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About Us

The IH Net Pacific Group has been running the highest quality language programs to students from around the world since 1990. With multiple locations in North America (Vancouver, and San Diego), we offer a wide variety of courses and active social programs.

All our schools are accredited and inspected regularly by International House World, an educational trust founded in 1953 by John and Brita Haycraft. Their aim was to raise the standards of language teaching world-wide and this aim has remained central to the organization ever since. IH Vancouver is accredited by Languages Canada and the Better Business Bureau. They have designation from both the British Columbia Private Training Institutions Branch (PTIB) and Education Quality Assurance (EQA).



The School

Located in Downtown Vancouver our location offers easy access to several of the city's attractions.

The modern, purpose built campus boasts 23 classrooms, a student lounge, a computer lab (free internet and excellent wifi throughout the school) as well as a cinema, art gallery, a variety of shops and numerous dining venues all under the same roof.



General English & **Electives**

IH Vancouver is proud to offer you English courses at all levels from beginner to advacned.

Our flexible schedule and wide variety of available classes allows you to study exactly what you want to achieve your personal goals.



Daily Schedule					
Period A	Period B				
08:50-09:40	09:50-10:40				
General English Integrated Skills	General English Integrated Skills				
Period C	Period D				
10:50-11:40	12:30 - 13:20				
General English Integrated Skills	Focus on Speaking / Listening				
Period E	Period F				
13:30 – 14:20	14:30 – 15:20				
Pre-Grammar	Idioms				
Grammar and Writing	English Through Media				
Academic Writing	Vocabulary for Business				
Listening Skills	Vocabulary and Speaking				
Reading Skills	Current Events				
Pronunciation	IELTS Oral Preparation				
Advanced Grammar	Academic Fluency				
Survival	English				
City	Talk				
Resume Writing 8	& Interview Skills				
TOEIC Pro	eparation				
Academic F	ilm Studies				
English fo	r Oil&Gas				
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Required Levels

CATEGORY	COURSE NAME		RE	QUI	RED) LE	VEL	.S								
	(ib)	PERIOD	Beginner	Elementary	Pre-Intermediate A	Pre-Intermediate B	Pre-Intermediate Step	Lower Intermediate A	Lower Intermediate B	Lower Intermediate Step	Mid-Intermediate	Mid-Intermediate Step	Upper Intermediate	Upper Intermediate Step	Lower Advanced	Upper Advanced
GENERAL	General Integrated English	ABC														
ENGLISH	Focus on Speaking / Listening	D														<u> </u>
	Pre-Grammar	E														
	Grammar and Writing	E														
	Academic Writing	E														
	Listening Skills	E														\triangleleft
	Reading Skills	E														
	Pronunciation	E														
	Advanced Grammar	E														
	Idioms	F														
	English Through Media	F														\triangleleft
	Vocabulary for Business	F														4
ELECTIVES	Vocabulary and Speaking	F														
	Current Events	F														$ lap{4}$
	TOEFL/IELTS Oral Preparation	F														<u> </u>
	English Through Song	F														\blacktriangleleft
	Survival English	EF														
	City Talk	EF														\blacktriangleleft
	Resume Writing	EF														•
	TOEIC Preparation	EF														
	Academic Film Studies	EF														
	English for Oil & Gas	EF														
	Guided Conversation	G														
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General English & Electives

IH offers a wide range of course and program options with courses of **15, 20, 30 or 35 lessons per week**.

Mornings are generally dedicated to **General English** whereas in the afternoon students have a **vast choice of elective classes** to **fit their individual interests** and needs.

Time Schedule

LESSONS	Period A	Period B	Period C	Period D	Period E	Period F	Period G
/ WEEK	08:50-09:40	09:50-10:40	10:50-11:40	12:30-13:20	13:30-14:20	14:30-15:20	15:30-16:20
15	IHV-15	Semi-Intens	ive AM				
15					IHV-1	5 Semi-Inte	nsive PM
20	IHV	/-20 Semi-In	tensive Plus	AM .			
20				IHV	-20 Semi-In	tensive Plus	PM
30			IHV-30 I	ntensive			
35			IHV-	35 Intensive	Plus		



Level System

IH WORLD	LEVEL												
1	2		3			4			5		6	7	8
COMMON EL	JROPEAN FRAI	MEWORK OF RE	FERENCE										
A1		A	2			:	31			B2		C1	C2
CANADIAN L	ANGUAGE BEN	ICHMARKS											
1	2	;	3	4	Ę	5	6		7	8	9	10 11	12
IELTS					4.	.0	4.5	5.0	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.0 - 7.5	8.0 +
IBT TOEFL					57	63	69	75	81	87 - 98	99 - 109	110	- 120
TOEIC		360	420	480	550	600	650	700	750	800	900	950	- 990
IH VANCOU	JVER GENER	AL ENGLISH	LEVELS										
Beginner	Elementary	Pre- Intermediate A	Pre- Intermediate B	Pre- Intermediate Step	Lower Intermediate A	Lower Intermediate B	Lower Intermediate Step	Mid- Intermediate	Mid- Intermediate Step	Upper Intermediate	Upper Intermediate Step	Lower Advanced	Upper Advanced
Can interact in a simple way; asking and answering simple questions about topics close to them.	Can make simple transactions in shops, information klosks, etc. and can handle short social exchanges.	Can manage simple, routine exchanges and can give and exchange information on familiar topics in predictable situations.	Can give a simple description or presentation on general daily topics.	Can express feelings in simple terms and can give extended descriptions on familiar topics.	Can generally follow main points of a discussion and express oneself comprehensibly with effort.	Can manage non-routine situations and can take initiative in interactions.	Can better manage and take an active part in discussions and can provide concrete information.	Can give clear descriptions, detailed instructions and interact with some confidence.	Can participate in discussion and provide relevant examples to support a point of view.	Can participate naturally and fluently in a discussion and has enough awareness to correct language if it causes misunder-standing.	Can give feedback and follow-up statements to develop discussions and can effectively use persuasive language to achieve goals.	Can produce clear, smoothly flowing and well-structured speech and can logically connect their speech to maximize effectiveness.	Can convey finer shades of meaning and employ discoursal devices so that a listener is not aware of any problems in communica- tion.
IH VANCOU	IVER <mark>EAP</mark> LE	VELS											
Beginner	Elementary	Pre-Intermed	iate Pre-In	termediate	Lower Intermediate	Lower Intermediate	EA	P1	EA	P 2	Un	iversity Entrar	ice

Exam Preparation



IH Vancouver offers a wide range of exam preparation classes. Here is why you should choose IH Vancouver to prepare for your English exam:

Required Levels

IH VANCOUVER LEVELS	T0EFL	TOEIC	IELTS	B2 First (FCE)	C1 Advanced (CAE)
Beginner					
Elementary					
Pre-Intermediate A					
Pre-Intermediate B					
Pre-Intermediate Step					
Lower Intermediate A					
Lower Intermediate B					
Lower Intermediate Step					
Mid-Intermediate					
Mid-Intermediate Step					
Upper Intermediate					
Upper Intermediate Step					
Lower Advanced					
Upper Advanced					

Exam preparation classes available for









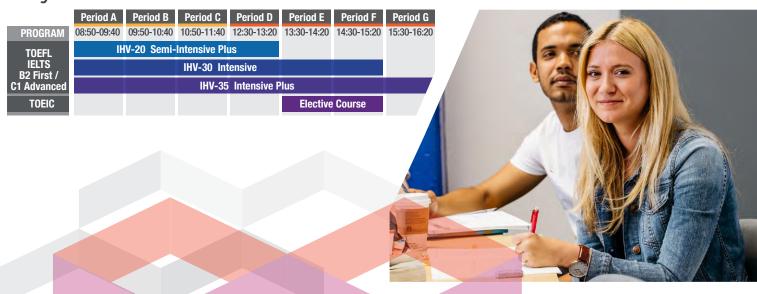


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- Regular and flexible start dates
- High Success Rate on all examinations
- Regular, full-length practice tests
- Experienced instructors trained to teach exam preparation classes
- · All skill areas covered for all examinations



Daily Schedule





Private/Semi-Private Tuition & Combined Courses

Private (one-on-one) or **semi-private (two-on-one)** tutoring is an excellent way to get the most out of your studies.

You will be given a **detailed assessment** and **level test** at the **start of your studies** to determine the areas you need to work on the most.

And you will be matched with an experienced qualified teacher who will **customize a learning program** for you to **target the skills** that are most relevant for you.



In order to get the benefits of group lessons but still receive customized tuition choose one of our Combined Courses.

With a Combined Course you get group lessons in the morning for General English and one or two private lessons in the afternoon tailored to your personal needs.





Business English

The Business English course is an excellent choice when you want to improve your English to advance your career.

The Business English course at International House Vancouver will provide you with the opportunity for intensive English studies in a business context. Weekly modules will help you develop important skills such as writing business emails, participating in meetings and giving formal and informal presentations.

You will improve your business vocabulary and gain confidence in your English fluency and comprehension.



Required Levels

IH VANCOUVER LEVELS	BUSINESS ENGLISH
Beginner	
Elementary	
Pre-Intermediate A	
Pre-Intermediate B	
Pre-Intermediate Step	
Lower Intermediate A	
Lower Intermediate B	
Lower Intermediate Step	
Mid-Intermediate	
Mid-Intermediate Step	
Upper Intermediate	
Upper Intermediate Step	
Lower Advanced	
Upper Advanced	

Course Objectives

- Develop business vocabulary
 - Develop understanding of current global business practices and analyze in an English medium
 - Improve English language fluency in all skill areas
 - Build inter-cultural awareness and linguistic skills in the business context

Daily Schedule

LESSONS	Period A	Period B	Period C	Period D	Period E	Period F	Period G
/ WEEK	08:50-09:40	09:50-10:40	10:50-11:40	12:30-13:20	13:30-14:20	14:30-15:20	15:30-16:20
20	IH	V-20 Semi-	Intensive Plu	JS			
30			IHV-30 Int	ensive			
35			IHV-35	Intensive P	lus		





Pathway Programs

Would you like to study at a University or College in Canada?

IH Vancouver's pathway program is an excellent choice if you want to pursue further studies in North America.

What we offer

- -30 lessons per week of English language study, including intensive English for Academic Purposes
- Small class sizes
- Personal academic advice and assistance with your college/university entrance
- Highly qualified instructors who specialize in teaching Academic English
- Assistance in choosing a university or college most suited to your academic needs
- Carefully selected, high quality partner institutions at both college and university level

The IH Vancouver guarantee

If you complete the second level of English for Academic Purposes followed by 8 weeks in either TOEFL or IELTS and have still not reached the English level required to enter the university or college of your choice, you can continue to study for free at IH Vancouver.*

- * Attendance and grade requirements must be met in all classes
- * This guarantee only applies to meeting English language proficiency requirements. Partner institutions' requirements for admission must all be met.



Roadmap to Success

* Attendance: 80% / Score: 75% regired

* Minimum Timeframe - 48 week / For Students starting from Level 1



Program Overview

The IH Vancouver Pathway Program is designed to give you the language and cultural skills needed to succeed in North American universities or colleges.

When you enter the Pathway Program, and meet the required English level, you will study in **the English for Academic** Purposes (EAP) Course. (Followed by an IELTS Preparation course if required.)

When you successfully complete the program, you will finish with the ability to write, speak and listen at a level acceptable for academic studies in Canada.

English for Academic Purposes consists of two levels

EAP1

12 weeks/20 EAP lessons + 10 elective lessons per week

Students will finish with an IELTS 5.5 or higher

EAP2

12 weeks/20 EAP lessons + 10 elective lessons per week

Students will finish with an IELTS 6.5 or higher

partner institutions

IH Vancouver is careful in selecting our university and colleges partners. Our partner schools share our dedication to providing the best education and opportunities to our students. All our students receive ongoing academic advice during their studies. We will assist you throughout the application process and transition to post-secondary studies.







Discover What's New





















Please note that our list of partner institutions is updated regularly. For the most current list, please visit our website.

International HouseVancouver

Junior Programs



VVINTETDecember/January/February

Homestay Teen Program

ages 13 - 17

Our Teen Summer/Winter program has been developed to meet the specific needs of teenage English language learners. This program offers a unique blend of language and content learning both in and out of the classroom that activates the language for our teen students.

Accommodation is available with our caring homestay families.

- Educational contents specifically designed for teens
- Open to students of all English abilities
- Interesting and educational field trips
- Offered in summer and winter











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Lunch	11:45 -	12:4
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^{*}Activities are subject to change.



Children's Adventure Program

ages 5-12

The Children's Adventure Program is a truly unique program designed for children aged 5 to 12 of all English abilities. Your children can interact and make friends with other children from all over the world.

- Theme-based curriculum that is closely tied to content areas covered in elementary school
- Small class sizes for an intensive learning environment
- Classes taught by qualified **elementary school teachers**
- Integrated, twice-weekly activities & field trips (see calendar)
- Offered in summer and winter
- Accommodation options available for families traveling together
- Daily **drop-off and pick-up required** by parent or guardian

All children under the age of 12 must be accompanied by a parent or a group leader.

Homestay accommodation is available for this program and can be arranged for the children & their caretaker.















Sample (Calendar					Lunch Time - 11:45-12:3
THEME		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	WEEK 1					
Canada -	8:45 - 11:45	HOLIDAY	Language Class	Fort Langley &	Language Class	BBQ & Games
Calldud	12:45 - 15:00	No Classes	Canada	Derby Reach Park	Canada	at Kits Beach
	WEEK 2					
	8:45 - 11:45	Language Class	Vanadaman Amaraham	Language Class	Calman Hatabani	Language Class
Ocean	12:45 - 15:00	Ocean	Vancouver Aquarium	Ocean	Salmon Hatchery	Ocean
	WEEK 3					
63	8:45 - 11:45	Language Class		Language Class		Language Class
Earth 🔰	12:45 - 15:00		Playland		Jericho Beach	
	WEEK 4					
Dur World	8:45 - 11:45	Language Class		Language Class	Maplewood Farm /	Language Class
Canadian Anima / Heroes	ls 12:45 - 15:00	Our World	Grouse Mountain	Our World	Cates Park	Our World
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	WEEK 4					
Our World Canadian Animals / Heroes	8:45 - 11:45 12:45 - 15:00	Language Class Our World	Grouse Mountain	Language Class Our World	Maplewood Farm / Cates Park	Language Class Our World
	WEEK 5					
Space	8:45 - 11:45	Language Class	HR McMillan	Language Class	Science	Language Class
	12:45 - 15:00	Space	Space Centre	Space	World	Space
	WEEK 6					
Rainforest	8:45 - 11:45	HOLIDAY	Language Class	Capilano	Language Class	Stanley Park
Kalliforest	12:45 - 15:00	No Classes	Rainforest	Suspension Bridge	Rainforest	Stalley Falk
	WEEK 7					
Insect	8:45 - 11:45	Language Class	Harrist and Control	Language Class	BBQ & Games	Language Class
	12:45 - 15:00	Insect	Honeybee Centre	Insect	at Kits Beach	Insect
					All schedules and activiti	ioe are cuhiort to channe









Families and IH Vancouver

At IH Vancouver we are happy to welcome your whole family. Your children can study in either our Teen or Children's Adventure program at our nearby campus, while parents can join one of our many adult courses and improve their English to make their most of your time in Vancouver.



Residential Programs for Juniors & Teens ages 9-12 / ages 13-17

The IH Vancouver Summer Residential Program is perfect for both **Juniors** (aged 9-12) and **Teens** (aged 13-17). With beautiful locations such as the **University of British Columbia** (UBC), you will find the ideal location to experience life on a **Canadian university campus**.

You will experience a combination of intensive, **small-group** English classes, specialized activity programs and fun excursions off campus.

You will both **study and live on-campus** and stay in the university dormitories. Join with students from **all over the world** and make friends to last a lifetime.

Some features of this program are:

- all-inclusive package price, including tuition, accommodation 3 meals per day, 24-hour supervision and 2-way airport transfer.
- all study and activity materials included (*unless otherwise stated)
- daily activities and weekend excursions
- farewell party and barbecue every Friday

Special activity options

available including:

- Arts Program
- Sports Program
- Media Program
- Youth Leadership Program

The program runs in **July and August** and is available to two different age groups:

- Juniors: 9-12 / Teens: 13-17

Sample Calendar / Junior Prorgram

Lunch 12:45 - 14:00

SUNDAY		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	WEEK 1						
Arrival , Orientation Campus Tour & Games	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day Excursion
	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Granville Island / Water park	Activity Options	Maplewood Farm	Activity Options	Britannia Beach, Mining Museum &
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Ice Skating	Board games/ Challenge night	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Journal club/ Group activities	BBQ and Karaoke	Lighthouse Park
	WEEK 2						
Matuataria	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day Excursion
Metrotown	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Stanley Park	Activity Options	Science world	Activity Options	Victoria (including Butchart
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Swimming	Board games/ Challenge night	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Journal club/ Group activities	BBQ and dance party	Garden ticket)
	WEEK 3						
51.1.1	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	
Playland	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Space Centre	Activity Options	Rockclimbing & Gastown	Activity Options	All Day Excursion Grouse Mountain
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Board games <i>l</i> Challenge night	Journal club/ Group activities	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Ice Skating	BBQ and dance party	Ol OUSE PIOUIICAIII
	WEEK 4						
Splashdown	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day Excursion
Water Park / Tsawwassn Mills	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Stanley Park	Activity Options	Science World	Activity Options	Victoria (including Butchart
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Swimming	Board games <i>l</i> Challenge night	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Journal club/ Group activities	BBQ and Karaoke	Garden ticket)
	WEEK 5						
Steveston &	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day Excursion
Laser tag or Bowling	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Deer Lake Boating	Activity Options	Downtown Shopping	Activity Options	Capilano Suspension Bridge /
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Ice Skating	Board games <i>l</i> Challenge night	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Journal club/ Group activities	BBQ and dance party	Lonsdale Quay
	WEEK 6						
	08:45 - 12:45	Placement Test-Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Final Day of Program
Sports day	14:00 - 18:00	Activity Options	Vancouver Aquarium	Activity Options	Walkway UBC	Activity Options	No Activities
Movie Night	19:00 - 21:00	Ice Skating	Board games/ Challenge night	Discover Canada / Pizza night	Journal club/ Group activities	BBQ and Karaoke	Check out of UBC

^{*}Schedules are subject to change.









^{*}Activity Options are available for Monday, Wednesday amd Friday afternoon.
*Activity Programs are not available on Student's Arrival and Departure Dates.

High School Preparation Program

ages 13-17

IH Vancouver's High School Preparation Program is specially designed to both improve your overall English level and prepare yourself for studying in a Canadian High School.

Spending one year or longer in a Canadian High School has become a very popular option and is a great way to increase your global competence in our modern, inter-connected world.

Our High School Preparation Program will help to make sure you are able to get the most of this education experience and are ready to succeed.

	LESSONS	Period A Period B Period C Period D			Period E Period F		
	/ WEEK	08:50-09:40	09:50-10:40	10:50-11:40	12:30-13:20	13:30-14:20	14:30-15:20
WEEK 1	30		General	Social Studies			
WEEK 2	30		General	Scie	nce		
WEEK 3	30	General English				Mathematics	
WEEK 4	30	General English				English L	iterature



Children's English Immersion



IH Vancouver's Children English Immersion Program is designed to help your child improve his or her English level in a fully immersive English environment. Our classes are divided by age and focus on themes to fully engage your child in their learning.

With fully-integrated, cross-curricular lessons, your child will use English to activate their learning through topics of interest to them.

Family activity programs included.

LESSONS / WEEK	Period A 08:50-09:40	Period B	Period C	
30	00:30-09:40	General	 Activities	

Sample Activities

WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	Granville Island	Metrotown	Science World	Jericho Beach	Movie
2	Stanley Park	Burnaby Village	Vancouver Aquarium	UBC	Swimming
3	Maplewood Farm	Salmon Hatchery	Fly Over Canada	Visit Animal Shelter	Story Time at the Library
4	Treasure Hunt	Skating	Space Centre	Crafts	Playground

Accommodation

We want our students to feel at home during their stay in Vancouver and take particular care in choosing suitable accommodation options. We offer two types of accommodation:





Student House

IH Vancouver maintains two student houses.

Student house points:

- Available to students over 19 years of age.
- Offers independent living by sharing an entire house with other students.
- Both private and shared rooms are available.
- Kitchen, bathroom and laundry facilities are shared
- Meals are not included
- Bed linens are provided but students should bring their own towel.
- Internet, TV and telephone service all included





Homestay

Our homestays are carefully selected and located in safe and pleasant residential neighbourhoods. Homestay accommodation gives students the chance to participate in some of the family life, experience a different culture and most of all, practice their English skills at home.

It typically takes between 20 to 50 minutes to get to and from the school by public transit.

Homestay points:

- A private room with a bed, desk and storage space
- Full-board (breakfast, lunch and dinner)
- Shared bathroom (private bathroom available on request for an extra fee), laundry facilities, TV and free internet
- Linen, towels and toilet paper
- For special requests (diet, size of room, specifics of family) please be advised that availability is not guaranteed and extra charges will be applied



IH organizes a wide range of optional in-class, after school, evening and weekend activities. Students can participate in seasonal events such as skating, biking, pumpkin carving or beach parties, as well as social clubs, cultural festivals and

> In addition to regular activities, a number of day and weekend excursions to popular destinations are available. Experience the best that western Canada has to offer at affordable, student rates!



Sample Activity Schedule

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Welcome new students	Art Gallery	Granville Island	Bowling	Hockey	Whistler	Stanley Park
Welcome new students	Canada Place	Night Club	Karaoke Night		Rockies Tour	
Welcome new students	English Bay	Harbour Centre Look	Conversation Pub	Ice Skating	Victoria	Seattle
Welcome new students	Movie Night	Gastown	Grouse Grind	Theme Week	Deep Cove	Soccer



Other Services

in Vancouver

At IH Vancouver we want to make sure that our students have the best possible experience and therefore we are pleased to offer a range of additional services:

- Airport transfers from Vancouver International Airport
- Medical Insurance
- Academic counseling
- Access to academic resources
- Homework club
- Student library
- Info sessions for continuing studies





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