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WINTER PROGRAM GUIDE



WHO WE ARE

Experiences Canada is a national registered charity that provides young Canadians and youth leaders with educational opportunities and adventure via reciprocal exchanges, youth forums, PD conferences, and a range of practical curriculum tools and resources.

Through lived experiences, we deepen young people's connection to their community, enrich personal relationships, build confidence, and help them gain new skills and knowledge.

OVER
87
YEARS



WE OPEN YOUNG PEOPLES' MINDS AND INVOLVE THEM IN THE LARGER WORLD

OUR MAIN PROGRAMS

RECIPROCAL YOUTH EXCHANGES

YOUTH LEADERSHIP FORUMS

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
CONFERENCES

LEARNING RESOURCES

SEE MORE. BE MORE.



RECIPROCAL YOUTH EXCHANGES

Our reciprocal exchanges offer life-changing experiences enabling youth to build self-confidence, develop skills, form new friendships, and inspire them to become more actively engaged in their communities.



Themed exchanges feature sports, music, language, history & more



Open to groups of youth aged 12-18 and chaperones



We'll twin you with a compatible group or you can suggest your own



Each group's travel costs covered

TRAVEL COVERED BY US!



Applications Accepted Year Round

Apply **ASAP.....**
for a greater chance of securing your exchange and
desired twin community

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NATIONAL HYBRID YOUTH FORUMS 2024-2025

JULY 3-7, 2024: RECONCILIATION — OTTAWA, ONTARIO

SUMMER 2025: ALLYSHIP — HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

TWO CITIES X TWO UNIQUE THEMES

National Hybrid Youth Forums are an extraordinary opportunity for youth to engage with peers from across diverse backgrounds and regions.

They will learn from subject experts and have a greater appreciation from firsthand experience what reconciliation and allyship mean to others and how they can be part of solutions.

OPEN TO YOUTH
AGES
15-18

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CANADA  FORUMS



OUTCOMES...

100 young Canadians will

- Participate in 4 webinars on the two themes
- Visit Ottawa and Halifax and explore their cultures, histories, and connection to the themes
- Build lifelong friendships and join our alumni network
- Meet incredible reconciliation and allyship experts
- Create original podcasts on the Forums' topics
- Access free learning resources on Forums' themes
- Build mentorship, volunteer and leadership skills

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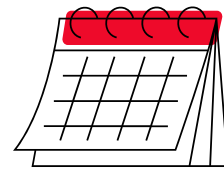
WHY ATTEND?

- ❄️ Learn all you need to know to lead a youth exchange
- ❄️ Engage with staff and our veteran exchange organizers
- ❄️ Meet your exchange twin!
- ❄️ Find out about other youth programs and resources

 **DON'T MISS OUT!** 

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE 2024

LEARNING BY ADVENTURE



JUNE 7-9, 2024



OTTAWA CONFERENCE AND EVENT CENTRE

Join youth leaders from across Canada in Ottawa for an exciting and educational weekend featuring inspiring guest speakers, social events, speed date twinning, and a range of workshops all about our youth reciprocal youth exchanges, youth forums, and resources.



REGISTER NOW! CLICK HERE FOR

EARLY BIRD PRICING!

NEW – GO CHAMPIONS

Seeking Group Organizers to promote Youth Exchanges in your Region

Experiences Canada knows our Exchange Group Organizers (GOs) are the best ambassadors for our programs. If you have led a Youth Exchange, you qualify to be a GO Champion. We'd love you to help us promote this fantastic program in your community!

- As a 'GO Champion' you will work directly with our staff and other passionate GOs already busy for 2024-2025.
- We provide the program promotional materials and cover local travel costs and most event registrations.

To learn more or to register, please contact:
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ONLINE LEARNING RESOURCES

Our online learning resources are designed to support secondary school educators and have been developed in-line with curricula from grades 7-12. Easily accessible tools are provided to enhance students' understanding of diverse perspectives and cultures while developing critical thinking skills and an appreciation for social responsibility.



DIVERSITY & INCLUSION



RECONCILIATION



CAREER CHOICES



ANTI-RACISM



CLIMATE CHANGE

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Bilingual
Webinars



Educational
Resources



Learning
Tools



VISUAL ARTS



VIRTUAL CHOIR

NEW – FINANCIAL LITERACY RESOURCES



BUDGETING



INVESTMENTS & INTEREST



CREDIT CARDS &
LOANS



MONEY BASICS FOR
DAILY LIFE

FULL SERIES NOW
AVAILABLE!

Money 101 online series is designed to equip young Canadians with vital skills in financial management through a series of webinars and learning resources exploring practical skills and tools for everyday living

The series addresses basics such as budgeting, what credit means, and how to make informed decisions, establish healthy financial habits, and work towards long-term financial management goals.



WEBINARS



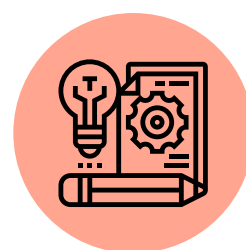
RESOURCES



MODULES & LESSON PLANS

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CAREERS – ONLINE LEARNING MODULES



TEACHING RESOURCES



RECORDED WEBINARS

Our Career Choices library provides youth what they need to plan for life, post high school. These resources help educators and youth discover career possibilities, access practical tools and resources, and meet career professionals through our vlogs and more.



CAREER VLOGS

- Data Scientist
- Criminal Lawyer
- Financial Analyst
- & Many More!



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OUR MAPS - DOWNLOAD AS LEARNING TOOLS

CANADA'S OFFICIAL LANGUAGES MINORITY COMMUNITIES

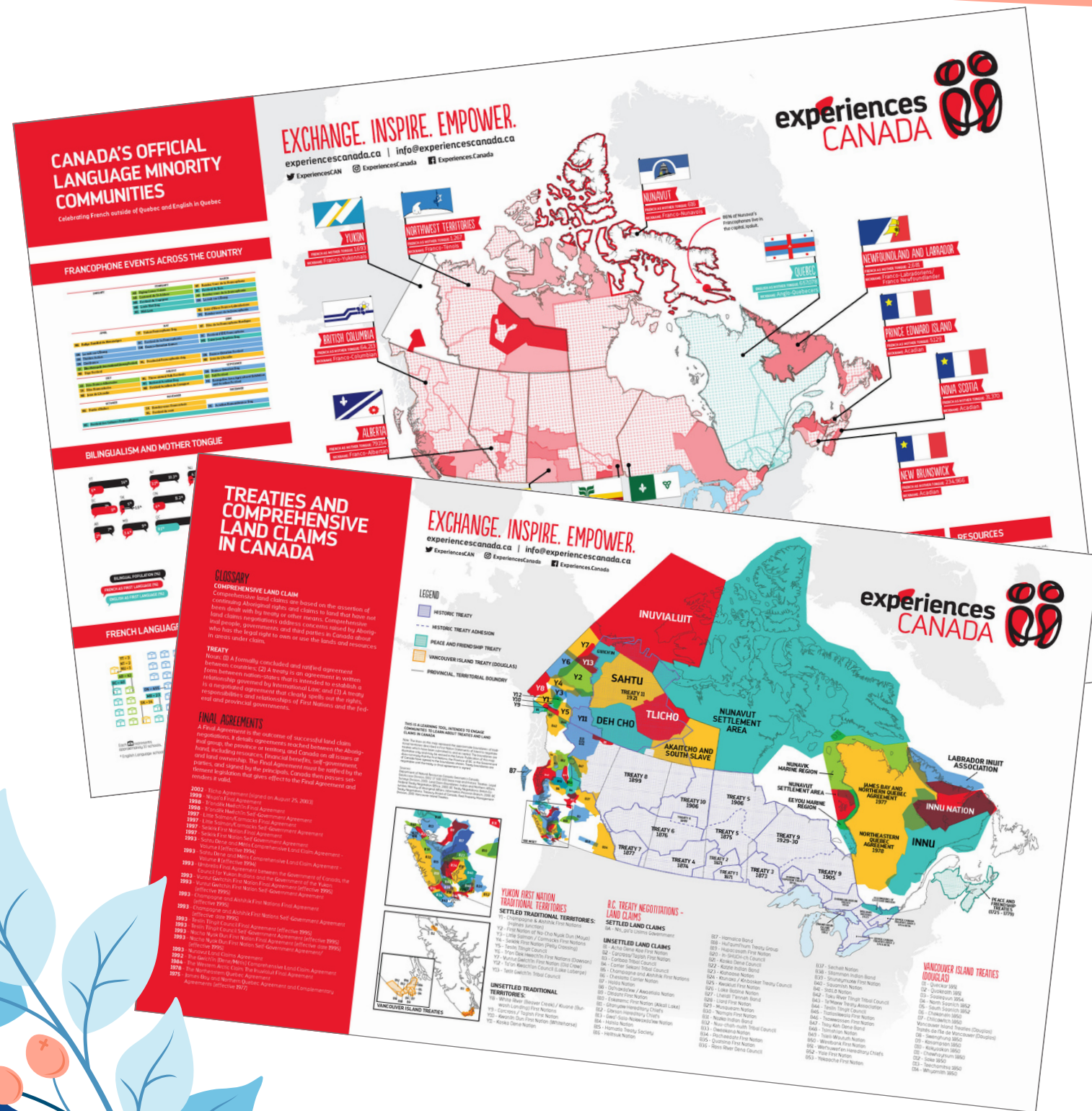
Download the full map today to learn more about:

- Francophone Events Across Canada
- Bilingualism & Mother Tongue
- French Language Schools Across Canada
- Timeline of Major Events

TREATIES AND COMPREHENSIVE LAND CLAIMS IN CANADA

Illustrating the treaties and comprehensive land claims across the country. This map is a great learning tool to inform and engage youth and others in conversation about our treaties.

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WE VALUE YOUR SUPPORT

Please Support our Programming

Experiences Canada's team is small and mighty and we are proud of the work we do to support Canadian youth in these very trying times. Your donations are managed by a caring, responsible management team and will go directly to our programs and resources.

PLEASE PROMOTE US BY:

- ✓ Sharing our programs with your network
- ✓ Telling your local youth organizations about us
- ✓ Following us on social media

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