



CES Vancouver

Adult Centre
Profile 2024

Vancouver - Find Your Extraordinary

2026 World Cup Host City!

Nestled between soaring mountains and the shores of the Pacific Ocean, Vancouver is a clean, safe, welcoming — and gorgeous — city! CES Vancouver is located at the heart of the historic part of town, just steps from the main transit station where buses, Skytrain, and Seabus all come together. The surrounding area offers dining, shopping, and more, and from there you can discover Vancouver's local attractions or set out on longer excursions to Victoria, the Rocky Mountains, Seattle or beyond! Vancouver is large enough to offer the best in education, entertainment, culture, and cuisine, but small enough to feel like home.



It's no wonder Vancouver is one of the most popular English study destinations in the world!



KEY FACTS

- Located 3 minutes on foot from Waterfront Station
- Free WiFi
- Student lounge
- Table tennis
- Self service student kitchenette
- Printing facilities
- Residential Accommodation
- Homestay Accommodation
- Exam Venue



The Campus



322 Water Street

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CES Vancouver is located on the Mezzanine level of 322 Water Street. Built in 1912, the McPherson Building is in the heart of the historic part of the city of Vancouver.

This beautiful brick building captures the essence of Gastown heritage, and is close to all the amenities and major sites in Vancouver.



Academic Programs



General English

- Our most popular option, offered in Standard (20 lessons/wk), Intensive (25 lsn/wk) and Super Intensive (30 lsn/wk)
- The morning lessons focus on communication skills (speaking, listening)
- Afternoon electives focus on reading and writing skills, business English, and more.

Exam Preparation

- IELTS/Cambridge exam preparation programs are available, as well as additional support lessons.
- IELTS prep courses are 25 lessons per week by standard, but can be offered in 20 and 30 lessons as well.
- Cambridge prep courses are 30 lessons per week, available for 4 week or 8 weeks.

Pathway/Add-ons

- CES Canada has Pathway Agreements with various Canadian institutions
- Private lessons tailored to individual student needs are available

Morning Classes (Mon - Fri)	AM 1	9:00 - 10:30am	Green	Blue	Yellow
	Break	10:30 - 10:45am			
	AM 2	10:45am - 12:15pm			
Lunch		12:15 - 1:00pm			
Afternoon Classes (Mon - Thurs)	PM 1	1:00 - 2:00pm	Green	Blue	Yellow
	Break	2:00 - 2:15pm			
	PM 2	2:15 - 3:15pm			



Social Programme



<p>17 Welcome to CES! Donuts in the Lounge</p> <p>FREE! Meet in the lounge at 3:30pm</p>	<p>18 Chill out at Kitsilano Beach</p> <p>FREE! Meet at the lounge at 3:00pm</p>	<p>18 Stanley Park Tour</p> <p>Free! Meet in the lounge at 3:15pm</p>	<p>19 Pub night at the Black Frog</p> <p>Buy your own drinks Meet at the lounge at 3:30pm</p>	<p>20 UBC Museum of Anthropology</p> <p>Entry \$18 See back for more details</p>	<p>21 Squamish Sea to Sky Gondola</p> <p>\$79 See back for more details</p>	<p>22</p>
<p>24 Pastries at La Bella Patisserie</p> <p>Pay for your own food Meet in the lounge at 3:30pm</p>	<p>25 Neighbourhood Tour Mount Pleasant</p> <p>FREE! See back for more details</p>	<p>26 Stanley Park Cycling</p> <p>See back for more details</p>	<p>27 Halloween Event at CES Vancouver</p> <p>FREE! Starts in the lounge</p>	<p>28 Capilano River Park/ Salmon Hatchery</p> <p>FREE! See back for more details</p>	<p>29 Farmer's Market and Picnic at Trout Lake</p> <p>See back for more details</p>	<p>30</p>

The Social Programme



- **Sample Full/Multi-Day Excursions:**
 - Whistler
 - Victoria
 - Rocky Mountains (3-4 day trip)
 - Tofino (2-3 day trip)
 - Seattle (2-3 day trip)
- **Sample Half Day Activities:**
 - Snowboarding at Mt. Seymour
 - Kayaking
 - Biking in Stanley Park
 - Capilano Suspension Bridge
 - Kits Beach
 - Granville Island
 - Tobogganing at Grouse Mountain
 - Paddle Boarding
 - Vancouver Lookout
 - Flyover Canada
 - Vancouver Art Gallery



Residential Accommodation



KEY FACTS

- **Type:** single and shared rooms
- **Bathrooms:** shared and private
- **Room allocation:** managed by GEC and YWCA
- **Provided with room:** bed linens
- **Food:** self-catering
- **Facilities:** modern, newly renovated, washing machines (pay per use), common areas
- **WiFi:** available in residence
- **GEC Viva:** 16 minutes by public transit
- **GEC Granville:** 15 minutes by public transit
- **YWCA:** 12 minutes walk



Host Family Accommodation



The Homestay Experience

- **Total language immersion** with carefully selected and inspected local families.
- **Rooms:** Single rooms or Shared rooms (with friend).
- **Meal Options:** Full Board (3 meals/day) or Half Board (2 meals/day)
- **Sample Meals:**
 - Breakfast - juice, cereal, toast, jam, fruit
 - Packed lunch - sandwich, fruit, yoghurt, drink
 - Dinner - meat/poultry/fish, vegetables, potatoes
- **Travel:** 30 - 60 minutes by public transportation.
- **Laundry:** included; arrangements vary by family



More Information

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