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TRAVEL OPTIONS TO NANAIMO CAMPUS



AIRPLANE

20 minute flight from Vancouver



BC FERRIES

There are two car/passenger ferry routes linking Vancouver to Nanaimo

Horseshoe Bay to Departure Bay (1.5 hours)

Tsawwassen to Duke Point (2 hours)

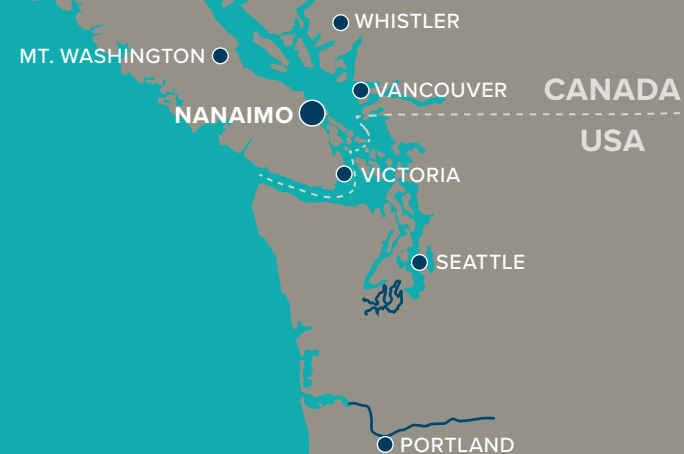


FLOAT PLANE

There are two float plane companies that link Vancouver and Nanaimo

• **Harbour Air** (20 minutes)

• **Sea Air** (20 minutes)



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2019-20

English Language and Culture Programs



world.viu.ca/elc



Study English at a university recognized for teaching excellence

Program	Description	Length per level	Intakes	Tuition cost
Language Foundations (levels 1-3)	A language and culture program focusing on English for personal and professional communication. * Listening & Speaking - 6.5 weeks, Reading & Writing - 6.5 weeks	13 weeks	• Aug 26-Nov 29, 2019 • Oct 15, 2019-Feb 25, 2020 • Jan 6-Apr 14, 2020 • Feb 24-Jun 16, 2020 • Apr 27-Aug 4, 2020 • Jun 15-Oct 20, 2020 (Aug vacation)	\$5,100
University Preparation (levels 4 & 5)	Academic preparation for students who want to study in a Canadian university. Students can enter undergraduate credit studies after successful completion of level 5. * Listening & Speaking - 6.5 weeks, Reading & Writing - 6.5 weeks	13 weeks	• Aug 26-Nov 29, 2019 • Oct 15, 2019-Feb 25, 2020 • Jan 6-Apr 14, 2020 • Feb 24-Jun 16, 2020 • Apr 27-Aug 4, 2020 • Jun 15-Oct 20, 2020 (Aug vacation)	\$5,100
Graduate Preparation	Academic preparation for students who want to study a master's degree in a Canadian university. Students can enter graduate studies after successful completion of Grad Prep.	13 weeks	• Aug 26-Nov 29, 2019 • Jan 6-Apr 14, 2020 • Apr 27-Aug 4, 2020	\$5,100
Bridge VIU	Students can take one University course while studying University Preparation 5.	13 weeks	• Aug 26-Nov 29, 2019 • Jan 6-Apr 14, 2020 • Apr 27-Aug 4, 2020	\$5,100 + \$2,085
TESL certificate	A certificate in Teaching English as a Second or Foreign Language (TESL) with 100 hours of theory plus a 20-hour supervised practicum	3 months part-time 5-weeks full time	• Sep 4-Nov 27, 2019 (part-time) • Jan 15-Apr 8, 2020 (part-time) • Jun 29-Jul 31, 2020 (full-time)	\$2,450

* Students must finish both 6.5 week courses to complete a level

Direct entry scores to VIU

English test requirement	Level of direct entry
IELTS 5.5 (no band lower than 5.0)	University Preparation 4
IELTS 6.0 (no band lower than 5.5)	University Preparation 5
IELTS 6.5 (no band lower than 6.0)	Grad Prep

Sample budget for one semester

Program	One semester of ESL upgrading (13 weeks)
Application Fee	\$150
Tuition	\$5,100
Ancillary Fee	\$297.80
Student Union Fee	\$81.28
Medical Insurance	\$249.50
Homestay Application Fee	\$250
Homestay Deposit (refundable)	\$850
Homestay Fee (\$850/month)	\$3,400
Total	\$10,378.58

Prices are in Canadian dollars, and are subject to change without notice.



Whale Watching



Hiking



Cathedral Grove



Rock Climbing



Caving

Language and Culture Programs for ages 18+

SUMMER AND WINTER

January, February, July and August | 3 or 4 weeks

Features

- 20 hours of English Language instruction per week
- 3 levels: Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced
- Immersion into Canadian language and culture
- Includes social and cultural activities and group day trips

Sample schedule: world.viu.ca/elc/language-and-culture

Program Cost

	4-weeks (July + January)	3-weeks (August + February)
Application fee	\$150	\$150
Program cost	\$1,975	\$1,550
Medical insurance	\$65	\$45
Homestay application fee	\$150	\$150
Homestay accommodation	\$783 (27 nights)	\$580 (20 nights)
Homestay deposit (refundable)	\$850	\$850

Total **\$3,123** **\$2,475**

4-weeks: Jan 14-Feb 7, 2020; July 7-31, 2020 | **3-weeks:** Feb 18-March 6, 2020; Aug 11-28, 2020

for ages 14-18

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING CAMP

June 29 - August 21, 2020 | 1 - 8 weeks

Program Cost

	1 week	2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	5 weeks	6 weeks	7 weeks	8 weeks
Application Fee	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Homestay Application Fee	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
Program cost	1,000	2,000	3,000	4,000	5,000	6,000	7,000	8,000
Total	1,450	2,450	3,450	4,450	5,450	6,450	7,450	8,450

The program cost includes tuition, activities, medical insurance and Homestay accommodation (with 3 meals).

Sample schedule: world.viu.ca/high-school/summer-programs

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