

FACT SHEET

KITCHENER-WATERLOO,
ONTARIO, CANADA
2023



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The Amazing Experience in Waterloo-Kitchener, Ontario, Canada is a choice for international junior students age 13+ seeking the authentic Canadian experience. Canada is one of the most industrialized countries in the world and enjoys a high standard of living. The Program is developed in communities that form what is called the Canadian "technological triangle", located in the southwest of the province of Ontario, near Toronto and Niagara Falls. They are small cities that have all the services and attractions.

Waterloo-Kitchener is a city of approximately 300,000 inhabitants. Its university is one of the four most important in the region. It has a rich European cultural heritage.

Lessons run at Wilfrid Laurier University based in Waterloo-Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.

PROGRAMMES IN KITCHENER-WATERLOO





Facilities in Kitchener-Waterloo (Home stay):

	DATES	28 June - 25 July 2023 [Wednesday arrivals/departures] 1 August - 22 August 2023 [Tuesday arrivals/departures]
	CAPACITY	100 students
Local facilities	 AGES	13-17 years old
	 LESSONS	20 lessons of English tuition + 10 specialty lessons per week
	 CLASS	Max 15 students per class
	TEACHERS	Fully qualified, experienced English language, Robotics, I.T., and Movie making teachers
Accommodation	 ACTIVITIES	1 full-day excursion per week (if no departure) 1 half-day excursion per week 3 half-days on campus per week 2 full days with family per week (Weekend with family)
	 TRAVEL	Toronto Pearson International Airport (1 h.)





HOMESTAY ACCOMMODATION

For groups requiring homestay accommodation, we have caring and welcoming hosts, carefully selected and vetted by SUL.

Benefits include:

- ✓ Careful matching of students with host families
- ✓ Everyday English communication in an English speaking home
- ✓ Experience of British culture & lifestyle first-hand
- ✓ SUL Local Organiser Support



RESIDENTIAL ACCOMMODATION

Enjoy the space and flexibility of a residential centre, the experience of living in a British boarding school, or the convenience of a hostel for short visits.

Benefits include:

- ✓ Secure accommodation
- ✓ Outdoor space for activities
- ✓ On-site sport* and classroom facilities
- ✓ On-site evening activities to promote communication
- ✓ On-site SUL Course Director Support

*Hostels may not include on-site sport facilities

ON-SITE FACILITIES

(Residential centres)

LOCAL FACILITIES

(Home stay centres)

- All-weather pitch
- Sports hall / centre
- Lecture theatre
- Hall with stage
- Student café / coffee shop
- Playing fields
- Wi-fi access
- Lots of outdoor space
- Laundry service (on request)
- Games room
- Library
- TV lounge
- Classrooms
- Swimming pool (on request)
- Tennis courts
- Art studio
- Cricket pitch
- Theatre
- Music centre
- Football pitches
- Classrooms in nearby schools, colleges or conference centres

ACCOMMODATION

- Full Board
- Half Board
- Number of students in the room
- En-suite
- Shared bathrooms
- Separate accommodation for boys & girls

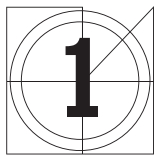




SUL's Canada Experience programme is a perfect choice for international junior students who are aged 13+ seeking a truly Canadian experience. It combines on-campus English lessons with action-packed daily activities and excursions outside the classroom. These provide a wealth of history, culture and exciting places to enjoy.

Students stay with families in Kitchener-Waterloo , Ontario. The selected families reflect this cultural diversity, being one of the requirements to participate in the Program that English is the language spoken at home. The student must dedicate as much time as possible to be with his family to practice English, talk and have the opportunity to learn about their customs.





TAKE MOVIE

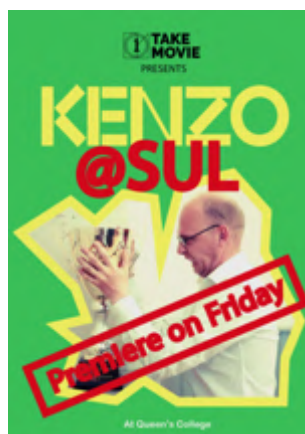
"They did that in one take" is always an impressive statement to make about any film! Getting a scene down in a single take means everyone experiences a moment of perfection, or is it just pure luck?

SUL will run this exciting One Take Movie programme in 2023. We are proud to provide young filmmakers aged 12 to 17 with a unique experience in the art of cinema.

Incorporating both theory and practice, our courses will teach students how to operate equipment and work on a set while providing a clear understanding of the fundamentals of how the art of cinema works.

At the end of our course, students will have written, filmed and edited a high-quality One Take Movie, which we will premiere on SUL's YouTube channel.

Previous movies:



WEEKLY PROGRAMME | WEEKS 1-2

Day		Morning		Afternoon			Evening	
		08:00-08:30	09:00-13:00	13:00-13:45	13:45-16:30	16:30-18:00	18:00-18:30	19:30-21:30
28-Jun	Wed	Arrivals					Dinner with Family	Family Evening
29-Jun	Thu	Breakfast with Family	Testing. English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Orientation. SUL League Ceremony	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
30-Jun	Fri	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Half-Day Excursion: Crawford Lake Native Canadian culture trip		Dinner with Family	Family Evening
01-Jul	Sat	Breakfast with Family	Happy Canada Day - July 1. Weekend with host family				Dinner with Family	Weekend with host family
02-Jul	Sun	Breakfast with Family						
03-Jul	Mon	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Swimming	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
04-Jul	Tue	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	SUL League Awards	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
05-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Canada's Wonderland				Dinner with Family	Family Evening

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		08:00-08:30	09:00-13:00	13:00-13:45	13:45-16:30	16:30-18:00	18:00-18:30	19:30-21:30
05-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Canada's Wonderland / Arrivals				Dinner with Family	Family Evening
06-Jul	Thu	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Half-Day Excursion: Canoeing the Grand		Dinner with Family	Family Evening
07-Jul	Fri	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Sports (Football, Basketball, Tennis) / Pool	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
08-Jul	Sat	Breakfast with Family	Weekend with host family				Dinner with Family	Weekend with host family
09-Jul	Sun	Breakfast with Family						
10-Jul	Mon	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Swimming	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
11-Jul	Tue	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	Laser Tags	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
12-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Niagara Falls				Dinner with Family	Family Evening

* **Specialty Lessons:**

- One Take Movie
- On-campus activities, instead of Specialty Lessons, for students enrolled on a programme 'Experience is Great Britain'

SUL Education reserves the right to make changes to the above programme.

WEEKLY PROGRAMME | WEEKS 3-4

Day		Morning		Afternoon			Evening	
		08:00-08:30	09:00-13:00	13:00-13:45	13:45-16:30	16:30-18:00	18:00-18:30	19:30-21:30
12-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Niagara Falls / Departures				Dinner with Family	Family Evening
13-Jul	Thu	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	Bowling	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
14-Jul	Fri	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Half-Day Excursion: Metalworks Studio and Square One shopping		Dinner with Family	Family Evening
15-Jul	Sat	Breakfast with Family	Weekend with host family				Dinner with Family	Weekend with host family
16-Jul	Sun	Breakfast with Family						
17-Jul	Mon	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Swimming	Host Family Picnic	
18-Jul	Tue	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	SUL League Awards	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
19-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Toronto Day Trip				Dinner with Family	Family Evening

Day		Morning		Afternoon			Evening	
		08:00-08:30	09:00-13:00	13:00-13:45	13:45-16:30	16:30-18:00	18:00-18:30	19:30-21:30
19-Jul	Wed	Breakfast with Family	Full day Excursion: Toronto Day Trip / Departures				Dinner with Family	Family Evening
20-Jul	Thu	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Half-Day Excursion: Crawford Lake Native Canadian culture trip		Dinner with Family	Family Evening
21-Jul	Fri	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	On-campus activities. Sports (Football, Basketball, Tennis) / Pool	Dinner with Family	Family Evening
22-Jul	Sat	Breakfast with Family	Weekend with host family				Dinner with Family	Weekend with host family
23-Jul	Sun	Breakfast with Family						
24-Jul	Mon	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Specialty Lesson*	SUL League Awards	Dinner with Family	SUL League Awards / Farewell Disco
25-Jul	Tue	Breakfast with Family	English Lessons	Lunch	Departures			

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WHICH TEAM WILL BE YOURS?



SUL LEAGUE CATEGORIES

Academic achievement

Got the brains to be the best? Win points by answering questions, achieving goals and producing outstanding work.

Participation

Get involved to score! Show your energetic side and get involved in games, songs and activities to score points for your team.

Language

Gain points for showing an excellent grasp of new language learnt. Lose points for failing to use English in the class.

Environmental awareness

At SUL we look after our environment, and we want you to do the same. Look after your possessions, your classroom and the school grounds to gain points. Fail to do these things, and you will lose points.


Social awareness


Respect towards your teachers and classmates is important, and good manners cost nothing. Show these traits to gain points. Show disrespect, or behave poorly towards the people around you, and you will lose points.




SUL League is a system which helps to enhance the academic and social programmes at SUL, as well as increase the level of students' integration into an academic process and plays an essential part in educating the ones who are passionate about learning.

The SUL League is an exciting and inclusive opportunity for our students to get involved in a Global Project where students from all over the world compete to become SUL League Champions! Four teams and five categories to score points in. Which team will be yours?

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