

# Homestay Services & Guardianship

The Lambton Kent District School Board is not directly involved in arranging for homestay. However, there are a number of community partners who will provide guardianship and homestay services to international students. Since many of our families accept our invitation to host international students, many of our visiting students are placed in homes with students of the same age and gender attending the same school.



# Additional Services

Our community partners work with the Board to develop and coordinate after school activities including instruction in ESL, social and cultural outings, local tours, and longer distance excursions.



# Application Process

The LKDSB does not have a formal application process. Our preference is to work in partnership with representatives interested in placing students with our Board. Once it has been determined that our system has a program appropriate to the needs of the student(s), an official letter of acceptance will be issued. Individual students, organizations or agents interested in any additional information should contact one of the LKDSB staff listed below.



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# International Education Program



**[www.lkdsb.net](http://www.lkdsb.net)**



# Location

The Lambton Kent District School Board provides educational services to approximately 200,000 residents in numerous small towns and communities situated in Southwestern Ontario. We are located in a geographic area surrounded by the Great Lakes and are ideally situated to provide international students with easy access to major centers such as Toronto and Niagara Falls but small enough to offer a true Canadian experience to visiting students.



We serve more than 24,000 students in 66 elementary and secondary schools ranging in size from 100 to 1300 students.



Why international students select the  **Lambton Kent District School Board**  
*Student Achievement Community Success*

**International students choose to study with the LKDSB because it:**

- Provides a quality educational experience
- Provides a safe and welcoming environment
- Provides a total English immersion both in school and in the community
- Provides classroom buddies to act as mentors for visiting students
- Allows students to enroll at any time
- Allows students to determine their length of stay
- Enrolls students from the age of 9 years to 24 years in grade 4 to grade 12
- Ensures small class sizes that are conducive to learning
- Recognizes that visiting students and resident students are mutually enriched when they participate together in social, educational, recreational and cultural activities.



# Fees & Services

Tuition Fees 2009- 2010

Secondary ..... \$12 200 CDN/year  
..... \$1 220/month

Elementary .....\$11 000 CDN/year  
..... \$1 100/month

- **NO APPLICATION FEE** is required
- **NO REGISTRATION FEE** is required
- Letter of Acceptance provided with **NO ADMINISTRATION FEE**
- **FULL REBATES** provided for unused period of study



# Medical Insurance

A comprehensive medical insurance plan provided by StudentGuard© is included in the tuition fee.



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