EduXperience Associates Canada in cooperation with **Renison University College** presents

DISCOVER CANADA ESSAY CONTEST 2025-2026



The Discover Canada Essay Contest is open to international high school students aged 15–18.

The contest is designed for motivated high school students worldwide who want to broaden their horizons and seriously consider Canada as a future study destination.

Entrants will research the Canadian education system, analyze reliable facts and perspectives, shape your educational and career goals, and present a clear, well-supported point of view.

Start Date: October 19, 2025 | Deadline: March 1, 2026

The Essay Contest Topic is:

Choosing the right career path and skills needed to successfully prepare for University Studies in Canada

Eligibility

This contest is open to all international **high school students aged 15** to 18.

Essay Contest Rules

- Participants must be aged 15-18 as of March 1, 2026
- Each participant may submit only one essay
- Essay should be no less than 1000 words and no more than 1500. References are not included in the word count.
- All entries must be typed or computer-printed, double-spaced, in English. Entries can be submitted in the following file formats: .doc, .pdf, and .docx. Images can be used in your essay if you feel that they are necessary to your work. Please ensure you have the proper rights to any images included.
- All entries must be your own original work. We do not allow the use of AI for this essay contest, and we do monitor for plagiarism.
- Essays that utilize AI will be disqualified from the contest.
- Entries cannot be returned, so please retain a copy
- Entrants agree that the contest organizers have the right to publish, display, reproduce, or otherwise use the essay in whole or in part for advertising or promoting the Contest or for any other reason.
- Failure to follow these rules may lead to disqualification from the contest.
- The contest begins on October 19, 2025, and ends on March 1, 2026.
- 3 winners will be announced on March 8, 2026.



Selection Committee

Essays will be assessed by a panel of judges comprised of Renison University College faculty staff.



Selection Criteria

- Originality and Creativity
- Analysis and Critical Thinking
- Use of Evidence and Research
- Clarity, Structure, and Coherence
- Presentation and Language Use

Submitting an Essay

- Essays must be submitted online along with a <u>completed contest</u> <u>form</u> (PDF). Entries must be submitted by the student through the official Essay Contest Submission page or must be emailed to study@eduxperience.com with the subject line Discover Canada Essay Contest 2025 2026.
- The site will be open to accept submissions after October 19, 2025, until March 1, 2026.
- <u>Completed contest form</u> can be either filled in the PDF form electronically using an online PDF-filling tool like <u>PDFescape</u> (electronic signatures are acceptable), or you can print the form, fill it out on paper, and scan and attach it to your entry.
- Each submission will be confirmed by e-mail using the address supplied. Please contact us if you do not receive confirmation within a week.
- The participant's name should not appear anywhere on the essay pages.
- Entries must be submitted before 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the published deadline date.

Prizes for the contest are as follows:

- First-place winner will be granted a 2-week Future Ready Summer Program at Renison University College (University of Waterloo).
- Second-place winner will be granted a scholarship of \$1,500 CAD.
- Third- place winner will be granted a scholarship of \$1,000 CAD.

The Winners can use the scholarship money to apply to the tuition for a 2—week The Future Ready Summer Program.

• All participants will receive a Certificate of Participation.

Certificate of Participation will be sent by email. Please provide us with an active email address.

For full contest rules and other important details, visit:

https://www.eduxperience.com/educational-projects-for-international-students/essay-contests-discover-canada

Make sure you read the guidelines closely before you begin, and good luck!

If you have any questions or require more information please do not hesitate to contact the Contest Organizers:

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Take part in the Essay Contest and come to discover Canada in 2026!

