



**FREDERICTON**

Christian Academy

*home of the eagles*



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# LOCATION



FCA is located in Fredericton, the provincial capital of New Brunswick - a safe and beautiful city in Canada's Maritime region. Fredericton is situated along the banks of the beautiful Saint John River.

Fredericton is the educational and cultural center of New Brunswick. It is home to two Universities (University of New Brunswick & St. Thomas University), the provincial community college, the Beaverbrook Art Gallery, The Playhouse, and renowned international music festivals.

## Quick Facts About Fredericton

- In 2021, Fredericton was ranked the second-best place to live in Canada. (MacLeans)
- Fredericton is one of the top 20 Most Beautiful Canadian Cities to live in (Slice)
- Since 2015, Fredericton has been one of the Top 10 Places to Live in Canada. (MoneySense)



# FCA AT-A-GLANCE

## Tradition

- FCA was founded in 1978.

## Facilities

- Classrooms, labs, gymnasium, and outdoor athletic area.

## Faculty

- Teacher to student ratio is 1:18.
- FCA teachers are highly qualified, committed and caring professionals who treat all students with respect and strive to help students reach their full potential.
- All FCA teachers have two or more degrees.

## Programs

- Junior Kindergarten (4 years old)
- After School Program
- Elementary School
- Middle School
- High School/ University Preparatory: AP Courses available
- Dual Enrolment Program with UNB & STU
- Full-year International Program
- Summer & Winter ESL Camps
- International Family Program
- SAT Test Centre and AP Test Centre
- IELTS Assessment Centre
- TOEFL Assessment Centre









# ABOUT US

FCA is an independent university preparatory school in Fredericton, New Brunswick. FCA was founded on the belief that young people thrive in safe, nurturing and rigorous learning environments, where they are encouraged to collaborate, express themselves and ask critical questions. FCA offers a unique culture where faculty doors are always open and students are part of a larger school “family”. FCA is committed to fostering the spiritual, intellectual, social, creative and physical potential of students in a caring community.

## Our Mission

Fredericton Christian Academy is a private Christian community of excellence that exists to challenge students to grow in knowledge, skill, character, leadership and courage to dynamically impact their world for God.

## Experiential Learning Opportunities

Trips to Halifax NS, Montreal QC, Ottawa ON, Toronto ON, Boston MA, New York City NY, Washington DC and Bolivia. Subject field trips to King’s Landing, St. Andrew’s Ocean Research Facility, Robotics Conferences, STEM Conferences, Music Festivals, Theatre Productions, Service Opportunities, Art Museums, Cultural Fairs, Wildlife Museums, Outdoor Education Retreats, and more.

## Co-Curricular Opportunities

Students have the opportunity to participate in co-curricular activities:

**Athletics** - basketball, soccer, badminton, baseball, volleyball, hockey, skiing, snowboarding, cross country and track & field.

**Arts** - plays, musicals, choir, voice, guitar, percussion, art, drawing, photography and creative writing.

**Technology** - VEX Robotics, coding, graphical design, sound design and musical production.







# FCA GRADUATES

Close to 100% of our graduates attend the top universities and colleges worldwide. Recent graduates have been accepted to the University of Toronto, University of British Columbia, McGill University, University of Alberta, Hong Kong University, Indiana University, University of Waterloo, and Simon Fraser University. FCA's graduating class receives over \$100,000 in scholarships every year.



**Youna Jung**

Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering at University of Toronto, Entrance Scholarship of \$24,000.



**Minh Anh Nguyen**

Bachelor of Computer Science & Mathematics at McGill University, Entrance Scholarship of \$12,000 and \$1,500 the Tomlinson Engagement award for mentoring.



**Joseph Drost**

Bachelor of Political Science at Mount Allison University, Entrance and Music Scholarship of \$22,000.



**Hillary Fox**

Bachelor of Arts Degree at St. Thomas University, received the President's Scholarship of \$18,000.



**Junyoung Jeon**

SolBridge International School of Business in South Korea, awarded Asian Thought Leader Scholarship, 70% off tuition scholarship (worth more than \$11,000 per year).



**So Yeon Park**

Bachelor of Arts Criminology at Simon Fraser University, the International Dean's Excellence Entrance Scholarship \$13,000.

# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM

## Full-year International Program

FCA's full-year program guides students to have academic success both in secondary school and in university. The program covers all subject areas while improving students' English speaking, reading and writing skills.

## Homestay

There is no better way to experience Canadian culture and the English language than to live with one of FCA's homestay families. Homestay families are exceptionally kind and live in excellent neighborhoods. Students will enjoy a comfortable living space, study area, and 3 nutritious meals all within minutes of the school campus.







## INTERNATIONAL FAMILY PROGRAM

FCA's International Family Program offers students from Junior Kindergarten to Grade 12 an opportunity to study in Fredericton, New Brunswick. FCA invites families to accompany their children for this English immersion program.

Students will experience the positive effects of FCA's caring learning environment while taking part in the full academic program. Students will receive English language instruction, academic support, and modification that meets their needs. While making new Canadian friends, becoming familiar with the Canadian education system, improving their English proficiency, and learning about new cultures.

FCA will work closely with parents and agents to find wonderful living accommodations near the school, explore different modes of transportation, set up bank accounts, get oriented to the local area, and ensure that all other settlement items are cared for. The settlement process includes airport pick-up, finding housing, support with vehicle purchases, insurances, community programs for parents, and various other items.

# ESL CAMPS

FCA offers fun and exciting Summer and Winter ESL Camps for school-aged students who want to improve their English skills.

## Homestay Placements

Students will be placed in caring, safe homestays located just minutes from the school.

## Daily Program

The academic portion of the program includes English language instruction in the mornings at FCA. During class time, students will receive personal instruction to develop their English skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing. Afternoons will be filled with a variety of fun events and activities. All classroom resources and meals are included in the registration fee.

*"FCA's summer camp was really awesome. The activities I participated in were really interesting and FCA's teachers were truly talented and caring. The people in Fredericton were extremely friendly and my stay there made me feel relaxed and fruitful as I improved my English skills and made new friends."*

*~Archer Chen*





## Events & Activities

Students will get to participate in a variety of the following fun and exciting events & activities. Some of the events & activities are dependent on the weather.

- NB Sports Hall of Fame
- Northside & Southside Markets
- Clay Cafe
- Scavenger hunt
- Shopping
- Beaverbrook Art Gallery
- The Playhouse
- Ganong Chocolate Museum
- Kingswood Bowling & Entertainment Center
- Fundy National Park
- Sports games
- Tour of the New Brunswick Legislative Assembly
- Kings Landing Historical Settlement
- Magic Mountain
- Tubing on the Nashwaak River
- Magnetic Hill Zoo
- Odell Park & Botanical Gardens
- TreeGo
- St. Andrews Boat tour

### WINTER

Jan. 8 - Mar. 1, 2024

Flexible intake:  
choose the dates and  
the length of stay of  
2 - 8 weeks.

# 2024

## ESL CAMPS

**\$1,300/week\***

\*Fees include: tuition, activities,  
and homestays.

### SUMMER

July 14 - Aug. 3, 2024

Flexible intake:  
choose the dates and  
the length of stay of  
2 - 3 weeks.



# UNIVERSITY NOW

## Dual Enrolment Program



- FCA has teamed up with two universities - The University of New Brunswick and St. Thomas University.
- Students earn both high school and university credits for courses taken.
- Students have the wonderful opportunity to learn and experience university while still in high school.
- Allows for accelerated university graduation.
- Students are able to take university credit level courses for FREE, as these credits are a part of their FCA program.
- Credits earned through the dual enrolment program can be transferred to other top universities across Canada, and around the world.

## Advanced Placement (AP) Program



- Students have the wonderful opportunity to learn and experience university level courses on the FCA campus.
- Students can earn both high school credits and university credits for courses taken through this great program.
- FCA is a College Board approved AP Test Centre which allows for students to challenge for the AP credit on the school campus.
- The Advanced Placement Program allows for accelerated high school and university graduation.
- Students have a broad variety of AP course options including Biology, Calculus AB, Calculus BC, Computer Science, English Literature, Macroeconomics, and Physics.
- Credits earned through the Advanced Placement Program can be transferred to other top universities across Canada, and around the world.

## TRAINING & ASSESSMENT CENTRE

FCA is an official Training and Assessment Centre for SAT®, TOEFL® and IELTS®.







St. Thomas University



University of New Brunswick, Fredericton Campus



# UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE PATHWAYS GUIDANCE PROGRAM

FCA assists every international student with post-secondary school processing. Each student will receive care and guidance as they move toward their post-secondary education:

**Initial Discovery Meeting** – Students create a course plan to ensure that they will be able to get into the universities of their choice.

**Student Plan** – Assist student with course selection, and ensure steps are in place for a successful transition from high school to university.

**Ongoing Touch-point Meetings** – FCA's Principal and Director of International Students will meet with all international students throughout each year of study to offer guidance and answer questions.

**College & University Research** – FCA assists all students to research, visit, and scope out all variables for the universities they are interested in.

**Assistance with Admissions to Colleges & Universities** – Assistance with applications and scholarships.

## Steps to Post-secondary Success

- How to choose a school
- Qualifications/Admissions
- When to apply
- What you need to apply
- How to apply
- Scholarships and bursaries







# INTERNATIONAL TESTIMONIES



"FCA is very special and meaningful place to me. FCA was really where I grew up. I stayed in Canada to study without my family, and during that time I needed many things cared for and FCA was there to help me every step of the way. FCA always helped me with their best efforts and kindness. With FCA's support, I became a mature young woman who loved experiencing multicultural learning; someone who made many new friendships, someone who loves to help others, a strong Christian, and someone who is quite confident. My family and friends who were close with me say that I changed in very positive ways from being in Canada and they also said that I have done many interesting things compared to other people my age. I strongly believe that I would not be where I am if I did not experience all that FCA offered to me in my life."

~ Junyoung Jeon, South Korea, FCA International Graduate



"FCA offers me smaller class sizes and individual attention so I may do better in my courses. The teachers are all very kind, supportive and helpful. I love my homestay family as well because they are very caring and supportive of my interests and activities. Coming to Canada has been a great experience for me and I am so glad that I made that decision."

~ Jason Ho, Hong Kong, FCA International Student



"To me FCA is not just a school, it is a big family. FCA has small class sizes which allow the teachers to get to know each student. The teachers are very approachable with any questions and they very easy to talk to. FCA offers students a variety of courses, and offers numerous opportunities for students to learn, grow, and to express themselves which helps students to develop into well-rounded individuals. FCA is not concerned just with academics, it also cares about how students are emotionally and spiritually. I was a student at FCA for just one year during that time everyone was so nice to me. The time I spent at FCA is very special to me, I feel that FCA has improved my life."

~ Josie Lee, Hong Kong, FCA International Graduate



"My husband and I feel that sending our daughter to FCA was very good choice because FCA provides a great education to their students. The principal - Mr. McAloon and all the teachers always provide the highest possible care to students in order to help them achieve their best results. That is why FCA has a very high percentage of students who get into some of the best universities and later on become very successful in their careers. Moreover, everyone is very kind and friendly, kind-hearted people that treat homestay children like their own."

~ Thi Bach Yen, Vietnam, Parent of FCA International Graduate









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