

# CAMOSUN VICTORIA, BC \*

**CELA - CAMOSUN ENGLISH LEARNING ADVENTURES - 2020** 



## CAMOSUN ENGLISH LEARNING ADVENTURES (CELA)

CELA is an activity-based program where you can apply your English in a practical environment. These two-week and four-week English as a Second Language (ESL) programs help expand vocabulary and communication skills through exciting curriculum in the classroom and applied activities on and off campus.

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#### **CELA IS SPECIFICALLY CREATED FOR:**

- International students, visitors, or newcomers to Canada who want to improve their conversational skills and overall English competency
- Beginner to intermediate level English learners from around the world, aged 15 and 29
- Students interested in learning English while exploring the outdoors with participants from other cultures
- Students interested in exploring careers and academic programming at one of Canada's leading public institutions in beautiful Victoria, BC



#### **ACTIVITIES** • • • • • • • • • • • • •

**CELA students have** the opportunity to practice English while exploring the many tourist attractions that Victoria has to offer.



### A TRULY UNIQUE EXPERIENCE

Our students benefit from Camosun's applied programming.

In addition to our exciting language and culture curriculum, CELA students will participate in an introduction to restaurant operations in the Dunlop House – our professional hospitality management learning facility – and will learn about 3D laser scanners in our state-of-the-art Interaction Lab.

CELA's applied learning format broadens our students' learning experience, while unlocking their creative and entrepreneurial thinking and enhancing their conversational English skills.









CELA STUDENTS ON A CULTURAL EXCURSION TO ESQUIMALT LAGOON



CELA STUDENTS LEARNING MIXOLOGY AT CAMOSUN'S DUNLOP HOUSE

### HOW TO APPLY

Individual applicants: Submit online application and supporting documents through camosun.ca/cela

**Groups**: Please contact **global@camosun.ca** for information about group offers and chaperone discounts.

#### **PROGRAMS AND DEADLINES**

| Program     | Length  | Application/fee deadline | Arrival<br>in Victoria | Program<br>Start Date | Departure<br>from Victoria |
|-------------|---------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Spring CELA | 2 weeks | January 8, 2020          | February 23, 2020      | February 24, 2020     | March 7, 2020              |
| July CELA   | 4 weeks | May 20, 2020             | July 5, 2020           | July 6, 2020          | August 1, 2020             |
| August CELA | 4 weeks | June 17, 2020            | August 3, 2020         | August 4, 2020        | August 29, 2020            |

#### **2020 INTAKE DATES**

February 24 | July 6 | August 4

All CELA programs need a minimum of 15 students to run (cohorts and individual applicants combined, internationally). Please contact the Global Partnerships Specialist at global@camosun.ca to make sure the program you are interested in meets the minimum requirement. Programs that do not meet the minimum requirement are subject to modification or cancellation.

#### **HOUSING**

CELA students and teachers or guardians who accompany groups can apply for Camosun Placement or arrange their own accommodation.

Our **HOMESTAY PROGRAM**\*, where you **live with a local family**, is an excellent accommodation choice for CELA participants who want to maximize their intercultural experience. Homestay placements are limited, so **apply early**.

\*Camosun International will make every effort to place participants through its Homestay program. However, Camosun homestay placements are limited. If we are not able to place you through our homestay program, we will help arrange a placement through our trusted partner Canada Homestay Network.

#### **ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE**

All CELA participants (groups and individual applicants) **must** arrive **one day before** and leave Canada **one day after the scheduled CELA program dates.** Homestay placements are based on the scheduled program dates. If you choose to arrive or depart outside of these days, you are responsible for arranging your own accommodation.

#### **LEGAL GUARDIAN**

All CELA participants must be at least 15 years old. If you are between the ages of 15 to 18, you are welcome to join CELA; however, we require that you identify a guardian who will be in Victoria during the time you are studying. This could be your accompanying teacher, chaperone, or family member.

### CUSTOMIZED PROGRAMS

In addition to our popular CELA program, we may offer customized programming for groups of students who are interested in coming to Camosun on a study tour and teacher development for educators who would like a customized teacher training/faculty development program.

If you have a **group of 15 or more** participants, please contact Global Partnerships Specialist at **global@camosun.ca** for more information.



### INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAM FEES (REGULAR CELA AND CUSTOMIZED PROGRAMMING):

- Tuition
- Airport/ferry terminal pick-up and drop-off
- Homestay placements including meals
- English lessons taught by Camosun's English Language Development Instructors, all of whom have Masters degrees or higher
- Learning materials (textbook, handouts, etc.)
- Access to Camosun's English Help Centres and private tutoring
- Certificate of completion
- Admission and transportation to all scheduled cultural activities.
   All activities are facilitated by experienced student leaders/Camosun International staff.
- City bus pass or tickets for unlimited local use
- A Camosun College gift

#### **Optional features at an additional cost:**

- Health insurance while enrolled in the CELA program
- Saturday activities

Please note the fees do not include international travel, personal items, incidental expenses or the cost of accommodation for the accompanying teacher(s)/chaperone(s).







### VICTORIA









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Camosun College campuses are located on the traditional territories of the Lkwungen and WSÁNEĆ peoples.

#### **LANSDOWNE** CAMPUS

#### **Camosun International**

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#### **INTERURBAN** CAMPUS

#### **Camosun International**

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