



GUIDELINE FOR ARRIVAL IN CALGARY & DEPARTURE FROM CALGARY

Our host families will be at the Calgary airport to pick-up and drop-off students. For proper arrival and departure procedures, please review the following recommendations.

For groups with 10 or more students' arrival, a representative from University of Calgary will be at the airport to assist with the pick-up. Please note there is no representative at the airport for departure.

Arrival Date & Time

Arrival Date

The standard homestay start date is the Saturday before the ESL course start date. We recommend arriving at least 2 days before the start of classes. This will give sufficient time for students to learn the transportation route to school with their host family and adjust jetlag. For arrivals less than 2 days before the start of classes, there may not be sufficient time for families to show students the bus route, so students may have to take the bus by themselves.

Arrival Time in the Calgary: Students pick-up time at the airport

- Weekends and holidays: 8am – 10pm
- Weekdays: 5:30pm – 9pm

Due to work schedules, host families may not be able to pick up students before 5:30pm on weekdays. For arrivals before 5:30pm, students are expected to wait in the airport until their family is available to pick them up. For airport pick-up request outside of the regular hours, students will be required to take a taxi or Uber at their own expense.

Departure Date & Time

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The standard homestay end date is the Saturday after an ESL course end date (Friday). 1 day after the final day of class is the recommended departure date.

Departure Date from the Calgary: Students drop-off time at the airport

- Weekends and holidays: 6am – 9pm
- Weekdays: 5:30pm – 9pm

Please note that student drop-off time refers to the time families will drop their student at the airport, not the flight departure time. For an airport drop-off request outside of the regular hours, students will be required to take a taxi or Uber at their own expense.

Summer Intensive Program II Departure Date & Fall Language & Culture Program Arrival Date

There is a one-day overlap between the end of our Summer Intensive 2 program, and the beginning our Fall Language & Culture program. To minimize the overlap, please follow the standard arrival and departure guidelines. For arrivals or departures outside of the standard dates, students will be expected to stay in a hotel.