

Welcome to
**English Language
Development (ELD)**



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"Camosun helped me improve my academic English and knowledge of Canadian culture. It also helped me open a door to a brighter future."

– Jeff (former ELD student)

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Levels and Courses

Basic English as a Second Language (BESL)	English for Academic Purposes (EAP)
ELD 010 All Skills: Reading, Writing, Listening, and Speaking	ELD 062 (Reading & Writing) ELD 064 (Speaking & Listening)
ELD 020	ELD 072 (Advanced English) ELD 074 (Academic Communication Skills)
ELD 032 (Reading & Writing) ELD 034 (Listening & Speaking)	ELD 092 (Provincial English Composition) ELD 094 (Provincial English Literature)
ELD 042 (Reading & Writing) ELD 044 (Listening & Speaking)	ELD 097 (Professional and Academic English)
ELD 052 (Reading & Writing) ELD 054 (Listening & Speaking)	*Can take 097 instead of 092 & 094
Receive your Certificate In BESL after level 05 	Receive your Certificate in EAP after level 09 

Students can also take extra courses ("Electives") in **Grammar, Pronunciation, and Vocabulary**

Successful completion of level 09 is equivalent to Grade 12 English – then you can enrol in most Camosun programs.

Lower ELD levels satisfy entry to some Camosun programs: Health Care Assistant, Trades, etc.

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Flexible Schedules

BESL level courses (ELD 01 – 05):

- Start in September, January, and May
- 15-week courses
- Choose:
 - part-time (10 hours per week)
 - full-time (20 hours per week)
- Morning / afternoon / online evening courses may be available



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Flexible Schedules

English for Academic Purposes level courses (ELD 06 – 07 – 09):

- 7-week full-time courses



OR

- 14/15-week part-time courses



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Benefits of 7-week Courses

- ❖ More start dates during the year
- ❖ More flexibility for students
- ❖ Complete a course in 7 weeks
- ❖ Intensive focus on one course at a time

**15-week courses also available*



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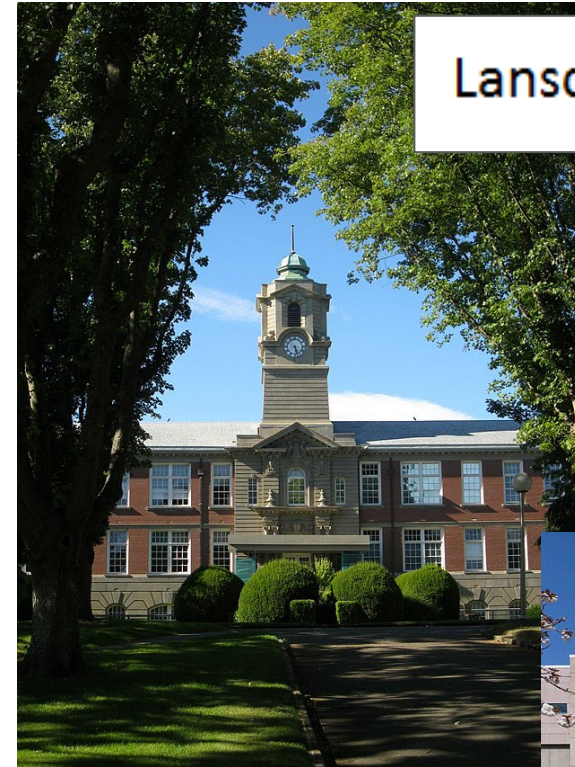
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Locations

- Interurban Campus (levels 1-5)
- Lansdowne Campus (levels 6-7-9)

BC Transit buses go to both campuses



Lansdowne Campus

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Interurban Campus

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Costs

- Tuition-free for Canadian citizens, permanent residents, and protected persons
- Some students can apply for the Adult Upgrading Grant (AUG) to cover textbooks and student fees
- International students: visit Camosun International's website for fees: <https://camosun.ca/international>



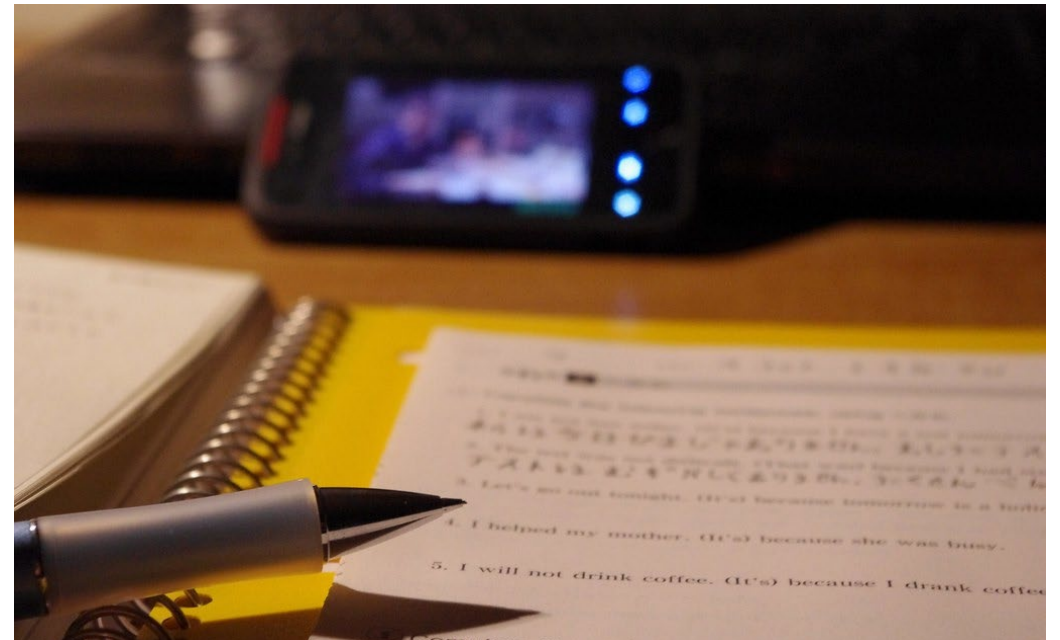
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Extra Help

- The ELD Help Centres provide tutoring appointments, books and resources, computers and more.
- ELD Instructional Assistants (IAs) are in the Help Centres and happy to assist



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Other Stuff at Camosun

- Student health and dental plan
- Libraries (computers, study spaces, study rooms)
- Fitness centres
- Cafeteria/café
- English conversation clubs
- Student card = bus pass
- Prayer & meditation spaces, counseling services, & more



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How Do I Get Started?

Contact Camosun

ELD Assessment and Registration to book your placement test

eldregistration@camosun.ca

250-370-4951

* International Students

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“At Camosun, you’re not just an English as a Second Language student, you’re part of a whole learning community.”

– Insu (former ELD student)

