



Willingdon

COMMUNITY SCHOOL

CANADA RESIDENTIAL TRIP

October 2026

November 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

We are incredibly excited to be able to confirm your place on the school trip to **CANADA** to be travelling in October 2026.

The trip is planned for Wednesday October 21st – October 27th 2026. Travel will still most likely be from Gatwick to Toronto Pearson International Airport in Canada. (Please note that we are not able to book flights yet, so date/ exact times will be confirmed nearer the time).

The group will be staying in hostels in small groups with exact locations to be confirmed. To recap the itinerary, we will start by exploring the CN Tower - one of Canada's most famous icons and a must-see in Toronto. Those brave enough can take a walk over the glass floor! We will be taking a boat tour to the awesome Niagara Falls! Then we'll be following this up with some time at a local farmers market where students can try and buy some local produce. We'll then be heading over to Montréal where we'll take in a Hockey game, visit some more local shops and markets, see the biodomes, take a ride on the largest observation wheel in Canada, visit the Montmorency waterfalls, take a mini cruise around Quebec City before finally finishing off with a visit to the Underground City 'RÉSO' – the itinerary is absolutely packed morning until night!

All breakfast and evening meals will be provided; however, we advise to add between \$10-20 per day for lunch/food they wish to buy from the markets/local shops. Any spending money will need to be carried by the students and this is optional as to how much students wish to bring. It may be beneficial for students to have a bank card of some variety if they are worried about carrying cash around with them.

Your young person will need to be in possession of his/her/ their own valid passport for the time of travel. For general travel information for visiting Canada, please visit www.gov.uk. Copies of passports will need to be handed in to reception to be photocopied **before the end of this academic year (July 2025)** so the sooner you can do this the better. Along with this is you could please provide us with any dietary requirements or medical requirements your young person has so that we can make the necessary arrangements prior to travel.

If you have any further questions or concerns please feel free to contact myself at RCrellin@willingdonschool.org.uk

Yours faithfully,

Mr R Crellin