



**FRENCH EXCHANGE  
RED DEER ITINERARY  
MAY 4 to 16, 2016**

# Bienvenue - Welcome to CANADA & Red Deer, Alberta

## Wednesday, May 4, 2016 - Arrival Day

**2:00 P.M. Pick up at Calgary's airport by bus**

**4:00 P.M. Welcome & reception in International  
Hall (Host families are asked to be at  
the school by 3:30 pm)**

**4:30 P.M. Official welcome to Lindsay Thurber**



Indicates Bag lunches for that specific day.  
Please ensure your French student is supplied  
with a lunch. Thank you

- Please note that all times quoted in this itinerary are estimates. We will try to adhere to the published program as much as possible. Remind French students to be prepared for all types of Alberta Spring weather. All excursions will depart from and arrive back @ LTCHS.

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## Wednesday, May 4 - Arrival Day



- ☺ 2:00 pm - Pick up French Exchange partners at Calgary's airport by bus
- ☺ 4:00 pm - Welcome & reception in International Hall with host families & students
- ☺ 4:30 pm - Official welcome to Lindsay Thurber
- ☺ End of welcoming ceremony - students return home with their partners

## Thursday, May 5 - Red Deer Tour & Bowling

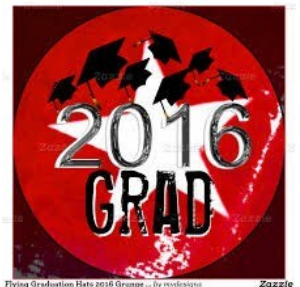


- French students come to school with their partners. French students meet in the cafeteria
- 8:45 am - Depart for walking tour of Red Deer & City Hall. Scavenger hunt to follow.
- 3:00 pm - Return to LTCHS & French students depart with Exchange partner for home
- 6:30 pm - LTCHS students & French partners to Heritage Lanes for an evening of bowling.
- 8:00 pm - End of bowling, homeward bound



## Friday, May 6 - Graduation Ceremonies/Evening with families

- AM - Attend Graduation Ceremonies with Exchange partners & families
- Evening with families



Flying Graduation Hats 2016 Grads - by mskdesigns Zazzle

## Saturday, May 7 - Free Day with Host Families

Just a few suggestions:

- Family planned activities
- Sleep in & catch up on a few ZZZZ
- Hiking
- Swimming
- Movies
- Horesback riding - Heritage Ranch



## Sunday, May 8 - Free Day with Host Families

### Things to see and do in & around Red Deer

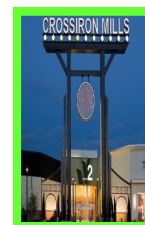
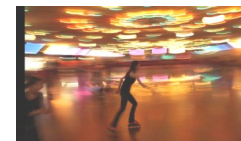
- Alberta Sports Hall of Fame
- Bower Ponds
- Ellis Farm
- West Edmonton Mall



## Monday, May 9 - Calgary & CrossIron Mills

### French students only

- ♦ 8:30 am - To Calgary by bus
- ♦ 10:00 am - Monster Mini golf, pizza lunch provided by facility
- ♦ 12:00 noon - Glenbow Museum
- ♦ 2:30 pm - Lloyd's rollerpark
- ♦ 4:00 pm - Cross Iron Mills - students can purchase supper
- ♦ 6:30 pm - Leave mall by bus to return to LTCHS
- ♦ 7:45 pm - Pick up by parents at LTCHS



No food available  
on site

## Tuesday, May 10 - Fort Edmonton

### French students only



- \* French students to come to school with their partners & attend Period 1 class.
- \* 9:46 am - Board bus & depart for Fort Edmonton
- \* 11:45 am Lunch eaten on site
- \* 12:15 pm to 2:15 pm - Les voyageurs de Fort Edmonton: Guided program
- \* 2:30 pm - Depart for Red Deer
- \* 4:30 pm - Arrival at LTCHS (Parents pick up students)

## Wednesday, May 11 - Classes/Collicutt Centre (French students only)

- ☺ 8:00 am - French students meet at International Hall. Pick up skating equipment (provided by the school). Bus to Collicutt
- ☺ 8:45 to 9:45 am - Skate at Collicutt
- ☺ 10:00 am - Return to LTCHS
- ☺ 10:30 am - Period 3 class with Exchange partner
- ☺ 11:50 pm - Lunch with Exchange partner
- ☺ 12:40 pm - Period 5 class with Exchange partner
- ☺ 2:00 to 3:00 pm - Collicutt to swim (please remember to bring swimwear & towel)
- ☺ 3:00 pm - Return by bus to LTCHS to meet Exchange partner (3:15 pm) & home



**Thursday, May 12 - Banff National Park**  
**French students only - Overnight stay in Banff**



**8:00 am - Arrival at LTCHS**

**8:30 am - Bus LEAVES from LTCHS**

**11:30 am - Arrival in Banff. Possible check-in at hotel (Inns of Banff)**

**1:00 pm - Sulphur Mountain, Gondola ride, hike, etc.**

**3:00 pm - Return to Banff. Free time in Banff**

**5:30 pm - Supper at Spaghetti Factory**

**7:00 pm - Town Walk or Banff Hot springs**

**(Transit pass for Hot Springs)**

**9:00 pm - Return to Hotel**

**◆ 11:00 pm - Lights out.**



**Friday, May 13 - Lake Louise/Columbia Ice Fields**  
**French students only**

**7:00 am - Breakfast at hotel**

**8:00 am - Packing & loading of bus**

**8:30 am - Leaving Banff, heading to Lake Louise on return trip**

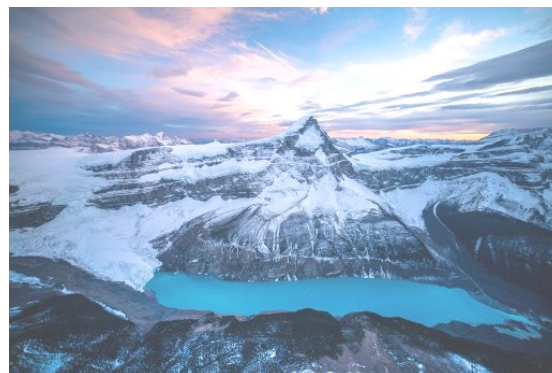
**10:00 am - Arrive at Lake Louise. Walk about**

**11:30 am - Lunch from purchases at store in Banff**

**12:30 pm - Heading towards Columbia Ice Fields, possible short stops at Peyto Lake, Saskatchewan Crossing, Siffler Falls, Columbia Ice Fields**

**5:00 pm - Approximate time, Rocky Mountain House for a quick snack at fast foods area.**

**◆ 8:00 pm Approximate time: Arrive back at LTCHS for pick up.**



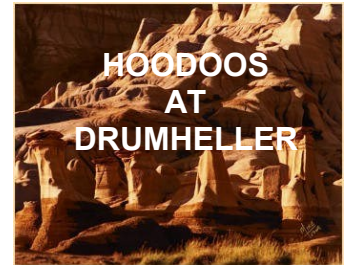


## Saturday, May 14 - Family Day (suggested activities)

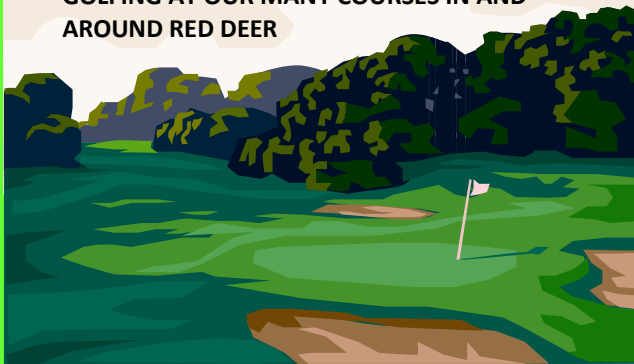


**Drumheller  
Frank Slide Interpretive Centre**

**Things to see and do in  
& around Red**



**GOLFING AT OUR MANY COURSES IN AND  
AROUND RED DEER**



## Sunday, May 15 - Family Day (suggested activities) & Farewell Banquet



**RCMP Dog Training Centre,  
Innisfail**



**Sunday, May 15 - Family Day &  
Farewell Banquet - Evening**

**5:00 pm - Farewell dinner and dance for all students, members of the host families, and invited guests to be held at the Holiday Inn (33 Petrolia Drive) Gasoline Alley**



**Presentations to be held after dinner**



**5:30 pm - Buffet Dinner**



**Tentative dance**



**10:00 pm Activities over Homeward bound**

**Monday, May 16 - Departure Day**



**8:00 am - Meet at LTCHS (International Hall)  
GOODBYES & lots of tears!!!**

**9:30 am - Leave for Calgary airport by bus**

**12:00 - Arrive in Calgary**

**2:55 pm - Flight out of Calgary for France**

**✈ 2:55 p.m. Flight out of Calgary**



**We hope you enjoyed your stay in  
Red Deer!!!**

**À la prochaine!**

