



ENGLISH TRAINING, FUN ACTIVITIES, HOMESTAY AND SUPPORT

POWER ENGLISH FOR TEENS

Students 11-15 years old who are coming to Victoria for a holiday, to study English, or to join a Canadian High School will benefit from this full-time program. They will learn English language skills, study skills appropriate for a Canadian high school and social and cultural skills appropriate to their age.

The strong English language curriculum in the morning session includes speaking, listening, reading and writing. Detailed progress reports are maintained for each student to record their achievements. The afternoon session focuses on Canadian history, geography and culture, and on project or presentation skills. The class schedule is Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (22.5 hours/week). See our Course Details (available on our website) for program dates.

ACTIVITIES

In summer and at special times of the year, we offer daily sightseeing, sports and social activities for teenage students. These activities help students make friends, see more of Victoria and use their English in natural situations.

Examples of Stewart College activities include: whalewatching, dragonboating, tours of sightseeing attractions, Fondue/Halloween/ Thanksgiving/Christmas parties, sports such as volleyball, soccer, badminton, laser tag. Visit our website for detailed calendars of English / Activity holiday programs.



I'm looking forward to meeting you!
Hello and welcome to Stewart College! I will be your local support person while you're living and studying in Victoria. I will introduce you to other students in the program at one of our regular get-togethers - sometimes we have a movie-afternoon, or a sushi party or... you name it!

And if you have a problem, I'm here to help.

Come join our family!

REIKO AJIRO



“Stewart College is an excellent place to study English, to meet with other people of different countries and to share good moments.

ISABEL, COLOMBIA



Going to high school in Canada means being with Canadians. What can you expect? Canadians tend to be very polite, friendly and kind. They expect the same in return, and good manners always help to make things go smoothly. Canadians can be quite direct, and they appreciate directness from you too – if you don't know something, ask!

PEACE OF MIND FOR PARENTS

Living and studying in Canada is a great experience for your son or daughter, but you, the parent, need peace of mind. You want to know your teenager is safe and well-cared for, that they're doing well at school and in homestay.

TEEN SUPPORT PROGRAM

We keep you up to date with your son or daughter's progress while they study at a Canadian middle or high school in Victoria, BC, Canada. Our dedicated support person keeps in touch with your child, their host family and their school and reports back to you via a special password-protected webpage.

With a minimum 3 month registration, the program includes:

- High School selection and registration (if required)
- Custodianship
- A password protected web-page dedicated to your son or daughter, updated regularly by our support person
- Arrival reception and introduction to the host family and a follow-up interview at the host family's home.
- Orientation to Victoria, homestay and Stewart College.
- Class reports, transcripts, certificates and updates from your child's school
- Assistance finding hobbies, clubs and extra-curricular activities of interest to your teen; scheduling of tutoring and other study-support programs as required.



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Course information, pricing, calendars and information about Victoria can be found on our website!

HOMESTAY PLACEMENT

We match your son or daughter with carefully selected Canadian families who can provide a safe, comfortable and supportive home-away-from-home. Homestay can be arranged for as short as a week, or for long term placements while students go to a Canadian high school. We have our own full-time homestay coordinator and all families have been carefully screened before being included in our program.

Our host families

- Live in a house, not an apartment
- Are 30 minutes or less from downtown Victoria and/or your child's school by bus
- Are native speakers of English

Families provide students with

- A private bedroom
- A quiet, well-lit space where the student can study
- Three well-balanced meals a day, plus snacks; the evening meal is a sit-down meal with the family at home.
- A warm, friendly, supportive environment suitable for a teenage student.

STEWART COLLEGE IS FULLY ACCREDITED.

