



2024 Summer Boarding Programmes

discover **THE PERFECT PLACE** *to flourish*



Registration opens
November 1, 2023

RIDLEY COLLEGE
SINCE 1889



LEARN, GROW & PLAY AT RIDLEY COLLEGE THIS SUMMER

Ridley College is one of the oldest, largest and most prestigious boarding schools in Canada. Students from over 60 different countries walk through our gates every year. This summer is your opportunity to join the “Ridley Family”.

Our Summer Boarding Programmes are open to students from ages 11 to 16. All programmes are hosted on our 90-acre campus in the heart of the world-famous Niagara Region. Participants will be warmly welcomed by our experienced educators and coaches, have access to our extensive facilities, and be energized by our nutritious meal plan.

We look forward to being a part of each student’s memorable experience.

EAL (ESL) CAMP EXPERIENCE

Ages 11–16

June 30–July 27 | July 28–Aug 24 | \$6,995 CAD

All prices are inclusive of HST

Designed for campers who are beginner to intermediate level English speakers. This camp enhances English reading, writing, speaking and comprehension through inquiry and project based activities. Students will participate in both interactive classroom activities and fun traditional camp experiences. Includes scenic, cultural excursions within the beautiful Niagara region and Toronto.

ESL CREDIT PROGRAMME

Ages 13–16

July 28–Aug 24 | \$6,995 CAD

All prices are inclusive of HST

Our ESL Summer Credit Programme is designed for students with an intermediate to advanced level of English proficiency who wish to participate in a more rigorous English language programme. This is a great option for those who wish to apply to English speaking high schools or universities and/or wish to earn an Ontario Ministry of Education academic credit in ESL. Students will also have a chance to build friendships during fun, on-campus activities with peers.



IB/HIGH SCHOOL PREP

Ages 13–16

July 28–Aug 24 | \$6,995 CAD

All prices are inclusive of HST

The transition to high school is one that comes with monumental changes and often insecurities. This enrichment course combines high school and IB preparation to ensure that students are ready for September. Gain confidence and a stronger understanding of high school expectations while focusing on some important concepts such as time management, organizational strategies, study skills, communication skills and essay writing, to name a few.

Students aspiring to enroll in the Middle Year Programme (MYP), prepare by focusing on critical skills and thinking that would best prepare them for this curriculum.

After school co-curricular activities allow for students to make lasting friendships and network with other high school students.

ACADEMY - CREDIT COURSES (prerequisites may be required)

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Our Summer Academy is a safe in-class learning experience for both Ridleians and non-Ridleians to support their advancement towards the Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD). Summer boarders will enjoy living and learning on the beautiful Ridley Campus. This is a wonderful opportunity to experience short term boarding and engage in interactive activities after class.

All classes have:

- ✓ Low student to instructor ratios
- ✓ Qualified, engaging instructors
- ✓ Instructors are certified in first aid, CPR and AED training
- ✓ State of the art facilities

**Courses offered will be available on the Ridley College website.*

OVERVIEW

	Week 1 Jun 30-Jul 6	Week 2 July 7-13	Week 3 July 14-20	Week 4 July 21-27	Week 5 July 28-Aug 3	Week 6 Aug 4-10	Week 7 Aug 11-17	Week 8 Aug 18-24
IB/High School Prep					✓	✓	✓	✓
EAL Camp	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ESL Credit					✓	✓	✓	✓
Academy					✓	✓	✓	✓

THE RIDLEY EXPERIENCE

ACCOMMODATION

Ridley College is the largest boarding school in Ontario. We are industry leaders in residential programming. All dorms are equipped with:

- Double occupancy, spacious rooms
- Newly renovated common spaces
- Residential staff living on-site 24/7
- On-site laundry facilities



MEALS

Ridley College is one of the most diverse schools in Canada. Our chefs prepare global menus with fresh, local ingredients.

- Nutritious and varied cuisine
- Safely accommodate a variety of dietary needs and restrictions
- Evening and afternoon snacks provided



SAFETY & SECURITY

Ridley College is a gated campus in the small city of St. Catharines – a safe, walkable community.

- 24/7 on site security services
- Electronic key card system to open all doors
- Cameras installed across campus to ensure student safety
- On site health center with registered nursing staff
- 2 Km from a hospital



ALL INCLUSIVE

- Accommodation
- Meals (3+snacks)
- Ground Transportation
- Transfers
- Tickets to activities



SAMPLE WEEK

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
CLASS EAL Camp, ESL Credit, IB/High School Prep					Day trip to Niagara Falls - Hornblower - Observation Wheel - Haunted House (includes lunch)	Skyzone Trampoline Park Lunch on campus
LUNCH						
CLASS EAL Camp, ESL Credit, IB/High School Prep						
ACTIVITY Tennis	ACTIVITY FREE TIME	ACTIVITY Historic Campus Tour	ACTIVITY FREE TIME	ACTIVITY Dodgeball		
DINNER						
ACTIVITY S'mores by the Campfire	ACTIVITY Movie Night Under the Stars	ACTIVITY Shopping	ACTIVITY Talent Show	ACTIVITY Glow in the Dark Dance Party	Homework & Free Time	Homework & Free Time

A TRULY CANADIAN CAMP EXPERIENCE



RIDLEY ACTIVITIES

Students will be engaged in dynamic classes with experienced teaching staff during the day. Weekends will be busy with off campus excursions. Evenings will consist of fun on campus in the following facilities:



SAMPLE PROGRAM

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 MOVE IN CAMPUS TOUR 	3 RIDLEY & THE ARTS SCAVENGER HUNT	4 TIGER SPORTS FREE SKATE 	5 CULTURE & HISTORY SHOPPING FOR SUPPLIES	6 SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY ICE CREAM PORT DALHOUSIE	7 GAMES GALORE CAPTURE THE FLAG/ MAN HUNT	8 NIAGARA FALLS Clifton Hill Hornblower
9 NIAGARA-ON-THE LAKE FORT GEORGE 	10 RIDLEY & THE ARTS PAINT NIGHT CANADIAN LANDSCAPE	11 TIGER SPORTS HOOPS NIGHT BASKETBALL	12 CULTURE & HISTORY CAMPFIRE 	13 SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY TRAMPOLINE PARK	14 GAMES GALORE ULTIMATE FRISBEE	15 SAFARI NIAGARA
16 BALLS FALLS HIKING 	17 RIDLEY & THE ARTS CRAFT NIGHT 	18 TIGER SPORTS PING PONG	19 CULTURE & HISTORY MOVIE UNDER THE STARS	20 SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY OUTLET MALL SHOPPING	21 GAMES GALORE TENNIS 	22 CANADA'S WONDERLAND
23 FARM VISIT 	24 RIDLEY & THE ARTS TALENT SHOW	25 TIGER SPORTS RIVER LIONS BASKETBALL GAME	26 CULTURE & HISTORY INDOOR WATER PARK	27 SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY WINERY VISIT 	28 GAMES GALORE BON VOYAGE BEACH PARTY & BBQ	29 TORONTO CN TOWER AQUARIUM



- Design Technology Lab
- Professional Art Studios
- Indoor & Outdoor Theaters
- Robotics Laboratory
- Ice Hockey Rink
- Outdoor Campfire
- Frisbee Golf Course
- Seven Sports Fields





ABOUT OUR SCHOOL



795 students
58+ countries



75+ Co-curricular
Activities



JK-12
Boarders accepted
in Grade 6



IB Diploma
Programme



60 minutes to Toronto
20 minutes from Niagara Falls



1st Visible Wellbeing
School in North America

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INSPIRING *flourishing* LIVES

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