

Summer Programs for International Students

July 4 – 29, 2022 | August 8 – 26, 2022 | June 26 – July 14, 2023

Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada



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KAMLOOPS, BC, CANADA

Hello!

An aerial photograph of Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada. The image shows a wide river flowing through the city, surrounded by residential areas and green spaces. In the foreground, a large university campus is visible, featuring several large buildings, a central courtyard with a blue pool, and a red running track. The background is dominated by rugged, brown mountains under a clear blue sky. The word 'Hello!' is overlaid in large white text on the left side of the image.

WHO ARE THESE PROGRAMS FOR?

We offer many short-term, non-credit summer programs at Thompson Rivers University. Students participate in exciting, uniquely Canadian activities with a diverse group of students from around the world.

1» Meet students from around the world

Join fellow international students and experience beautiful British Columbia and life at TRU. Embark on a true adventure with new friends while learning about intercultural communication, global citizenship, STEM, sustainability, leadership and more.

2» Kamloops: the Tournament Capital of Canada

Kamloops is a modern, safe, and comfortable city in the interior of BC. The vibrant city of about 100,000 people is set in a spectacular semi-arid desert and gets over 2,000 hours of sunshine every year. With 13 golf courses, over 200 lakes within a one-hour drive, the world-famous Sun Peaks Ski Resort 45 minutes away and Vancouver a three-hour drive away, you will be sure to find a new and exciting adventure here!

3» Choose your own adventure in BC

British Columbia is Canada's third largest province and covers a vast landscape. From the beautiful ocean views of the Lower Mainland, to the mountainous regions of eastern BC, to the semi-arid desert of the Thompson-Okanagan, you will enjoy this beautiful province.

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SHORT-TERM SUMMER PROGRAMMING

» Earn a \$1,000 scholarship

High school students who complete our summer language and culture programs receive a \$1,000 tuition scholarship that can be applied to any academic program at TRU!

Language and Culture

Language assessment to take place at start of program

- Intercultural communication
- Language training
- Canadian culture and activity preparation
- Choose one specialized elective:
 - Applied English
 - Global Citizenship
 - Healthy Choices
 - Leadership
 - STEM Skills
 - Study Skills
 - Sustainability
 - Workplace English

Global Citizenship

Language assessment to take place at start of program

- Intercultural communication
- Sustainability
- Global citizenship
- Presentation skills
- Canadian culture and activity preparation

Language and Culture Soccer Camp 2023

Language assessment to take place at start of program

- Strength and endurance training
- Soccer skills training from industry professionals
- Health and nutrition training
- Intercultural communication
- Language training
- International soccer tournament

PROGRAM ACTIVITIES

Exciting adventures our students have taken with us:

- Kayaking
- Hiking
- Gold panning
- Local historic sites
- Indigenous artwork
- Indoor rock climbing
- Social events
- Orchard visits
- Waterslides
- Waterfall and nature visits

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Our open programs are an exciting opportunity to explore BC, meet people from around the world and work on your language skills. No matter your language level or area of interest, there is something for you at TRU.

Language and Culture programs

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Choose an elective, attend an orientation and a TRU campus tour. Participate in Intercultural Communications classes where you will learn about different cultural theories and strategies for communicating. During these lessons you will be assessed and assigned to a class that matches your language level. From there, you will typically start your days with either Language Studies or your elective of choice and then participate in one of our many exciting cultural activities!

Global Citizenship

August 8 – 26, 2022

In our ever-changing world, it's more important than ever to have a good understanding of how to participate in change and promote cultural understanding. Regardless of your career path, the knowledge and skills you will gain in these interesting courses will serve you well for the rest of your life.

Three-week Enhanced Language and Culture Transition program

August 8 – 26, 2022

We have added additional sessions to our three-week Language and Culture program to meet the needs of international students starting academic programs in September. This includes:

- Enhanced Language Studies
- Enhanced Study Skills

Students enrolled in a TRU academic program get a reduced rate.

Online Language and Culture programs

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This is a great option if you are interested in meeting new people and improving your intercultural communication skills, but cannot travel. The Online Language and Culture program allows you to immerse yourself virtually in elements of Canadian culture, explore aspects of intercultural communication, participate in an elective course, and experience an individualized learning plan through one-to-one sessions with your instructor.

Language and Culture Soccer Camp

June 26 – July 14, 2023

Take your soccer skills to the next level and meet other players from around the world. Participate in soccer skills training, language studies, strength training and cultural activities. Learn from TRU's varsity soccer team, the WolfPack, and improve your knowledge of health and nutrition from industry experts. You will have the chance to participate in a tournament at the end of the program.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

JULY PROGRAMS:

» **June 10, 2022**

AUGUST PROGRAMS:

» **July 8, 2022**

LANGUAGE AND CULTURE SOCCER CAMP:

» **May 26, 2023**



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