

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP NORTH VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA

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2025

Creating leaders for an ever-changing world



GLOBAL LEADERSHIP
20 WEEKLY HOURS



SESSION LENGTH
3 week session
July 13 - August 02



INCLUDED WEEKLY EXCURSIONS:
1 full day excursion
2 half day excursions

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP - CISS VANCOUVER

This programme provides youth aged 12-17 with the essential foundations to become better leaders in an ever-changing world. In-class lessons are taught by expert staff with a focus on providing students with essential communication, leadership, and decision-making skills. These competencies are further enhanced by specialized workshops - each with a different subject focus. Leadership skills come to life when students discuss their ability to take positive action not only at local and global community levels, but within their immediate community at the CISS Vancouver campus as well. The course concludes with students making public presentations on action plans for projects they will pursue when they return home.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

- Improved self-awareness
- Better critical thinking skills
- Global awareness
- Valuable teamwork skills
- Increased passion for change

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE

- Intermediate to advanced English proficiency (equivalent to IELTS 4.0+)
- Globally-minded students who are passionate about making positive change and who care about the world and the community where they live
- Students who are prepared to participate fully in class discussions, projects, and presentations

SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTS

| | MORNING | AFTERNOON | EVENING |
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| S | At Leisure | Optional: Indoor Rock Climbing | Pizza and Movies |
| M | Workshop: Values Exploration | Workshop: Team Building | Casino Night |
| T | Leadership Skills: Defining Leadership | Grouse Mountain | Relay Challenge |
| W | Community Block: Focus: Our Home | Project Planning | Nature Connection: Campfire |
| T | ----- Whistler & Peak to Peak Gondola ----- | | |
| F | Communication Skills: Conflict Resolution | Granville Island | Dance Party |
| S | Problem Solving Skills: Effective Leadership | Hike / Sign-Out | Karaoke Night |



ACCOMMODATION (SHARED)

- Double rooms in university campus residence
- Each floor has complete washroom and shower facilities
- Males and Females accommodated separately
- Counsellors live on residence floors providing constant supervision
- Laundry facilities located within each residence
- Common rooms with TV and kitchenette on each floor
- Bed linens, blanket, pillow and bath towel included

FACILITIES

- Large, air-conditioned classrooms
- Spacious, bright student lounges
- Free WiFi access
- Food Court
- Medical centre/hospitals within 6 km

MEALS

- 3 meals daily
- Breakfast and dinner served in a modern cafeteria located next to the residence, featuring a wide choice of nutritious meals
- Lunches provided on-campus or included as part of a half-day or full-day excursion



PROGRAMME PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 20 hours of Global Leadership lessons per week (1 hour = 60 minutes)
- Shared Accommodation
- Bed linen changed weekly
- 3 meals daily
- 1 Full Day, 2 Half Day excursions per week
- Afternoon sports and on-campus activities
- Full Supervision
- Vancouver airport meet & greet + transfer to/from campus
- Emergency medical + dental insurance up to \$100,000 CAD
- WiFi in residence and on campus
- CISS T-Shirt upon arrival
- CISS Certificate upon completion of course study

MAIN FEATURES



Natural
Setting



WiFi



Double
Rooms



Included
Excursions

PROGRAMME INFO

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP

- 20 hours/week
- 1 hour = 60 minutes
- Combination of in-class instruction, interactive workshops, and project planning
- Small class sizes (maximum 20)
- Expert instructors
- Intermediate to Advanced English proficiency (IELTS 4.0+ required)

MODULES AND THEMES

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| Leadership Skills | Focuses on a variety of theories and meanings of leadership. Participants will examine the evolution of different leadership styles, including an exploration of the concept from an online perspective. |
| Communication Skills | Students learn how to make an impact through effective expression. Concepts include conflict resolution, cross-cultural sensitivity, empathy, and the impact of media. |
| Problem Solving Skills | A key component to becoming an effective leader is the ability to make positive and impactful decisions. The problem solving course teaches critical thinking skills needed to design and implement innovative solutions. |
| Specialty workshops | Students build on their knowledge through interactive workshops. Topics may include personal development, and values exploration. |
| Community Blocks | The opportunity explore the concept of "community" from local and global perspectives. Students discuss the key issues and their ability to address these issues within the communities where they live, the global community, and in their immediate location at camp. Week 1: You AT HOME Week 2: You IN THE WORLD Week 3: You AT CAMP |
| Project Planning | Our ultimate goal is for each participant to extend their passion beyond the classroom and to demonstrate real evidence of their leadership potential. Students apply their new skills to create a project which can then be implemented in their own community. Projects are presented in the final class in week 3 of the course. Project Planning opportunities take place throughout the course. |

EXCURSIONS

Weekly included excursions showcase the best tourist attractions that Vancouver has to offer. All trips are organized and led by CISS staff, and provide a ratio for proper safety and supervision.

FULL DAY: 1 PER WEEK (may include)

- Vancouver City Tour + Museum
- Whistler Village + Peak to Peak Gondola
- Cultus Water Park
- Vancouver Aquarium + Stanley Park

HALF DAY: 2 PER WEEK (may include)

- Capilano Suspension Bridge
- Deep Cove Adventures
- Granville Island
- Grouse Mountain
- Kitsilano Beach
- Metrotown Shopping
- Pacific Centre Mall
- Playland Amusement Park

ACTIVITIES

A variety of afternoon and evening activities are offered at no extra charge. Activities may include:

- Capture the Flag • Casino Night
- Dance Party • Dodgeball
- Game Show Night • Karaoke
- Movies • Soccer Match
- Photo Scavenger Hunt • Talent Show
- Relay Challenge • Speech Contest

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES \$

- Offered once per week
- Average spending: \$50 CAD/week

Options may include:

- Indoor Rock Climbing
- Laser Tag
- Lynn Canyon
- Movies

AFTERNOON SIGN-OUT

- Offered once per week
- Students are allowed to sign-out in groups of 3 or more for independent shopping and/or sightseeing

CULTURE/NATURE CONNECTION

Once per week, evening activities are offered to enhance students' appreciation of the natural surroundings and cultural heritage that makes our programme so special.



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