



UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE PATHWAYS | 2024

7 AGREEMENTS WITH CANADIAN UNIVERSITIES & COLLEGES

WHAT ARE PATHWAYS?

Global Village has many pathway agreements with colleges and universities across Canada. These institutions have joined with GV to offer students a refined and clear path to achieve the academic excellence they require to pursue the

Career of their dreams

In just a few short steps, you could be on your path to academic success!



EAP & BEP PATHWAYS

Institutions accept a Global Village transcript and Letter of Completion as proof of English proficiency.

Successful completion of the GV EAP (English for Academic Pathways) satisfies the English language proficiency requirement for college and university admissions. GV BEP (Business English Pathway) leads to the UVic DBA Program.

IELTS PATHWAYS

Institutions accept an IELTS exam score as proof of English proficiency.

By taking an exam preparation program at Global Village, students learn from our test prep experts and have direct access to GV's Official Test Centre staff who can answer questions right up until test day.

GRADUATE & ALUMNI TESTIMONIALS





"I studied at GV Victoria for 9 months, and I'm studying at Camosun College. I really appreciate the time I spent at GV. It was very meaningful to me and it helped me improve not only my English, but also communication and presentation skills.

I often remember the moments when I was attending EAP classes at GV, and they remind me of the English expressions or vocabulary words that I learned then, having fun with my classmates and teachers.

I've been studying at Camosun for over a year, taking Computer Science, Math and Statistics and I'm thinking of transferring to UVic later on."

"I'm really happy about the eight months that I spent at GV Calgary. That time not only helped me to improve my English and understand more about the Canadian culture, but I also met wonderful people from around the world. I always remember with joy my time at GV Calgary, and sometimes I just stop there to talk with the wonderful staff and teachers that I met and learned so much from.

I graduated at SAIT in April 2019 after two years, with a Diploma in Energy Asset Management. Two months after I graduated I found a job in my area, working as Land Analyst at Land Solutions LP.



PATHWAY INSTITUTION LIST

Universities & Colleges

Institutions	Location	Complete GV Level		
Algonquin College	Ottawa, Ontario	GV6/GV7		
Bow Valley College	Calgary, Alberta	GV6		
Camosun College	Victoria, B.C.	GV7		
Douglas College	New Westminster, B.C.	GV7		
Fairleigh Dickinson University	Vancouver, B.C.	GV8+		
Georgian College	Barrie, Ontario	GV6/GV7		
Humber College	Toronto, Ontario	GV6/GV7		
North Island College	Courtenay, B.C.	GV6/GV7		
Olds College	Olds, A.B.	GV6/GV7		
Royal Roads University	Victoria, B.C.	GV6/GV7		
NAIT Polytechnic	Edmonton, Alberta	GV7		
SAIT Polytechnic	Calgary, Alberta	GV6/GV7		
Thompson Rivers University	Kamloops, B.C.	GV7		
University Canada West	Vancouver, B.C.	GV7		
University of Victoria (Cont. Studies)	Victoria, B.C.	BEP 12 Weeks, 30 lpw*		
Yorkville University	Fredericton, N.B.	GV7		























PATHWAY INSTITUTION LIST

Career Training Institutes (Business/Art/Film)

Institutions	Location	Complete GV Level
Art Institute of Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.	GV7
Acsenda School of Management	Vancouver, B.C.	GV7
Canadian Institute of Mgmt. & Technology	Mississauga, Ontario	GV6
John Casablancas Institute	Vancouver, B.C.	GV5-GV7
La Salle College Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.	GV5/GV7
Pacific Institute of Culinary Arts	Vancouver, B.C.	GV6
Sprott Shaw Community College	Vancouver, B.C.	GV5/6
Toronto Film School	Toronto, Ontario	GV6
University Canada West	Vancouver, B.C.	GV7
Vancouver Institute of Media Arts (VANARTS)	Vancouver, B.C.	GV5
Vancouver Film School	Vancouver, B.C.	GV6/GV7

Public High Schools

Institutions	Location	Complete GV Level	
Calgary Board of Education	Calgary, A.B.	Varies	
Greater Victoria School District	Victoria, B.C.	Varies	
Saanich School District	Greater Victoria, B.C.	Varies	
Sooke School District	Sooke, B.C.	Varies	

Private High Schools

Institutions	Location	Complete GV Level
Glenlyon Norfolk School	Victoria, B.C.	Varies
Queen Margaret's School	Duncan, B.C.	Varies
Shawnigan Lake School	Shawnigan Lake, B.C.	Varies

As new pathways are added continually, this list is subject to change. Please speak to a GV Pathway Advisor or contact gvpathways@gvenglish.com for information.

PATHWAY SERVICES:



Academic counselling for students



Assistance with university and college applications



Communication assistance between agent/student and the college/university

ENGLISH LEVEL EVALUATION



Don't know your current English level?

Take our FREE LEVEL CHECK by scanning our QR code or by visiting gvenglish.com/canada

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GV Levels	CEFR*	Equivalent	General English	Academic (IELTS)	Business (BEC)	TOEIC	TOEFL (iBT)
GV8	C2	Mastery	C2 Proficiency (CPE)	7		900-990	110-120
GV7	C1	Advanced	C1 Advanced (CAE)	6.5	Higher	800-899	98-109
GV6	B2+	Upper Intermediate	B2 First (FCE)	6	Vantage	700-799	87-97
GV5	B2	Intermediate	B2 First (FCE)	5.5		600-699	57-86
GV4	B1+	Lower Intermediate ¹		5		500-599	
GV3	B1	Pre-Intermediate	B1 Preliminary (PET)	4		400-499	
GV2	A2	Upper Beginner	A2 Key (KET)	3		250-399	
GV1	A1	Beginner		1-2		100-249	

Note: This chart is meant to be used only as an approximate guide. Entry level and study period will vary from student to student.

Global Village reserves the right to place a student in a level based on completion of a comprehensive oral and written test conducted prior to arrival or on intake day.

*Common European Framework of Reference for Languages 1 Entry level for IELTS

How many weeks do you need to study at Global Village?

How long will it take to reach the level of English you need to enter the school you want to attend? Check the chart below to see the minimum number of weeks you will need to study at Global Village.*

WHAT LEVEL OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE DO YOU NEED?	GV1	GV2	GV3	GV4	GV5	GV6	GV7	GV8
IF YOU ARE AT GV1		8	16	24	32	40	48	56
IF YOU ARE AT GV2			8	16	24	32	40	48
IF YOU ARE AT GV3				8	16	24	32	40
IF YOU ARE AT GV4					8	16	24	32
IF YOU ARE AT GV5						8	16	24
IF YOU ARE AT GV6							8	16
IF YOU ARE AT GV7								8
IF YOU ARE AT GV8								

^{*} Estimated study times listed here are based on eight weeks of study per level. Individual progress may vary. Students typically require 8-12 weeks of study to progress one level.

^{*} Level test required to confirm length of study

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

HOW CAN I APPLY?

Applications for Global Village can be made directly to gvpathways@gvenglish.com or through our website: gvenglish.com/apply-now. You can also apply through your favourite study travel agent.

HOW QUICKLY WILL MY APPLICATION BE PROCESSED?

Applications to Global Village are generally processed within 1-2 days. Applications to universities, colleges, etc. generally take longer (2-4 weeks), but our staff is very happy to contact the university/college admissions office to assist with prompt processing.

WHY SHOULD I STUDY ABROAD?

A student who spends time studying abroad gains many advantages:

- Studying abroad in North America offers both high quality education experiences and excellent value for money.
- Certificates, diplomas and degrees from North American institutions are highly-regarded around the globe.
- Studying in an international environment will open greater future study and work options for you in this time of globalization.
- English language skills improve most quickly in an immersion environment.
- Our programs draw students from over 40 countries – you will have the chance to build international networks while pursuing your academic goals.

DO YOU HAVE ACADEMIC ADVISORS AT GV?

Yes. Our experienced Academic Advisors can help you evaluate your study options to make the best choice for your goals.

We also maintain strong relationships with the Admissions staff at our Pathway institutions, and we communicate regularly with them to ensure smooth transitions from GV to university, college, career program, or secondary school.

WILL MY ENGLISH SKILLS IMPROVE?

Absolutely. Of course, the degree of improvement depends on each individual's study habits and commitment, but our strong EAP/GEP curriculum and excellent teachers will provide you with the best opportunities to improve as quickly as possible. Global Village has a strict Englishonly policy to optimize the language-learning environment.

CAN GV ARRANGE ACCOMMODATION FOR ME?

Yes. GV has an in-house accommodation department which ensures timely, effective service. GV Homestay provides a safe, friendly and secure environment for students, while giving them the opportunity to experience and enjoy the local culture.

Global Village Accommodation also provides non-homestay services such as hostels.

All requests are handled on a case-by-case basis and are designed to meet each individual student's needs. GV can also assist students with applications for student housing at further study pathway institutions.

Please contact us for more information about the accommodation options available at GV at gvpathways@gvenglish.com.

WHERE CAN I FIND MORE INFORMATION?

Please check our website: www.gvenglish.com

Email us: gvpathways@gvenglish.com, or contact your favourite study travel agent.





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