

KAPLAN INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES TORONTO

WHY CHOOSE TO STUDY IN OUR TORONTO SCHOOL?

5 reasons to study here

- Located in beautiful downtown Toronto, only a few minutes from the CN Tower
- Has won top ESL school in Toronto multiple times
- Offers TOEFL® and IELTS exam preparation courses, as well as EAP and 30+
- School is an IELTS Test Venue
- Enjoy weekend trips to Niagara Falls, Montreal, Boston, New York, Chicago and Quebec City

Location and contact information

ADDRESS:	250-35 The Esplanade Toronto ON Canada M5E 1Z4
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AT THIS ADDRESS SINCE:	2017
PROVIDING ENGLISH COURSES SINCE:	1988



School information

SCHOOL DIRECTOR:	Eris Brake
TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHERS:	20+ (Full time teachers: 20+)
LANGUAGES SPOKEN BY STAFF:	Arabic, French, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Russian, Spanish, Ukranian, Portuguese
TEACHER QUALIFICATIONS:	All teachers have a university degree, are TESL certified and have a minimum of 5 years teaching experience. All teachers are K+ teaching experts.

Accreditations and memberships



Disclaimer

All the information on this fact file is for reference. Please contact your advisor for the latest information.

ABOUT THE SCHOOL

NUMBER OF BUILDINGS:	1
NUMBER OF FLOORS:	1
TOTAL NUMBER OF CLASSROOMS:	15+ (Classrooms without windows: 0)
SCHOOL FACILITIES:	Elevator, air conditioning, heating, Wi-Fi (free), computer lab/ multimedia center, cafeteria (no hot meals available), vending machine, parking facilities, prayer room, student lounge/ common room, nearby gym
WHEELCHAIR / DISABLED ACCESS:	Yes
EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES:	Parking: \$16
OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED:	Airport transfer, University Placement Service (UPS), Medical Insurance, Virtual Internship
EXTRA COST OF OTHER SERVICES:	Airport transfer: \$150, UPS: \$200 (free with 16+ week course)
NUMBER OF COMPUTERS AVAILABLE:	20
LEVELS OF ENGLISH OFFERED:	Beginner, Elementary, Lower Intermediate, Intermediate, Higher Intermediate, Advanced, Proficiency
FIRST DAY AT SCHOOL:	Students should plan to attend class on their first day. Be sure to check your email the week before your start date for your class and orientation schedule! Also, don't forget to complete the placement test and send in any required documents before you arrive.



SAMPLE CLASS TIMETABLE

Morning

CLASS:	08:15 - 09:45
BREAK:	09:45 - 09:55
CLASS:	09:55 - 11:25

Afternoon

CLASS:	14:35 - 16:05
BREAK:	16:05 - 16:15
CLASS:	16:15 - 17:45

SAMPLE SPECIFIC SKILLS CLASS TIMETABLE

Morning class (Monday to Friday)

11:35 - 12:45

Afternoon class (Monday to Friday)

13:15-14:25

SCHOOL MATERIALS

MATERIALS PROVIDED FOR STUDENTS:

K+ Course Books, K+ Learning Clubs, K+ Learning Space, K+ Extra, Interactive whiteboards

IS THERE A BOOK DEPOSIT?

No

IS THERE A MATERIALS FEE?

"Yes (Price: \$10/week) "



Courses and students

COURSES PROVIDED AT THIS SCHOOL:

General English, Semi-Intensive English, Intensive English, Academic Year, Academic Semester, Business Supplementary, TOEFL IBT & Academic English Exam Preparation, IELTS Exam Preparation (test venue), English for Academic Pathways, 30+

SPECIAL / EXTRA COURSES PROVIDED:

Intensive Upgrade

AVERAGE NUMBER OF STUDENTS PER CLASS:

14 (Maximum class size: 16)

MINIMUM AGE OF STUDENTS:

16

AVERAGE AGE OF STUDENTS:

23-26

STUDENTS PER AGE GROUP:

18-21: 20% / 22-25: 40% / 26-30: 15% / Over 30: 25%

TOP 10 STUDENT NATIONALITIES:

Brazil, Korea, Japan, Turkey, Mexico, Columbia, France, Swiss, Chile, Italy

School location and transport

	By foot	By bike	By bus	By subway/train
Time to the nearest café / restaurant:	1 minute	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest supermarket:	2 minutes	2 minutes	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest post office:	5 minutes	5 minutes	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest ATM / bank:	5 minutes	5 minutes	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest sports center:	1 minutes	1 minute	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest hospital:	10 minutes	5 minutes	N/A	10 minutes
Time to the city center:	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute	1 minute



AIRPORT TRANSPORT

CLOSEST AIRPORT: Toronto Pearson

	Line or Number	Cost	Duration
Airport to city centre by bus:	Bus 52 or Bus 192	\$4.50 - \$6.50	60 minutes
Airport to city centre by train:	GO Train ("UP")	\$15.91	25 minutes
International train station to city centre:	N/A	N/A	N/A

ABOUT TORONTO

NAME OF LOCATION:	Toronto
FAMOUS LANDMARKS:	St Lawrence Market, CN Tower, Rogers Centre, Fairmount Royal York Hotel, Hockey Hall of Fame, The PATH
CUISINES WITHIN A 20-MINUTE WALK:	American, British, Chinese, European, French, Greek, Indian, Italian, Japanese, Mexican, Middle Eastern, Seafood, Thai, Vegetarian, Moroccan, Polish, Caribbean
TRANSPORT WITHIN A 10-MINUTE WALK:	Subway, bus, GO Train
TOP 5 REASONS TO CHOOSE THIS CITY:	The most diverse city in the world, safe atmosphere, varied restaurants and cuisines, variety of cultural events (art, music, dance), prestigious universities nearby
WHAT MAKES THIS CITY UNIQUE?	Biggest metropolitan and multicultural city in Canada, voted as one of the world's safest and most liveable cities, close to top tourist destinations: Niagara Falls, French Canada and New York
ALTERNATIVE THINGS TO DO:	Explore the many museums, enjoy many exciting winter activities (skating, skiing, snowboarding) and summer activities (fun at the beach, hiking, canoeing, biking)
CITY PERSONALITY:	Big city, multi-cultural, academic, active, artistic, bike-friendly, business capital, creative, eco-friendly, foodie scene, friendly, green, iconic landmarks, modern, natural landscape, snowboarding or skiing, unique, vibrant, youthful

Examples of nearby cities to visit

NEW YORK CITY	Travel time: 8 hours, price of return ticket: \$120
NIAGARA FALLS: 90 MINUTES, PRICE OF RETURN TICKETS:	Travel time: 5 hours, price of return ticket: \$55

Regular social activities

ART GALLERY OF ONTARIO	\$20
CANOEING TRIP	\$30
POUTINE NIGHT	\$6
PUB NIGHT	Free
ATTEND ICE HOCKEY GAME	\$20
ST LAWRENCE MARKET TRIP	Free
NIAGARA FALLS	\$20 - \$40



Typical 2-week social schedule

Days	First week	Second week
MON	Student orientation	Student orientation
TUE	Half price movies	Language meetup
WED	International party night	Art Gallery of Ontario
THU	Paint and sip	Poutine night
FRI	Walk along the lake	Attend hockey game
SAT	Niagara Falls	French Canada tour

Number of Social activities per week: 6



LIVING COST (SAMPLE PRICES FOR ITEMS IN THIS CITY)

- Bottle of water: \$1-2
- Meal out for two: \$50
- Local bus ticket: \$3.35 (adult) and \$2.35 (youth)
- Coffee: \$2
- Takeaway pizza: \$10
- Local train ticket: \$5
- Cinema ticket: \$8
- Can of coke: \$1-2
- Sandwich: \$4
- Bike rental: \$10

ACCOMMODATION IN TORONTO

DOWNTOWN RESIDENCE - HOEM



ADDRESS:	186 Jarvis Street, Toronto, Ontario
WEBSITE:	N/A
ACCOMMODATION TYPE:	Single rooms in mixed-gender apartment: kitchen, living/dining area and bathroom shared with other Kaplan students
SERVICES AVAILABLE:	Wi-Fi, Bi-Weekly cleaning of common area, linens (including towels) provided
EXTRA COST OF SERVICES:	No additional costs with the exception of laundry, which is approximately \$3 CDN per load.
BEDROOM:	Twin Bed, Desk, Closet, Storage Area Under Bed
KITCHEN:	Stove, Fridge, Dishwasher, Microwave, Pots and Pans, Crockery, Seating area for four.
FACILITIES:	Gym, Games Area, Study Rooms, Lounges with TVs, Yoga Studio, Volunteer Program, Laundry room
EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES:	No additional costs with the exception of laundry, which is approximately \$3 CDN per load.
FAMOUS LANDMARKS NEARBY:	Eaton Center, Dundas Square, Massey Hall, Ryerson University
VISITORS OR GUESTS ALLOWED?	Yes, before 10PM
NOISE RESTRICTIONS?	Yes (from 22:00 - 7:00)
SMOKING ALLOWED IN THE RESIDENCE?	No
24-HOUR SECURITY?	Yes
ROOMS CLEANING:	Cleaned on arrival
LINEN CHANGED EVERY:	Clean linens provided upon arrival; students responsible for washing their own linen
AVAILABILITY:	Minimum age: 16
MINIMUM NUMBER OF WEEKS?	No minimum
CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES	Check-in: Saturday & Sunday 16:00 - 21:00 / Check-out: Saturday 10:00
ROOM DEPOSIT?	No

	By foot	By bike	By bus	By subway/train
Time to the school:	20 minutes	N/A	10 minutes	10 minutes
Time to the nearest café / restaurant:	2 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest supermarket:	5 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest post office:	5 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest ATM / bank:	5 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest sports center:	2 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the nearest hospital:	30 minutes	11 minutes	20 minutes	20 minutes
Time to the city center:	5 minutes	N/A	N/A	N/A
Time to the main airport:	N/A	90 minutes	63 minutes	60 minutes

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DOWNTOWN RESIDENCE - PARKSIDE



ADDRESS: 111 Carlton Street, Toronto, ON M5B 2G3

WEBSITE: "N/A"

Disclaimer: All the information on this residence file is for reference. Please contact your advisor for the latest information."

ACCOMMODATION TYPE: Single rooms in mixed gender apartments with shared bathroom, all meals included. Student residence with shared community living, study, recreation areas and cafeteria. Students will have the opportunity to live/speak with native English speakers when not in school.

SERVICES AVAILABLE: Laundry machines available, Wi-Fi, bed linen provided upon arrival.

EXTRA COST OF SERVICES: No additional costs with the exception of laundry, which is approximately \$3 CDN per load.

BEDROOM: Double bed, armoire, study desk and chair

KITCHEN: All meals included in residence cafeteria as well as fully-equipped communal kitchen

FACILITIES: Fitness center, cycle and boxing studio, yoga and meditation studio, dance studio, games area, private and group study rooms, lounges with TVs, outdoor bbq area, laundry room,

EXTRA COST OF FACILITIES: Laundry and cleaning services additional charge

FAMOUS LANDMARKS NEARBY: Chinatown, CN Tower, Rogers Center, Art of Gallery of Ontario, University of Toronto

VISITORS OR GUESTS ALLOWED? Yes

NOISE RESTRICTIONS? Yes

SMOKING ALLOWED IN THE RESIDENCE? No, up to \$5000 fine

24-HOUR SECURITY? Yes

ROOMS CLEANING: Cleaned on arrival

LINEN CHANGED EVERY: Linen cleaned on arrival, students are responsible for cleaning their own linen

AVAILABILITY: Available year-round

MINIMUM NUMBER OF WEEKS? One week

CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT TIMES Check-in: Saturday & Sunday 16:00 - 21:00 / Check-out: Saturday 10:00

ROOM DEPOSIT? Yes; \$300 to be paid upon arrival

	By foot	By bike	By bus	By subway/train
Time to the school:	28 min	12 min	18 min	18 min
Time to the nearest café / restaurant:	1 min	-	-	-
Time to the nearest supermarket:	1 min	-	-	-
Time to the nearest post office:	1 min	-	-	-
Time to the nearest ATM / bank:	1 min	-	-	-
Time to the nearest sports center:	-	-	-	7 min
Time to the nearest hospital:	-	-	-	15 min
Time to the city center:	-	-	-	19 min
Time to the main airport:	-	-	-	40 min

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HOST FAMILY INFORMATION



THINGS STUDENTS NEED TO BRING:

Toiletries, personal items to make student's room feel like home, prescription medication, phone card, a small gift for the host family (not required)

SERVICES INCLUDED:

Bed linen, towels, telephone use for emergencies, students need to make sure to discuss laundry with their host family after you arrive as laundry facilities will depend on your individual homestay.

EXTRA COST OF SERVICES:

No

MEALS PROVIDED:

Yes (depends on booking type)

Â€ BREAKFAST:	Breakfast is usually a light meal consisting of cereal, fruit, toast, juice, or coffee. Hosts will usually ask you to prepare your own breakfast.
Â€ LUNCH:	You will be responsible for buying your own lunch at school, from a local restaurant, or the local shops.
Â€ DINNER:	You will usually eat dinner with your host, or occasionally you may prepare your own meal with food supplied by your host. NOTE: Meals provided will differ depending on whether you have selected 14 meals per week or 7 meals per week. If you have booked 7 meals per week, you are responsible for buying your own dinner and you may not have access to the kitchen at certain times

WILL THE HOMESTAY ARRANGE TO PICK UP THE STUDENT FROM THE AIRPORT?

No

TRANSPORT TO SCHOOL:

Your host will help you to find your way to and from school on your first day and will show you how to use public transport.

WHERE ARE THE HOST FAMILIES LOCATED?

Uptown, Downtown, Midtown, East End, West End, East York

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Homestays are 60-75 minutes of commute time to the school.