



## 2025-2026 School Year

### PLEASE NOTE:

International Students should **arrive in Canada on August 23 or August 24, 2025.**

Airport pickup is available on these dates by host families.

Students arriving outside of these dates should contact program prior to booking flights to ensure that their arrival can be accommodated and to determine any additional fees. Absolutely **NO** homestay arrivals before August 23.

### Semester ONE- August 2025 to January 2026

- August 25, 26 (Orientation Days)
- August 27 or 28 (first field trip)
- September 1 Labor Day (No School)
- September 2 (first day of classes)
- September 30 (No School – Truth & Reconciliation Day)
- October 9 - 10 (No School)
- October 13 (No School - Thanksgiving)
- November 7 - (No School)
- November 10 (No School - Fall Break)
- November 11 (Remembrance Day)
- December 12 (No School)
- December 22 - January 2 (Winter Break -No School)
- January 30 (Semester Break - No School)

**TRAVEL HOME FOR CHRISTMAS is discouraged.** Dates of travel **MUST** be discussed and approved by the program **BEFORE** any flights are booked as travel on highways in December is not always advised. Host families are **NOT** responsible for airport transportation for student travel over school breaks and students should expect to pay for airport transportation for travel on the school breaks. Airport shuttle cost is \$275 one way

**IMPORTANT: Departure for Semester 1 and Arrival for Semester 2 on January 24 and 25, 2026. Airport transportation is available on these dates.**

Students arriving outside of these dates should contact the program prior to booking flights to ensure that their arrival can be accommodated.

### Semester TWO - February 2026 to June 2026

- January 26 - 29 (Orientation Days, School Tours and Activity for new international students)
- February 2 (First Day of Semester 2)
- February 16 (Family Day - No School)
- February 17-18 (Winter Break - No School)
- February 19-20 (Teachers' Convention - No School)
- March 20 (No School)
- April 3 (Good Friday - No School)
- April 6-10 (Easter Monday and Spring Break- No School)
- April 24 (No School)
- May 15 (No School)
- May 18 (Victoria Day - No School)
- June 19 (Final day for International Students unless graduating)

**IMPORTANT: Year End Departure for International Students: June 20 or 21, 2026**

**ONLY exception is for grade 12 students who are graduating and their departure dates are June 25 or 26, 2026.**

**PLEASE NOTE: Our program ENDS JUNE 28. ALL international students must depart by June 28. No Exceptions.** If parents are coming to travel with students at the end of the program, parents must come to pick them up by June 28.