

September 2017

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Red text: Special Events; Blue text: Workshops; Green text: Other Services; Black text: Regular Program or Services</p> <p>Pickering Welcome Centre Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm</p> <p>Settlement Support and the Resource Centre Services are available to Newcomers and Immigrants weekdays during regular business hours</p>				1 TRIEC Mentoring Partnership 8:30am-4:30pm	2
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Highlights!

Pickering Adult English Language Classes

LINC and ESL classes are open to newcomers in Canada, including Canadian citizens who were born outside of Canada and whose first language is not English. The Care for Newcomer Children program offers free child care to a limited number of learners who qualify. Transportation assistance is also available to a limited number of learners who qualify.

Morning classes run Monday to Friday
8:30 am to 11:30 am
Afternoon classes run Monday to Friday
12:00 Noon to 3:00 pm
Evening classes are offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays
6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Register for the program now by calling
905-831-3118

Language Assessment

Language Assessments conducted for LINC and ESL eligible clients

- Clients' CLB levels for listening / speaking / writing skills are assessed and referrals are made to LINC, ESL, ELT and other settlement programs based on clients' needs and requirements

Settlement / Orientation

Helping Immigrants settle in Canada: Free, confidential & culturally sensitive information and referral services for immigrants in Durham Region, including:

- Help with housing, banking, health care, education, English classes
- Information and referrals to community programs and services
- Assistance with completing forms, letters of invitation and applications

Job Search Workshops (JSW)

JSW assists newcomers in building the job search tools they need to succeed in the Canadian job market. It provides customized action plans, resume and interview preparation, as well as access to computers and fax machines. Workshops are free of charge for Permanent Residents, Convention Refugees or Live-in Caregivers

Call: 905-420-3008 or
Email: jswinfo@unemployedhelp.on.ca

Resource Centre

FREE Internet access, use of computers, printer, fax, telephone and other resources for job search activities, training purposes, etc.

TRIEC Mentoring Partnership (TMP)

TMP brings together newcomers and established professionals in an occupation-specific mentoring relationship. Skilled newcomers entering the program have the education, experience, and language skills they need to succeed in the labour market, but need local insights and access to professional networks that only a one-to-one professional connection with a mentor can offer.

Schedule an appointment with a Mentoring Partnership Facilitator to learn more about being a mentee.

Contact: Phoebe Boreland-Grayson or
Sherferene Alleyne at 905-420-3607

Email:

mentorship@unemployedhelp.on.ca

DRIVEN

DRIVEN supports women experiencing abuse and/or any type of violence, including sexual violence by providing coordinated access to a range of specialized services. All services provided at DRIVEN are free of charge and child care is available (eligibility requirements may be required). Women can connect to DRIVEN over video chat at the Welcome Centre. This collaboration integrates technology and bridges the distance by giving women access to DRIVEN supports via video chat.

For more information please contact:
Emma Harvey eharvey@durhamdriven.com

Service Canada

Service Canada provides Canadians with a single point of access to a wide range of government services and benefits. Such as:

- ◆ Universal Child Care Benefits
- ◆ Education Savings Grants
- ◆ Learning Bond
- ◆ Canada Child Tax
- ◆ Old Age Security Pension
- ◆ EI Benefits for Families

For more information or to book an appointment, please contact **Pickering Welcome Centre**
905-420-3607

Community Connections

Newcomers in need of socializing and practising conversational English are encouraged to join the English Conversation Circle every Monday from 3:00pm - 4:15pm. For information, please call Bozena at 1-877-761-1155 ext. 103 or email:

bstobinska@cdcd.org

SPECIAL EVENTS

“Become a Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) in Canada” Info Session

Come and learn about becoming a CPA with a representative from CPA Ontario

Thursday, September 21, 2017

1:00pm - 2:30pm

Canadian Citizenship Info Session

Come and learn about Canadian Citizenship Application Process

Thursday, September 28, 2017

11:45am - 12:30pm