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The Canadian Awareness Program

SOC Winter Camp 2020

Time: February 5-18, 2020

Venue: Southern Ontario Collegiate, Ontario, Canada

Program Features:

- ❖ Authentic Canadian course learning experience
- ❖ Improve their use of English in a total immersion environment
- ❖ Expand knowledge of culture, science, arts, and learn about daily life in Canada
- ❖ Visit local attractions including world famous Niagara Falls
- ❖ **Every 15 students with 1 free teacher bonus!**

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EXCEPTIONAL SERVICES, ACCESSIBLE COSTS

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- Grades 9-12 Diploma Program
- University Preparatory Program
- English Language Learning Program

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// *School Profile*

Southern Ontario Collegiate is a private, university-preparatory, secondary school specializing in preparing international students to meet admission requirements for universities in Canada, USA, UK, Australia, and other prestigious universities around the world.

Southern Ontario Collegiate opened its doors in 1980 and has grown exponentially since then. While our student population grows every year, the Collegiate's focus remains the development of each individual's potential.

Our philosophy is "a balance of knowledge and wisdom" which equips our students with the skill sets fundamental to success at university and success at life.





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Southern Ontario Collegiate proudly brings to you an unforgettable winter camp experience in Canada. The winter camp, designed for students who can communicate in English, introduces the most interesting topics on Canadian culture to Grade 9-12 high school students through lectures and extracurricular events. The Culture and Language Course will offer students a fun and authentic way to experience a country that is completely new to them.

SOC Winter Program is well balanced between classroom activities during the day and evening and weekend activities designed for learning and entertainment as a means to further improve English skills. Students are given the chance to perfect their English and learn about Canadian culture in the classroom and beyond.



The English Program is a comprehensive course aimed at students who want to develop their English abilities in a focused academic environment. Daily classes are led by professional English teachers who will develop all aspects of the students' English abilities. Specifically, the morning classes will concentration developing and improving the students' pronunciation, speaking, listening, and conversation skills through a variety of communicative activities.



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Afternoon classes will continue to provide students a wide variety of activities designed to improve each student's ability to communicate in English. The afternoon classes will provide students with the opportunity to learn about the Canadian cultural and historical places that they will visit during the SOC Winter Program. Learning about Canada's History, Geography, Science and system of Government will provide an increased focus on such skills as oral conversation, vocabulary expansion, critical reading, and effective writing skills. Students will practice delivering oral presentations and participating in group discussions and debates.



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Schedule:

Date (February)		Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Week 1	Morning	Arrival at Winter Camp Homestay/ Residence	English & Art	English & Science	English & Art	English & Science	English & Art	Toronto Tour CN Tower
	Afternoon		Hamilton Tour	Royal Botanical Garden	McMaster University Excursion	Laser Tag	Bowling	
Date		10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Week 2	Morning	Niagara Falls	English & Art	English & Science	English & Art	English & Science	English & Art	Depart to Airport
	Afternoon	Niagara Outlets	Go Karts	Skating	Ice Hockey Game	Mini Golf	SOC Graduation	





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Fees:

2 Week Program \$3,200CAD

Included in program

- Airport pick-up and departure
- Health and medical insurance in Canada
- Lodging at School Residence or selected Canadian homestay families
- 3 meals/day(excluding self-paid meals at certain places, depending on schedule)
- Monday to Friday
 - Mornings -9 am to 12pm – English as a Second Language
 - Afternoons – 1pm to 4pm - Canadian Culture/Science/Excursion
 - Evenings–4 pm to 6 pm - Sports/Art/Hiking/Movie/Fun Activities
- Saturdays and Sundays – full day tour/activities
 - Niagara Falls, Toronto, CN Tower, Wonderland, beach, shopping, and etc
- Certificate of completion
- Transportation to and from all program activities



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School Location

With a population of over 500,000 people, Hamilton is Canada's 9th largest city, located on the shores of Lake Ontario, midway between the world-famous Niagara Falls and Toronto. With most international flights landing in Toronto, Hamilton is usually an hour's drive from the airport.

Hamilton has intriguing geographical features that include a large harbour, a lakefront and the Niagara Escarpment that weaves through the middle of the urban landscape, providing spectacular views and numerous waterfalls. Hamilton is also home to three post-secondary institutions, including McMaster University, Mohawk College and Redeemer University College.

Southern Ontario Collegiate is situated in the downtown core of Hamilton, with easy access to Hamilton City Centre. The main city library, financial district, central bus station, downtown mall, supermarkets, and banks are all within a 10 minutes' walk.





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Welcome to SOC Winter Camp!

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