



## About Quest --

#### **Fully Accredited, Award Winning School**

Since 1997, we have served thousands of students from all over the world (over 30 countries) with one simple objective - Quality. Quality service, facilities, programs, instructors and, of course, competitive fees. We always try harder knowing that our success depends on one thing - student satisfaction.

Our advantage lies in small class sizes, innovative programs and individualized attention backed by the best in systems, services and equipment to ensure every student an outstanding learning experience.

Quest is an Accredited, Award Winning School:



- ▶ Inspected and fully accredited by Languages Canada
- ▶ Award for commitment and innovation in program delivery
- ▶ Customer Satisfaction Award 2003 to 2017
- ▶ Government Inspected and approved Designated Learning Institution

#### **Location and Facilities**

Located in the heart of Toronto, our modern, renovated facilities are colourful and comfortably designed to create an ideal environment for learning. The main campus features 3 floors of projector equipped, smart connected classrooms, student lounges (with billiards, ping-pong and foosball tables) student cafe, lockers, movie screen, PA system, microwaves and more.

Controlled registration helps provide a dynamic international mix of students. In addition, we regularly survey our students through monthly surveys and evaluations to ensure satisfaction.





#### **Staff and Methodology**

Our outstanding teachers (native speaking, fully accredited and experienced) are backed by a team of support staff (multilingual counselors, activity and accommodation coordinators, student services) all dedicated to your success.

Our substantive, expertly developed and time tested curriculum is available in both hardcopy and digital formats. Its success is due largely to listening to student feedback and incorporating the needs of our students from various cultural and academic backgrounds and with different learning objectives.

Hardcopy and E-book Formats

In class, we use a communicative methodology that focuses on active student participation and natural language acquisition strategies. Modern, smart, internet connected classrooms provide for a rich and immersive learning experience. Outside of the classroom we provide students with exciting activities everyday that help to enhance and extend language skills.

### **About Toronto**

Toronto - The World in One Place





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**Programs and Hours:** Quest offers you the flexibility to study 20, 24, 28 or 32 lessons per week. However, to fully benefit from the curriculum of our primary programs, you will need to select either 28 or 32 lessons per week which offer the advantage of taking workshops or focussed courses.

**Core English +:** Our foundation program offers a comprehensive communicative approach to learning English. The objective is to rapidly improve your English fluency through the development of the four essential language skills - speaking, listening, reading and writing.

**The +**: The mornings (periods 1 to 4) focus on developing core English skills in language structure and oral communication. The afternoons (periods 5 to 7) offer the choice of Elective Workshops (all levels) or Focussed Courses (higher level students) where you can concentrate on areas of special interest and customize your studies to meet your needs. See opposite page 9 and 10 for details.

▶ Duration: 1 to 48 weeks | Level: 1 ↑ | Start: Every Monday | Age: 16 ↑

**Focus on Communication (FOC):** Develop confidence, increase word power and improve pronunciation. This course is designed to help you communicate effectively and with ease in a wide range of situations from social settings to debates and presentations.

Morning oral communication classes (Periods 2, 3 and 4) are combined with select afternoon workshops designed especially for FOC students, such as Power Speaking and Debating. Course includes one Chat Buddy session (3 to 5 hours - see page 5) per month. See page 9 and 10 for details.

▶ Duration: 1 to 48 weeks | Level: 1 ↑ | Start: Every Monday | Age: 16 ↑

**Exam Power Preparation (EPP):** Power Preparation for TOEFL and IELTS (Cambridge and TOEIC preparation are only offered as a Focussed Course) are highly structured, comprehensive courses of study with a proven record of success. Participants will be challenged to work hard, learn efficiently and study strategically to ensure exam success.

The mornings (periods 1 to 4) concentrate on developing common reading, critical writing and note taking skills. In the afternoons (periods 5 to 7), the emphasis is on speaking, listening and writing skills for exam questions and real time test drills to ensure your readiness for test day. In addition to covering all skill areas, the course includes assignments and computer simulation tests and practice on a regular basis. For more information visit www.TargetAcademics.com.

Free test with minimum 12 weeks study

Duration: 2 to 16 weeks | Level: 7 ↑ | Start: Every Monday | Age: 16 ↑

**Academic Pathway Program - See Page 12** 



## Program Structure --

Morning periods (1 to 4) focus on developing core common skills and afternoon periods (5 to 7) allow students to tailor their program to meet their own specific needs through Focussed Courses or Workshops. Both are critical components of our student centred approach to learning, emphasizing individual needs and the role of the student in the learning process.

**Elective Workshops** enhance your learning experience by allowing you the flexibility to focus on particular language skills. Various topics at different levels are offered each week.

Sample Workshops

- Current Affairs
- ► Pronunciation
- Blogging and Podcasting
- Slang
- Word Power
- ► English through Music
- Listening and Speaking
- Marketing
- ► Effective Writing
- Power Speaking
- ► Resume Writing
- Business Skills
- ► Interview Skills
- Debating
- Reality English
- ► Telephone English
- ► English through Acting
- ... and more

**Focussed Courses:** provide intensive, concentrated studies Intended for higher level students looking to learn English for specific fields, exams or higher education. Focussed Courses are 3 lessons, 2.5 hours, in length. Focussed Courses include:

Focussed Courses

- ► TOEFL Preparation
- ► IELTS Preparation
- ► Cambridge Preparation
- ► Academic Writing
- ► Hospitality English
- ▶ TOEIC Preparation
- International Business Communication
- ► English for Professions(medicine, aviation, etc.)

## **Levels and Placement**

Sample Monthly Student Progress Report

Quest offers 11 levels of English from beginner through to advanced (Table C). Placement tests on your first day will determine your oral and grammar levels Testing consists of a one on one oral interview and a comprehensive computer based test for reading, listening, and grammar.

Weekly Testing and Progress Reports: Weekly written review tests and monthly oral tests ensure you have understood the material. Instructors track your scores and provide you with detailed Student Progress Evaluation Reports every 4 weeks, accessible online. This feedback is critical to helping you learn effectively and rapidly

**Level Completion:** Your test results and overall evaluation report determine your readiness to move to the next level. On average, students progress to the next level every 4 to 5 weeks depending on intensity.





Special Programs --

**English Language Teaching (ELT):** Whether you are looking to teach English in Canada or overseas, our ELT programs offer you recognized, quality teaching certificates and the essential tools for teaching English as a second or foreign language. ELT programs focus on learning how to teach English and not on learning English. We offer two types of ELT programs:

- ▶ **TESOL International:** This program is intended for high-level non-native English students who have not fully mastered English and are interested in teaching in their home country or wish to attain a certain expertise in English.
- ▶ **TESOL Professional:** Recognized by TESL Canada and intended for those seeking a professional career as an English teacher. It meets the requirements for teacher accreditation and is suitable for teaching in most private language schools worldwide. Native speaking ability or a TOEFL score of 80 (minimum 20 in each category) is required.
  - Start dates: 4 to 5 times per year contact us | Age: 21 ↑ | Level: 9 /10 ↑
  - ▶ TESOL International and Professional: course 100 hours (4 weeks), practicum 20 hours
  - ► For more information visit www.TargetAcademics.com.

**Working Holiday Visa Program - Study and Work:** Working Holiday Visa holders can combine any Quest English program with an job placement in an area that reflects your skills and experience.

All job placements are paid. Placements are possible in numerous areas(depending on applicant's skills), including: Hospitality, Business Administration, Sales, Services and Information Technology.

- ▶ Only International Experience Canada Working Holiday Visa holders are eligible.
- Minimum 4 weeks of intensive English (Business Focus) is required prior to placement.
- ► Level: 7 to 8 by internship start | Start: Every Monday | Age: 18 ↑

Working Holiday Visa? The Canadian working holiday visa, also known as IEC (International Experience Canada) are one year open work permits. Currently the program is open to those between 18 and 30 years of age who are citizens of Australia, Austria, Belgium, Chile, Costa Rica, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong SAR, Ireland, Italy, Japan, South Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Mexico, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Ukraine and the United Kingdom.

**Remote Teaching:** Quest provides remote English instruction for private, corporate and school groups around the world. We use high-end dedicated video conferencing equipment that helps to ensure smooth connections allowing for immersive, real presence video connections. Quest will provide the video conferencing equipment necessary (minimal cost) for setup. Setup and operation are very simple.



**Private English (groups and individuals):** Private instruction is an ideal and highly effective way for individuals and closed groups to rapidly learn English and focus on areas that are of particular interest to them. Quest can deliver tailored private English instruction for specific fields, such as: Law, Engineering, Medicine, Aviation, TESOL and Tourism. Private lessons may be taken in addition to group classes.

▶ Duration: Any | Level: 1 ↑ | Start: Any day | Age: 13 ↑

**Teacher Homestay English Immersion:** Students live a "Canadian life" in a totally English environment while they receive private, intensive English lessons (15 or 20 hours per week) from their own teacher in his or her home. Lessons and vocabulary are needs-based and personalized to each student's needs. The curriculum is provided by Quest.

▶ Duration: 1 to 12 weeks | Level: 1 ↑ | Start: Every Monday | Age: 14 ↑

**Parent and Child Program:** Parents travelling with their children have a number of options at Quest depending on the child's age and the time of year.

- ▶ 13 years and up: may study at Quest while their parents also attend class.
- ▶ 5 to 12 years of age (summer only; June through August): while parents study at Quest their children can attend educational and fun full day summer camp in the city centre in areas ranging from science to various sports. Advanced booking (January 31 of each year) is required.
- ▶ 5 to 12 years of age children groups: can take closed group lessons at Quest along with their parent(s). Minimum number of children is 4.

**Optional Add-ons to Primary Programs:** Optional Add-ons supplement and expand your studies and may only be taken in combination with a primary program.

▶ **English MAX:** An excellent and economical option for students seeking a dynamic way to practice their English skills through role plays, creative team projects and immersive interactions. Offered every Friday afternoon in combination with any course intensity.

Chat Buddy: Improves your conversation skills naturally as you experience Canadian life and culture with a native English speaking Canadian friend. Meet with your Buddy 3 to 5 hours per week (depending on number of participants) outside of school for social activities and discussions. Maximum of 5 people per buddy.

▶ Volunteer Placement: Combine any program at Quest with a volunteer placement; an excellent way to practice your English, help people in need, and make new friends and contacts. Benefit from a more natural, immersive approach to learning English and get connected to new opportunities.

Level: 5 to 6 by volunteer start | Age: 18 ↑





## Program Timetable - Topics by Period



Focussing on developing common core skills.

Morning	English Foundation Programs		
	Core English	Focus on Communication (FOC)	
	Level: 1↑	Level: 1 ↑	
<b>P. 01</b> 8:40 - 9:30	Grammar Foundation  ▶ Language Structure, Tenses, etc.	▶ NA	
Break - 10 min.			

P. 02

**Oral Communication** Discussion, Vocabulary Building and Word Forms and Combinations

9:40 - 10:30 Break - 5 min

P. 03 10:35 - 11:25

**Oral Communication** ▶ Listening Practice for Main Ideas and Details, Expressing Opinions and Reactions

Break - 5 min. P. 04

Oral Communication

> Speaking exercises, Language use, Pronunciation and Delivery 11:30 - 12:20

**Afternoons** 

Flexibility for English programs. -- and--**Focussed** study for Academics.

Break - 40 min.	Student may choose workshops or Focussed Course	
Afternoon	Workshops > Page 5 Workshop <u>1</u> is two lessons	Focussed Courses > Page 5 Each course listed = 3 lessons

P. 05 13:00 - 13:50

Break - 10 min.

P. 06

14:00 - 14:50

Break - 10 min.

P. 07

15:00 - 15:50

Workshops 1 Level: 2 ↑

See Workshops on page 9 for topics. Includes FOC Workshops specifically designed for FOC students.

See Workshops on page 9 for topics

Workshops 2 Level: 2 ↑

Maximum class size is 8.

6 or 7 for entry. Academic Writing

TOEFL

**IELTS** 

TOEIC

Cambridge Prep

Hospitality English

International Business Communication

English for Professions (Aviation, Medicine, etc.)

Table B

Focussed courses require minimum level

#### Quest Equivalency Table - Compare Quest Levels

Levels

Compare Quest language proficiency levels

If you are considering pursuing higher education in Canada (college or university) the majority of programs require a minimum APP exit test score of 74-87 or its equivalent (see red row below) for entry.

TOEIC TOEFL IBT **IELTS** CEFR1 Quest Level APP<sup>2</sup> Exit Test 0 - 8 0 - 1 A1 Level 1 - Beginner 1 0 - 310 - 215 9 - 18 1 - 1.5 Α1 2 - Beginner 2 4-23 19 - 29 2 - 2.5 A1-A2 3 - Beginner 3 14-24 225 - 545 30 - 40 3 - 3.5 A2-B1 4 - Intermediate 1 25-35 41 - 52 4 В1 5 - Intermediate 2 36-47 550 - 780 53 - 64 4.5 - 5 6 Intermediate 3 B1-B2 48-59 7 - Intermediate 4 65 - 79 5.5 B2 60-73 785 - 935 80 - 101 6 – 7 8, 9 - Advanced 1 &2 74-87 940 - 990 102 - 120 7.5 - 9C2 10, 11 - Advanced 3 & 4 88-100 <sup>1</sup>CEFR: Common European Framework | <sup>2</sup>APP: Quest's Academic Pathway Program



Table A

Academic Foundation Programs			
Exam Power Preparation TOEFL, IELTS Level: 7 ↑	Academic Pathway Program Level: 7 ↑	ELT Programs Level: 9 ↑	
<ul> <li>Academic Reading Patterns</li> <li>Strategic Reading Methods and Reading Practice</li> </ul>		▶ Language Acquisition and History	
► Applied Rea  ► Academic Vocabulary a	➤ Teaching Methods and Learning Principles		
➤ Reading Compi ➤ Vocabula	<ul> <li>Lesson Planning and Material Selection</li> </ul>		
Presentations: Planning	▶ Linguistics and Discourse Analysis		
EPP / APP Focu	ussed Courses		
EPP Focussed Courses TOEFL and IELTS	APP Focussed Course		
<ul><li>Reading Strategies</li><li>Vocabulary Building</li><li>Full Practice Test Simulations</li></ul>	<ul><li> Grammar Foundations</li><li> Sentence Construction</li><li> Vocabulary Forms</li></ul>	➤ Teaching Techniques	
<ul><li>Listening Tactics</li><li>Note Taking Techniques</li><li>Speaking Patterns and Delivery</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Paragraph Development</li> <li>Essay Writing and Construction</li> <li>Citation Standards (MLA, APA, etc)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Classroom Management and Learner Assessment</li> </ul>	
		English MAN	
<ul><li>Writing Models</li><li>Writing Composition</li><li>Applied Grammar</li></ul>	▶ NA	English MAX 13:00 to 15:50 every Friday. Super charge your English	

Hours of Study and Program Options

Periods 1 to 7 Monday through Thursday. Friday periods 1 to 4 followed by English MAX option in periods 5 to 7. FIT programs are Monday through Friday in Periods 1-6 (30 Lessons).

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Lessons	Core English	Focus on Communication	Academic Pathway Exam Preparation	ELT TESOL	English MAX
20	Period 1-4	NA	NA	NA	English MAX 13:00 to 15:50 every
24	NA	Period 2-6 Plus P. 05 of English MAX	NA	NA	Friday. Take your English to a new level.
28	Period 1-6	Period 2-7 Plus P. 05 of English MAX	APP Period 1-6	Period 1-6 30 Lessons	Can be combined with any number of lessons for any number of
32	Period 1-7	NA	EPP Period 1-7	NA	weeks. For example: Register for 12 weeks
English MAX provides an intensive, fun, interactive English practice session that will increase your confidence and ease in speaking English. Each Friday session is standalone, so you can register for as many sessions as you wish.			at 28 lessons and 6 English MAX sessions		



**Activities** 

Activities are great opportunities for making new friends, discovering your new environment and practicing your English skills. We offer our students an exciting variety of activities every week with an activity scheduled virtually every day. All activities are well organized and attended by school staff.

Activities include: seasonal sports, cultural events, day trips, weekend trips, parties, dinners and more. You can also join one of the school's sports clubs (football, baseball, running, etc.) or help to organize activities at the school. All activities are provided at cost.



- Canoeing/Kayaking
- **★** Festivals
- \* Rock Climbing
- ★ Free Movies at Quest
- Weekly Farewell Party
- ★ Club Nights
- ★ Major League Sports
- ★ Theatre Musicals
- ★ Skiing, Skating
- ★ Pizza Days
- ★ Team Sports
- ★ International Davs
- ★ Midnight Bowling
- ★ Trips to:
- ★ Niagara Falls
- ★ French Canada (Quebec)
- ★ New York City
- ★ Chicago
- **★** Boston
- Thousand Islands
- Algonquin Park Camping

## **Counselling Services**

To help ensure that your studies and overall experience go smoothly we offer a variety of counselling services:

- ► Free Assistance in exam registration: TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS and Cambridge.
- ▶ Free Visa issues: General information on how to change conditions and obtain forms.
- ▶ Free General academic counselling: For school related matters and pursuing higher studies.
- > \$250 Specialized academic counselling: Detailed information and advice on availability and selection of programs/schools through to application completion.
- ▶ Multilingual: Our staff will be happy to assist you in your language when possible.



Accommodation --

Your accommodation is an important part of your experience. To ensure your comfort and happiness, we carefully screen and select accommodations on the basis of your needs. Prior to your arrival, you will receive complete details on your accommodation, including:

- Pictures
- Location map
- Video
- Full description
- Contact information
- Amenities

#### **Your Accommodation Options**

**Homestay:** Your host family will offer you the security of a home base where you will live and build on your studies. They will welcome and introduce you to the Canadian experience and assist you in fitting into the culture so that you get the most out of your experience. Host families are carefully selected on the basis of their interest, background and the quality of the accommodation they can offer you. All homestays include:

- Fully furnished private room
- Bathroom facilities shared
- Accessible to public transport
- Access to telephone, television laundry and other amenities
- Nutritious meals
- ▶ Homestay Experience Program: This program provides a great opportunity for younger students who want to experience Canadian culture and lifestyle and do not need classes. Students are immersed in their host family's daily life from simple chores to fun activities and get to practice and develop their English skills. Homestays are available in Toronto and smaller Canadian towns and cities. English lessons, provided by the host family, are optional.
  - ► Start Dates: Flexible Year Round | Age: 14 ↑

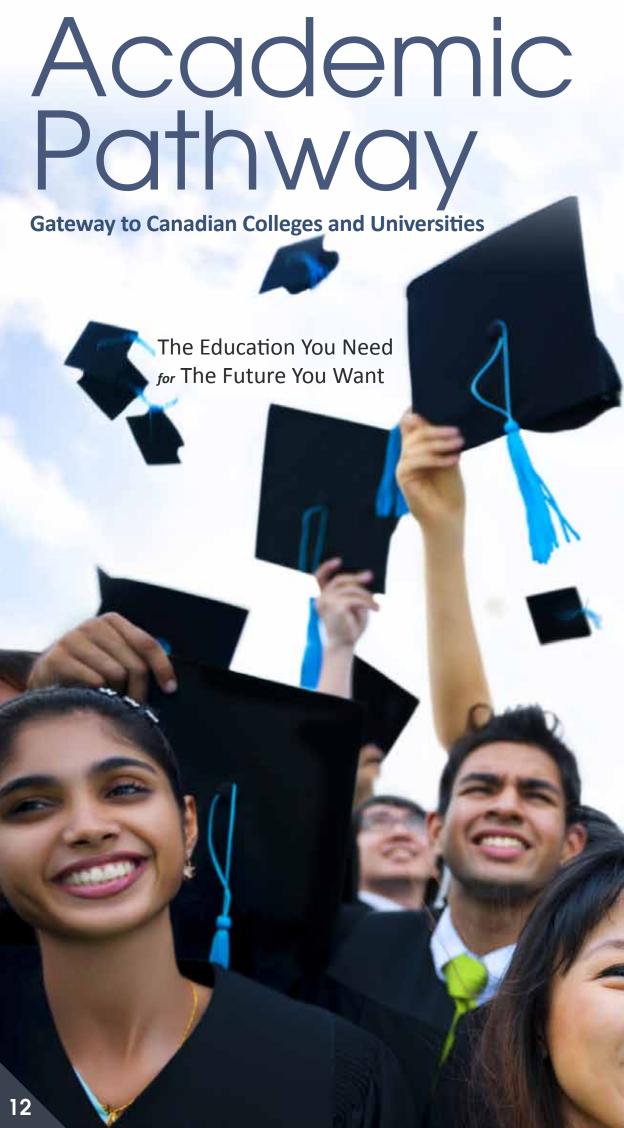
**Residence:** Residences (subject to availability) may be suitable for students who wish to have a greater degree of independence than offered in a homestay. In residence-type accommodation you can expect:

- ► Shared bathroom, kitchen, living area linen and towels
- A private or shared room
- No meals provide your own

#### We offer two types of residence accommodation:

- **Standard Residences:** These are university residences located in the city centre within walking distance of the school. Only available from early May to the third week in August.
- **Basic Residences Student House:** These are private homes occupied either in whole or in part by students with self-catering facilities. They are available year round.

**Private Apartments:** Private apartments are ideal for families or for those who prefer a very private and independent type of accommodation. Apartments are fully equipped and include a bedroom, kitchen, living area, laundry facilities and, in some cases, maid service. You must provide your own meals. If you wish, you can share your apartment with a friend.











## Academic Pathway Program (APP) --

The Academic Pathway Program (APP) is your gateway to the higher education you need for the career you want.

- ► Full or conditional admission to a college or university degree program at program enrollment.
- Develop English language skills to a new level of excellence in preparation for academic success in your field of study.
- ► Earn a recognized college or university degree 1, 2, 3 or 4 years in duration depending on the program. Degrees offered include Bachelors, Diplomas and Post- Graduate Certificates.
- ▶ Begin working part-time upon entry to college or university. Some programs provide co-op placements while studying.
- Work full-time for up to 3 years in Canada after graduating in your field of study. Up to 90% successful employment rate with full job placement assistance.

#### **APP Overview**

The APP is an intensive academic English program developed specifically for preparing students to enter a college or university.

- ► Entry: High-intermediate level of English Quest level 7. Entry test required. Students lacking the required level of English may first register in our General English program. Weekly start dates.
- Duration: 12 weeks and up to 16 weeks for students needing more practice.
- Exit: Successful completion of the Academic Pathway Exit Test. Students failing the exit test may retake it one-time two weeks later. Failing the second test will require an additional 4 weeks of study prior to taking the test again.

The course focusses on improving reading and writing skills, and developing research and analytical skills to rigourous academic standards. The program enables students to:

- Develop effective learning strategies and research skills for application to academic writing.
- ▶ Build an academic lexicon and develop strong presentation skills.
- Read effectively for main idea identification, scanning for specifics, and linking and organizing ideas.

Upon successful program completion students may enter into a wide variety of programs at partner institutions. Refer to the Quest Equivalency Table (Table B) on page 8 for the minimum language proficiency level required for entry into a college or university degree program.

APP Daily Class Schedule Snapshot		
Period	Topics Covered	
<b>P. 01</b> 8:40 - 9:30	<ul> <li>Academic Reading Patterns</li> <li>Strategic Reading Methods and Reading Practice</li> </ul>	
Break - 10 min.		
<b>P. 02</b> 9:40 - 10:30	<ul> <li>Applied Reading Methods</li> <li>Academic Vocabulary and Note Taking Techniques</li> </ul>	
Break - 5 min.		
P. 03 10:35-11:25	<ul><li>Reading Comprehension Practice</li><li>Vocabulary in Context</li></ul>	
Break - 5 min.		
P. 04 11:30-12:20	▶ Presentations: Planning, Preparation and Delivery	
Break - 40 min.		
P. 05 13:00 - 13:50	<ul> <li>Grammar Foundations</li> <li>Sentence Construction</li> <li>Vocabulary Forms</li> </ul>	
Break - 10 min.		
P. 06 14:00 - 14:50	<ul> <li>Paragraph Development</li> <li>Essay Writing and Construction</li> <li>Citation Standards (MLA, APA, etc)</li> </ul>	

### APP Scholarships - up to \$3000

Students who enroll and complete their first month at a university or college partner may be eligible for a Quest APP Scholarship of up to \$1000 (a \$500 standard scholarship plus an additional \$500 for students who score at minimum 90% on their APP exit test). In addition, some college and university partners offer additional scholarships (conditions apply) of up to \$2000.



# The best experience of my life!!!" Adventure Camps

Year round English plus Activity Programs for Juniors





## Overview

#### **Overview**

"The best experience of my life" - Quest's Adventure Camps provide a fantastic learning holiday experience by combining English study with an exciting variety of activities. The program's goal goes beyond teaching English to include leadership skills, expanding horizons, making new friends and discovering new ways. The program is customizable and can be organized year round, in winter, spring, summer or fall. The Summer Adventure Camp (June through August), with over 400 participants, is the most popular with a great international mix of students.

#### Class Location and Size

Classes take place either at our main campus or summer campus (depending on arrival date), both in the very heart of Toronto, only two minutes from a subway station. The summer campus, at Ryerson University, operates from the end of June to the beginning of August. See map on back cover.

Smaller classes (average: 12, July and August: 16), led by professional, certified instructors, provide a comfortable, modern environment in which to learn practical English.

#### English Plus Leadership Skills - 20 Lessons per week

The standard program includes 20 lessons (50 minutes each) per week, 8:40 am to 12:20 pm daily. In the summer session, the last period of each day incorporates a leadership skills development component to help students explore new ideas and build skills that will benefit them in their future. Our communicative curriculum makes learning what it should be - fun.

#### **First Day - Testing and Orientation**

On their first day of classes students are tested for all language skills and placed appropriately in one of 11 levels. After placement, the results of weekly review tests and attendance are recorded in each student's detailed progress evaluation which can be easily accessed on-line by students and or their parents.

Following testing, students are provided a comprehensive orientation session covering all aspects of the program, (classes, activities, accommodation) including program guidelines, rules and policies to ensure each student's safety and satisfaction.







## **Exciting Variety of Activities**

Activities are an essential part of our Adventure Programs, providing students with the opportunity to experience a new world, make new friends and practice their English skills.

Each week is packed with an exciting variety of quality activities designed to provide a truly fun and memorable Canadian experience. Canoeing, amusement and water parks, sports, boat cruises, Niagara Falls and much more to enjoy. The standard program includes an activity everyday (except one activity free day during the week) including one full day excursion every weekend. Every day is a new adventure.

Activity Leaders: All activities are led by mature, responsible, professional instructors / activity coordinators who will ensure students:

- Get the most of their experience.
- Remain safe and secure.
- Are aware of times and venues.

QUEST Olympics

Are respectful and cordial at all times.

Activity Free Day

Bowling

Activity Times: Most activities during the week start at 13:30 (after lunch) and end by 19:00, in time for dinner. Some activities start in the early evening and allow for students to have dinner first. Weekend full-day excursions (such as Niagara Falls and Wonderland) start at 9:00 and end by 19:30.

## Canoeing on Lake Ontario Arrival, Students Met at Airport. Testing, Orientation, City Tour Outdoor Sports at Beaches Disco Night Wonderland Water Park TERPRISE 2000 Outdoor Swimming Disco Boat Cruise

Activity Free Day



**Optional Tours:** Spice up your activity calendar with exciting 2, 3 or 4 day fully escorted trips to:



All trips are by deluxe coach and include 3 or 4 star hotel accommodation and professional tour guide. Meals and admissions are optional while on tour.

**Optional Sport Camps:** Sport camps, allowing students to either learn a new sport or improve their existing skills, are available for groups and individuals on a part-time basis allowing students to still take part in most of the regular activities. Sport camps include:







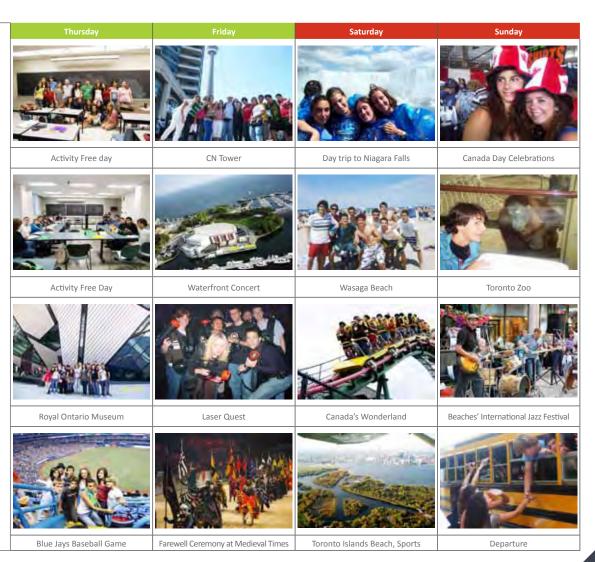








Advance booking of 3 to 6 months is required. Hockey, skiing and snowboarding in winter only.





### Homestay Accommodation

Quality accommodation is critical to student satisfaction. Our in-house accommodation service regularly inspects and tracks accommodation quality to ensure comfort and satisfaction.

Homestay accommodation (one student per nationality guaranteed) is located within 35 to 55 minutes of the school by public transport.

Every student will receive a detailed accommodation profile prior to arrival, including:

- ▶ Pictures/Video: minimum 3 pictures- house, host and room.
- Map indicating location of school and accommodation.
- ▶ Detailed transit directions indicating exact route and travel time.
- ▶ Detailed description of accommodation, neighbourhood and amenities included.

We continually follow up with students to ensure they are satisfied with their accommodation.

View a sample accommodation profile on-line at www.studyquest.net/accommodation/profile





#### Residence Accommodation

Residence accommodation is only available from May through August. Two options are available:

- University of Toronto, 89 Chestnut Residence. Requires a minimum stay of 3 weeks.
- Ryerson University ILLC Residence.

Both residences are within a short 10 minute walk from the Summer Campus and a 15 minute walk from the main campus. Both are housed in modern renovated buildings featuring:

- Single and double rooms with AC
- Ensuite bathrooms
- On-site cafeteria for meals
- 24 hour security/front desk
- Fitness facilities (Chestnut only)
- ► Internet access (surcharge)

- Student lounges with TV and games
- Kitchen facilities (ILLC only)
- Room cleaning (once per week)
- ▶ Linen & towels (once per week)
- ▶ Laundry facilities (coin operated)
- ▶ Iron and board on request

#### University of Toronto, 89 Chestnut Residence - see map other side













Ryerson University ILLC Residence - see map other side















#### Group size, age and individual registrations

We can accommodate groups of all sizes and individuals (individuals in summer only, minimum 13 years). In past years we have hosted groups as small as 5 to as large as 250. In our summer program we have approximaely 400 to 500 students and in our winter program 100 to 150 students.

All groups are assigned their own dedicated activity coordinators/counselors as are individual students who are grouped together.



**Li"l Juniors** from 7 to 12 years old. Accommodated in residence and must be accompanied by adult chaperone. For homestay accommodation each student must accommpanied at all times by an older sibling or guardian who is at least 16 years old.



**Juniors** from 13 to 18 years old. In residence or homestay accommodation.

#### Nationalities - An International Adventure

Our summer adventure camp brings together students from many different countries providing an unforgetable international experience. In past years the program has included students from: Brazil, Spain, Italy, France, Mexico, Colombia, South Korea, Saudi Arabia, U.A.E, Russia, Japan, Belgium and Turkey.

#### **Transfers and Transportation**

Transportation to and from the airport is included in the program. Students are greeted at the airport by school representatives who will escort them to their accommodation and provide them with their transit pass, emergency contact card and transit map. Students are escorted to the school on their first day of classes.

Transportation from accommodation to the school and during activities is normally by public transit. Transportation on excursions outside the city is by chartered bus. Toronto's transportation system is the second largest in North America and ranks as one of the safest and most efficient worldwide.

#### **Safety and Service**

We take every measure to ensure the safety and comfort of students. Activity coordinators are all experienced instructors with the maturity and experience necessary to ensure students are safe. Multilingual school representatives are available 24/7 to assist students. All students are provided emergency contact cards and safety information upon arrival at the airport.

#### Meals

Homestay students may choose 2 or 3 meals per day.

- ▶ Breakfast: Continental style cereal, toast, fruit, milk, etc. Often self-serve.
- Lunch: Packed sandwich, drink, snack.
- Dinner: Prepared warm dinner.

Residence students may also choose 2 or 3 meals per day. Breakfast and dinner are buffet style and lunch may be either packed or buffet style depending on the residence. On full day excursions residence students get either a packed lunch or food allowance.



## **Summer Campus and Residence Map**



## Sample Daily Schedule

Sample Day	· (2)	
7:30 am	Breakfast and walk or transit to school	
8:40 to 9:30	Class: Focus on Language Structure	
10 minute break		
9:40 to 10:30	Discussion, Vocabulary Building and Word Form	
	5 minute break	
10:35 to 11:25	Listening Practice, Expressing Opinions and Reactions	
5 minute break		
11:30 to 12:20	Speaking exercises, Language Use and Pronunciation	
12:20 to 13:30	Lunch Break	
13:30 to ~ 18:30	Activity: Canoeing on Lake Ontario	
~ 19:00 to 20:30	Warm dinner at residence or with homestay family	



















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