



Student Experience Journey

Learning Beyond the Classroom



Period	Theme	What Students Will Gain	Boarding Life & Student Experience	Featured Canadian Experiences	Signature Event
September	Welcome & Belonging	• Build meaningful friendships • Develop independence and confidence • Adapt successfully to boarding school life • Feel welcomed and connected to the FEIA community	• Orientation Week • After-School Clubs (Mon–Fri) • Club Fair • House Program Launch • Leadership Activities • Wellness & Student Support • Weekend Excursions	• Journey Behind the Falls • Niagara Parks Exploration • Clifton Hill	FEIA Welcome Festival 
October	Community & Canadian Traditions	• Experience Canadian culture and traditions • Strengthen teamwork and collaboration • Build respect for diversity and community	• After-School Clubs • House Challenges • Student Engagement Activities • Wellness Activities • Weekend Social Programs	• Pioneer Village • Fort George Ghost Tour • Balls Falls Festival • Pumpkin Patch Experience	Fall Festival 
November	Leadership & Service	• Develop leadership skills • Build responsibility and empathy • Make meaningful contributions to the community	• Leadership Workshops • Community Service Projects • Student-Led Initiatives • House Competitions • After-School Clubs	• Local Community Partnerships • Volunteer Experiences	Community Leadership Day 
December	Global Citizenship & Celebration	• Celebrate cultural diversity • Strengthen friendships and inclusion • Reflect on personal growth during Semester One	• Spirit Week • Holiday Activities • Student Recognition Event • Cultural Celebration Day • After-School Clubs	• Toronto Christmas Market • Community Holiday Parade	Winter Celebration 
January – February	Personal Growth & Wellbeing	• Build resilience and confidence • Develop healthy habits and wellbeing • Improve communication and goal-setting skills	• Wellness Workshops • Goal Setting Sessions • Study Skills Support • Cultural Exchange • Talent Showcase Activities • After-School Clubs	• Royal Ontario Museum (ROM) • Niagara IceDogs Hockey Game • Toronto Day Trip	International Friendship Night 
March – April	Teamwork & School Spirit	• Strengthen teamwork and leadership • Develop resilience and sportsmanship • Foster environmental responsibility	• House Competitions • Sports Tournaments • Outdoor Adventures • Earth Day Activities • After-School Clubs	• Maple Syrup Festival • Balls Falls Conservation Area • Blue Jays Game	FEIA House Olympics 
May – June	Achievement & Celebration	• Celebrate accomplishments • Reflect on personal growth • Prepare for future success and university life	• Student Awards • Cultural Showcase • Graduation Activities • Outdoor Recreation • After-School Clubs	• Toronto Islands • Canada’s Wonderland • Safari Niagara	Spring Carnival Prom & Graduation Celebration 