



THE TRUE CANADIAN EXPERIENCE



ESL Summer Camps

In partnership with the Ottawa Catholic School Board (OCSB), VEGA Academy offers a customized four-week ESL+ Camp in Toronto and Ottawa. The summer camp not only enables you to improve your English level through interactive classes, but you will also learn the fundamentals of your interest course in VEGA Clubs. You will build friendships around the world and enjoy Canada's beautiful scenery, cities, and cultural diversity.





At A Glance:

DATES: July, August 2022
AGES: 13 – 18 years old
DURATION: 4 WEEKS

You have options to stay in Toronto or join OSCB program in Ottawa for the 4th week

OPTION 1: 3 WEEKS - TORONTO, ONTARIO + 1 WEEK OTTAWA

OPTION 2: 4 WEEKS – TORONTO, ONTARIO

Vega Clubs: 18, Excursions and Activities: 19,
Vega Speciality Courses : 8

Perfect Partnership, Exceptional Summer Program

- ★ ESL courses taught by licensed professional and experienced teachers;
- ★ Interactive and engaging ESL learning environment;
- ★ VEGA Club Courses, two afternoons a week; Hosted by some of the most caring and responsible faculty and staff;
- ★ Safe and well-organized living and study support system and services including Homestay
- ★ Offer an orientation and team building day to make your transition a smooth one with our welcoming, engaging teachers and staff.
- ★ Explore spectacular landscapes, adventure opportunities, and warm hospitality during the camp program;
- ★ One of the most inclusive summer camps with rich and interesting extra-curricular activities, trips and cultural tours;



Destinations of Summer ESL Camp Activities

Toronto, Ottawa,
Niagara, Montreal



VEGA ESL PROGRAM

(16 HOURS/WEEK) IN MORNINGS

VEGA CLUB COURSES

(8 HOURS/WEEK) IN AFTERNOONS

You will learn the fundamental concepts, tools,
and learning paths of your interest topic.

ESL Courses

Public Speaking and Presentation
Story Writing
Book Club
My Portfolio

Interest Courses

Introduction to Web Design
Introduction to Business Leadership
Introduction to Computer Programming
Introduction to Fine Arts, Media and Design



Summer Camp Program



English Program (ESL): 16 hours per week

After the orientation, you will all take an English proficiency placement test and be placed in one of our English courses according to your results. You will have a minimum of 16 hours of English lessons per week.

VEGA Clubs: 8 hours per week

Based on your placement test result, you will also be placed in VEGA Clubs. If your English abilities are at an upper-intermediate level or higher, you will be able to choose any VEGA Club you wish to enroll. If your test result is lower than the upper- intermediate level, you will have the option to select one of our ESL-related VEGA clubs to improve your English more.

VEGA Club Courses:

Introduction to Web Design

You will learn the fundamental concepts, tools, and learning paths for web design and gain a basic understanding of web development.

Introduction to Business Leadership

You will learn inclusive leadership, communication, management and more. You will build and improve the leadership skills you need to stand out and take your education to the next level.

Introduction to Computer Programming

You will learn the basics of computer programming using a simple and practical approach. You will explore what computer programming is, how we write code, how we get information from computers and what computers do.

Introduction to Fine Arts, Media and Design

You will explore the exciting variety of disciplines and careers in media, design, and the arts. You will gain information about digital media applications, graphic design, creative arts, digital advertising and marketing communications.

ESL Related VEGA Club Courses

Public Speaking and Presentations

You will build your skills step-by-step about how to plan and deliver your presentations skillfully to small audiences and groups and how to manage public speaking in English.

Story Writing

This is a course for the ones who want to write aspiring stories in English. You will learn how to write creative stories, develop your writing skills and improve character prospects.

Book Club

You will read the same book in English with a group of students. At the same time, you will read a certain amount and then discuss it all together. The fun of reading a book together will help you inspire a life-long love of reading.

My Portfolio

You will learn to demonstrate the creative works and unique skills you have attained by preparing your portfolio. Your portfolio will tell a story about your journey in learning a particular craft. While working on your portfolio, you will improve your English competency.

Activities:

First three weeks

- ★ Niagara Falls trip
- ★ African Lion Safari
- ★ Wonderland
- ★ Toronto Island
- ★ CN Tower visit
- ★ Royal Ontario Museum (ROM)
- ★ Ontario Science Centre
- ★ Toronto Downtown Walk
- ★ Ripley's Aquarium
- ★ University of Toronto Campus Tour
- ★ IMAX Movie
- ★ International Night

4th Week

Toronto Option

- ★ Treetop Eco Adventure Park
- ★ Medieval Times
- ★ Toronto Zoo

Ottawa Option with OCSB

- ★ Parliament Building visit
- ★ Indigenous Community visit
- ★ Outdoor camping
- ★ Montreal trip



PRICE:

CAD 6,200 including summer camp program, homestay accommodation with a meal plan, local transportation including airport transfers, course materials, medical insurance and activity fees. Flight is not included in the price.

Note: Upper-Intermediate Level of English is required to register to VEGA Club Interest Courses. Students who complete VEGA Clubs will receive VEGA Academy Achievement Certificate.

Daily Schedule

DAY 1 WELCOME TO TORONTO, CANADA!
SETTLING-IN - HOMESTAY PLACEMENT

1st Week

HOURS	DAY2	DAY3	DAY4	DAY5	DAY6	DAY7	DAY8
	BREAKFAST AT HOMESTAY						WONDER-LAND
9AM-1PM	ORIENTATION & PLACEMENT	1ST DAY ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS		
1PM-2PM	LUNCH						
4PM-6PM	FREE DAY WITH HOST FAMILY	VEGA TEAM BUILDING	CN TOWER /TORONTO DOWNTOWN WALK	VEGA CLUB COURSE	ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM (ROM) VISIT	VEGA CLUB COURSE	
7PM	DINNER						
8PM-10PM	SNACK/PHONE CALLS						
10PM	BED TIME						

2nd Week

HOURS	DAY9	DAY10	DAY11	DAY12	DAY13	DAY14	DAY15
	BREAKFAST AT HOMESTAY						
9AM-1PM		ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS		ENGLISH CLASS	
1PM-2PM		LUNCH				LUNCH	
4PM-6PM	FREE DAY WITH HOST FAMILY	RIPLEY'S AQUARIUM	ONTARIO SCIENCE CENTRE VISIT	VEGA CLUB COURSE	AFRICAN LION SAFARI	VEGA CLUB COURSE	TORONTO ISLAND
7PM	DINNER						
8PM-10PM	SNACK/PHONE CALLS						
10PM	BED TIME						

3rd Week

HOURS	DAY16	DAY17	DAY18	DAY19	DAY20	DAY21	DAY22	
	BREAKFAST AT HOMESTAY							
9AM-1PM		ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	NIAGARA FALLS	ENGLISH CLASS	TRANSPOR- TATION TO OTTAWA	
1PM-2PM	FREE DAY WITH HOST FAMILY	LUNCH				LUNCH		
4PM-6PM		UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO CAMPUS TOUR	VEGA CLUB COURSE	IMAX MOVIE DAY		VEGA CLUB COURSE		
7PM		DINNER						
8PM-10PM		SNACK/PHONE CALLS						
10PM		BED TIME						
						VEGA INTERNATIONAL NIGHT CELEBRATION		

4th Week

OPTION II- Continue to your 4th week of Summer Camp with VEGA Academy in Toronto

HOURS	DAY23	DAY24	DAY25	DAY26	DAY27	DAY28
	BREAKFAST AT HOMESTAY					
9AM-1PM		ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	ENGLISH CLASS	TORONTO ZOO
1PM-2PM	FREE DAY WITH HOST FAMILY	LUNCH				
4PM-6PM		TREETOP ECO ADVENTURE PARK OR CASA LOMA	VEGA CLUB COURSE PROJECT & SELF STUDY	MEDIEVAL TIMES	VEGA CLUB COURSE PROJECT & SELF STUDY	
7PM	DINNER					
8PM-10PM	SNACK/PHONE CALLS					
10PM	BED TIME					

HAVE A SAFE FLIGHT BACK HOME!

HOPE TO SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

VEGA & OCSB TEAMS



COVID Protocols: Summer 2022 camp registration is now open; however, the operation of summer camps is dependent on Toronto Public Health regulations. If summer camps are cancelled, the VEGA Academy will fully refund the camp fee.

Our summer camp providers will have provided their guidelines/plans to comply with Ontario Ministry of Health and Toronto Public Health guidelines. Many of our camps are staffed by teachers who have operated with these protocols firsthand this past year.

Accommodation (Homestay): VEGA Academy International Student Program partners with MLI Homestay to provide an amazing experience for both host families and international students. MLI will offer sessions to provide detailed information for the Homestay option. <https://www.mlihomestay.com/>

MLI Homestay, the homestay division of MLI – Muskoka Language International

Working with MLI Homestay is a Family Experience At the heart of our work day is a belief that we are helping visitors as they grow and learn. In Canada MLI Homestay reaches across the country, supporting a network of incredible host families, education partners and international visitors with focused, personalized attention to the needs of each community.
www.mlihomestay.com

MLI Homestay is focused on the safety and well-being of our students and community, therefore all students arriving for summer camps will be required to show proof of double vaccination.



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