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**CENTRE FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION
English as a Second Language Program**

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Designated Learning Institution Number:
O194256 60270

Winter 2025 In-person Language and Culture Programs

Program Details:

Dates and Fees: February 3 to 21, 2025 \$3220 CAD

March 3 to 21, 2025 \$3220 CAD

The program fee covers:

- Instruction and Materials
- Scheduled program activities and related transportation
- Accommodation during the program dates (check in the day before the program and check out the day after the program)
 - o February program: February 2 to February 22
 - o March program: March 2 to March 22
- Meals during program dates
 - o February program: from breakfast on February 3 until supper on February 21
 - o March program: from breakfast on March 3 until supper on March 21
- Fitness pass for the campus gym and swimming pool
 - o February program: February 3 to February 21
 - o March program: March 3 to March 21
- Arrival and Departure Support

The program fee does not cover:

- Transit pass for personal use
- Health insurance
- Costs for doing personal laundry
- Additional food and accommodation costs outside of program dates
 - o Additional accommodation approximately \$60 per additional night
- Fees for any optional or additional activities
- Flight to and from Regina
- Personal/ miscellaneous expenditures

Total Program Hours: Approx. 110 hours

- Classes: Approx. 63 hours
- Off-campus Activities: Approx. 22 to 24 hours
- On-campus Activities: Approx. 16 to 18 hours
- Orientation and Closing: Approx. 7 hours



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Application deadlines:

- February program: November 30, 2024
- March program: December 15, 2024

Online Pre-program orientations:

- February program: Friday December 20, 2024 7:00 pm (Saskatchewan time)
- March program: Friday January 10, 2025 7:00 pm (Saskatchewan time)

Levels offered: Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced (pending minimum enrolment)

Program Description:

Through the In-person Language and Culture program, participants will study English communication and experience Western Canadian culture. In particular, participants will experience a Canadian Winter.

English classes will focus on practicing real-world English communication. English language skills may include but are not limited to:

- Asking for and providing information
- Expressing and supporting an opinion
- Describing an event or experience
- Speaking and/ or writing more fluently
- Improving listening comprehension
- Communicating more confidently in English

Classes will include topics and themes related to Canadian culture and life in Canada such as:

- Indigenous Peoples of Canada and Saskatchewan
- Multiculturalism
- Canadian landmarks and attractions and attractions specific to Saskatchewan
- Famous Symbols of Canada
- Canadian food and food specific to Saskatchewan
- Popular Canadian sports and activities
- Canadian money
- Common cultural differences to know when visiting Canada



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Participants will also do a variety of activities, sessions, and tours with our Cultural Assistants, who are University of Regina students. Activities, sessions, and tours may include but are not limited to:

- Language workshops, conversation groups or language games
- Local tours such as the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Heritage Centre, the Royal Saskatchewan Museum etc.
- Cultural events such as Indigenous culture demonstrations or multicultural showcases
- Seasonal Winter activities such as skating or watching a hockey game (February) or visiting a local farm or ranch (March), weather permitting.

Before arriving in Regina, participants will receive an online pre-program orientation and will take an online placement test to determine their level.

Each student will receive a certificate of course completion, with name, date and host institution, and a program grade report at the end of the program.