creates many post-secondary opportunities for our international students after graduation. CCSD graduation rates are consistently higher than provincial averages. In addition, International Baccalaureate and Advanced Placement programs are offered in many of our CCSD High Schools.

International students that study with CCSD are fully immersed in English and study alongside Canadian students in the school environment. We offer a wide variety of options, clubs and extracurricular activities available to the student, which they are encouraged to join. These activities can range from hockey to other sports programs, fine arts, culinary, robotics, mechanics or even construction.

The City of Calgary is consistently ranked by The Economist as one of the top ten most livable cities in the world. Calgary is located less than an hour's drive from the majestic Rocky Mountains. We look forward to welcoming you to this safe, clean and wonderful city, and especially to Calgary Catholic.

Program Details

Program Established:	2005
Programs Offered:	Full Year (K-12), 1 semester (10-12)
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Hockey Canada Skills Academy and Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French and Spanish
Entrance Dates:	September (K-Gr.9) & February (Gr. 10-12) only
Application Deadlines:	Last business day in April for September intake and September to August for February intake

School Details

Number of Schools:	117
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	63,000
Total International Students:	250
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

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Website: international.cssd.ab.ca
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Mailing Address:
St. John Centre for Art & Culture
15 – 12 St. NW
Calgary, Alberta T2N 1Y4

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Canadian Rockies Public Schools



CCHS and BCHS are located in vibrant, safe communities, in the spectacular Canadian Rocky Mountains. A diverse, exciting program connecting students from all over the world with local students.

Our area provides a dynamic environment, a dream for nature-lovers and outdoor enthusiasts, with opportunities to explore any mountain activity: hiking, camping, trail running, mountain biking, climbing, skiing, photography, nature exploration and more.

CRPS has an excellent reputation for educational programming and ranks amongst the top performing school divisions in Alberta. Duration of studies is for 5 months, 1 school year.

We offer exciting Optional Courses: Music, Drama, Media and Design Studies, Construction, Art, Foods, Environmental Sustainability, Cosmetology, Fashion Design and our flagship option: WILD (Wilderness Inspired Leadership Development). Our schools offer a full range of sports. Our students have access to a world class climbing centre, swimming pool and golf as part of their physical education program. Students have access to 5 world class ski/snowboard areas, outstanding cross-country skiing and endless kilometres of hiking trails. We are home to a Ski Club as well as the ever-growing and popular Ski Academy.

Our Homestay Program is run internally and provides students the opportunity to live in a safe, secure environment with a Canadian family while attending school. International students are offered monthly activities and we provide regular contact with the student and family to ensure full support and satisfaction.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	Outdoor Education and Leadership, Inspiring Sports, Music, Fine Arts, Performing Arts, Forensics, Commercial Construction, Cooking, Cosmetology, Technology, Ski Academy
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Ongoing

School Details

Number of Schools:	6
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	2,000
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

Contact Information

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Mailing Address:
618 – 7th Avenue
Canmore, Alberta T1W 2H5

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Chinook's Edge School Division



Chinook's Edge School Division welcomes international students from across the globe to experience the joys and warmth of education in a rural setting. With a focus on academic excellence, students are able to further their studies while enjoying the many activities that our landscape has to offer!

Chinook's Edge stretches across the prairies and small towns of Central Alberta, framed within an hour's drive by the world-famous Rocky Mountains. All of this is within one hour of Red Deer (to the north) and Calgary (to the south), which feature all the amenities and attractions that a major international city has to offer.

We partnered with Canada Homestay Network to connect international students with carefully selected host families. Living with an English-speaking family, we offer students the opportunity to strengthen their language skills and build meaningful relationships within the community. Homestay options include small-town, rural, lakeside, and farmstay experiences, allowing students to experience the unique lifestyle of Central Alberta.

The Rocky Mountains provide an abundance of opportunities to hike and enjoy the outdoors. Our high schools include activities such as canoeing, hiking, and camping to expand learning in Central Alberta. Students are able to pursue music, dance, arts and drama alongside their core academic learning.

Program Details

Program Established:	2010
Programs Offered:	Full Year and 1 Semester
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	April 15 & October 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	30
High Schools for International Students:	12
Total Students:	11,000
Total International Students:	5
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

Contact Information

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Website: international.cesd73.ca
Phone: +1-403-227-7070

Mailing Address:
4904 - 50 Street
Innisfail, Alberta T4G 1W4

Airports: Calgary International Airport (YYC)
Edmonton International Airport (YEG)



Edmonton Catholic Schools



Located in the capital city of Edmonton, in the sunny province of Alberta, Edmonton Catholic Schools provides high quality education in a faith based learning environment. We welcome students from all over the world and embrace all faiths.

With exceptionally well trained teachers and a strong commitment to individual achievement and success, our goal is to inspire students to learn and to prepare them to live fully as global citizens.

At Edmonton Catholic Schools we have 96 schools in our District that boasts a reputation of academic excellence and student support. Our students consistently do well on provincial exams and many go onto post secondary studies.

We have a superb International Student Program that includes English as a Second Language support for all grade levels. International advisors at school work closely with students to ensure their academic, social and emotional needs are taken care of during their program.

Our programming follows the prestigious Alberta curriculum. International students have a variety of programs to choose from including Advanced Placement, Sports (Soccer, Hockey, Baseball, Golf) and Fine Arts Programs (Music, Visual Arts, Drama and Dance).

Edmonton Catholic Schools works closely with Canada Homestay Network who specializes in providing top-quality caring and supportive homestay families to international students.

For more information about our International Student Program, please check us out at: ecsd.net/international

Program Details

Program Established:	2003
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Semester
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Sports and Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French, Spanish, Polish, Ukrainian
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	End of May for September Start / End of November for February Start

School Details

Number of Schools:	96
High Schools for International Students:	9
Total Students:	51,000
Total International Students:	120-150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

E-mail:	isp@ecsd.net
Website:	ecsd.net/international
Phone:	+1-780-441-6080

Mailing Address:
International Services
Lumen Christi Catholic Education Centre
9405 – 50 Street NW
Edmonton, Alberta T6B 2T4

Airport: Edmonton International Airport (YEG)



Edmonton Public Schools



Edmonton Public Schools is proud to welcome international students to our exceptional network of schools through our International Student Program. With 214 schools, serving over 122,000 students, we offer not only the highest standards of academic excellence but also a wide variety of complementary courses including fine arts, second languages, sports, technical programs, and technology studies which help our international students receive a well-rounded education. Additional academic opportunities such as our Advanced Placement program further help to prepare our international students for their post secondary education adventures.

International students who come to study with Edmonton Public Schools are also provided with English language learning opportunities while being fully integrated with fellow Canadian students in a safe, friendly, multicultural environment. The city of Edmonton — ‘The Festival City’ — is a vibrant urban centre amidst beautiful natural surroundings. There is never a shortage of new indoor and outdoor activities to try!

Edmonton Public Schools works with the Canada Homestay Network to provide a caring, supportive, enthusiastic homestay experience. Living with a Canadian family is an excellent way to learn about Canadian culture and improve your English.

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term,
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Sports and Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French and other Languages
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	3 Months in Advance of Start Date

Contact Information

E-mail:	isp@epsb.ca
Website:	internationalprograms.epsb.ca
Phone:	+1-780-429-8249
Fax:	+1-780-425-6405

Mailing Address:
Centre for Education, One Kingsway
Edmonton, Alberta T5H 4G9

Airport: Edmonton International Airport (YEG)

School Details

Number of Schools:	213
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	122,000
Total International Students:	300
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

 EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Golden Hills School Division



Golden Hills School Division is located 25 minutes east of the beautiful city of Calgary in the province of Alberta, Canada. We value our diverse environments and the safe communities we are part of that are rich with culture and exceptional learning opportunities for international students.

Many of the Golden Hills schools are amongst the best in Alberta offering outstanding Alberta education curriculum that is ranked amongst the best in the world and taught by outstanding Alberta government certified teachers. We also have one of the smaller student/teacher ratios in the province of Alberta. Our schools offer: high level academic study, English as a Second Language (ESL) classes (Alberta Benchmarks); and a wide variety of other opportunities in the areas of career and technology studies, the arts and sports. Golden Hills also has three Christian schools and online learning.

Golden Hills is one of three public school divisions in Canada that offers dormitory facilities as well as a homestay program. Our dormitory leaders and homestay parents nurture and encourage students, while making their residence both a place they can call home and a sanctuary where they can relax and study. Our Accommodations Coordinators are always available to help and support our students, their parents and homestay families.

Program Details

Program Established:	2004
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Programs, Global Leader Program, Customized Programs, Plus Program, FLEX (online) Program
Specialized Programs:	Robotics, Forensic Science, Fine Arts, Career and Technology Study (CTS), Hockey, Dance, & AP
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	22
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	8,850
Total International Students:	245
International Students Accepted for Grades:	4-12

Contact Information

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Website: ghsd-international.com
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Mailing Address:
435A Highway #1
Strathmore, Alberta T1P 1J4

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Horizon School Division



Horizon School Division is continually recognized for its innovative programming and excellent academic results. Students who attend Horizon will enjoy safe and caring communities, modern facilities, schools with advanced technology, excellent teachers and a variety of programs. Depending on the school, we offer sports academies, e-sports, fine arts, practical arts, trades, advanced technology and challenging academics. Programs are designed to fit the learners' needs while building English language competency.

International students are accommodated in homestays in the community. We believe that the homestay family plays a very important part in the cultural experience of our international students and so every effort is made to select the very best families.

Horizon School Division is a jurisdiction located in Southern Alberta. It is made up of several communities: Taber, Vauxhall, Lomond, Milk River and Warner. Each community has a high school willing to take international students. Residents enjoy an excellent quality of life accentuated by safe neighborhoods, clean air and water and some of the mildest weather in Alberta. We are in close proximity to the United States, the Rocky Mountains and many Heritage sites. For a first class experience-come and join us!

Program Details

Program Established:	2007
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Semester
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	December 1 for February June 30 for September

School Details

Number of Schools:	20
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	3,400
Total International Students:	14
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

Contact Information

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6302 – 56 Street
Taber, Alberta T1G 1Z9

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)

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Lethbridge School Division



Lethbridge School Division is located in sunny Southern Alberta. Lethbridge is a city of just under 100 000 people. It is large enough to provide all major amenities and conveniences yet small enough to provide a safe and caring community for our students. We live in one of the sunniest parts of Canada, with over 320 days of sunshine every year! Chinook winds keep our winters warmer than most places in Canada.

We welcome international students from around the world in our top-quality schools! We offer support to our international high school students through a thorough orientation to your new school, assigning an administrator in each school to assist you, and pairing you with a teacher-advisor who will take personal interest in your program and well-being. Our International Services office hosts social events and field trips throughout the year. Our schools are modern, clean, and safe, and they offer you a warm and friendly place to study in Canada.

Along with core subjects including English, Mathematics, Sciences, Social Studies, and Physical Education, students have the chance to choose optional courses in second languages (French, German, Spanish, introductory Japanese), Arts Academy (dance, visual arts, drama, instrumental and/or choral music), Food Studies, Fashion Studies, Design Studies, Construction Technologies, Financial Management, Baseball Academy, and Legal Studies. Our students enjoy having a lot of choice in their programming!

We work closely with our homestay company to ensure that you live with an English speaking family in a safe, clean, welcoming home where you are supported in your studies and where you feel comfortable.

Study and succeed with us in Lethbridge School Division!

Program Details

Program Established:	2010
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 3-Month, 4-Week
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Judo Program, Fine Arts Academy, International, Baseball Academy, Baccalaureate, Alternate Christian Program
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Continuous intake

School Details

Number of Schools:	24
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	12,000
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

E-mail:	international.services@lethsd.ab.ca
Website:	lethsd.ab.ca/departments/international-services
Phone:	+1-403-380-5323
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Mailing Address:
433 15 Street South
Lethbridge, Alberta T1J 2Z4

Airports: Lethbridge Municipal Airport (YQL)
Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Livingstone Range School Division



Livingstone Range School Division spans a vast geographic area across southwestern Alberta, surrounded by brilliant blue skies, mountain vistas, wide open spaces, and friendly people.

Our educational programs are developed to meet the unique academic, athletic and artistic needs of students. International students study the same internationally recognized curriculum as Alberta students and can expect instruction in mathematics, science, English/language arts and social studies, as well as elective courses in the arts, technology, athletics and career exploration. Our teachers are caring and innovative people who apply a broad range of instructional strategies and supports to help all students reach their potential.

Homestay placements are carefully chosen and inspected to ensure a good, personal fit within a safe, comfortable and supportive family environment. At Livingstone Range, we strive to ensure our international students feel welcomed and become members of a family, a school network and a community.

Program Details

Program Established:	2013
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 4 Month
Specialized Programs:	Ski Academy, Hockey Academy, Fine Arts, Flight Academy, Ski Academy
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	Open Admittance
Application Deadlines:	Fall Semester – May 1 Winter Semester – Nov. 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	14
High Schools for International Students:	6
Total Students:	3,600
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

Contact Information

E-mail:	globalstudents@lrzd.ab.ca
Website:	lrzd.ca/services/international-program
Phone:	+1-403-625-3356
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410 – 20 Street, PO Box 1810
Fort Macleod, Alberta T0L 0Z0

Airport: Calgary International Airport (YYC)



Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education



Located in SE Alberta, Medicine Hat Catholic Board of Education has 9 Schools in the City of Medicine Hat serving students in Medicine Hat, Redcliff and Dunmore. We are a publicly funded vibrant part of the public education system in Alberta. The City of Medicine Hat is a thriving city of 68,155 residents. The City is a community of choice with an excellent climate, vibrant arts and entertainment and ample recreation with more days of sunshine per year than any other city in Canada.

Alberta's beauty and diverse landscapes (Rocky desert badlands, parklands, and coniferous forests) are all driving distance from our city. The four seasons allow opportunity to explore all of nature in its unique way. Our carefully selected Homestay Families provide a safe, nurturing, and worry free environment for our International Students. Medicine Hat people are known to be dedicated, passionate, hard-working, and nature loving. MHCBE provides a fantastic learning experience that will build a life time of memories for the students who study abroad. We will not disappoint!

Program Details

Program Established:	2017
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 4 month
Specialized Programs:	Baseball Academy, Alberta Diploma
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	9
High Schools for International Students:	1
Middle/Junior High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	2,488
Total International Students:	40+
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

Contact Information

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Phone:	+1-403-527-2292
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Medicine Hat, Alberta T1A 8B4

Airports: Calgary International Airport (YYC)
Medicine Hat Regional Airport (YXH)



Medicine Hat Public School Division



Welcome to Medicine Hat Public School Division located in South Eastern Alberta. Many of the students who come to the district are placed at Medicine Hat High School mhhs.ca which offers a wide variety of classes and programs to choose from. Math, English and Social are offered at the AP level as well as high academic workloads in all other cores. An exceptional Fine Arts and Second Language program as well as a strong athletic background. From classes in Sports Performance and Co-Curricular Programming.

Homestays are provided with an application for services. This can be found on the school district website under Homestay at sites.google.com/sd76.ab.ca/international-students/home. These are done through the International Coordinator. Students are provided a home with a Canadian family. Student requests are taken into consideration when we choose a suitable homestay. Bussing is provided from the homestay to the school the student is attending.

Medicine Hat has a population of 65,000 and is located three hours from Calgary by car or 50 minutes by air. Medicine Hat has the most hours of sunlight of any city in Canada and it's winters are warmed by southwest winds known as Chinooks. An intermediate ski hill is 40 minutes away and Banff National Park is four hours away. Recreation facilities include many swimming pools, indoor skating/ hockey rinks, a YM/YWCA, indoor and outdoor soccer fields, and 80 kilometres of bike and walking paths.

Program Details

Program Established:	2005
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	15
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	6,500
Total International Students:	12
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

Contact Information

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Palliser School Division



Palliser School Division International Student Program offers students from around the globe access to world-class learning opportunities set within the beauty and diversity of the Province of Alberta.

Palliser School Division operates high school programs across southern Alberta from the City of Calgary (population 1.23 million) to communities just a short drive from the City of Lethbridge (population 100,000). Our safe and caring schools are the centre of their communities and excel in offering a wide range of cultural and recreational opportunities.

Palliser's focus on the individual student, expertise in second language learning and literacy, and high expectations for students and staff help produce some of the best academic results in the province, with high stakeholder satisfaction in our safe and caring learning environments, program options and student achievement.

We offer full educational programming with small class sizes and homestay placement with caring families in our vibrant family-oriented communities.

For more information on our program and our exceptional results, please visit palliserinternational.ca

- Safe, caring schools and communities
- Expertise in literacy and teaching English as a second language
- Small class sizes and individual attention for students
- Home stay program co-ordinated in-house, to ensure a nurturing and caring family environment
- Excellent academic results with students achieving high marks on provincial exams

Program Details

Program Established:	2014
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term,
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Sports
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Applications Accepted Year Round

School Details

Number of Schools:	34
High Schools for International Students:	10
Total Students:	8,500
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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Lethbridge, Alberta T1H 5S1

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Lethbridge Municipal Airport (YQL)



Prairie Rose Public Schools



Welcome to Prairie Rose Public Schools! We are proud to be situated in the sunny Canadian Prairies of SE Alberta. Our Division encompasses a large geographical area offering both rural and urban experiences. We offer many specialty Academies; Elite Hockey & Baseball, Rodeo, Agriculture, Fire Rescue and are home to the Southern Alberta Flight Academy.

Alberta's diverse landscape and four seasons allow the opportunity to explore the unique attractions in our area. In winter, Chinooks keep our winters warmer than most places in Canada. The top 10 Attractions in Alberta are within driving distance and our local communities offer numerous attractions throughout the year such as Medalta Pottery, Hidden Valley Ski Resort & The Sunshine Trolley.

Prairie Rose serves a predominantly rural population of approximately 3,300 students in Junior Kindergarten to Grade 12. It is made up of several communities, including Dunmore, Foremost, Oyen and Bow Island who are home to our High Schools. We manage our own in-house Homestay Program. We work closely with our homestay families and students to ensure the student is a safe and welcoming home where they feel supported.

Our International team stands by our mission to “unleash potential through a culture of learning”. Activities planned will include attractions near and far, organized sports, arts and entertainment, culture & local attractions.

Program Details

Program Established:	2022
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 4 Month, 1 Month
Specialized Programs:	Hockey Academy, Baseball Academy, Flight Academy, Rodeo Academy, Agriculture, Fire Rescue Academy, Equine Program
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	Open Admittance
Application Deadlines:	Applications Accepted Year Round

School Details

Number of Schools:	18
Total Students:	3,300
Total International Students:	15+
High schools for International Students:	4
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Red Deer Catholic Regional Schools



Welcome to Red Deer Catholic International! Our world-class program for international students was launched in 2005. Since then, we have hosted hundreds of students who have enjoyed a first-class education and a safe and welcoming community environment in our schools and the broader community of Red Deer, Alberta, Canada.

Red Deer Catholic Regional Schools is a publicly funded Catholic school system. We offer and follow the provincially mandated Department of Education curriculum within a Catholic, Christian environment. Our international program is open to students from Grades 8 through 12 and students are placed in one of our middle or high schools located throughout the jurisdiction.

Red Deer offers all the amenities of city life combined with the security and community culture of a smaller urban centre. Recreation opportunities abound and include an established ski area within a 10 minute drive of the city.

Due to our unique location, size, educational resources and amenities, international students receive a genuine Canadian cultural experience in a safe and welcoming community.

Homestay: Red Deer Catholic International offers a quality homestay program. In collaboration with Canada Homestay Network, we offer a homestay that focuses on student care and attention within caring family environments.

Join us at Red Deer Catholic International for an academic, spiritual and cultural experience of a lifetime!

Program Details

Program Established:	2005
Programs Offered:	Full year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Fine Arts. Second Language Courses in French, Spanish and Japanese, Baseball Academy
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	June 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	23
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	10,085
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	8-12

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Edmonton International Airport (YEG)



Red Deer Public Schools



Red Deer Public School District is centrally located in the western Canadian Province of Alberta. The City of Red Deer is a safe, clean, medium sized city located some 100 kilometres from the major cities of Calgary and Edmonton and the beautiful Rocky Mountains.

In Red Deer Public Schools we offer middle school and high school programs for General Diploma students as well as students bound for post secondary studies. Specialized programs offered include: English as a Second Language (ESL), Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB) and French Immersion programs.

We offer our own high quality homestay program and take great care in ensuring that we find the best possible homestay placements for our students. Program staff are in regular contact with students to ensure a quick response and support should there be any concerns. We have a large number of carefully screened host families with a wide variety of interests.

Our optional Activities Program includes: day trips to the Rocky Mountains, trips to nearby cities and attractions as well as local activities including skiing/snowboarding at our local ski resort.

Our International student program is very diverse and typically includes students from over 14 different countries. Live, Learn and Grow in Red Deer Public Schools.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	April 15 & October 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	24
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	11,000
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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WHY STUDY IN SASKATCHEWAN



Saskatchewan

Saskatchewan is located in Western Canada. The name Saskatchewan comes from *kisiskatchewan*, a Cree name meaning “swiftly flowing river”. Saskatchewan is referred to as the “Land of the Living Skies” with breathtaking blue skies, a variety of parks can be found all over the province, many alongside Saskatchewan’s 100,000 lakes, rivers and beautiful prairie landscapes. Saskatchewan is a unique mix of people, cultures and geography that has come together to create a rich past and a vibrant present, as well as a promising and exciting future. Urban excitement, rural relaxation, wilderness exploration, and parkland peace and quiet: wherever your sense of adventure takes you, you’ll find a warm Saskatchewan welcome. Five tourism regions and two major urban tourism authorities in Regina and Saskatoon are ready to help you make the most of your time with us.

Saskatchewan cities offer a safe, calm environment where most people speak only one language — ENGLISH! We are a highly-educated population that provides excellent academic, artistic and recreational opportunities. We currently are the fastest growing economy in Canada, with many opportunities for employment after completing a degree at one of our many excellent Post-Secondary and technical institutions. Both major cities offer excellent high school programs with offerings in French Immersion, Advanced Placement, and International Baccalaureate Diploma Programs.

Immerse yourself in Saskatchewan’s famous community spirit, or discover your new favourite out-of-the-way resort.



Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools



Students attending Greater Saskatoon Catholic high schools can take a large variety of classes. There is also a program of studies for students whose first language is French, or for those who wish to enter French immersion. We have certified ESL teachers and offer ESL courses to all of our students.

Our homestay program provides international students with a safe and caring home where they can be part of a family, learn about Canadian culture, and practice their fluency in English. A student is given a private bedroom, easily accessible bathroom plus three meals a day. We expect that the host family treats you as part of the family and include you in their activities.

The Greater Saskatoon Catholic School District has four spectacular High Schools ideally located throughout the city. Saskatoon is the largest city in Saskatchewan and is continuously referred to as one of the best cities in Canada in which to live, specifically noted for its scenic natural beauty as the South Saskatchewan River winds its way through the heart of the city. It is an ideal place for a student that wants to experience the feel of a city while still maintaining a close-knit, community oriented feel.

Students looking for the full Canadian experience, with all four seasons, in addition to high-level academics and a wide variety of elective courses and extra-curricular opportunities will find it all in their home away from home with the GSCS International Student Program.

Program Details

Program Established:	1996
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November & May

School Details

Number of Schools:	50
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	20,000
Total International Students:	130
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

Contact Information

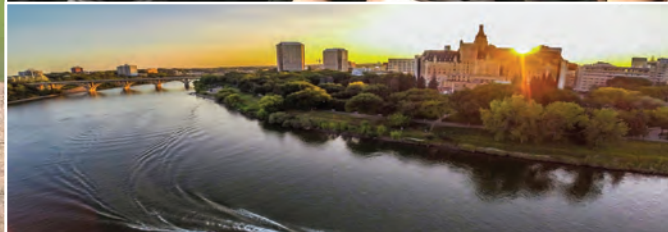
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Airport (YXE)



Saskatoon Public Schools



Program Overview: SIE provides an exceptional and supportive study abroad experience. Our team ensures each student's experience is tailored to their educational and personal goals. Program advisors work directly in our schools to support international students academically, socially and personally. Our engaging courses, professional teachers and variety of extracurricular activities help students achieve academic excellence and earn admissions to prestigious post-secondary institutions around the world.

Location & Activities: Saskatoon is a safe, welcoming city of 320,000 residents. It receives loads of sunshine and features a beautiful river with an abundance of parks and conservation areas to enjoy. Saskatoon is a perfect size with short commutes yet unlimited choice in recreational activities. The 100km Meewasin Trail offers an easy and scenic way to travel around the city, or one can hop on a bus to their destination. With an average age of 35-40, our vibrant, family-oriented city enjoys live music, theatre, art, sporting events and festivals throughout the year. Our schools and community offer an incredible array of programming in athletics and visual and performing arts.

Accommodation: Our in-house run homestay program provides students with a safe, caring home where they are part of a family, learn about Canadian culture, practice English and enjoy an authentic Canadian experience! Host families fully embrace students into their life and activities. Students receive a private bedroom with easy washroom access plus three meals/day.

Program Details

Program Established:	1996
Programs Offered:	Short Term (3 or 4 months), 1 semester, Full Year, Multiple Year
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, French Immersion, Sports Academies (Soccer, Dance, Softball; Grades 10-12), Media School (Gr 11), Outdoor School (Gr 11), Pre-Engineering (Gr 10-11), Carpentry Apprenticeship (Gr 11-12), Social Justice programs (Gr 9)
Programs Offered In:	English and/or French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	For Sept = May 1; for Feb = Nov 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	57
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	29,000
Total International Students:	130
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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WHY STUDY IN MANITOBA



There are many reasons to study in Manitoba!

- Safe and welcoming environments
- Academic excellence — government recognized programs
- True English and French language immersion programs
- Technical/Vocational programs available

Quality Education with Affordable Tuition Fees

- Manitoba has an internationally-recognized education system, excellent classroom and research facilities, and highly qualified teachers. We prepare graduates for success.
- Our schools offer quality education at internationally competitive rates in a province that enjoys a low cost of living.

INSTITUTION (BASED ON AVERAGE TUITION FEES)	TUITION	ACCOMMODATIONS AND MEALS	ANCILLARY FEES HEALTH INSURANCE
Public School	\$12,000 +	\$10,000 / school year = \$22,000 – \$24,000	+ \$500–700

Support Network

- Home Stays are carefully chosen families offering accommodations and meals to international students in a caring and supportive home environment that acquaints students with Canadian life.
- Campus counselling and resource staff are happy to help international students with language, culture and education issues.

Unforgettable!

- Study in beautiful and exceptional learning environments, from the polar bear capital of the world, to grasslands, parklands, and over 100,000 lakes.
- A rich variety of recreational activities: from organized team sports to kayaking, hiking, swimming, equestrian and martial arts — there are many opportunities to challenge all levels of athletes.
- A varied cultural scene, including international festivals, music theatre, ballet and dance, renowned art galleries and museums, as well as ethnic restaurants serving food from around the world.



Lord Selkirk School Division



Lord Selkirk School Division (LSSD) is located in, and around the small city of Selkirk, Manitoba in the heart of the beautiful Interlake region of the province, approximately 20 minutes north of Winnipeg. We invite any students seeking diverse programming, close-knit relationships and supportive staff members dedicated to helping you make the most of this opportunity, to consider LSSD.

Our International Student Program operates out of the Lord Selkirk Regional Comprehensive Secondary School (LSRCSS) – one of the largest high schools in Manitoba, with about 1,400 students in attendance from grade 9-12. Since our office is located right in the high school, we are able to offer an extremely supportive environment for our international students and we value the personal relationships this proximity allows us to build.

LSRCSS offers many exciting academic and vocational options for international students with over 350 classes and extra-curricular activities to choose from! Our students are always eager to try something they would not have the chance to do in their school at home.

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| • Music & Performing Arts Programs | French Immersion | • Hairstyling |
| • Computer, Accounting & Business Studies | • Graphic & Visual Arts | • Child Care |
| • Dual Credit/Advanced Placement Math & Science Courses | • Photography | • Extra-curricular options: Fashion Show, Drama Production, Human Rights, Student Council, Envirothon, etc. |
| • Basic French/Spanish & | • Culinary Arts | |
| | • Welding, Autobody, Power Mechanics | |

International students at LSRCSS have the excellent opportunity to join one of our highly competitive Royals sports teams such as: hockey, water polo, basketball, volleyball, golf, track & field, rugby, soccer, baseball etc.

Program Details

Program Established:	2000
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Technical Vocational Programming, Sports, Hockey Academy, Music, Performing Arts, Woodworking
Programs Offered In:	English, French, Ukrainian (7-9)
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November & March

School Details

Number of Schools:	15
High Schools for International Students:	1
Total Students:	4,500
Total International Students:	20-35
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Louis Riel School Division



The Louis Riel School Division (LRSD) is a public school division in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. Through LRSD Go Global, its international student program, LRSD welcomes students from around the world to experience Canadian education, culture, and community.

At LRSD Go Global, the student experience is theirs to shape. Choose to study in English or French, with personalized language support available as needed. Students can join LRSD Go Global for a full-year, semester, or three-month program, summer camp, or a PGWP-eligible one-year technical program. With 20+ sports and a strong tradition of competitive athletics, along with award-winning band programs and offerings in arts, STEM, social sciences, and Advanced Placement, there's a place for every interest and every student.

Students discover Winnipeg and Manitoba through monthly cultural activities, school field trips, outdoor classrooms, pep rallies, sporting events, and more. From experiencing the excitement of a school community to exploring the people, places, and culture that make Manitoba unique, students participate in Canadian life beyond the classroom.

The dedicated LRSD Go Global team provides personalized support every step of the way — from airport arrival and orientation to credit transfers, timetable planning, weekly school check-ins, and ongoing communication with students, families, agents, and custodians. From their first day to their final goodbye, students know they're never on their own.

That feeling of belonging continues at home. With our in-house Homestay Program, students don't just have a place to stay; they have a place to call home. LRSD Go Global's welcoming families provide a true Canadian experience through connection, shared meals, and opportunities to practice English or French at home.

Ready to Go Global? @LRSDGoGlobal

Program Details

Program Established:	2008
Programs Offered:	Full year, 1 semester, 3-month, summer camp, PGWP aligned programs
Specialized Programs:	French immersion, advanced placement, sport-academies, arts, music, EAL, STEM, robotics & more
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February – email for specialized programs
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline – open until full

School Details

Number of Schools:	40
High Schools for International Students:	7 (5 English & 2 French)
Total Students:	17,100
Total International Students:	200
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12
Arts & Technology Centre (ATC) – Accredited Post Secondary	

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Mountain View School Division



Mountain View School Division's International Student Program invites highly motivated and open-minded students to have an experience and education that will change their lives!

Located in Manitoba's scenic Parkland Region, students will appreciate the safety and natural beauty that come with living in one of our seven welcoming communities.

Our innovative classrooms, caring teachers and dedicated International Student Program staff ensure that students reach their full potential. Whether students are looking for a cultural experience, to improve their English fluency or to graduate with a Canadian diploma the International Student Program staff will work closely with each student to make certain they meet their goals.

Students will have a memorable experience living with one of our carefully selected homestay families. They will immediately feel at home and enjoy taking part in family outings, interacting in English and living a new culture.

Mountain View School Division invites you to enjoy a premier education in one of our dynamic schools and an unforgettable experience in our welcoming communities.

Program Details

Program Established:	2006
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Vocational Programming, Sports, Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September and February
Application Deadlines:	May 1st and November 1st

School Details

Number of Schools:	16
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	3,170
Total International Students:	40-50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Pembina Trails School Division



The Pembina Trails School Division, located in the 'university district' of the City of Winnipeg, is proud to offer the longest-running and one of the largest international student programs in central Canada for students from 5 to 18 years of age.

The Pembina Trails International Student program is dedicated to offering students educational excellence through engaging and enriching experiences in a safe and caring community. We take special pride in the support we are able to provide our international students through a devoted ISP Team, a direct teacher liaison in every school, and our own Homestay Program which aligns with our program vision and goals.

We are committed to excellence in academics, sports, and the arts. Our schools rank high in academic competitions and in the number of scholarships received each year by our graduating students. Our schools hold provincial championship titles for hockey, Canadian football, soccer, basketball, volleyball, curling, and cheerleading. Our film, art, music, and dance programs have been recognized both nationally and internationally.

We also place great emphasis on the cultural component of our program. Our full time Activities Facilitator plans and implements a wide variety of cultural activities, such as winter sleigh rides, visits to the polar bear exhibit, canoeing throughout the year.

Winnipeg is a prairie city with a cosmopolitan feel and is well known for its cultural events and organizations. It is home to a wide variety of festivals, the National Canadian Museum for Human Rights, The Winnipeg Art Gallery which holds the world's largest public collection of contemporary Inuit Art, The MTS Centre, home of hockey's Winnipeg Jets, and the 2019 & 2021 Canadian Grey Cup football champions — the Winnipeg Blue Bombers!

Our goal is to have each student enjoy a truly memorable Canadian experience in the heart of Canada — See you in Winnipeg!

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Hockey Academy, Volleyball Academy, Soccer Academy, and Basketball Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	March 1st for Semester 1 and October 1st for Semester 2

School Details

Number of Schools:	36
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	16,935
Total International Students:	250
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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River East Transcona School Division



River East Transcona, centrally located in north-east Winnipeg, is the second largest school district in the province of Manitoba. We offer a diverse range of innovative, challenging and internationally-recognized academic and technical vocational programs for junior and secondary international students. Some of our unique courses include visual communications, multi-media and fashion technology. We offer Advanced Placement programming in all of our high schools.

Many of our River East Transcona schools have received national and international recognition for their strong academic, music and athletics programs. A large number of our students consistently rank in the top 2% in various provincial, national and international physics and mathematics competitions. Many of our own Canadian students study in prestigious universities throughout the world upon graduation.

We are well known in the city for our numerous awards as champions in soccer, basketball, volleyball and hockey. We have a world-renowned music production program with a state-of-the-art music recording studio. We ensure a safe, caring environment with a Homestay family and parents can feel confident their son or daughter will be well cared for while studying in River East Transcona schools.

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February (other dates on request)
Application Deadlines:	None

School Details

Number of Schools:	43
High Schools for International Students:	6
Total Students:	19,000+
Total International Students:	100-125
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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International Airport (YWG)



St. James Assiniboia School Division



St. James-Assiniboia School Division's International Student Program welcomes students from all over the world to study in Winnipeg, Manitoba and have an experience they will remember for a lifetime. We have a wide variety of courses and programs for students to study and develop their interests, including Aviation, Advanced Placement, Performing Arts and Dance, Vocational classes, and Hockey Academy. We have dedicated teachers to help the international students with their academic courses, and ISP staff visit students at school weekly. All of our schools have excellent facilities, many sports teams, clubs, and extra-curricular activities, English language support, and a great environment for growing and learning.

Students live with local St. James families in our Homestay Program who are caring and supportive and enjoy getting to know students from a different culture. All families live close to the schools and are a part of the community.

We have an extensive Activities Program and plan 3 activities for students every month to experience Canadian culture and life in Winnipeg. Students will have the opportunity to visit museums, see Winnipeg sports teams like the Manitoba Moose hockey team, Winnipeg Blue Bombers football team, and Winnipeg Goldeyes baseball team play, see performances by the Royal Winnipeg Ballet and Manitoba Opera Company, and visit many local places of interest.

Winnipeg is a welcoming city in the centre of North America and a great place to study and experience life in Canada.

Program Details

Program Established:	1998
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Performing Arts, Aviation, Hockey Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February, with flexible entry
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	26
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	8,500
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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International Airport (YWG)



Winnipeg School Division



The Winnipeg School Division offers the largest number of high schools in Winnipeg with a diverse range of educational choices. The WSD International Education Program provides students, agents, and families a strong path on their educational journey. Our mission is to foster a sense of belonging, empowering students to be engaged, confident, inspired, and successful. We warmly embrace international students from all corners of the world. Winnipeg provides an exceptional and affordable education and creates a welcoming and inclusive environment for students, respecting and valuing their cultural backgrounds and values.

From the application process to graduation, the staff of the International Education Program provides steadfast support to every student. We aim to help each one become engaged, confident, inspired, and successful. The program offers high quality Canadian curricula, including Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate programs and English and French immersion. We also have specialized programs including Hockey Academy, Medical Professional Program, Performing Arts, and various extracurricular athletic and performing arts activities. Additionally, we manage our own Homestay Program, ensuring careful selection and mandatory training for WSD Homestay families to provide student accommodations.

Program Details

Program Established:	2017
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Semester, 4-Month Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English and French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	1 April & 1 November

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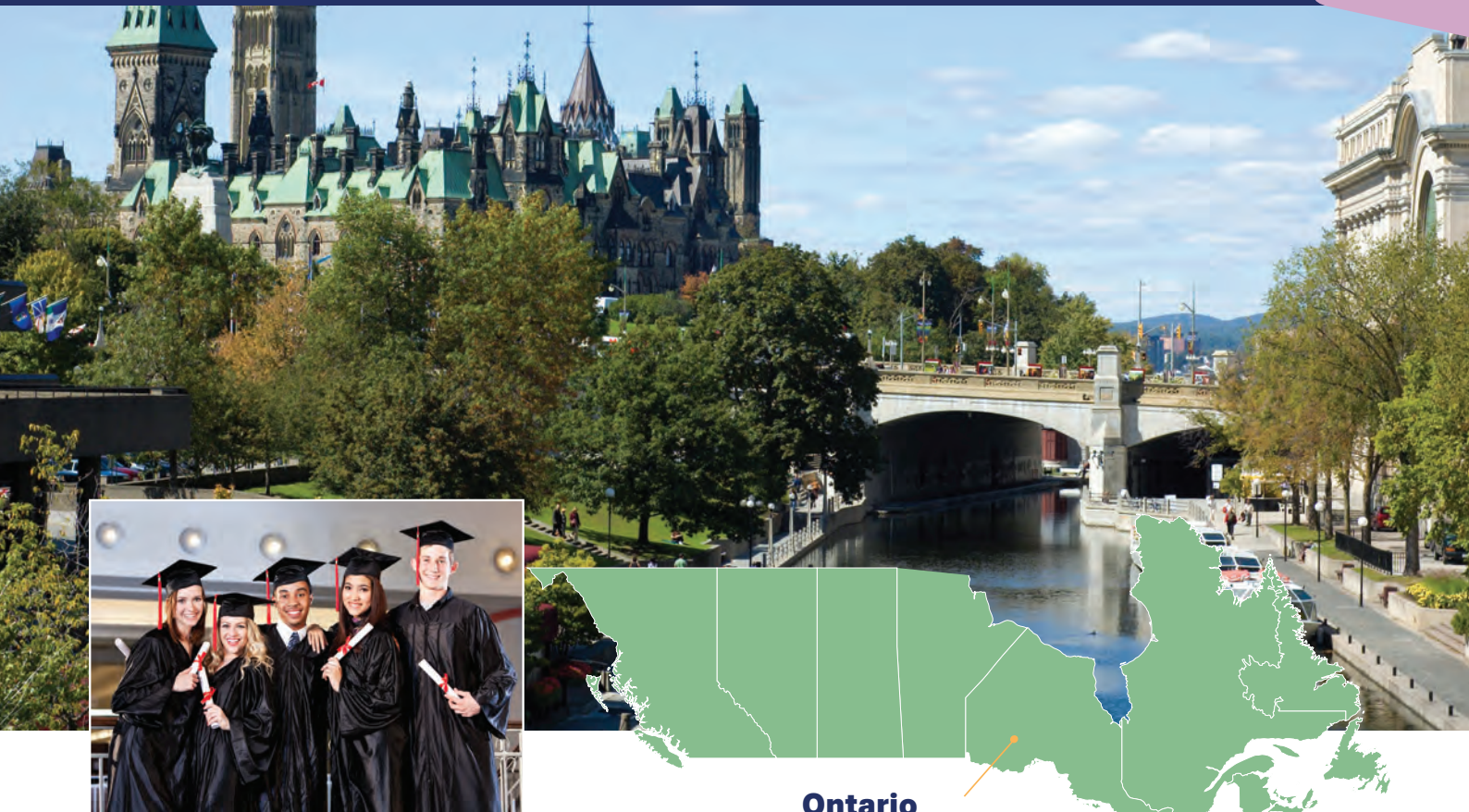
Airport: Winnipeg James Richardson
International Airport (YWG)

School Details

Number of Schools:	78
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	33,000
Total International Students:	180
International Students Accepted for Grades:	1-12



WHY STUDY IN ONTARIO



Ontario

There are many destinations in the world where you could seek an English or French language education. But the Province of Ontario, Canada stands out as a destination that offers a high-quality, comprehensive, education experience, in a culturally rich, nurturing, and safe environment. Ontario schools offer an education that prepares students fully to be global citizens, opening doors to opportunities anywhere in the world.

- Ontario schools offer a comprehensive and diverse array of quality, secondary and elementary school learning experiences to the world.
- Ontario school districts are fully funded by the Government and have academic standards based on a provincial curriculum.
- Ontario schools have qualified and experienced teaching professionals that accommodate the unique educational needs and encourage the different learning styles of each student.
- Ontario school districts offer varying degrees of English and French second-language support. Parents can choose the immersion experience best suited to their child.
- International students are welcomed into homestay arrangements, where they are integrated into the life of a local Canadian host family.
- The life experience is unique in each community throughout Ontario and ranges between English and French-speaking communities and world-class urban centres and small intimate towns.
- About 40% of the population of Canada lives in Ontario. Therefore, many of the universities, colleges, secondary and elementary schools in Canada are located in this great province.
- Many school districts have strong relationships with Ontario universities and colleges that can help qualified students with their post-secondary education goals.
- School boards offer a coordinated student experience from beginning to end, combined with caring and supportive homestay families.
- The Ontario health care system is excellent and recreational and cultural facilities are outstanding.
- The climate offers four distinct seasons.
- Most schools are close to international airports, Ottawa (the nation's capital), metropolitan Toronto and can offer world class life experiences, such as a trip to Niagara Falls.



Algonquin & Lakeshore Catholic District School Board



The Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board (ALCDSB) is situated between three of Canada's most iconic cities; Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa.

The ALCDSB borders the world-famous Algonquin Provincial Park, the mouth of the UNESCO World Heritage Rideau Canal, the famous Thousand Islands and many other exciting attractions to explore. Our secondary schools are located along the shores of beautiful Lake Ontario in Trenton, Belleville and Kingston where small city charm meets big city amenities.

The focus at ALCDSB is to offer student-centered programs which allow individuals to reach their full potential; our international students will be welcomed and belong to communities where they will be inspired to become active in learning and extracurricular activities. We encourage and support our students to become involved with clubs, teams and other school activities during their stay in Canada.

Our schools offer a wide range of academic programs that support and promote an immersive experience in language, learning and culture. The ALCDSB boasts numerous specialty programs including the International Baccalaureate Program, French Immersion, Cooperative Education, Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Programs, as well as 16 Specialist High Skills Majors.

We manage our own Homestay Family Program with host families who are excited to welcome our international students into their lives to share their family experience.

Come Live, Learn and Explore with the Algonquin and Lakeshore International Education Program!

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	Extended French, International Baccalaureate, Visual Arts, Sports, Specialist High Skills Major Program
Programs Offered In:	English & French
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	None

School Details

Number of Schools:	41
High Schools for International Students:	5
Total Students:	12,800
Total International Students:	47
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Montréal – Pierre-Elliott Trudeau International Airport (YUL)
Ottawa International Airport (YOW)



Algonquin & Lakeshore
Catholic District School Board

Avon Maitland Schools Canada



Located in one of the most popular regions in Canada, the Avon Maitland District School Board is situated in Southwestern Ontario. Only a 90-minute drive from Toronto and Niagara Falls, our District borders Lake Huron in the west with beautiful beaches and fabulous sunsets and stretches to the east where urban comforts unite a rural environment with many thriving communities can be found.

Avon Maitland Schools are home to a vibrant and diversified international student program which provides a superior Ontario education opportunity and English as a Second Language (ESL) support to all international students in all 8 of the District's Public High Schools. With 3 key priorities: i AM well, i AM prepared, and i AM engaged, we want our students to feel a sense of belonging and well-being, as well as preparing them for life beyond high school.

We are recognized for our high academic standards and superior programs in music, drama, technology, robotics and computer technology, math, and science. Extra-curricular activities, a significant part of student life, include spirited athletics in major sports, clubs, band, and drama productions.

We have been honoured to welcome students from over 50 countries including: Austria, Brazil, Colombia, China, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Spain, South Korea, Switzerland, Thailand, Viet Nam and many more.

We proudly offer a unique homestay program which allows students to be immersed in our communities where they enjoy a customized local cultural experience. We welcome our students "Come for the Education, Stay for the Experience".

Program Details

Program Established:	2011
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Specialized Programs: French Immersion
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February (other on request)
Application Deadlines:	May 31 & November 30

School Details

Number of Schools:	39
High Schools for International Students:	8+ e-learning (online program available)
Schools with ESL/ELL Programs:	All
Total Students:	17,000
Total International Students:	200
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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London International Airport (YXU)



Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario



The Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario welcomes students from around the world to come and enjoy a true Canadian experience. Our school board is located between the major cities of Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto and spans a very large geographical area with a diverse natural environment including forests, hills, rivers and lakes. The Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario serves approximately 13,000 students each day at 32 elementary and 10 secondary schools. The Board boasts a reputation for academic excellence (English and French), student support, strong athletics programs, outstanding performing and visual arts, exceptional computer technology programs, specialized secondary learning opportunities and a Catholic commitment to social justice.

Our Program

The Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario International Education Program offers global views and perspectives that enhance the education of students who have chosen to explore cultures and languages through education abroad. The International Student Program allows students from around the world to study and learn alongside Canadian students of the same age. The program encourages cultural awareness and international understanding by bringing students together and enabling them to experience similar social and academic opportunities.

International students can choose between multiple schools and are assisted in finding the best match for their educational needs and other interests. Students may attend for a short term of 2-10 months, with an emphasis on English language acquisition and cultural experience, or they may participate in the program for more than one year, and work towards attaining an Ontario Secondary School Diploma.

Program Details

Program Established:	2015
Programs Offered:	Full Year, One Semester and Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Specialist High Skills Majors
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	Continuous
Application Deadlines:	Dec 1 for Feb 1 and May 31 for Sept 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	42
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	13,000
Total International Students:	75
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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Montréal – Pierre-Elliott Trudeau
International Airport (YUL)



Conseil des écoles catholiques du Centre-Est



With more than 31,000 students attending 46 elementary schools, 14 secondary schools, a Virtual Learning Academy (AAV), an adult school and approximately 5,000 professionals serving students, the CECCE is the largest Canadian network of French-language schools outside Quebec.

The CECCE stands out at the provincial level in particular by:

- Recognition as a leader in education in Canada;
- The best results in the province on the EQAO provincial tests
- A graduation rate of 93%;
- A high parental satisfaction rate (94%);
- Sustained growth in its workforce;
- The offering of English courses from the 4th year in order to achieve high-level sustainable bilingualism;
- The offer of English courses from grade 9, identical to those offered by other French- and English-speaking school boards.
- Allows students to access all post-secondary programs in the language of their choice before entering the job market by mastering Canada's two official languages French and English.

Program Details

Program Established:	2012
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Sports, Fine Arts, Business and Administration, Health and Environment
Programs Offered In:	French, English mandatory
Entrance Dates:	Late August and January/February
Application Deadlines:	Continuous Intake

School Details

Number of Schools:	60
High Schools for International Students:	14
Total Students:	31,000+
Total International Students:	87
International Students Accepted for Grades:	1-12

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**Éducation
internationale**
CECCE

Conseil des écoles publiques de l'Est de l'Ontario



The Conseil des écoles publiques de l'Est de l'Ontario is located in Canada's secure, beautiful and bilingual capital: Ottawa. Our classes are taught in French while many activities and services in the region are in French and in English.

Ottawa is a lively cosmopolitan city, it has professional sports teams (football, hockey, basketball...), dozens of museums and art galleries, concert halls, heritage buildings and sports facilities.

After one year with us, students will have significantly improved their skills in French and English, two of the most frequently used languages in the world. Imagine the wealth of opportunities.

Our teachers, our dedicated wellness and academic advisors, are available to help students in their new environment, succeed in their studies, make new friends and participate in enriching activities to make their experience unforgettable.

A large variety of programs are open to international students:

- Sports-studies Program: Soccer (football), track and field, basketball, volleyball, golf, ice hockey, skiing, tennis, individual sports;
- Arts Program: visual and media arts, dance (ballet and contemporary), writing, music (instrumental and vocal), theatre, film and television;
- International Baccalaureate Program (IB);
- Aviation and aeronautics.

During the school year, our international students enjoy the security and care of a Canadian family selected by our homestay partners. Studying with us is a guarantee for a rewarding experience.

Program Details

Program Established:	2013
Programs Offered:	3 months, 4 months, 5 months, Full year
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate (IB), Fine Arts, Sports, Environment, Health
Programs Offered In:	French
Entrance Dates:	Late August and Late January
Application Deadlines:	May 31 & November 30

School Details

Number of Schools:	44
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	18,000
Total International Students:	40
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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de l'Est de l'Ontario

Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board



The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board (DPCDSB) is Ontario's second largest publicly funded Catholic school system and is located on the western border of Toronto, Canada's largest city. With 126 elementary and 26 secondary schools throughout Mississauga, Brampton, Caledon and Orangeville, we serve over 70,000 students. Located within the Greater Toronto Area, our schools provide students with world-class education, rich cultural experiences, and diverse career pathways, all within welcoming and safe communities.

Dufferin-Peel Catholic schools have ranked amongst the highest in Ontario with strong provincial and international test scores. We offer globally recognized and specialized programs including International Baccalaureate (IB), Advanced Placement (AP), SHSM (Specialist High Skills Majors), Experiential Learning and more.

DPCDSB schools prepare students for success in Canada and beyond. We welcome international students from around the world, offering:

- English as a Second Language (ESL) support
- A welcoming and inclusive school environment
- Connections to top Canadian universities and colleges
- Access to vibrant cultural, sports, and community programs

Program Details

Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Elementary and Secondary
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September, February & July
Application Deadlines:	June 15 & October 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	152
Elementary Schools	126
High Schools for International Students:	26
Total Students:	72,000
Total International Students:	80
Students Accepted for Grades:	Junior Kindergarten – 12

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Durham Catholic District School Board



Durham Catholic District School Board integrates the teachings of the gospel with quality educational programs. Located east of Toronto, we serve approximately 21,000 students in Oshawa, Whitby, Ajax, Pickering and the Townships of Uxbridge, Scugog and Brock.

The Passport to Excellence: International Education Program is focused on academics, community and Canadian culture. We support students with welcome sessions, access to technology, wellness events, post-secondary fairs, English and Math assessments, and free tutoring and IELTS classes.

We also have partnerships in homestay accommodations, medical insurance and cellular phone plans; and three post-secondary colleges and universities in Ontario offering international students pre-admission and scholarship opportunities.

Program Details

Program Established:	2015
Programs Offered:	Full Year, One Semester, Short-term stays (customized to client needs), English as a Second Language Classes, Summer/Winter Camp, Student Exchanges & Teacher Training
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September 1 & February 1
Application Deadlines:	April 30 for September start and November 30 for February start

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Oshawa, Ontario L1J 7C4

Airport: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)

School Details

Elementary Schools:	39
Secondary Schools:	7
Alternative/Continuing Education:	6
Total International Students:	130
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



DURHAM CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
Passport to Excellence: International Education 🇨🇦

Grand Erie District School Board



Please join us at the Grand Erie District School Board, a publicly funded K-12 school board in the heart of southwestern Ontario, where affordability intersects with educational excellence! Our vision is to Learn, Lead, and Inspire, and our mission is to build a culture of learning, well-being and belonging. Our culturally diverse schools are staffed by highly trained and passionate certified teachers.

Whether students seek long-term academic pursuits leading to the Ontario Secondary School Diploma, AP courses, dual credits with partnered

universities and colleges, or a shorter-term exploration of our varied arts and technology programs, a French immersion experience, environmental studies, or a unique exposure to Canadian Indigenous perspectives, we offer exciting educational pathways tailored to students' hopes and dreams.

We prioritize student support through a comprehensive orientation, a close partnership with a reputable homestay service, comprehensive ESL assistance, and ongoing academic guidance from in-school counselors and teachers, complemented by support from our

Canadian student ambassadors.

Highlights

- Competitive fees
- AP courses
- Partnerships with Universities & Colleges
- Specialized Technology Programs
- Canadian Indigenous Studies
- Comprehensive ESL support
- Canadian Student Ambassadors
- Nurturing Homestays
- Outdoor nature environment

Program Details

Program Established:	ISP formalized in 2024
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Sports, Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English and/or French
Entrance Dates:	September and February (Academic), July (Summer Camp), Various (S/T Groups)
Application Deadlines:	May 31 for Semester 1 November 30 for Semester 2 late accepted case-by-case

School Details

Number of Schools:	Secondary 14; Elementary 59
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	30,100
Total International Students:	11
International Students Accepted for Grades:	6-12

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Greater Essex County District School Board



The Greater Essex County District School Board invites students from around the world to experience life and learning in vibrant Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Located on the Canada-US border at the most southern tip of Canada in the heart of the Great Lakes region, the GECD SB is the largest K-12 public school district in the region. We have International Students from 20+ countries at 13 secondary schools and 55 elementary schools in 9 urban, suburban and rural municipalities.

Students are welcome to study in our short-term and long-term programs, ranging from 4 weeks to a multi-year pathway leading to the Ontario Secondary School Diploma. Our trusted partners at MLI Homestay provide students with safe, caring host families that enrich their study-abroad experience.

International Students are accepted at all levels of English language proficiency. We accommodate students in four English as a Second Language programs in small, sheltered classes featuring intensive English language instruction. We offer a dedicated Centre for Creative Arts and many technical programs that complement the local engineering, automotive and manufacturing sectors.

Windsor-Essex is a beautiful, diverse and friendly region with a long history of welcoming newcomers from around the world to our classrooms. We look forward to welcoming your students in Windsor-Essex!

Program Details

Program Established:	2014
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Customized Groups
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Aviation, Co-Operative Education, Creative Arts, Culinary Program, Dual Credit, ESL, E-STEAM, French Immersion, MySTEM, Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program, Robotics, Specialist High Skills Majors, Sports & more!
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February, continuous
Application Deadlines:	June 1 & November 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	70
High Schools for International Students:	13
Total Students:	36,000
Total International Students:	175
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Halton Catholic District School Board



The Halton Catholic District School Board (HCDSB) is a provincial leader in academic achievement, providing exceptional education to its 36,000 students, from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 12, across 48 elementary, 10 secondary, and 3 continuing education centres. The HCDSB promotes the Catholic values of family, community, charity, equality, and responsibility.

Located in Southern Ontario in the prestigious Halton Region, the HCDSB serves the City of Burlington and the Towns of Oakville, Milton and Halton Hills. Halton Region has been ranked the safest large region to live in Canada for 24 years by Statistics Canada. Halton Region is conveniently situated between Toronto and Niagara Falls — offering countless opportunities for entertainment, recreation, education, and fun!

International Students are taught the challenging Ontario provincial Curriculum, which requires the completion of core courses (i.e. English, math, science) and also allows for students to choose interest based courses (i.e. art, music). Our schools also offer a unique variety of optional extra-curricular activities.

International Students can also choose from a wide range of specialty programs to apply to at the HCDSB. These programs are designed to further intellectually challenge students, and better prepare them for their post-secondary education or career choice. Additionally, International Students will be enrolled in the English-as-a-Second Language (ESL) Program (if required). Our patient and knowledgeable ESL teachers will help International Students improve their reading, writing, listening and conversational English language skills.

With a focus on Achieving, Believing, and Belonging, the HCDSB provides its students and staff with the tools that are essential for realizing their fullest potential!

Program Details

Program Established:	1990
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Summer Credit Courses, Short-term courses (10, 12, 15 weeks)
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate (IB), Sports, Fine Arts, Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) Program, Advanced Placement (AP), S.T.E.A.M. Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Mathematics
Programs Offered In:	English and French Immersion (F.I.)
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	April 30 and September 30

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Airports: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)
Hamilton International Airport (YHM)

School Details

Number of Schools:	61
High Schools for International Students:	10
Total Students:	36,000
Total International Students:	280
International Students Accepted for Grades:	JK-12



Halton District School Board



The Halton District School Board is composed of four communities — Burlington, Oakville, Milton and Halton Hills. It is located midway between Toronto and Niagara Falls. With the close proximity of these cities, students can enjoy big city amenities, but live in a safe and diverse community. Burlington and Oakville are located on a beautiful waterfront setting on Lake Ontario and Halton includes the Niagara Escarpment that runs through Milton and Burlington. Halton region is consistently ranked as one of the safest places to live in Canada. Many of our schools have a small number of international students so we can offer a complete immersion experience for students seeking a true Canadian experience.

The board has a growing population of over 66,000 students. Our 90 elementary schools and 18 high schools offer a curriculum of academic and elective subjects. In addition to standard Ontario secondary and elementary courses, our schools offer specialized programs in English as a Second Language (ESL), Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), Business, Engineering, Computer Science, Visual Arts, Computer Animation, Web Design and Robotics and French Immersion. Halton District School Board students consistently score above the Ontario provincial average on standardized provincial tests, with the majority of international students entering top Canadian universities such as McMaster University, University of Toronto and University of Waterloo.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short-term and Summer Program
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Sports, Fine Arts, Specialist High Skills Major Program, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement (AP)
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates Secondary:	September and February
Entrance Dates Elementary:	September <i>(must be accompanied by parent)</i>
Application Deadlines:	April 30 for September start (Semester 1) September 30 for February start (Semester 2)

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Airport: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)

School Details

Number of Schools:	107
High Schools for International Students:	16
Schools with ESL:	7 high schools & all elementary schools
Total Students:	67,000
Total International Students:	380
International Students Accepted for Grades:	1-12



Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board



Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board is located in the city of Hamilton, midway between Toronto and Niagara Falls in Ontario, Canada. As the 5th largest city in Ontario, Hamilton provides a safe, friendly and convenient environment, ideal for elementary and secondary students to study and live. We welcome students from around the world to study at our 13 High schools and 80 elementary schools. In addition to standard Ontario secondary and elementary courses, our schools offer specialized programs in English as a Second Language (ESL), International Baccalaureate (IB), Advanced Placement (AP), Business, Engineering, Computer Science, Visual Arts and French Immersion. 99% of our students are local residents of Hamilton, Canada, providing an ideal environment for international students to learn English, learn about Canadian culture and make Canadian friends.

All school activities and clubs are open to international students. School teachers, guidance counselors and administrators are committed to helping international students reach their full potential. We help international students find safe and friendly Canadian families, and communicate with students' parents regarding any concerns. Over the past years, our international students have achieved excellent academic results. The majority of them entered top Canadian universities with scholarships. Our recent international graduate students are recipients of the prestigious President's International Student Scholarship of Excellence at York University of \$180,000 and University of Toronto International Scholar Award of \$125,000.

Program Details

Program Established:	2004
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short-term
Specialized Programs:	ESL, International Baccalaureate (IB), Business, Computer Science, Visual Arts, Specialist High Skills Major Program, Advanced Placement (AP), S.T.E.M. and Self-Paced, Sports, Aviation
Programs Offered In:	English, French Immersion
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 30 & May 31

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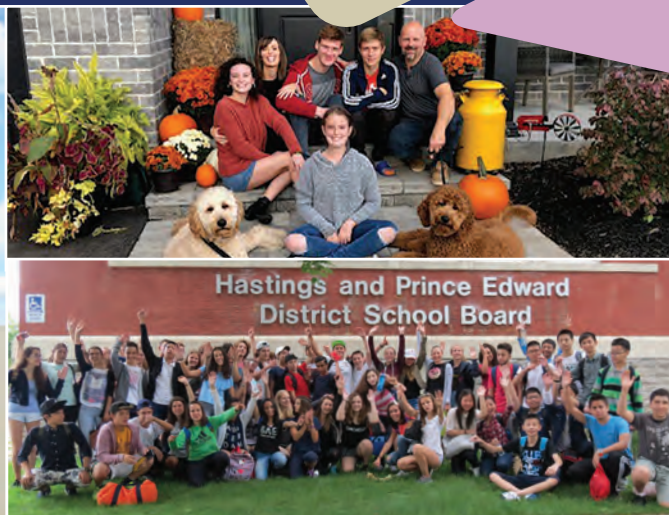
Airport: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)

School Details

Number of Schools:	93
High Schools for International Students:	13
Total Students:	49,936
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	JK-12

HWDSB

Hastings & Prince Edward District School Board



Hastings and Prince Edward DSB is located in the City of Belleville, on the North shore of the Bay of Quinte. Belleville is a multi-cultural community of about 55,000 people, who enjoy access to beautiful parks and paved trails, fishing and boating, horseback riding, gymnastics, dance academies, live music, shopping and nearby sandy beaches and more!

Our core purpose is to provide a positive educational and cultural experience for our international students where lifelong memories and friendships are created.

Our schools offer diverse and innovative programming in welcoming, inclusive learning environments with a designated Guidance Counsellor. All schools offer modern science labs, learning commons and indoor/outdoor athletic facilities. Courses of study include: English as a Second Language (ESL), core academic subjects such as: English, mathematics, sciences, social science and physical education. Additional programs are available such as: arts, technology, business, trades, music and more! Specialized programs include: Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), French Immersion (FI), Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM), Hockey Canada Skills Academy, and Cooperative Education. The option to graduate from HPE is also available.

We are proud to manage our homestay program in-house. To further support our international students in having a successful educational experience, our program coordinator visits all the students weekly at their school and is available to support students with any school and/or homestay concerns.

Schools offer a wide variety of extra curricular activities in addition to the Program trips to places like Toronto, Montreal and Niagara Falls!

We welcome you to embrace the Canadian experience at HPE!

Program Details

Program Established:	2000
Programs Offered:	Short-term, 1 Semester and Full Year
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Advanced Placement, Specialist High Skills Major, Full range of Technology and Computer courses, Fine Arts, Sports, Outdoor Education, ESL, IB, Hockey Canada Skills Academy
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	February 1st or until full, November 15th

School Details

Number of Schools:	39
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	15,000
Total International Students:	80
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Huron Perth Catholic District School Board



The Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board, located in Southwestern Ontario, is about a two-hour drive from Toronto Pearson International Airport. The district spans picturesque towns along the Lake Huron shoreline and fertile agricultural lands. Eastern towns include Listowel, Mitchell, and St. Marys, while Stratford anchors the southern end, renowned for its world-class theatre, gardens, historic buildings, and numerous attractions.

The region offers year-round activities, including food festivals, the Perth County Bakery Trail, and Stratford's Chocolate Trail. There are diverse dining options to suit all tastes. Excellent recreational facilities support various sports and activities, benefiting both students and the community.

The Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board welcomes international students to attend high school at St. Anne's CSS in Clinton or St. Michael CSS in Stratford. These students receive an enriching educational experience, with a focus on blended learning and technology to foster global competencies. They also benefit from the safety and support of smaller communities and a personalized approach to education. Proximity to top universities, colleges, and popular attractions adds to the appeal.

International students living in Huron or Perth Counties attend the respective high schools, with exceptions for those just outside the boundary, subject to transportation arrangements and senior administration approval. Students are encouraged to engage in school life, supported by high academic standards, co-curricular activities, uniforms, and various academic and wellness supports.

Program Details

Program Established:	2019
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Specialized High Skills Majors, Dual Credit Options
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	August 28, 2024 and January 28, 2025
Application Deadlines:	July 1 2024 to start September 2024, December 1, 2024 to start February 3, 2025

School Details

Number of Schools:	18
High Schools for International Students:	2
Total Students:	4,600
Total International Students:	0
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Huron-Perth Catholic
International Education

Lakehead Public Schools



Lakehead Public Schools (LPS) located in Thunder Bay, is the largest public board in Northwestern Ontario. LPS aims to educate, encourage, and support students to develop a passion for learning, set high personal standards, and become active community members.

All schools offer access to modern technology and innovative education. The small class sizes are conducive to learning and provide students the ability to quickly develop relationships with peers and staff. Students can choose a path that best suits their needs, ranging from developing English language skills to obtaining an Ontario Secondary Diploma and pursuing post-secondary education anywhere in Canada. Thunder Bay has two post-secondary institutions; Confederation College and Lakehead University (LU), and is home to the Northern Ontario School of Medicine and LU's Faculty of Law.

Thunder Bay is the largest community on the shores of the world's largest fresh water lake, Lake Superior. International students are fully immersed into an authentic Canadian, multi-cultural and English-speaking setting guiding them to their full potential. The city offers a safe, welcoming and friendly close-knit community. With an intrinsic connection to the outdoor environment and vibrant urban life, the city of Thunder Bay together with LPS, strives to provide a fun and memorable experience for every student.

Program Details

Program Established:	2015
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Specialist High Skills Majors, Co-Operative Education, Ontario Youth Apprenticeship, College Dual Credits, French Immersion, Kingfisher Lake Outdoor Education Centre, Aviation Technology, Sports Academy (Hockey, Volleyball)
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

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School Details

Number of Schools:	27
High Schools for International Students:	3
Total Students:	8,800+
Total International Students:	50
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Lambton Kent District School Board



The Lambton Kent District School Board is located 2.5 hours from Toronto in Southwestern Ontario, the southernmost region of Canada. Made up of numerous small towns and villages with two main centres, Sarnia and Chatham-Kent, visiting students find a safe and welcoming environment in which to live and learn. Students will find themselves immersed in the English language as 99.9% of the population in both our schools and communities are native English speaking. Quality homestays are provided by community partners familiar with the needs and expectations of visiting students.

Students may choose from a variety of academic programs at various achievement levels that ensure appropriate pathways to colleges and universities are available to them. They will also be encouraged to participate in various social, cultural and recreational activities that are of interest to them. ESL instruction using the latest technology and materials is standard equipment in our schools. With government certified teachers delivering a rigorous standardized curriculum, parents and students can be assured that the instruction being delivered meets the standards expected of post secondary institutions in both quality and credibility.

Program Details

Program Established:	2002
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Specialist High Skills Major
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September and February
Application Deadlines:	April 30 for September start and November 30 for February start

School Details

Number of Schools:	63
High Schools for International Students:	11
Schools with ESL:	4
Total Students:	22,000+
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	4-12
Homestay Available for Grades:	7-12

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Lambton Kent
District School Board
Student Achievement ✓ *Community Success*

Limestone District School Board



The Limestone DSB is located at the mouth of Lake Ontario, where the St. Lawrence River and Cataraqui River meets. The Limestone City has a population of approximately 140,000, Kingston combines a small-town feel with many large-city amenities in a safe medium-sized city. Kingston is minutes away from the world-famous Thousand Islands and the Rideau Canal. Kingston is a stunning, historic city that consistently ranks as one of the most beautiful and desirable places to live in Canada. The home of Queen's University, Royal Military College of Canada, and St. Lawrence College, Kingston attracts many students from around the world. Limestone DSB has many support and integration study programs with these local institutions. Kingston is home to a wealth of burgeoning green technologies and alternate energy sectors. Kingston has a vibrant music, festival, arts and 'foodie' scene. Kingston also boasts the most restaurants per capita in Canada. Kingston is home to several UNESCO World Heritage sites; Fort Henry, the Kingston Fortifications and the Rideau Canal. Bellevue House was the home of Sir John A. Macdonald, the father of Confederation and Canada's first Prime Minister. Kingston owns the best freshwater sailing harbour in North America and was the site of the 1976 Olympic sailing events.

Limestone International proudly hosts its own in-house homestay program in Kingston with full-time dedicated staff that connect students and homestay families. Hosting both long and short stay students, Limestone has 8 different secondary schools that host International Students. Bayridge Secondary School, Kingston SS and Loyalist CVI host specialized ESL programs. Students that attend the Limestone District School Board will receive a free Kingston City Bus Pass for the time that they are here. There is a free airport pick-up and drop-off in a given window of time. Welcome to Limestone!

Program Details

Program Established:	1998
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Summer Camps
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Arts and Film Academies, Focus Programs, French Immersion
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September, February, Summer Programs (June, July, August)
Application Deadlines:	April 15, November 15

School Details

Number of Secondary Schools:	10
Number of Elementary Schools:	47
Secondary Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	19,000
Total International Students:	140
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Niagara Catholic District School Board



WELCOME to Niagara Falls! Located in the beautiful region of Niagara, Ontario — Canada, the Niagara Catholic District School Board is a proven leader in the delivery of Canadian and international education to primary, middle school and high school students. Our warm and caring schools are ranked at the highest levels in Ontario for quality programming, student-centered pedagogy, international diversity and inclusiveness, student safety protocols and above average graduation rates (amongst highest in the province).

With 48 elementary schools and 8 high schools, Niagara Catholic District offers a variety of opportunities to our visiting students from across the Globe. Programs include full year or semester of High School, Dual-Diploma Program leading to an Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD), Advanced Placement, Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM), Short-Term Elementary or High School Experience, Summer Program, and more. Homestay Accommodation with our carefully selected host families is available for all programs, with continuous support from our exclusive local homestay provider. Support in students' native language is readily available through our International Division. Contact us TODAY for a school visit, a virtual conversation via Zoom or to sign up and become a part of our Niagara Catholic District School Board family!

Program Details

Program Established:	2000
Programs Offered:	Semester/Full Year High School, Short-Term School Integration, Summer Camps
Specialized Programs:	High School Diploma, AP, French Immersion, ESL
Programs Offered In:	English & French
Entrance Dates:	September/February for High School, Year Round for Other Programs
Application Deadlines:	June 30 (September start) & December 30 (February start)

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School Details

Number of Schools:	56
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	24,000
Total International Students:	350
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Ottawa-Carleton District School Board



Welcome to the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board (OCDSB) located in the capital of Canada. Vibrant and colourful, Ottawa is the 4th largest city in Canada with a population of just over 1 million people. Ottawa celebrates its diversity and with its welcoming attitude is a safe, family-oriented city with many indoor and outdoor activities to enjoy in all four seasons.

The OCDSB has been welcoming international students to Canada's capital for the last 20 years. Engaging students in global learning at 138 schools in urban, suburban, and rural settings, the OCDSB provides a diverse and dynamic learning community and a rich variety of educational, cultural, athletic, and social opportunities. Our international student alumni have distinguished themselves at colleges and universities throughout the world.

Whether here to graduate or for a short-term experience, OCDSB international students benefit from being part of an international education program that prioritizes their well-being, academic advancement, and their personal growth. Integration with Canadian students is embedded into our programs and is recognized in our unique International Certificate Program (ICP). International students can also choose to participate in Intensive English classes to upgrade their academic English or in a summer English Experience camp of two to four weeks that offers students an opportunity to experience life in Ottawa, improve their English and have fun.

The OCDSB works closely with Canada Homestay Network (CHN), to provide students with safe, caring, and enriching homestay experiences. We look forward to welcoming more students from around the world to our schools and to Ottawa each year. For detailed information, please visit us at studyottawa.ocdsb.ca.

Program Details

Program Established:	1997
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term Groups, Summer Camp, Winter Camp, Teacher Training, Arts High School
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May 31 & November 30

School Details

Number of Schools:	138
High Schools for International Students:	25
Elementary Schools for International Students:	113
Total Students:	70,000+
Total International Students:	610
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Ottawa Catholic School Board



Located in Canada's capital city of Ottawa, the Ottawa Catholic School Board (OCSB) offers international students an exceptional education experience focused on academic excellence, student well-being, and preparation for future success.

Why choose the OCSB?

- Ontario's leading curriculum
- Safe, welcoming school communities
- Dedicated international student support
- Guided by Catholic values and open to all faiths
- Focus on innovation and student well-being
- Strong post-secondary pathways
- Recognized as the Top Catholic School Board in Canada for 2026 by Education Insider Canada

Beyond the classroom, students enjoy diverse extracurricular opportunities, dedicated international student events and activities, a trusted homestay program through MLI Homestay, and an innovative Deep Learning approach that develops the skills needed for success: Character, Citizenship, Collaboration, Communication, Creativity, and Critical Thinking.

Program Details

Program Established:	2007
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, Specialist High Skills Majors
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February, Varies for Elementary
Application Deadlines:	3 Months Prior to Start Date

School Details

Number of Schools:	94
High Schools for International Students:	15 (8 ESL)
Total Students:	55,146
Total International Students:	245
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Peel District School Board



Peel District School Board is one of the most diverse school boards in all of Canada making Peel an ideal destination for international students. Our diversity provides students with a unique learning experience where they can learn in a multicultural environment that will prepare them to be interculturally aware and effective global citizens. Our teachers are some of the most highly trained and experienced English as a Second Language teachers from across Canada, therefore, our program provides superior English as a Second Language (ESL) support so our students will succeed in their learning adventure. Our neighbourhood students are warm and welcoming to students from all over the world and as a result our international students quickly become an integral part of the school community.

Our six program schools provide students with a caring and supportive learning environment and they quickly become their home away from home with resources such as bilingual settlement workers, orientation and peer-mentoring programs, experienced guidance counsellors, an array of sports and extracurricular activities, specially designed classes for international students along with partnerships with University of Toronto in Mississauga and Sheridan College.

Our program continues to grow as more students discover all of the advantages when you study with Peel Schools for International Students. We look forward to continuing to welcome students from all around the world. Come and STUDY in PEEL, it is where the WORLD comes to LEARN!

Program Details

Program Established:	2011
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	Sport (hockey, basketball, soccer, volleyball) and music (all instruments) and Strings (Violin, Viola, and Cello)
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	June & November (see website for details)

School Details

Number of Schools:	6
International Student Program/Host Schools	
School Size:	900-1400 students per school
International Students:	10-15% of school population
Number of International Students:	364
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Peel Schools for
International
Students

Renfrew County District School Board



The Renfrew County District School Board (RCDSB) is a mid-sized District with over 9,000 students. Our southern most schools are in Arnprior, less than an hour drive from downtown Ottawa, our nation's capital. Our northern most school is in Deep River. We have seven secondary schools and 21 elementary schools.

Putting children first is our number one priority. Our vision is to realize that every community has something to offer and can be a place for learners of all types to exercise their curiosity and creativity. We celebrate imagination and encourage students to be engaged to explore and discover their own pathways to success.

We believe that a variety of cultures and perspectives from outside our District can play an important part in the growing and learning of our students. As such, our District is happy to welcome students into Grades 9-12 and match them with safe and welcoming homestay placements through our partnership with MLI and YES Canada.

Our staff is committed, passionate and focused on doing their part to create the conditions that will ensure our students are healthy, happy and successful in their personal and professional pursuits. Each school has a dedicated Guidance Counsellor and Student Success teacher who can offer ongoing support and academic counselling to our students. We offer a full range of academic and extra-curricular programs including Specialist High Skills Major programs in 13 sectors such as Hospitality and Tourism, Health and Wellness and Transportation. We aim to place our international students at schools which best match their academic goals and extra-curricular interests.

Renfrew County District School Board is located in the Ottawa Valley in the northeastern region of Ontario. Our District follows the Ottawa River on the east and borders Algonquin Park to the southwest. The Ottawa Valley offers a wealth of indoor and outdoor recreational opportunities for every season.

Program Details

Program Established:	2017 / 2018
Programs Offered:	Full Year, One Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	Specialist High Skills Major, Sports, Cooperative Education
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February, negotiable for short-term programs
Application Deadlines:	Three (3) months prior to start date

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School Details

Number of Schools:	28
High Schools for International Students:	7
Total Students:	9,000
Total International Students:	10
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12



Simcoe County District School Board



Nestled between Georgian Bay and Lake Simcoe, just one hour north of Toronto, the Simcoe County District School Board (SCDSB) offers international students a unique opportunity to study in one of Ontario's most scenic and welcoming regions. With full-year, one-semester, and short-term programs available, students can tailor their experience to suit their academic goals and personal interests.

SCDSB is home to 15 high schools, each offering a safe, inclusive, and academically enriching environment. Students benefit from Ontario's globally respected curriculum, modern facilities, and a wide range of extracurricular activities—from sports and music to student leadership and community service. Canadian-specific experiences such as hockey, curling, canoeing, and skiing are also available.

Each school provides dedicated support through Guidance Counsellors, certified ESL teachers and instructors, ensuring international students receive the academic and language assistance they need to thrive. Students live with carefully selected Canadian host families through the Canada Homestay Network, creating a warm and supportive home away from home.

SCDSB also offers Specialist High Skills Majors (SHSM)—career-focused programs that allow students to explore and develop skills in areas such as Agriculture, Arts and Culture, Business, Construction, Environment, Health and Wellness, Hospitality and Tourism, Information and Communications Technology, Sports, and Transportation. These programs provide valuable certifications and real-world experience that prepare students for future success.

Simcoe County is a four-season destination, offering access to the world's longest freshwater beach (Wasaga Beach), premier ski resorts, and a network of trails for hiking and biking. Whether students prefer vibrant cities, lakeside towns, or peaceful rural communities, SCDSB offers an enriching and memorable international education experience.

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	Specialist High Skills Majors
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May & November

School Details

Number of Schools:	104
High Schools for International Students:	15
Total Students:	58,000
Total International Students:	200
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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**International
Student Program**



**Simcoe County
District School Board**

Sudbury Catholic District School Board



The Sudbury Catholic District School Board is a leading education provider. We are made up of 17 schools, all offering a comprehensive range of programs and services with a commitment to excellence in learning for students from Kindergarten to grade 12. Founded on strong Catholic values, the Board is committed to the principles of equity and inclusivity that enable each student to learn and grow to his or her full potential.

Our schools continue to rank as the top schools in the region. Our secondary schools ranked the highest for their performance on provincial literacy and mathematics assessments. Our schools will provide you with an authentic Canadian education experience. The Sudbury Catholic District School Board offers international students an opportunity to achieve a competitive academic advantage while shaping students to be the leaders of tomorrow.

Why Choose Sudbury Catholic Schools?

- We have a **safe and caring community** that ensures that students feel secure away from home! Our students also create a close relationship with their host family throughout the experience.
- We are **steps away from the great outdoors**, providing an authentic Canadian experience!
- **High quality education:** Our schools offer first-class secondary programs that are designed to prepare students for success at the post-secondary level including advance placement (AP) opportunities.
- **Strong English proficiency:** There is a low ratio of international students to Canadians so you have more opportunities to learn English.
- **Post-secondary opportunities:** Sudbury offers a number of high-quality options for post-secondary education including Laurentian University, Cambrian College, and College Boréal.

Program Details

Program Established:	2015
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	Various Specialist High Skills Major programs including communication technology, health and wellness, arts and culture, architecture and engineering, Advance Placement (AP), and many more!
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	June & November

School Details

Number of Schools:	17
High Schools for International Students:	4
Total Students:	6,200
Total International Students:	45
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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Thames Valley District School Board



The Thames Valley District School Board (TVDSB) provides a welcoming, fully inclusive and safe environment for all of our students and their families. With an emphasis on academic excellence and innovation, Thames Valley schools provide rich learning environments with innovative arts programs and student leadership opportunities.

Located within two hours of Toronto — Canada's largest city — and one hour from the USA border, TVDSB is the largest public school board in Ontario, outside of the Greater Toronto area. We serve a 200 km region, including London and other vibrant cities.

More than 80,000 students attend 130 elementary and 27 secondary schools where they are taught by award-winning teachers who deliver the highest quality of education. TVDSB is in Ontario's education corridor with access to some of Canada's best post-secondary institutions including Western University and Fanshawe College.

As a public education provider, TVDSB offers a full range of programs and services focused on student success. Thames Valley students have access to the best in technology resources and our graduates are consistently among the top entrants to university and college programs.

The Thames Valley learning community inspires innovation, embraces diversity, and celebrates achievements — a strong foundation for all students.

Program Details

Program Established:	2014
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	ESL, Robotics, Music, Fine Arts, Sports, Technology, Communications, Business, Environmental, Hospitality and Tourism, Health and Wellness
Programs offered in:	English
Entrance dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No formal deadline

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School Details

Number of Schools:	157
High Schools for International Students:	27
Total Students:	80,000
Total International Students:	300
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Thames Valley
District School Board

Toronto Catholic District School Board



The Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB) educates more than 91,000 students from diverse cultures and languages. Our International Education Program is delivered through 31 High Schools and 170 elementary school sites located across the Toronto Area. As the world's largest publicly funded Catholic school system, we offer an inclusive learning environment, where 90% of TCDSB students graduate — ready and eager to meet the Board's visionary challenge to transform the world through witness, faith, innovation and action.

International Students (ranging from Grades K–12) may begin their academic terms in September, February, or for select short-term stays. In partnership with Canada's Homestay International, Yes Homestay, and other approved vendors, we also provide exceptional homestay placements that are matched with International Students based on personality and proximity to school location.

At the TCDSB, students gain knowledge and achieve academic excellence through an integrated curriculum that reflects Catholic values. Our teachers are dedicated leaders in 21st Century learning, preparing students to compete in a global marketplace dominated by innovation, science, business and information technology. This is balanced with programs offering dramatic, visual and media arts, dance or music. We look forward to welcoming new International Students into our vibrant Catholic system, and encourage them to explore the exciting opportunities the TCDSB International Education Program offers!

Program Details

Program Established:	2008
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer/Winter Camps, Teacher Training, Language Training
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 30 & May 31

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School Details

Number of Schools:	201
High Schools for International Students:	31
Total Students:	91,125
Total International Students:	1,300
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



Toronto District School Board



Welcome to the Toronto District School Board (TDSB), Canada's largest public school board and one of the world's leading public education systems. Located in the heart of one of the world's most diverse and vibrant cities, TDSB provides international learners with an exceptional foundation for academic success, global citizenship, and personal growth. Our schools welcome students from over 200 nationalities who speak more than 75 languages, creating an inclusive learning environment where every learner benefits from a truly global perspective.

TDSB offers a diverse range of international programs to meet learners at every stage of their educational journey. From Kindergarten to Grade 12, students can earn the internationally recognized Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) while choosing from 30 designated secondary schools offering a wide range of academic, arts, athletics, and specialized learning opportunities. We also offer Pathways to Success for adult learners (18+), Short-Term Cultural Immersion Programs for individuals and groups, Professional Learning for International Educators, and engaging summer camp experiences that combine language development, leadership, and cultural exchange.

More than 80% of our graduates continue to leading universities and colleges in Canada and around the world, while over 40% earn Ontario Scholar distinction. From the moment students arrive, they are supported by experienced educators, guidance counsellors, multilingual staff, comprehensive ESL programming, orientation services, and a wide range of extracurricular opportunities, ensuring they thrive both academically and personally.

Program Details

Program Established:	1988
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term Immersion Cultural Immersion, Adult High School, Professional Development for International Educators, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, Arts Focus, Cyber Arts, Elite Athletes, Robotics
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May 1 & November 1

School Details

Number of Schools:	579
High Schools for International Students:	30
Total Students:	240,000
Total International Students:	1,450
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Upper Canada District School Board



The Upper Canada District School Board (UCDSB) is located in Eastern Ontario, between the major cities of Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto. Our small towns and cities are friendly and our citizens are active with local sports, arts, clubs and charitable events. International students at the UCDSB enjoy the security and care of living with a Canadian family in a non-urban setting. Our students and homestay families speak clear, easy to understand English that is helpful for learning. Many of our local families also speak French and we can offer opportunities to learn French at school and in the homestay setting.

All of our international students receive ongoing support and assistance while studying with the UCDSB. Eight (8) of our high schools offer ESL support which includes an ESL course that students receive credit for towards their high school diploma. If a student's level of English is intermediate or higher, they can attend any one of our 21 high schools.

Explore Canada's major cities, make new friends and join the many programs that our schools and communities have to offer.

Program Details

Program Established:	1999
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Group Summer Camp, Teacher Training
Specialty Programs:	Hockey Academy, French Immersion
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	Contact for details

School Details

Number of Schools:	21 Secondary 65 Elementary
High Schools for International Students:	21
Schools with ESL:	8
Total Students:	29,000
Total International Students:	400
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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Montréal – Pierre-Elliott Trudeau
International Airport (YUL)



Upper Grand District School Board



Come and explore the Upper Grand District School Board (UGDSB). It is approximately an hour away from Toronto. Our international students have the opportunity to choose either an urban (Guelph or Orangeville) or rural (Fergus, Palmerston, Erin, etc.,) study destination based on their choice of school. Our international parents have peace of mind knowing that their children are in a safe and caring community.

The UGDSB International Student Program allows students to select an educational path which best suits their personal interests and career goals. While here, our students will have the chance to attain individual excellence through dynamic programming provided by a supportive staff. It is our goal that our students are engaged in a respectful learning environment that fosters personal growth.

The UGDSB offers a variety of unique programs in our schools. These programs enable our students a fascinating learning opportunity while completing the requirements of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma. Some of these programs are Arts Appreciation, Environmental Leadership, International Business and a Hockey Canada Skills Academy Leadership Course.

All schools within the UGDSB offer a wide range of academic, technological, arts and athletic programs. Many of our schools also provide English as a Second Language. As well, schools with International Students have an ISP Advisor to support and provide guidance for our students.

Program Details

Program Established:	2013
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement, French Immersion, Specialist High Skills Major, Fine Arts, Sports (including hockey and dance), English as a Second Language
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May 1 & November 1 (<i>exceptions may apply</i>)

School Details

Number of Schools:	77
High Schools for International Students:	11
Total Students:	35,000
Total International Students:	80
International Students Accepted for Grades:	9-12

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Waterloo Catholic District School Board



The Waterloo Catholic District School Board, located in the Region of Waterloo, Ontario, is a government-funded school system serving more than 30,000 Kindergarten to Grade 12 students. We welcome international students to six Secondary schools (Grades 9–12) and forty-seven Elementary schools (Grades K–8), for a single semester, a full academic year, or a complete Ontario Secondary School Diploma. Students are accepted at all levels of English language proficiency; an average or above average academic record gives students preference for acceptance. Students of all faiths and backgrounds are welcome in our schools. Secondary students wear uniforms, and all students are encouraged to participate fully in school life. Our goal is to graduate ethical, well-rounded global citizens.

Why Choose Our School District?

- High Academic Standards with Comprehensive Ontario Curricula, Grades K–12
- Signature Certificate Post-Secondary Pathway Preparation Programs: Engineering, Health Sciences, Global Leadership & Elite Athlete Training
- Specialized One-Year International Certificate for Semester & Year Students
- Comprehensive English-Second-Language Support at Every Level
- Low Ratio of International Students to Canadians
- Highly Qualified, Experienced Teachers & Dedicated Guidance Support
- Advanced Placement Courses
- Unique University and College Cooperative Education Opportunities
- Homestay Managed by Two Trusted Local Partners of Nearly Twenty Years
- Located Among Four Leading Universities & Colleges
- Modern, Well-Equipped, Welcoming Schools

Program Details

Program Established:	2006
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term, Summer Camp
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Engineering Certificate, Health Sciences Certificate, Global Leadership, Elite Athlete Training
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	May 15th for September Start November 15th for February Start

School Details

Number of Schools:	55
High Schools for International Students:	6
Total Students:	40,000
Total International Students:	260
International Students Accepted for Grades:	JK-8 / 9-12

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Airport: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)



**Waterloo Catholic
District School Board**

Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board



The Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board is a faith based system of education located in the southern most region of Canada. Our schools are built on a foundation of strong moral values and principles where students of all religious faiths are welcomed and respected.

Academics lie at the heart of what we do, which is reflected in our performance on Provincial standardized test results, where the Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board consistently performs above the Provincial average on a number of assessments. Our schools provide an ideal place for students to learn; by offering a full range of extracurricular activities, ESL, and specialized programs such as: Specialist High Skills Major — Industries: Agriculture; Art & Culture; Aviation/Aerospace/Robotics; Business; Construction; Energy Environment; Health & Wellness; Hospitality & Tourism; Information & Communication Technology; Visual Arts & Media; Justice Community Safety & Emergency Services and Sports Academy.

We are excited to announce the opening of the International Education Dormitory. This state-of-the-art facility was created to provide the best possible educational experience for our students. Located on the grounds of Assumption College Catholic High School, this safe, secure facility includes freshly renovated and spacious rooms that can accommodate up to 58 students.

Program Details

Program Established:	2011
Programs Offered:	Full Year, One Semester, Short Term, Customized Groups
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, ESL, French Immersion & Sports Academy
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February, continuous
Application Deadlines:	none

School Details

Number of Schools:	35
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students:	23,000
Total International Students:	150
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County
Airport (DTW)



York Catholic District School Board



The York Catholic District School Board (YCDSB), located in The Regional Municipality of York, a region north of Toronto, is one of the consistently top-performing school boards in Ontario. Our students receive world-class education and are accepted into prestigious colleges and universities in Canada and around the world as a result. In addition to rigorous academics, our students can participate in a variety of co-curricular clubs, councils and activities to augment their classroom experience.

Our schools also offer specialty programs such as Special High Skills Major (SHSM), High Performance Athlete (HPA) and Regional Arts, within a faith-based learning environment. Please note that programs such as IB and AP require a separate application process: for more information on these programs kindly contact internationaleducation@ycdsb.ca.

Students can participate in numerous extracurricular activities such as Student Government, DECA, Model United Nations, HOSA, Athletics, Band, Mathletes to name but a few. These are school specific and vary from year to year.

Learn more about our world-class International Education Program at ie.ycdsb.ca, and follow us on Instagram [IEYCDSB](https://www.instagram.com/IEYCDSB) and Facebook [YCDSBIE](https://www.facebook.com/YCDSBIE).

Program Details

Program Established:	1998
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Gap year, One Semester, Customized Mini Stay & Short Term Stay
Specialized Programs:	English as a second language (ESL)/ English Literacy Development (ELD), Continuing Education, High Performer, Athlete Program, Regional Arts Program, Specialist High Skills, Major Program, International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program, Advanced Placement (AP) Program
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	September start – May 15th deadline, February start – Nov. 15th deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	103
Total Students:	53,000
Total International Students:	340
International Students Accepted for Grades:	JK-12

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York Region District School Board



York Region District School Board (YRDSB) is one of Ontario's top ranking public school boards. Located within the Greater Toronto Area, just north of the City of Toronto, York Region is one of the fastest growing areas in Canada. YRDSB is one of the largest and most diverse school boards in Ontario with over 126,000 students in more than 200 schools. Diversity enriches our schools and we are focused on creating safe, inclusive, and caring learning environments, where all of our students, families, staff and community feel welcomed, valued and respected. YRDSB students consistently perform above the provincial average and demonstrate high levels of achievement in a variety of subjects and across all fields. Our students go on to be successful in a wide range of post-secondary pathways, including university, college, skilled trades, and other career opportunities.

As a leader in public education in Canada, YRDSB provides excellent, highly developed and fully accredited educational programs. Students from Kindergarten to Grade 12 are offered a range of programs and services, delivered by highly skilled Ontario Certified Teachers. YRDSB schools have a variety of state-of-the-art academic, recreational and athletic facilities, and offer a wide range of extracurricular activities which encompass sports and special interest clubs.

Homestay is available to international students in Grades 9 to 12 through recognized homestay providers. Through daily interaction with both the host family and in school, students have the opportunity to improve their English, develop leadership skills, make lasting friendships, and explore areas of interest.

Program Details

Program Established:	2000
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short term, Summer English and Math Institute, Summer Credit
Specialized Programs:	Advanced Placement, Arts Program, ESL, High Performance Athlete, Specialist High Skills Major
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	April 30 & October 31

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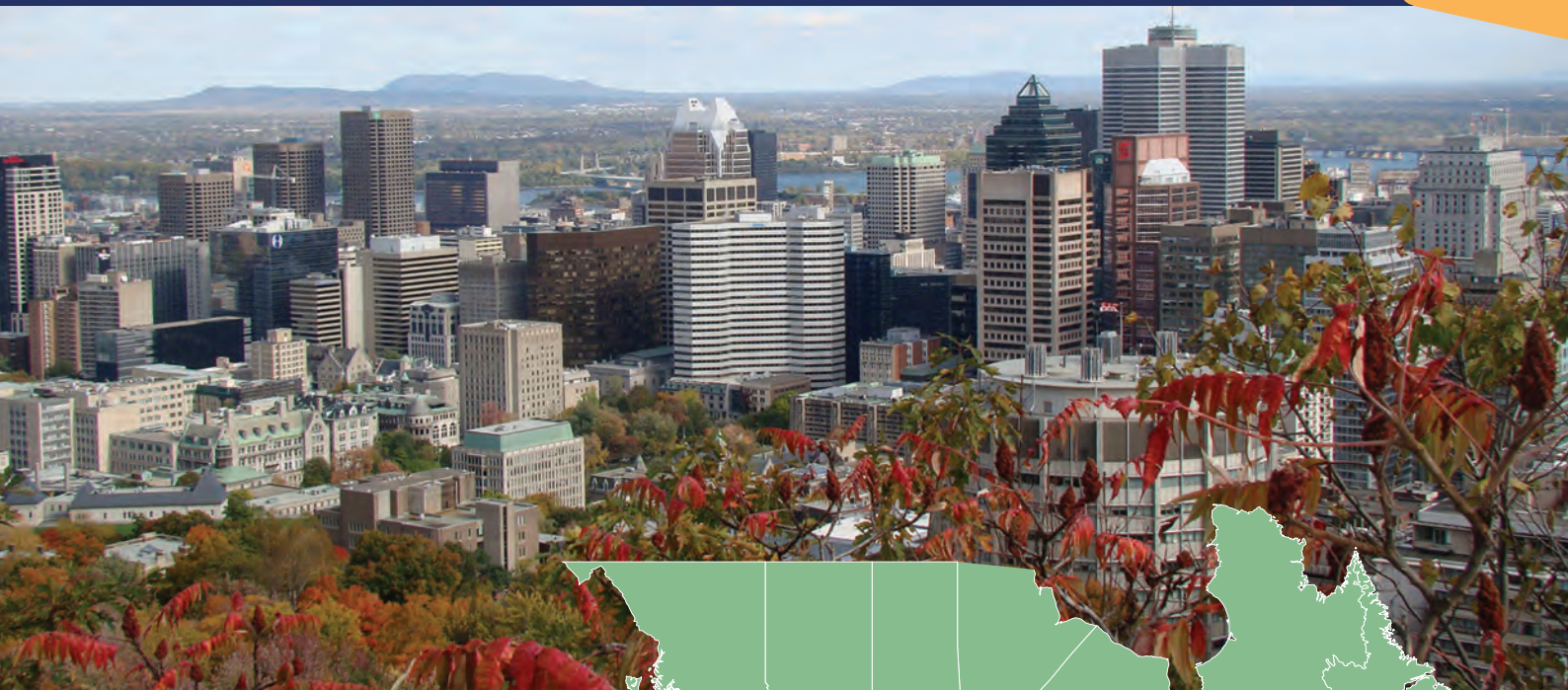
Airport: Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ)

School Details

Number of Schools:	216
High Schools for International Students:	19
Total Students:	126,000+
Total International Students:	1,300+
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12



WHY STUDY IN QUÉBEC



Welcome to Québec

Located in the Eastern part of Canada, Québec covers an area equal to that of Spain, Portugal, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Germany combined.

Quebecers are known for their friendliness. Cordiality, simplicity and an open mind characterize social relationships in the street, in the workplace or at school. Quebecers place great importance on maintaining an atmosphere that promotes: freedom of expression, equal rights, and respect for differences. Québec combines American-style economic development with the influence of European cultures.

Québec is becoming more diverse. The Francophone majority, Anglophones and aboriginals live together with people of diverse cultures and origins from all over the world. Québec encourages exchanges between cultures and closer relations between communities and recognizes what an enrichment diversity is. Moreover, everyone can freely choose their lifestyle, opinions and religion, while respecting the rights of others.

Québec has developed a culture that is vibrant, definitely contemporary and

open to the world. Québec's festivals draw hundreds of thousands of visitors every year from all over the world. Québec also has a vast network of museums, art galleries and exhibition centres.

Quebecers enjoy a wide and diverse range of recreational activities and the four distinct seasons offer a wealth of interesting activities. In winter, there are 90 ski hills and about 40 cross-country ski centres with thousands of marked trails to choose from. In summer, golfers have hundreds of courses that are ranked amongst the best in Canada.

Québec's education system has five levels: elementary (K-6), high school (7-11), vocational (skilled trades offered through professional centres), college (CEGEP 2-3 year programs), and university. Students in the province of Québec who intend to pursue post-secondary education must attend CEGEP before enrolling in university in Québec. CEGEP is an acronym for College

d'enseignement général et professionnel, or "General and Vocational College". It is exclusive to the education system in Québec.

Students complete one grade fewer in total (finishing in Grade 11) than all other Canadian students before beginning post-secondary studies. CEGEP then prepares the students for university or to enter a technical profession. Most Québec undergraduate programs are three years, hence, the total number of years of study from elementary school through a Bachelor's degree is the same as in the rest of North America.

International students wishing to continue their university education outside of Québec in another province or in their home country must take an additional one year of courses to fulfill the requirements of the university to which they are applying.



Central Québec School Board



Since 1867, the Central Québec School Board (CQSB) has provided high-quality education to the English-speaking community of Québec. Our geographical territory, the largest in Québec, covers nearly one-third of the province. However, with about 4500 students registered in our 18 elementary and high schools, we are one of the smallest school boards, endowing CQSB with the feeling of belonging to one large family.

With our smaller-than-average class sizes and most of our secondary schools having a student population of less than 500, CQSB offers international students the unique opportunity for more individualized attention in safe, caring schools where students and teachers have the chance to build meaningful interpersonal relationships. Our strength is in the personal touch we offer each and every student and the excellence of our education. In keeping with this tradition, in 2015, CQSB's students' scored once again the highest in the province among all public English school boards at the Ministry's final exams!

Three of our secondary schools are situated in or near beautiful Québec City, a UNESCO World Heritage site, whose vibrant culture and history our international students will get the chance to explore. Other host schools, located in Saguenay and Mauricie, each have their unique flavor worth discovering.

Program Details

Program Established:	2010
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 5, 4 Months
Programs Offered In:	English and French Immersion
Entrance Dates:	August & January (different dates can be organized)
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline (allow time for study permit processing)

School Details

Number of Schools:	18
High Schools for International Students:	1
Elementary Schools for International Students:	1
Total Students:	4,565
Total International Students:	40
International Students Accepted for Grades:	6-11

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Eastern Townships School Board



Welcome to the Eastern Townships School Board International Student Program.

Located along the southern border of Québec and the United States, our region offers some of the most beautiful landscapes in Canada. Surrounded by lakes, mountains, ski resorts, and national parks, our schools are set in safe, welcoming suburban communities that provide secure and supportive learning environments.

The ETSB is recognized for its strong commitment to bilingualism. We offer English-language instruction alongside the option of English-, French-, or bilingual host families. Our schools also provide a wide range of specialized programs designed to meet the diverse interests and talents of students. These include Advanced Placement (AP) courses, as well as programs in Visual Arts, Performing Arts, Sports, and Music. These opportunities allow students to pursue their passions while developing valuable skills for their future careers.

In addition, students can take part in numerous extracurricular activities such as robotics, journalism, band, drama, and competitive sports teams, as well as travel opportunities. By studying with us, you will experience life and learning in a dynamic bilingual environment and enjoy a truly enriching cultural experience.

We look forward to welcoming you to our community!

Program Details

Program Established:	2009
Programs Offered:	Full-Year, Semester, 3 or 4 month, Vocational
Specialized Programs:	Visual Arts, Performing Arts and Sports
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	August – February
Application Deadlines:	April 1

School Details

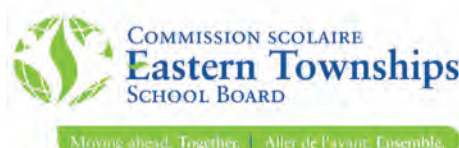
Number of Schools:	26
High Schools for International Students:	3
Vocational Centres for International Students:	2
Total Students:	6,000
Total International Students:	50-60
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-11

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English Montreal School Board



The English Montreal School Board (EMSB) is the largest public English-language school board in Québec, serving approximately 35,000 students across 33 elementary schools, 16 high schools, and 12 adult and vocational education centres—all located in the vibrant city of Montreal—one of North America's most dynamic and culturally rich cities

Situated in the heart of Montreal, EMSB schools offer students a unique opportunity to learn and live in a bilingual, multicultural environment. Montreal's renowned arts scene, historic neighborhoods, festivals, and diverse communities become an extension of the classroom, enriching students' daily experiences.

The EMSB is widely recognized for its strong academic performance, consistently achieving the highest graduation rate among public English high schools in Québec. This success reflects the commitment of dedicated educators, supportive families, and engaged students who thrive in a nurturing and inclusive learning environment.

Students benefit from a wide range of specialized programs, extracurricular activities, and experiential learning opportunities. From academic enrichment and career-focused pathways to sports, arts, and cultural excursions, EMSB schools create meaningful and memorable experiences that extend beyond traditional classroom learning.

With a strong emphasis on community, diversity, and student success, the EMSB provides international students with a well-rounded educational journey—blending academic excellence, cultural discovery, and personal growth in the heart of Montreal.

Program Details

Program Established:	2004
Programs Offered:	Full Year, Semester, Short-Term (3-4 month)
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate Program, Advanced Placement, Arts and Sports Études, STEAM
Programs Offered In:	English, Enriched French
Entrance Dates:	September
Application Deadlines:	May 31

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International Airport (YUL)

School Details

Number of Schools:	73
High Schools for International Students:	8
Total Students Youth Sector:	18,000
Total International Students:	~100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	1-11



Lester B. Pearson School Board



The Lester B. Pearson School Board (LBPSB) is proud to offer international students an exceptional educational experience in one of Québec's most dynamic and diverse regions.

Our schools are equipped with modern facilities and offer a wide range of academic and extracurricular programs. These include concentrations in Science, Arts, and Sports, as well as enriched English and French Immersion programs. Many of our high schools also provide strong academic foundations and guidance to help students transition smoothly into colleges and universities in Canada and around the world.

International students at LBPSB benefit from:

- A safe, inclusive, and multicultural environment
- High-quality instruction in English, with opportunities to learn French and explore Québec's bilingual culture
- A wide variety of clubs, sports teams, and leadership opportunities
- Homestay programs with carefully selected families for a true Canadian experience
- Support services including orientation, academic guidance, and cultural integration activities

Located just minutes from downtown Montreal—often called “Canada’s Cultural Capital”—our students enjoy access to world-class museums, festivals, and events, while learning in a vibrant bilingual environment. We look forward to welcoming you!

Program Details

Program Established:	2003
Programs Offered:	High School (Full-Year or Sept-Jan, Feb-June) Vocational Training and French and English Language courses
Specialized Programs:	International Baccalaureate, Enriched, Sports-Etudes, STEAM
Programs Offered In:	English and French Immersion
Entrance Dates:	September or February

School Details

Number of Schools:	52
High Schools for International Students:	8
Vocational Centres for International Students:	6
Total Students in Youth Sector:	20,000
Total Students in Continuing Education Sector:	5,000
Total International Students (approximately):	500

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Riverside School Board



Located immediately south and east of Montreal in the Montérégie region, Riverside School Board is home to over 9,500 students registered in elementary, secondary, adult and career education programs. We operate 19 elementary schools and 4 high schools, as well as an adult and career center serving the residents of over 98 municipalities. International Students have the opportunity to study with us at the elementary, high-school, adult education and vocational level, and may also join us for our Group Short Term program, as well as our Summer Language School.

Riverside places a great deal of emphasis on our students' success and their achievements. We take pride in the fact that Riverside consistently places among the top five and has one of the lowest dropout rates of the 72 public school boards in Québec, both English and French. This outstanding achievement says much about our school board. Our long history of innovation in education, our focus on bilingualism, the quality of our teachers, all combine to make Riverside a different school board where learning is an enriching lifetime experience.

We choose host families who will provide the same comfortable, healthy and supportive home life they would provide for their own children. Why do we trust our hosts? Because we've met them in person and toured their homes; we've talked with them about their experiences in the world and in Canada, and we've helped them adjust to being hosts.

Program Details

Program Established:	2011
Programs Offered:	Full-Year, Half Year, Short-term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Sports and Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	End of August, beginning of February, or by request
Application Deadlines:	Fall registrations June 15, Winter registrations November 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	24
High Schools for International Students:	4
Vocational Centres for International Students:	5
Total Students in Youth Sector:	9,000+
Total Students in Continuing Education Sector:	8700
Total International Students (approximately):	100

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board



	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6	Day 7
a.m.		Opening Ceremony STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	Ottawa Parliament Hill Rideau Hall Canada Aviation & Space Museum	Toronto Day 1 CN Tower Ripley's Aquarium University of Toronto
p.m.	Arrival	Montreal City Tour Notre-Dame Basilica Old Port	Cosmodome Space Centre	St. Joseph's Oratory McGill University	Robotics		
	Day 8	Day 9	Day 10	Day 11	Day 12	Day 13	Day 14
a.m.	Toronto Day 2 Niagara Falls Maid of the Mist Boat Tour	Cosmodome Space Centre	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	Arbraska Zipline and Aerial Trek	STEAM Course/ ESL/FSL Course	
p.m.		Planetarium	Activity with local summer camp	Biodome		Closing Ceremony BBQ	Return



An English Education, a Bilingual Future!

Located 20 minutes north of Montreal, the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board is the third largest and one of the top-ranking English school boards/school service centres in the province of Québec. Its territory spans over 35,000 square kilometres which offers international students the choice of being in urban settings or submerged in nature in the suburbs or even right at the foothill of the ski hills. With a choice of school, choice of duration and choice of program (academic or cultural); we have just what your student is looking for. Our student population is comprised of over 14,000 students attending classes in 26 elementary schools, nine secondary schools, two adult education centres, two vocational training centres, and one nature and science centre. We serve the educational needs of students in the regions of Laval, Laurentides, and Lanaudière from Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 11 (elementary and secondary), and in the adult education and vocational training sector.

The Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board is committed to the success of all its students. Our primary objective is to create a positive and meaningful environment for all students to enable them to reach beyond their potential and contribute to their lifelong learning. We offer students from abroad the opportunity to study in English and, at the same time, experience the uniqueness of the French language in our schools and in the Québec community.

The Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board is proud to be partnered with MLI Homestay to offer its students safe, welcoming, and caring, home stay families in an English, French, or Bilingual environment. We are also proud partners of the Cosmodome Museum in Laval where we can host groups throughout the year or for our STEAM summer program. Students are lodged in the space museum's residence and fully benefit from all the exhibitions during their stay. Our packages also include a variety of services to complement students' journey such as medical insurance, ESL tutoring, social workers, guidance counselors, a peer support program, and many more.

Program Details

Program Established:	2012
Programs Offered:	Full-Year (10 months), Half-Year (5 mo) Short-Term, (minimum 2 weeks +)
Specialized Programs:	Enriched/Advanced programs (Math, Science), Concentration Programs (Sports, Visual Art, Music, Theatre)
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September, February, or by request
Application Deadlines:	October 15 and May 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	40
High Schools for International Students:	9
Total Students:	14,000
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	Pre-K to 11 (and Vocational Training)

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WHY STUDY IN NEW BRUNSWICK



Gateway to the Maritimes.

Situated on Canada's east coast along the Atlantic Ocean, New Brunswick is the gateway to the Maritimes and home to some of the most incredible Marine Wonders of the World. Highways from all points in the United States and Canada join the Trans-Canada Highway into New Brunswick, making it an easy drive from Ontario, Québec, New England, or other points on the eastern seaboard of the United States. The province is also easily accessed by boat, bus, ferry, cruise ship, train — and of course it's always just a short flight away, with airports in Moncton, Fredericton, Saint John and Bathurst.



People from over 30 countries around the world have been coming to New Brunswick to live and learn for many years. We make our schools inviting where all students are WELCOME. In New Brunswick you can receive one of the FINEST EDUCATIONS in the world, supported by excellent teachers and up-to-date technology.

When you come to New Brunswick you can LEARN ENGLISH and FRENCH through our strong ESL and FSL programs, PLAY on many of our championship sports teams, JOIN one of many school clubs that suit your interest,

and ENJOY being part of a group of students who have pride in their school. What better way to add a "BONUS" to your International Experience than to learn a THIRD LANGUAGE. Our high schools offer courses in French, English, Spanish, and some of them offer courses in Mandarin.

New Brunswick boasts fresh air and magnificent landscapes. Our communities are safe and our people are open and accepting. Our seasons offer a rich panorama of colour and change with outdoor and indoor activities to satisfy every interest.



New Brunswick French International Student Program



This homestay program offers an opportunity to live and study in French by attending francophone schools in New Brunswick, Canada's only officially bilingual province.

Our public schools welcome students from Grades 7 through 12, for a full year, one semester, or 3 months.

Participants are carefully matched with a francophone and bilingual host family, with whom they can experience first-hand the warm hospitality and rich cultural history of Eastern Canada. Students can choose to live in mostly French, Bilingual or English communities.

There are 21 participating middle and high schools located in cities and small towns throughout the province's three francophone school districts. They all offer progressive education focused on experiential learning and are all closely linked to their community. Two high schools also offer the International Baccalaureate IB Program.

In addition to the academic courses, our schools offer a variety of electives, including carpentry, computer programming, music, visual arts, cooking, physical education and much more. International students can participate in many clubs, sports, and extracurricular activities during their stay.

Monthly activities are organized throughout the year, as well as weekend trips.

Program Details

Program Established:	2010
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, 3 Months
Specialized Programs:	French Second Language (FSL), International Baccalaureate (IB), Sports-Studies (Academies), University Courses
Programs Offered In:	French
Entrance Dates:	September & January
Application Deadlines:	No Deadline

School Details

Number of Schools:	90
High Schools for International Students:	19
Total Students:	30,000
Total International Students:	90
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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New Brunswick International Student Program



The New Brunswick International Student Program (NBISP) welcomes students between the ages of 11 and 18 from all points of the globe. Our English school system offers an impressive variety of programs and up-to-date classroom technology. The NBISP is managed through Atlantic Education International Inc. AEI was created in 1997 by the province of New Brunswick to deliver real education opportunities to the world community through the Department of Education.

Visiting students live with a homestay, attend classes with New Brunswick students and participate in extra-curricular and community activities. Fully immersed in the English language, international students develop their language skills and create new and lasting friendships.

New Brunswick communities offer a safe, friendly and healthy learning environment. The cost of living is lower than most other areas of the country, and tuition fees are competitive without sacrificing quality of education. We also have the best high school graduation rate in Canada. As the country's only officially bilingual province (English and French), we've built a dynamic world-class reputation for language learning.

Since 1997, over 6000 students have participated in Atlantic Education International's study abroad programs in New Brunswick. Host schools, families and communities from every corner of the province look forward to sharing their warm hospitality with all future participants!

Program Details

Program Established:	1995
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Programs Offered In:	English/French Immersion
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 1 & April 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	321
High Schools for International Students:	36
Total Students:	90,000
Total International Students:	800+
International Students Accepted for Grades:	6-12

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WHY STUDY IN NOVA SCOTIA



Study in Nova Scotia – Experience Canada’s East Coast

Located on Canada’s scenic Atlantic Coast, Nova Scotia is home to just over one million people and boasts more than 7,600 kilometres of coastline. Known for its natural beauty and welcoming communities, it’s a top destination for both students and tourists. The province offers a blend of modern cities, vibrant towns, and charming rural villages. Halifax International Airport is conveniently less than a two-hour flight from Toronto and Montreal.

The Nova Scotia International Student Program (NSISP) is one of Canada’s largest and most diverse public high school programs, welcoming over 1,500 international students annually from 35 countries. To ensure a culturally rich and inclusive experience, enrollment is limited to seven students per country per school, giving students a truly Canadian environment.

Nova Scotia is an ideal study destination for those seeking high-quality education in a safe, supportive setting. Students attend modern schools that offer a wide range of academic programs tailored to individual interests. Options include short-term, one-semester, or full-year study at more than 75 junior and senior high schools. Thirteen schools also offer the International Baccalaureate (IB) program. The school year runs from September to June, with international students in grades 7–12 able to start in either September or February.

All schools follow the provincial curriculum, ensuring a consistent standard of education. At the same time, each school offers its own blend of academic and extracurricular opportunities. Students can choose from 18+ sports and more than 70 clubs, including drama, robotics, and student government. Nova Scotian student ambassadors welcome NSISP students and help them integrate into their schools and communities.

Nova Scotia

International students are welcomed into schools across all seven English-speaking Regional Centres for Education, as well as the francophone school board, Conseil scolaire acadien provincial. Schools are located throughout the province in both small towns and larger urban centres, offering a variety of cultural experiences.

NSISP also manages its homestay program, carefully matching students with local families and schools. Host families warmly welcome students into their homes and daily lives, offering a true immersion into the Nova Scotian lifestyle. Students are supported by regional homestay coordinators and NSISP staff throughout their stay.

Through their academic studies and diverse experiences, students are well-prepared to enter Canadian or other top universities and thrive in the programs of their choice. The Nova Scotia International Student Program (NSISP) maintains articulation agreements with all ten universities in Nova Scotia, as well as with the Nova Scotia Community College. These partnerships offer NSISP graduates a clear pathway to higher education, including opportunities for scholarships, guaranteed admission, and access to domestic tuition rates at some of Canada’s top post-secondary institutions.

At the heart of the Nova Scotia International Student Program is a simple philosophy: By creating meaningful opportunities for cultural exchange, we help students grow academically, personally, and globally. Whether you’re preparing for post-secondary studies, a future career, or simply looking to explore the world, NSISP gives you the tools and support to succeed. Join us in Nova Scotia to learn, grow, and become part of our global network of over 28,000 proud NSISP alumni.

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Program Details

Program Established:	1997
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester, Short Term
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	November 30 & March 15

School Details

Number of Schools:	372
High Schools for International Students:	65
Total Students:	133,531
Total International Students:	1,500
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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WHY STUDY IN NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR



Oldest European-based culture in North America.

Newfoundland and Labrador has the oldest European-based culture in North America. As such, it blends old world charm with new world promise; making it a unique aspect of the Canadian cultural mosaic. It is Canada's youngest province (1949) and the only province with the distinction of having once been a country onto itself. Located in the northeast corner of North America on the edge of the dramatic and dazzling Atlantic Ocean, our province is comprised of Newfoundland—the 15th largest island in the world — and Labrador — on the Labrador Peninsula of mainland Canada, bordering Québec. With a combined landmass of 405,212 square kilometres and a population of only 541,000 people, here is a place with room to breathe.

Students will feel immediately at home in our friendly, supportive and safe schools and communities. School starts in early September and ends in late June, with an average student course load of seven to nine (7–9) courses per year. The instructional day runs from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The School



Newfoundland & Labrador

District provides a school bus for those students who are not within walking distance. The International Education Program accepts students from grades seven to twelve, and elementary students when accompanied by a parent. The experience is rich in its academic and non-academic excellence, with students learning in a safe, caring environment with academic support.

In Newfoundland and Labrador, people are internationally known for their hospitality and warmth. International students are immersed in the English Language while enjoying a secure and easy going way of life in a physical setting free from noise, pollution and violence. As students of our program, you will not only learn about our culture, you will live it! Students will experience our colourful history, our warm and engaging people and most of all our vibrant traditions. And you will experience the spectacular landscape that is the canvas upon which our people have created a culture like no other in the world.



NL Schools



Newfoundlanders are known as being the friendliest people you'll meet and also for their rich and diverse culture. The capital city, St. John's, and the neighboring 10 towns and communities, have almost 280,000 people with all the amenities of a large city yet the feel of a close knit community. Here, you will feel like you're part of something special.

Schools throughout the province offer a curriculum recognized and supported by the Provincial Department of Education including AP and IB selections. Students enjoy a complete immersion program — at school, in the community, and during the time spent with a caring family who will guide and teach them while providing a secure environment.

Our homestay coordinators also provide assistance to our students and their host families. A coordinator will communicate with students often to ensure they have all the support they need to succeed at their home away from home and school.

The Western region of Newfoundland and Labrador has some of the most diverse landscape in the world, and offers the perfect setting for outdoor adventure activities! From zip lining to dog sledding, our Activities program is designed to guarantee a fun and rewarding exploration of our pristine natural environment. An unforgettable adventure awaits you! Come study, explore and experience the unspoiled beauty and singular culture of Newfoundland and Labrador.

Program Details

Program Established:	2008
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced Placement
Programs Offered In:	English
Entrance Dates:	September & February
Application Deadlines:	No Deadlines

School Details

Number of Schools:	261
High Schools for International Students:	80+
Total Students:	67,000
Total International Students:	360
International Students Accepted for Grades:	7-12

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WHY STUDY IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



Authentic Canada.

Located on Canada's East Coast, Prince Edward Island is known for its stunningly beautiful landscape, friendly hospitality, world class seafood, extraordinary culinary experiences, award winning beaches, and a thriving arts and cultural community. It is also the birthplace of author Lucy Maud Montgomery, who wrote the famous novel *Anne of Green Gables*. Prince Edward Island is truly representative of authentic Canada and offers fun and adventure along with an inspiring and endearing spirit that represents the people of our province and our great country of Canada.

Prince Edward Island is the smallest of the four Atlantic Provinces and is separated from Nova Scotia and New Brunswick by the Northumberland Strait. You can travel to the Island by bridge, boat, or airplane. The Confederation Bridge, an engineering marvel built in 1997, is 12.9 kilometres long and allows Islanders and visitors to travel to or from Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick.

Prince Edward Island

An automobile ferry runs from May to December for travel between Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia. The airport is located in the capital city, Charlottetown and is a two hour flight from Toronto or New York.

The total land area of the Island covers 5,660 square kilometres and nowhere are you more than 16 kilometres from water. Anyone who has lived or spent time on this beautiful island will tell you there's something truly special about PEI. Prince Edward Island is quiet, peaceful, and safe with the lowest crime rate in the country. With a population of only 177,000 or so, on a tiny crescent-shaped piece of land in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, it's hard to believe so much can happen here. But, it does. Our public schools are excellent, and we care about our communities and our neighbours—it's the island way. You will find the Island to be a welcoming and endearing place to study and live!



Prince Edward Island International Student Program



Island schools follow the provincially developed curriculum of the Department of Education and Early Years and offer a wide range of programs provided by dedicated and caring staff. Students can participate in real world learning opportunities both in and out of the classroom. In Prince Edward Island we provide high quality education that is recognized world-wide and we have one of the most comprehensive English as an Additional Language (EAL) programs in Canada. We accept students into our International program in grades Kindergarten to 12. In our schools, students are encouraged to develop an appreciation and desire for life-long learning. Our goal is for students to gain the knowledge and learning experiences that will allow them to transition into an identified pathway after high school that leads to becoming globally engaged and successful citizens, who care about and want to contribute to our world.

A wide variety of extra-curricular activities and specialized programs are offered in schools and may include the following: athletic sports, music, drama, yearbook, student government, IB and French Immersion. Our program offers monthly activities for the international students to meet each other while experiencing Island recreational and cultural experiences.

We are pleased to have a partnership with a local homestay provider, Study Abroad Canada (SACL), to place students with excellent host families in Prince Edward Island. The process for admitting host families into the homestay program is a rigorous one. All families have had a thorough interview to determine suitability; have had a homestay inspection; have had references checked; passed a police record check; are enthusiastic to receive international students. Students attending elementary school (K-6) must live with a parent. No other custodianship is required, unless requested by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada.

Program Details

Program Established:	2012
Programs Offered:	Full Year, 1 Semester
Specialized Programs:	French Immersion, International Baccalaureate, Advanced
Placement,	
	Sports, Fine Arts
Programs Offered In:	English, French
Entrance Dates:	September and February
Application Deadlines:	September before May 31 February before October 31

School Details

Number of Schools:	62
High Schools for International Students:	12
Total Students:	20,200
Total International Students:	100
International Students Accepted for Grades:	K-12

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