



LANGUAGE
SCHOOLS



JUMP INTO ADVENTURE

2013 youth program
Summer and winter programs for ages 13-17





LEARN ENGLISH OR FRENCH WHILE PARTICIPATING IN STIMULATING ACTIVITIES

There are many great reasons to choose ILSC's Youth Program for your international education experience. Come learn with us in Canada, the USA, India or Australia.

safe and supportive

Youth program students are supported by ILSC staff, teachers, homestay families, and activity coordinators throughout their program, and can focus on a fun and exciting learning experience with the confidence that they are in good hands. We also provide a 24 hour emergency phone number.

multicultural locations

ILSC's campuses are all based in cosmopolitan, culturally diverse world-class cities. Meet people from all over the globe. Make new friends while you learn English or French.

naturally spectacular

Be amazed by world-renowned landmarks such as the Rocky Mountains, Niagara Falls, Yosemite National Park, the Himalayas, the Sydney Opera House, the Gold Coast and more.



VANCOUVER



TORONTO



MONTRÉAL



SAN FRANCISCO



unsurpassed reputation

Founded in 1991, ILSC is one of the largest language schools in Canada and has established an international reputation that is second to none. We have hosted thousands of students from all over the world for over twenty years. You are in safe hands at ILSC.

friendly staff

We provide guidance throughout your entire stay. ILSC has an “English Only” or “French Only” policy, but our team of staff members speaks various languages such as Korean, Japanese, Mandarin, German, French, Italian, Arabic, Spanish, Portuguese and more!* We always do our best to support you.

qualified teachers

In addition to having undergraduate degrees, all teachers at ILSC are qualified to teach ESL. They are caring and sensitive to the cultural background of international students. We select our teachers carefully for their ability to motivate and educate.

ILSC campuses are located in the centre of Canada’s three largest and most thrilling cities, VANCOUVER, TORONTO, MONTRÉAL; in the hippest US city, SAN FRANCISCO; in two of Australia’s beautiful, world-class cities, BRISBANE and SYDNEY; and in India’s cosmopolitan capital, NEW DELHI.

** Availability may vary from campus to campus*



SAN FRANCISCO



NEW DELHI



BRISBANE



SYDNEY



STUDENT LIFE

An exciting language learning adventure!

english or french* classes

Canada: 17 lessons from 9:00am–12:00pm

San Francisco: 20 lessons from 9:00am–12:30pm

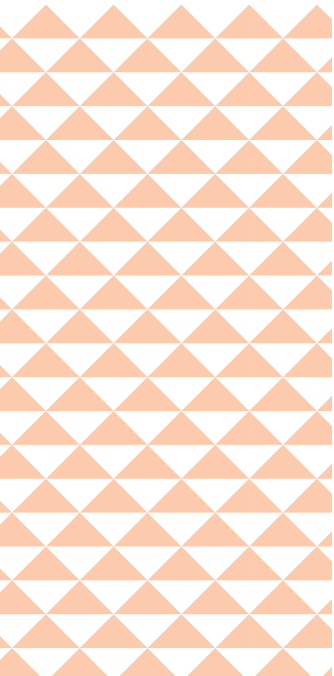
New Delhi and Australia: Customized

For 1 to 7 weeks, you participate in Communication classes. These focus on speaking, listening and grammar. Learn and practice new vocabulary, idioms, phrases and dialogues within a customized program that meets the needs of a specific age group.

** French available in Montréal only*

exciting activities

You and your classmates take part in extracurricular activities such as attending movies, festivals, walking tours, amusement parks, museums and soccer matches or participating in sports, hiking in natural environments and more! All activities are guided by members of the ILSC team. Every day will be a new adventure!



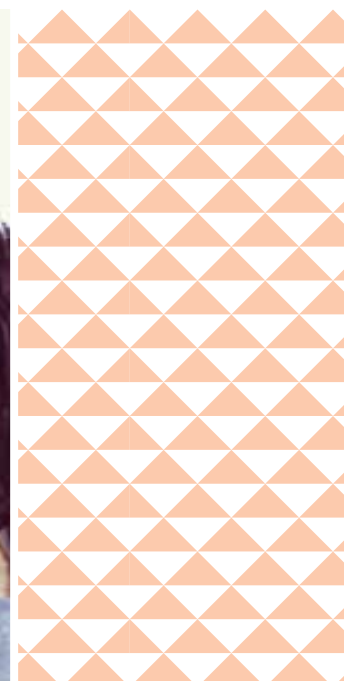


unique cultural homestay experience

In a homestay, you will be surprised at how quickly your speaking improves when immersed in English or French throughout morning, noon and night. Our welcoming homestay families are carefully selected and monitored by ILSC staff to ensure a safe and enjoyable experience. In an ILSC homestay, you will truly experience the unique culture of the country you are visiting.

amazing day or multi-day trips

Go on exciting day trips to world famous places like Whistler, home to the 2010 Winter Olympics; stunning Niagara Falls; Canada's charming capital city of Ottawa; historic Quebec City; Alcatraz, Bondi Beach, the Taj Mahal and much more (day trip locations are dependant on the place of study).





spectacular beauty
VANCOUVER
Summer program

Vancouver has been continuously chosen as the world's most livable city! No other place in the world can compete with its setting on the Pacific Ocean, its sandy beaches, lush forests, multiple parks and towering snow-capped mountains. Safe and peaceful, Vancouver and Whistler were also host to the 2010 Winter Olympics!

highlights

In the heart of Stanley Park, you'll see everything from beluga whales to green anacondas at the Vancouver Aquarium. Then continue exploring the world of water by kayaking along the shoreline in the clear Pacific Ocean. See how long it takes you to hike up Grouse Mountain and then enjoy incredible views from the top! An excursion into the nearby resort town of Whistler is also a treat with a ride on the world record setting Peak 2 Peak Gondola and a tour of charming Whistler Village.



activity calendar*

WEEK ONE

- MON** Gastown + Chinatown walking tour
- TUE** Vancouver Aquarium
- WED** Granville Island
- THU** Movie theatre
- FRI** Stanley Park cycling
- SAT** Victoria trip

WEEK TWO

- MON** Cleveland Dam + Fish Hatchery
- TUE** UBC & Museum of Anthropology
- WED** Beach sports
- THU** Capilano Suspension Bridge
- FRI** BC Lions football game
- SAT** Waterslides

WEEK THREE

- MON** 5 pin bowling
- TUE** Grouse Mountain
- WED** Mini golf
- THU** Laser tag
- FRI** Baseball game
- SAT** Whistler trip

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Indoor rock climbing
- TUE** Canadians baseball game
- WED** Kitsilano Beach
- THU** Kayaking
- FRI** Movie theatre
- SAT** Playland amusement park

* Subject to change





vibrant and cosmopolitan

TORONTO

Summer program

No wonder people call Toronto “the world within a city”. It is the most diverse city on the planet, and is home to more than 100 different ethnic and cultural groups. Toronto is often described as the cultural, entertainment and financial capital of Canada. Come and see with your own eyes!

highlights

Rise to the top of the tallest freestanding structure in the Americas—the CN Tower—a symbol of Canada with 360-degree views from its peak. Then get a glimpse of visiting stars at the CityTV and MuchMusic world headquarters where live performances and interviews are visible from the street-level studio. Take shots at real time goalies as you discover the Hockey Hall of Fame and its collection of memorabilia, including the original Stanley Cup. And with 79,000 works from Canada, Europe and Africa in its collection, the Art Gallery of Ontario is a museum not to be missed.



activity calendar*

WEEK ONE

- MON** Discover Toronto walking tour
- TUE** CN Tower
- WED** Chinatown + Queen Street West
- THU** Toronto Island
- FRI** Shopping at Eaton Centre
- SAT** Niagara Falls

WEEK TWO

- MON** Ontario Science Centre
- TUE** Voyageur Canoe
- WED** Swimming
- THU** Art Gallery of Ontario
- FRI** Laser tag
- SAT** Ontario Place

WEEK THREE

- MON** Fort York Museum
- TUE** Hockey Hall of Fame
- WED** Toronto Beach
- THU** High Park
- FRI** CityTV + MuchMusic
- SAT** Canada’s Wonderland

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Royal Ontario Museum
- TUE** Matinee movie
- WED** Bowling
- THU** Casa Loma
- FRI** St. Lawrence Market
- SAT** Metro Toronto Zoo

* Subject to change





old world charm
MONTREAL
Summer program

Montréal is the largest French-speaking city in the world outside of Paris. This metropolis offers culture around the clock in both English and French. Old world architecture and new world chic, stylish shopping districts and lush green parks are on almost every corner! You will be amazed by its urban charm.

highlights

Explore Mount Royal, the mountain in the heart of the city. An extinct volcano, the mountain offers forest hiking, large green spaces for sports and beautiful city views. You will also explore one of the oldest urban areas in North America dating back to the 1600s—Old Montréal has historic mansions, basilicas and horse-drawn carriages along the Old Port. And no summer is complete without a day at La Ronde—the second largest amusement park in Canada.



activity calendar*

WEEK ONE

- MON** Downtown walking tour
- TUE** Chateau Ramezay Museum
- WED** Discover "The Plateau"
- THU** Canoeing on the St. Lawrence
- FRI** Cafe Studio Ceramic
- SAT** La Ronde amusement park

WEEK TWO

- MON** Old Montréal + Port walking tour
- TUE** Movie matinee
- WED** Hiking up Mount Royal
- THU** Olympic Stadium + Biosphere
- FRI** Swimming at the beach
- SAT** Quebec City

WEEK THREE

- MON** Indoor rock climbing
- TUE** Jean-Talon Market + Little Italy
- WED** Insectarium + botanical garden
- THU** Biosphere
- FRI** ILSC barbecue
- SAT** Day at Mont Tremblant

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Underground city + shopping
- TUE** Science Centre IMAX movie
- WED** Contemporary Art Museum
- THU** Laser tag
- FRI** Picnic in the park
- SAT** Ottawa city tour

* Subject to change





hip and fabulous
SAN FRANCISCO
Summer program

Water on three sides, steep hills with incredible views and world-famous attractions make the modern city of San Francisco visually spectacular. And because of its rich cultural diversity, the sights, sounds and flavors of the city—even its climate—can change within a single block. From mountains in the morning to museums in the afternoon, you will never be far from nature or culture in this hip city with the fabulous heart.

highlights

Hop on board one of San Francisco’s famous trolleys and head down to Fisherman’s Wharf—a popular attraction, this neighbourhood features historic museums and restaurants serving fresh seafood. Then take in the awesome views on a walk across the legendary Golden Gate Bridge. As you gaze onto San Francisco Bay, you’ll catch sight of historic Alcatraz, best known as one of the world’s most legendary prisons but also home to rare flowers, plants and wildlife. You’ll be astounded by what you see and learn.



activity calendar*

WEEK ONE

- MON** Ferry building
- TUE** San Francisco Zoo
- WED** USS Potomac
- THU** Golden Gate Bridge
- FRI** Aquarium of the Bay
- SAT** Learn to surf

WEEK TWO

- MON** Alcatraz Island
- TUE** Chinatown + North Beach
- WED** SF Museum of Modern Art
- THU** Academy of Sciences
- FRI** Baker Beach picnic
- SAT** Santa Cruz Beach boardwalk

WEEK THREE

- MON** Walt Disney Family Museum
- TUE** Mission murals
- WED** Exploratorium
- THU** DeYoung Museum
- FRI** ILSC’s Got Talent! (talent show)
- SAT** Six Flags amusement park

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Cable car ride + Lombard Street
- TUE** UC Berkeley + Telegraph Ave.
- WED** Pro baseball game
- THU** Japantown
- FRI** Haight Ashbury
- SAT** Muir Woods

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adventurer's paradise

VANCOUVER

Winter program

highlights

There is no better way to enjoy BC's silvery winter glow than in the heart of the temperate rainforest at Capilano Suspension Bridge where you'll be guided through amazing heights, eco-nature trails and First Nations totem poles. Then get above the clouds and get a tan while learning to ski or snowboard at one of Vancouver's nearby mountains. You'll also notice a giant futuristic dome in downtown Vancouver—Science World makes learning cool with permanent interactive exhibits and displays.



activity calendar*

WEEK ONE

- MON** Holiday
- TUE** Vancouver Aquarium
- WED** Optional: discount movie day***
- THU** Ice skating
- FRI** Ski/snowboard trip**
- SAT** Optional: Seattle or Victoria***

WEEK TWO

- MON** Free time
- TUE** Bowling and billiards
- WED** Optional: discount movie day***
- THU** Laser tag
- FRI** Optional: afternoon activity***
- SAT** Whistler ski/snowboard day trip**

WEEK THREE

- MON** Free time
- TUE** Granville Island
- WED** Optional: discount movie day***
- THU** Ice skating
- FRI** Ski/snowboard trip**
- SAT** Optional: Seattle or Victoria***

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Free time
- TUE** Science World
- WED** Optional: discount movie day***
- THU** Capilano Suspension Bridge
- FRI** Optional: afternoon activity***
- SAT** Whistler ski/snowboard day trip**

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** Ski/snowboard trip includes: lift ticket, equipment rental, clothing rental and lesson

*** Additional cost applicable for optional activities and trips





lively and avant-garde
SAN FRANCISCO
Winter program

highlights

Step into San Francisco's balmy, atmospheric winter. With its mild coastal climate, many of San Francisco's summer youth program activities can be enjoyed year round, with a few fun winter bonuses! Winter highlights include watching grey whales swim by the San Francisco Bay en route to Mexico or maybe even spotting a killer whale, taking in a Warriors game as basketball season revs up, or going skiing or snowboarding at famous Lake Tahoe. You'll also be able to enjoy all of the eclectic city sights that make San Francisco so colourful and unique.



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WEEK TWO

- MON** Alcatraz Island
- TUE** Chinatown + North Beach
- WED** SF Museum of Modern Art
- THU** Academy of Sciences
- FRI** Baker Beach picnic
- SAT** Ski/snowboard at Lake Tahoe

WEEK THREE

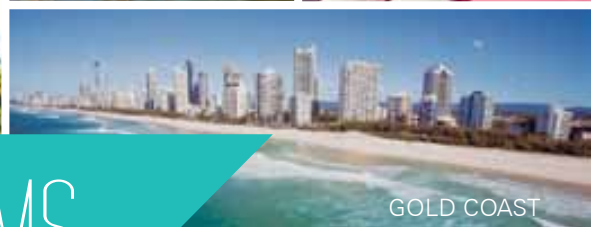
- MON** Walt Disney Family Museum
- TUE** Mission murals
- WED** Exploratorium
- THU** DeYoung Museum
- FRI** ILSC's Got Talent! (talent show)
- SAT** Whale watching

WEEK FOUR

- MON** Cable car ride + Lombard St.
- TUE** UC Berkeley + Telegraph Ave.
- WED** Pro basketball game
- THU** Japantown
- FRI** Haight Ashbury
- SAT** Muir Woods

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CUSTOMIZED GROUP PROGRAMS

Your adventure, your way

highlights

ILSC's customized group youth programs are available at all ILSC locations, year round. Combine a unique, personalized mix of language courses, activities and accommodations to meet your needs and interests. Experience a student-centred ILSC learning experience tailored just the way you like it.

LEARN

ENGLISH OR FRENCH CLASSES*

With over 60 courses and programs to choose from, ILSC can help you customize your language learning to meet the needs of your group.

Depending on your location, or your preference, language classes may be organized in the morning or afternoon.

PLAY

MORNING, AFTERNOON OR EVENING ACTIVITIES

Daily activities are a core part of ILSC's youth programs. Take your learning outside the classroom and explore the amazing sights and adventure opportunities unique to your location.

ILSC activities let you explore the local landscape and culture, and enhance the language learning experience.

EXPLORE

FULL DAY WEEKEND ACTIVITIES + MULTI-DAY TRIPS

Weekends at ILSC are perfect for Saturday adventures outside or near the city. ILSC also offers multi-day activity trips to iconic sights, neighbouring cities and more.

Or add a week-long English on the Road tour** to the end of your youth program and discover the region around your campus.

LIVE

HOMESTAY ACCOMMODATIONS AND STUDENT APARTMENTS

Students can choose to be placed with homestay families to experience local family living and culture.

Groups may also request to stay together in student apartments or other alternative accommodations.

* French classes are available in Montréal only.

**English on the Road is currently available in New Delhi (explore the Himalayas and Northern India), Vancouver (explore Western Canada) and San Francisco (explore California and neighbouring states).

customized programs one week activity samples

NEW DELHI SUMMER OR WINTER

- MON** Indian dinner night at ILSC
- TUE** Sightseeing (Qutab Minar, Humayun, India Gate + Birla Mandir)
- WED** Movie at ILSC
- THU** Gandhi Museum + Rajpath
- FRI** Bollywood movie night
- SAT** Agra (Taj Mahal)

SYDNEY SUMMER OR WINTER

- MON** Luna Park amusement park
- TUE** Tour of the Opera House
- WED** 360 degree view from Centre Point Tower
- THU** Walking tour of the city
- FRI** Movie day
- SAT** Surfing lessons + picnic at Bondi Beach

BRISBANE SUMMER OR WINTER

- MON** Walking tour of the city
- TUE** City lookout tour and bush walk at Mount Coot-Tha
- WED** Gallery of Modern Art (GOMA)
- THU** Citycat (catamaran) tour of the Brisbane River
- FRI** Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary
- SAT** Explore Mount Tambourine

TORONTO WINTER

- MON** CN Tower
- TUE** Ice skating
- WED** Toronto Marlies hockey game
- THU** Royal Ontario Museum
- FRI** Laser tag
- SAT** Skiing or snowboarding

MONTRÉAL WINTER

- MON** Hockey Initiation: tour of the Bell Center
- TUE** Contemporary Art Museum
- WED** Ice skating at the Old Port
- THU** Winter comfort foods
- FRI** Skiing + snowboarding at Mont-Habitant
- SAT** "Fête des Neiges" at Parc Jean-Drapeau

For activity samples for North American Summer programs, or Vancouver or San Francisco Winter programs, please refer to pages 05 to 10.





HOW TO APPLY: CHECKLIST

Choose from the following start dates and locations

NORTH AMERICA SUMMER PROGRAM

- VANCOUVER MONTRÉAL TORONTO SAN FRANCISCO
- 1 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** **Jul 7** **Jul 14** **Jul 21** **Jun 28** **Aug 4** 2013
- 2 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** **Jul 7** **Jul 14** **Jul 21** **Jun 28** 2013
- 3 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** **Jul 7** **Jul 14** **Jul 21** 2013
- 4 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** **Jul 7** **Jul 14** 2013
- 5 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** **Jul 7** 2013
- 6 week **Jun 23** **Jun 30** 2013
- 7 week **Jun 23** 2013

VANCOUVER WINTER PROGRAM

- 1 week **Jan 6** **Jan 13** **Jan 20** 2013
- 2 week **Jan 6** **Jan 13** 2013
- 3 week **Jan 6** 2013

- 1 week **Jan 5** **Jan 12** **Jan 19** 2014
- 2 week **Jan 5** **Jan 12** 2014
- 3 week **Jan 5** 2014

SAN FRANCISCO WINTER PROGRAM

- 1 week **Dec 9** **Dec 16** 2012
- 2 week **Dec 9** 2012

- 1 week **Jan 6** **Jan 13** **Jan 20** 2013
- 2 week **Jan 6** **Jan 13** 2013
- 3 week **Jan 6** 2013

- 1 week **Dec 8** **Dec 15** 2013
- 2 week **Dec 8** 2013

- 1 week **Jan 5** **Jan 12** **Jan 19** 2014
- 2 week **Jan 5** **Jan 12** 2014
- 3 week **Jan 5** 2014

HOLIDAYS AND SCHOOL CLOSURES

- DEC 24, 2012–** San Francisco
- JAN 1, 2013**

- JAN 1, 2013** All locations

- JAN 21, 2013** San Francisco

- JUN 24, 2013** Montréal

- JUL 1, 2013** Vancouver
Toronto
Montréal

- JUL 4, 2013** San Francisco

- AUG 5, 2013** Vancouver
Toronto
Sydney

- AUG 15, 2013** New Delhi

- AUG 14, 2013** Brisbane

- AUG 21, 2013** New Delhi

- DEC 23–27, 2013** San Francisco
Vancouver
Toronto
Montréal

- DEC 25, 2013** New Delhi

- DEC 25–26, 2013** Brisbane
Sydney

- JAN 1, 2014** All locations

- ❑ Fill out the Youth Program application and waiver forms. Send them to ILSC.
- ❑ Upon receipt of payment, you will receive a letter of acceptance. If required, apply for a visitor or study permit to enter your country of study. If you need a Visa, please visit the following websites for more info:

CANADA www.cic.gc.ca/english/visit/visas.asp
USA www.usembassy.state.gov

INDIA <http://india.gov.in/overseas/embassies.php>
AUSTRALIA www.immi.gov.au/students/chooser

NORTH AMERICAN SUMMER PACKAGE AND SAN FRANCISCO WINTER PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Morning classes: Canada–17 lessons/week; San Francisco–20 lessons/week
- Accommodation: Full-board homestay, single room (includes 3 meals and snacks)
- Airport pick-up and drop-off
- Five after school activities and one Saturday excursion per week
- T-shirt, registration, material and homestay placement fees
- ILSC Certificate of Completion

PACKAGES DO NOT INCLUDE (ALL LOCATIONS + PROGRAMS)

- Medical Insurance from home country
- International flight ticket, airport and airline taxes
- Public transportation between the school, activities and homestay
- Custodial letter fee, if applicable
- Personal shopping and expenses

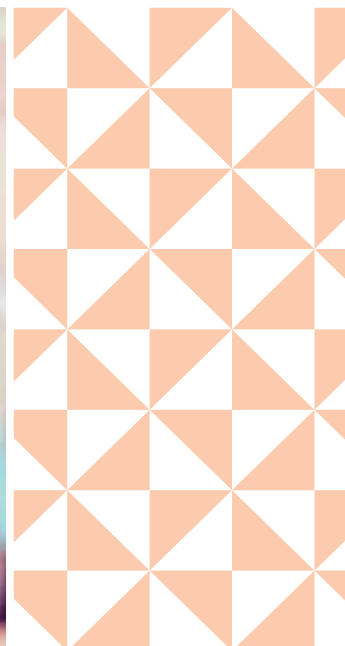
VANCOUVER WINTER PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Morning classes: 17 lessons/week
- Accommodation: Full-board Homestay, single room (includes 3 meals and snacks)
- Airport pick-up and drop-off
- Two after school activities & one ski trip per week
- Registration, material and homestay placement fees
- ILSC Certificate of Completion

CUSTOMIZED GROUP PROGRAMS*

Customized programs can be arranged at any ILSC location. Please contact the school, ILSC marketer, or agent of your choice to customize a youth program.

** Free tuition and accommodation are included for a group leader per group of 15 students. Please contact an ILSC representative.*



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