

# EF INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE SCHOOLS (CANADA) LTD., operating as

## **EF INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE CAMPUS**

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PTIB Institution ID Number:	03958
This institution is designated by the Private Training Institutions Branch	⊠ Yes □ No

# **Private Training Institutions Branch**

Suite 203-1155 West Pender St. Vancouver, BC, V6E 2P4

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	STUD	ENT INFORMA	TION		
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Student Last Name			Student First Name and Middle Name		dle Name
Student First Name			Student's Pers Reference		nal Number (EF
Student Home Country Mailing A	Address			Postal Code	2
Student Canada Mailing Address				Postal Code	
Student Telephone Number	Alternate Te Number	lephone	Student Ma	ain Email Addr	ress
International Student:	Yes	☐ No			
Date of Birth:			Gender		
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	PROGRAM	INFORMATION	
English as a Second Language			
Program Name (as designa	Program Name (as designated by PTIB)		
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Program Duration in Hours	Program Duration Total in Hours	Program Start	Date Program End Date
Credential Issued on Completion*	☐ Diploma	Certificate	
*(For APP students, a Diploma is issued;			
For LS students, a Certificate is issued)			
Program Delivery Method	⊠ On-	Distance	Online
(select all that apply)	Site		
Language of Instruction	English		
	DD	IVACY	
	FIN	IVACI	
Under the Personal Inform	nation Protection Act stude	ents are entitled to acces	ss their student file.
The personal information of	collected will only be used t	for the purpose for whic	h it was originally collected or
for a use consistent with the			
information in accordance			lect, use and disclose personal ne Act. Accordingly, this
institution is authorized to		_	- ·
	PROGRAM ADMIS	SION REQUIREMENTS	
General English Course			
the student must be 16 English language instruc a foreign language have Enrolment Form and se	years of age or older (13 yeartion. Therefore, all students met the admission requirer and it to the EF office along w	ars for the junior program s 13/16 years of age or old ments. To enroll, the stud with the non-refundable E	F language program, except that n). Anyone can benefit from der who desire to learn English as lent has to complete this inrolment Fee and an optional is up to \$250 (domestic)/\$1000
(Program admis	sion requirements may no	t be waived by the stud	lent or the institution)

# LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY POLICY

- EF International Language Campus in Vancouver is an English language school. There is no requirement regarding previous English language proficiency to attend the school. Anyone who meets the age requirement can attend our general English courses. Special requirements exist for the University Preparation program as outlined in the Admissions Policy.
- Students will be taking an English language test, the EFSET test, to assess their language level. This test can be taken online prior to arrival at the school or in person (online or paper-based) once the student has arrived at the school. Based on the test results, students will be placed in one of EF's six stages of the CEFR (Common European Frame of Reference), an established scale, which ranges from complete beginner to advanced proficiency.

#### **DISPUTE RESOLUTION POLICY**

- 1. This policy governs complaints from students respecting EF International Language Campus and any aspect of its operation. Student will not be subject to any form of retaliation as a result of filing a complaint.
- 2. We want all students to have the best EF experience possible and be happy at all times. If any student is feeling unhappy in any way, we encourage all students to speak with the School Director/Senior Onsite Administrator as soon as possible in order to resolve any dissatisfaction as soon as possible.
- 3. If a student has a complaint pertaining to their program, all student complaints must be made in writing.
- 4. The student must provide the written complaint to the School Director, Daniela Geremia who is responsible for making determinations in respect of complaints. If the School Director is absent or is named in a complaint, the student must provide the complaint to the Vice President of North America, christian.groth@ef.com.
- 5. The process by which the student complaint will be handled is as follows:

### STEP 1: Assessment

- Academic-related: The School Director will carefully assess all complaints seriously. The School
  Director may meet with the Academic Director/Academic Leader and/or instructors, and/or EF sales
  staff depending on the nature of the complaint prior to reaching a determination.
- Accommodation-related: The School Director will meet with the Housing Director/Accommodation Coordinator, host families, and/or residence advisors, and/or EF-affiliated hotel staff, and EF sales staff prior to reaching any determination.
- Other: The School Director will carefully assess all complaints pertaining to any other aspect of the program and may meet with other EF staff members prior to reaching any determination.

#### STEP 2: Determination

- Written reasons for the determination will be provided to the student within 45 days after the date on which the complaint was made.
- 6. The student making the complaint may be represented by an agent or a lawyer.
- 7. EF's Vancouver campus is a member of Languages Canada, an association for accredited language schools in Canada. If you do not feel that your complaint has been resolved by EF, you can contact them in writing by post at Languages Canada, 5886 169A Street, Surrey, BC, Canada V3S 6Z8. You can also use their online contact form available here: <a href="http://www.languagescanada.ca/en/contact-us">http://www.languagescanada.ca/en/contact-us</a>

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8.	If the student is or was enrolled in an approved program, is dissatisfied with the definished by the institution regarding any significant aspect of that program, he or she the Private Training Institutions Branch. Address: Suite 203 – 1155 West Pender Str. 2P4, Phone: 604-569-0033, email: PTI@gov.bc.ca. Website: www.privatetrainingins	may file a complaint with eet, Vancouver, BC V6E
	ATTENDANCE POLICY	
	In order to receive a certificate (short-term courses) or diploma (long-term courses) course, you must attend 80% of the course and receive a minimum of a C+ grade poversion of the Attendance Policy is in the Student Handbook.	-
	DISMISSAL POLICY	
	Probation and dismissal: students are required to maintain 80% attendance, as well as in good standing. Students with excessive absences and/or who have had disciplinary action taken against them in violation of the EF Student Code put on probation and/or dismissed from the program.	
	PROGRAM COSTS	
	Program Costs (in local currency) & Canadian Dollars	Amount
	Tuition (this amount includes discounts or scholarship amounts)	
	Registration/Application Fee	
	Accommodation & Student Services Fee	
	• Textbooks	
	Summer supplement fee	
	Accommodation supplements (single, residence)	
	Cancellation insurance	
	Travel insurance	
	• Transfer	
	TOTAL PROGRAM FEES (in Canadian Dollars \$CDN)* *	
	TOTAL TUITION (in Canadian Dollars \$CDN)	
	*Prices are set by EF Education First Ltd, Switzerland	

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**Converted at the rate of the booking date

All tuition and accommodation charges are collected by EF Education First Ltd. (a Switzerland incorporated Company). Students enroll and pay for their course in their country of origin in local currency. The student enrollment agreement is with EF Education First Ltd. EF International Language School (Canada) Ltd. contracts with EF Education First Ltd., providing procurement services of facilities and staffing.

**PAYMENT PLAN** 

The revenue amounts stated below are in a currency that the student paid; a total Canadian dollar amount is calculated based on the currency conversion rate on the booking date.

Program Costs will be paid by way of:	(Payment Type)	
Payment Amount(s)		Date(s) Due:

## **REFUND POLICY**

The following tuition refund policy is mandated by the Private Training Institutions Branch in Vancouver, British Columbia. The cancellation and tuition refund policy in the general Terms and Conditions of EF Education First Ltd, Switzerland may vary slightly. At all times, the terms most favorable to the student will apply.

- 1) If the institution receives tuition from the student, or a person on behalf of the student, the institution will refund the student, or the person who paid on behalf of the student, the tuition that was paid in relation to the program in which the student is enrolled if:
  - a. the institution receives a notice of withdrawal from the student no later than seven days after the effective contract date and before the contract start date;
  - b. the student, or the student's parent or legal guardian, signs the student enrolment contract seven days or less before the contract start date and the institution receives a notice of withdrawal from the student between the date the student, or the student's parent or legal guardian, signed the student enrolment contract and the contract start date;
  - 2) The institution will refund the tuition for the program and all related fees paid by the student or a person on behalf of the student enrolled in the program if the student is enrolled in the program without having met the admission requirements and did not misrepresent his or her knowledge or skills when applying for admission.
  - 3) If a student does not attend any of the first 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition paid under the student enrolment contract unless the program is provided solely through distance education.

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- 4) Unless the program is provided solely through distance education, if the institution receives a notice of withdrawal from a student:
  - a. more than seven days after the effective contract date and
    - i. at least 30 days before the contract start date, the institution may retain up to 10% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, to a maximum of \$1,000.
    - ii. less than 30 days before the contract start date, the institution may retain up to 20% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, to a maximum of \$1,300.
  - (a) after the contract start date
    - i. but before 11% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
    - ii. and after 10% but before 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
- 5) Unless the program is provided solely through distance education, if the institution provides a notice of dismissal to a student and the date the institution delivers the notice to the student is:
  - a. before 11% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
  - b. after 10% but before 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
- 6) If the institution provides the program solely through distance education and the institution receives a student's notice of withdrawal or the institution delivers a notice of dismissal to the student and:
  - a. the student has completed and received an evaluation of his or her performance for up to 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, or
  - b. the student has completed and received an evaluation of his or her performance for more than 30% but less than 50% of the program, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
- 7) The institution will refund fees charged for course materials paid for but not received if the student provides a notice of withdrawal to the institution or the institution provides a notice of dismissal to the student.
- 8) Refunds required under this policy will be paid to the student, or a person who paid the tuition or fees on behalf of the student, within 30 days:
  - a. of the date the institution receives a student's notice of withdrawal,
  - b. of the date the institution provides a notice of dismissal to the student,
  - c. of the date that the registrar provides notice to the institution that the institution is not complying with section 1(c) or 2 of this policy, or
  - d. after the first 30% of the hours of instruction if section 3 of this policy applies.
- 9) If an international student delivers a copy of a refusal of a study permit to the institution, sections 1(a), 1(b), 4, 7, and 8 of this policy apply as if the copy of the refusal were a notice of withdrawal, unless:

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a. the international student requests an additional letter of acceptance for the same program that
was the subject of the refusal of a study permit, or the program is provided solely through
distance education.

#### PRIVATE TRAINING INSTITUTIONS BRANCH

Please be advised that under section 61 of the Private Training Act, the Registrar is authorized to collect, use and disclose personal information in accordance with the Registrar's regulatory duties under that Act. Accordingly, this institution is authorized to disclose your personal information to the Registrar for regulatory purposes.

For further information about the Private Training Institutions Branch and the services it provides, students may contact:

203 – 1155 West Pender Street, Vancouver, BC, V6E 2P4
Tel. (604) 569-0033 or 1-800-661-7441
Fax. (778) 945-0606
http://www.privatetraininginstitutions.gov.bc.ca
Email: PTI@gov.bc.ca

This contract is legally binding when signed by the student and accepted by the institution.

## **STUDENT DECLARATION**

- I consent to the Institution sharing my personal information with the Ministry of Advanced Education for research purposes and statistical analysis under the authority of sections 6(2)(a) and 10(1)(a) of the Personal Information Protection Act (PIPA).
- I consent to the sharing, in accordance with Provincial privacy legislation, of my enrolment and reporting information between EF International Language Campus and Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada, as necessary, for the purposes of the International Student Program.
- Should you have any questions about the collection, disclosure and use of personal information you may contact: Director, Regulation, Private Training Institutions Branch, Governance, Legislation and Strategic Policy Division, Ministry of Advanced Education, 203 1155 W. Pender St, Vancouver, BC V6E 2P4 or by telephone at (604 569-0019).

Student Signature Date Signed

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Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian (if under age 19)	Date Signed	

	INSTITUTION DECLARA	ATION
_	to deliver the program according to the same the admission requirements for t	terms of this contract. The institution certifies he program of study.
Printed Name of Institu	tion Representative	Position Title
Signature of Institution	Representative	Date Signed
	PROGRAM OUTLINE	
Brief Program Description	Language teaches students En beginning (A1) to an advance Intensive English, General Eng	ed level (C2) in five different courses: glish, Basic/Junior English, and e courses differ in the number of
Career Occupation (if applicable)	Not applicable to English language រុ	orograms.
Admission Requirements	Students must be 16 or older to part the Junior course, for which stud	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Required Course Materials	ldioms, as well as Business Engli (elective) courses use a variety c	s, as well as a number of special ation, Grammar, Vocabulary and ish. Other special interest of supplementary textbooks. The e uses Cambridge Advanced Result
Equipment required for this Program	EF students have access to a Dell col iPads, which are used in the clas	

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obligated to purchase any equipment except textbooks for the EF program.

Other Materials

Supplementary materials as needed and provided by the centre.

**Program Duration** 

The different courses at EF mainly differ in the number of weekly hours and length of study.

The short-term General, Intensive, and Examination courses are flexible in that the student decides the length of study, from 2 weeks to any desired length.

The Basic course lasts from 2 to 12 weeks.

General and Intensive courses can also be purchased as a set length course for either six months ("Academic Semester" or nine months "Academic Year" or 10 months "Academic Year Extended").

This table describes the weekly number of lessons, also converted into 60-minute clock hours.

EF teaches in 40-minute lessons, two of which are combined into an 80-minute block on the student schedule.

Course type	40-minute lessons	Total number of minutes	60-minute clock hours
Intensive Examination	32	32 x 40 = 1240	: 60 = 21.33
General	26	26 x 40 = 1040	: 60 = 17.33
Basic/Junior	20	20 x 40 = 800	: 60 = 13.33

Homework Hours

Students are expected to complete 1-2 hours per day of homework.

Delivery
 Indicate how the program is delivered
 Method(s)

In-class instruction
 Distance education
 Combined delivery (both in-class and distance)

Instructional
 Method of Delivery
 Contact lessons per week
 Methods

(reflect all methods used)

(reflect all methods used)	
Classroom (Instructor Led)	20-24
Computer Based Training	6-8
(instructor led)	
Distance Education	0
Supervised Lab	0
Work Experience	0

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#### STUDENT SATISFACTION & FAQS

#### Questionnaires

All students complete an initial "Arrival questionnaire" and our policy is that a staff member goes over the questionnaire face to face with each student to ensure comprehension. Students studying for more than 3 weeks also have a mid-point questionnaire, and all students complete a departure questionnaire. Although you should speak to someone in person as soon as possible when you have any questions or concerns, it is very important that you complete the questionnaires when they come up on MyEF. We read each questionnaire carefully and follow up within a day or two. If any aspect of the program is flagged as either "unsatisfied," or "somewhat satisfied," then the School Director will contact you and request a meeting in hopes of addressing any mild concerns.

Students are encouraged to communicate directly with their teachers about their English lessons and specific learning goals. Your teacher is here to help and only wants the best for your English education. If you are not comfortable speaking with your teacher, the Academic Director/Academic Leader is always available to help. If you have any questions or concerns about your accommodation in Vancouver, please speak with EF staff in the Accommodation office as soon as possible. The Accommodation Coordinator will help with any questions or help you to find a solution to any concerns you may have with your accommodation.

If you have any questions with **any other aspect** of your course or feel that your question was not answered in any other department, please speak to the **School Director**, **Daniela Geremia**. The school director will talk to you to about your questions and help ensure satisfaction.

## Changing, shortening or terminating your program

1. If you would like to finish your program earlier than the original date planned, please talk to the Administration Coordinator or School Director:

The Administration Coordinator or School Director will give you a Course Change Notification Form to sign. This form serves as written notification of the request to shorten/change your course. In all cases the Enrolment Fee and Optional Cancellation Insurance are non-refundable. The Refund Policy applies.

- 2. If you would like to change your course type please talk to the Administration Coordinator or School Director: You will need to sign a Course Change Notification Form and the Administration Coordinator/School Director will contact the EF admissions office in your home country or representative sales office for your home country. You will also have to pay a course change administrative fee which is the equivalent of CAD\$75. Your change will be effective the next Monday.
- 3. If you would like to change your accommodation for any reasons that are not deemed an emergency by the Accommodation Coordinator, you will be required to give 2 weeks' notice if you are a short-term student. If you have already moved once and would like to move again for any reason which is not deemed an emergency by the Accommodation Coordinator you will need to give the same notice periods as above and pay an accommodation change fee which is the equivalent of CAN\$75.
- 4. If you would like to transfer to another EF Centre, please talk to the Administration Coordinator:
  You will need to sign a Course Change Notification Form. The Administration Coordinator will contact the EF sales office in your home country or representative sales office for your home country and you will need to pay a

transfer change fee. The fee depends on which EF Centre around the world you are switching to and what course you will be taking. The average transfer change fee will be around CAD\$225.
Please remember: if you have any concerns at all you can talk to any of the school staff who are always ready to listen and assist or put you in touch with the member of staff who can help you.