



**Canadian Host Program 2011**  
**Okanagan College**  
**September 29 - October 10, 2011**



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Date & Time	ACTION	DESCRIPTION	LECTURER/HOST
September 29	Arrival at Airport Kelowna: 1:57 pm AC 8401	<b>Host Family: Please be at the Airport to pick up your student</b>	Gordon Shuster Jane Smith Sun Condy
<b>Friday, September 30</b> <b>COMMUNITY &amp; EDUCATION</b>			
<i>Host Family: Please drop off at <u>8:55am</u> at Bike Shop Cafe – 1357 Ellis Street (Suite 101) – Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner will be provided</i>			
9:00	Breakfast & Orientation to the Program	Welcome Breakfast at the Bike Shop Cafe including an overview of the program	Gordon Shuster Jane Smith Sun Condy
9:30	Lecture	Learn about the BC School System structure and special education programs	Dr. Peter Molloy
11:00	City Hall	City Hall and overview of civic politics/civil education	Charlie Hodge
12:30	<b>Lunch – Da Tandoor Restaurant (Indian)</b>		
2:00	Kelowna Art Gallery	Guided tour of the Art Gallery ( Canadian Art) with	Jennifer Hasenberg
2:45- 4:00	Regional and cultural studies	Cultural District including Rotary Centre, Turtle Island Gallery, Waterfront, Kasugai Gardens – historical insights	Gordon Shuster Jane Smith Sun Condy
4:15	Knox Mountain	View of the City and area from the top of Knox Mountain	
5:00	Wine Festival dinner	Fall Wine Festival Event – enjoy a two-course dinner paired with local Okanagan wines	

**Host Family: Pick up at Manteo Resort at 7:00 PM – 3762 Lakeshore Road**

Saturday, October 1

**HOCKEY**

Host Family: Please drive your teacher to Prospera Place at 6:45 PM

7:00	Regional and cultural studies	Kelowna Rockets vs. Vancouver Giants
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**Host Family: Please pick up at 10:00 pm at the Dolphins Sculpture across from Prospera Place**

Monday, October 3

**EDUCATION**

**Host Family: Please either drop off your student or arrange for them to take a bus to arrive at the Kelowna Campus at 9 AM and please provide a bagged lunch**

9:15	Lecture – L103	Overview of Public (k-12) education	Marsha Boyle Rick Oliver
11:00 – 11:45 AM	<b>Lunch – please bring bag lunch</b>	Lunch at Kelowna Campus	
12:30 – 3:05	School Visit	Visit Immaculata Regional High School – Principal John Campbell will provide an overview and then teachers will observe classes	Contact – John Campbell
3:15	Excursion	Capital News Centre, H2O and Mission Sports Field (including Community Garden)	Gordon Shuster Jane Smith Sun Condy
4:00	Discussion Group	Marmalade Cat – a chance to discuss the day's activities, findings, and insights	

**Host Family: Please pick up or meet your teacher Okanagan College or have them take the bus home (5:00 PM)**

Tuesday, October 4		<b>NATURE AND HISTORY</b>	
<b>Host Family: Please arrange to have your student at Okanagan College at 9 AM</b>			
9:30 – 11:00	Kettle Valley Trestles	Learn about the history of the railway in the Okanagan Valley and its importance to the agricultural sector. As well, learn about local flora and fauna from a Naturalist	Roseanne Van Ee
11:30 – 1:30	Regional and cultural studies	Father Pandosy's Mission – learn the history of the first white settlement in the Okanagan Valley (circa 1859) as well as the links to agriculture and education	Gordon Shuster Sun Condy Jane Smith
2:00	Pedagogical excursion	Kelowna Museum – walking tour of the Kelowna Museum and Military Museum	Michelle Harvey
3:15	Regional and cultural studies	Kelowna Wine and Orchard Museum – learn the history of the orchard and wine industry in the Okanagan Valley	Charles Colk
4:00 – 5:15	Free Time	Downtown	
5:30	Dinner	Dragon King	
<b>Host Family: Students will take buses from downtown to homestays at approximately 7:30 PM</b>			
Wednesday, October 5		<b>FIRST NATIONS</b>	
<b>Host Family: Please drop off at Okanagan College at 9:00 AM – please provide a bagged lunch</b>			
9:15	First Nations Cultural Presentation	Learn about the history of the Okanagan First Nations. The presentation will include storytelling, language, history, crafts and food!	Pamela Barnes
12:00	<b>Lunch</b>	Enjoy your lunch at the campus	
1:30	School Visit	Learn about an independent First Nations School - the s̓n̓s̓syust̓n House of Learning which offers a K–6 program which includes Provincial curriculum enhanced with Okanagan language and culture.	Joanne De Guevara
4:00	Discussion Group	At the end of the day, discussion group at Rocky Top Coffee in Peachland	
<b>Host Family: Students will take buses home from Okanagan College at approximately 5:30 PM</b>			

Thursday, October 6

**EDUCATION**

**Host Family: Please drop off at WL Seaton High School -- Drop off at 8:00 AM Bring a bagged lunch**

8:00	School Visits	Casorso Elementary School, KLO Middle School, Waldorf School – learn about the public and private school system, developments and initiatives Lunch at the school (bring a bagged lunch) Visit classes and meet with instructors where available	
3:30 – 5:00	Discussion Group	Phasant and Quail Pub	

**Host Family: Students will take buses home from Okanagan College at approximately 5:15 PM**

Friday, October 7

**POST SECONDARY EDUCATION**

**Host Family: Please drop off at Okanagan College at 8:30am – No lunch required**

9:15	Tour	Tour Sparkling Hill Resort, a world-renowned European spa Hotel and Wellness Centre	
10:30	Post secondary education	University of British Columbia – Okanagan – Tour one of the top 40 Universities in the world. Learn about the value of UBC Okanagan for the Okanagan Valley	Carrie Karsgaard
12:00	<b>Lunch (Provided)</b>	Enjoy lunch in Infusions Restaurant at the Kelowna Campus of Okanagan College. The restaurant is operated by the Culinary Arts program.	Sun Condy
1:00	Post secondary education	Tour of the Trades programs and facilities at Okanagan College	Dianne Holm
2:30	Post seconraa	Okanagan College – Centre for Learning – Learn about Okanagan College’s newest building which meets LEED Gold Certifications meaning it is a Green Building!	Angie March
3:30 – 6:00	Free Time		

**Host Family: 6:00 PM – Potluck dinner in the Centre for Learning Atrium**

Saturday/Sunday, October 8/9  
**regional and cultural studies**

**THANKSGIVING WEEKEND WITH HOST FAMILIES**

*Weekend with host families to enjoy a Canadian Thanksgiving!*

Monday, October 10

**DEPARTURE**

8:00

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