

Quebec Exchange



Overview

March 29 - April 5 2019
May 2 to May 9 2019

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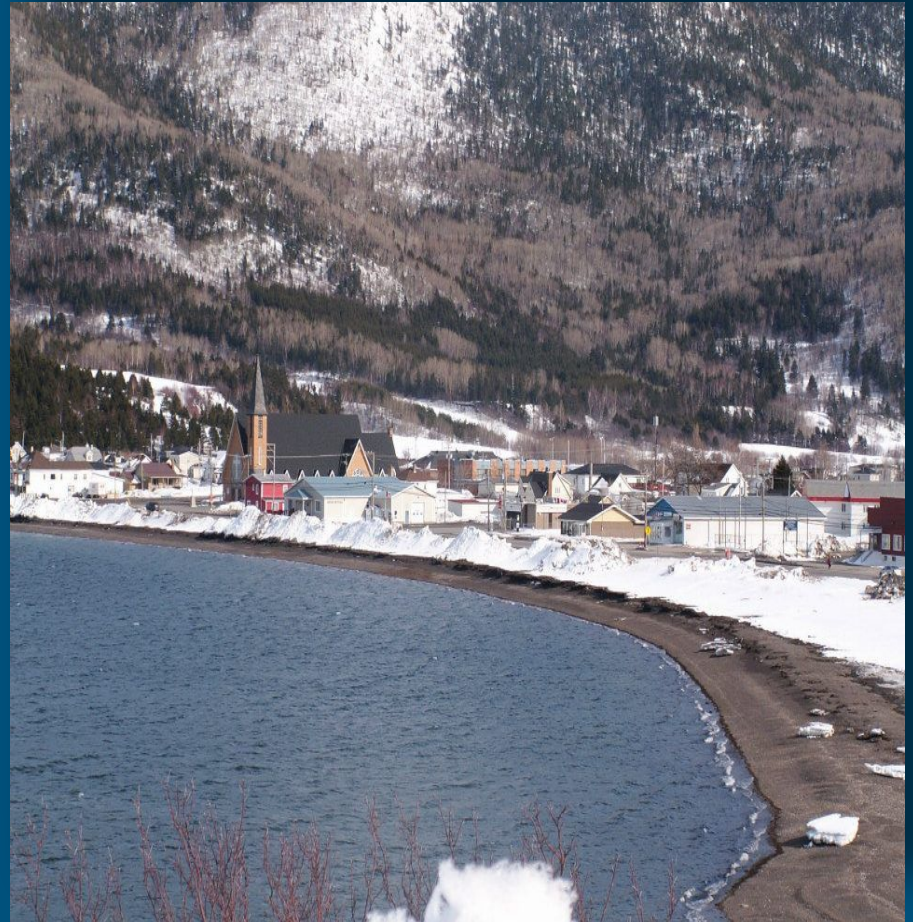
Includes:

- 16 days
 - Flights
 - Accomodation
 - Meals
 - All activities
 - Personalized Hoodie
- *There are also 2 opportunities to fundraise



What is an exchange?

- Travel to Quebec
- Twinned with a student of similar age based on interests
- Same gender match/twin
- Stay with a host family
- Explore local culture
 - Family life
 - Daily routines
 - Community offering
 - Landscapes
 - French Language



Who are the exchange students?

From a local high school

- High school in Quebec is from grade 7 - 11
- Most of the students from Mont-Louis are in grade 10 & 11
- One grade 8 student
- 3 males / 15 females = 18 Students
- 3 teachers
- This is their first exchange



Dunbarton Exchange Group

3 teacher chaperones: Ms. Demaray, Ms. Casimir, Mr. Conacher

1 school administrator: Vice-Principal-- Ms. Mah

20 Dunbarton students in Gr. 9-11 Core French or French Immersion

Hosting a student

- They should have their own room
- Provide breakfast, snacks and some packed lunches
- All meals out are included in the price
- Drop off at school at regular time most days
- For students bused to school: exchange partner not allowed on school bus
- Parents must provide three family references (not family members)
 - These are vetted by the teachers (interview phone call)
- Encouraged to communicate before the exchange to get to know one another
- Same gender matches only
- Exchange Students do not spend much time at home
- Days are often 9:00 - 6 pm (some later)

Mont-Louis

- Saint-Maxime-du-Mont-Louis
- Used to be a big fishing town
- population of 1,118
- 100 students at the school
- Come from 7 surrounding villages



Travelling to Quebec

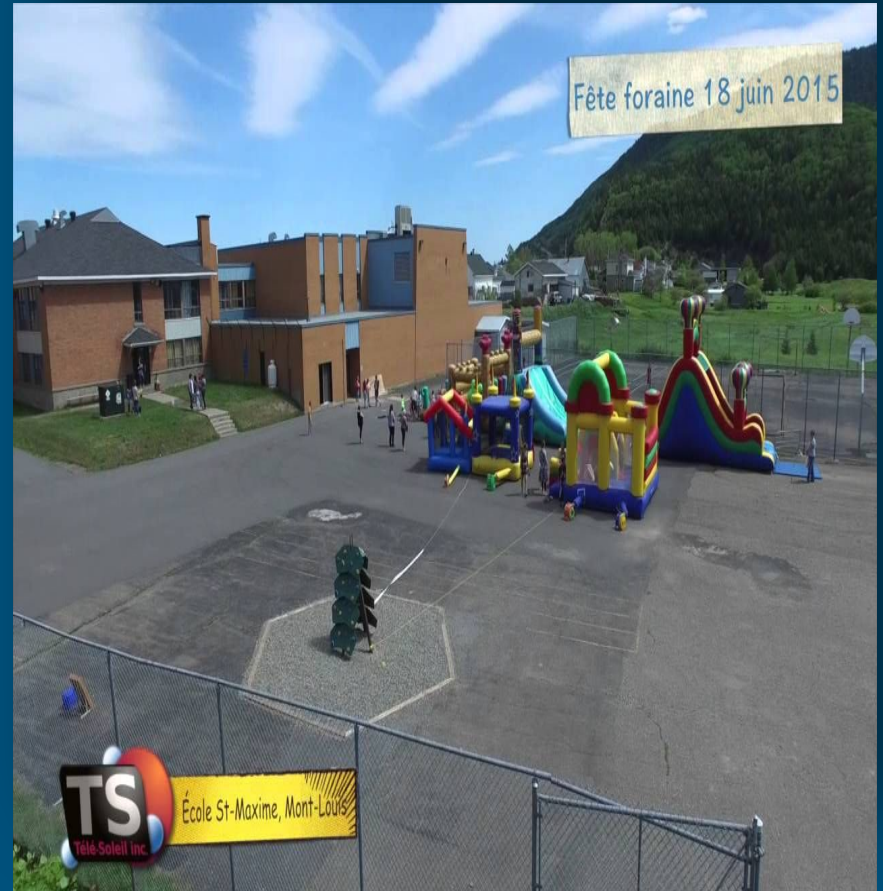
From March 29 - April 5

- Students will only miss 4 days of school (April 5th is a PD Day)
- Flight is **paid for** by the Ministry of Heritage & Cultural Affairs Canada
- Flying Air Canada
 - Toronto to Montreal
 - Montreal to Mont-Joli
 - BUS : Mont-Joli to Mont-Louis (1.5 hours)
 - Includes one piece of checked luggage
 - Meal during travel also included

In Quebec

Activities include:

- Sugar shack
- Hiking
- Snow shoeing
- Cross-country skiing
- Dog sledding (weather dependent)
- Snow Tubing
- Visit to Percé National Park
- Other: Escape room/laser tag



In Pickering

May 2nd - 9th

- Students miss only 3 days of school
- Activities include:
 - Toronto 2 Days: CN Tower, Ripley's Aquarium, Blue Jays Game, Eaton's Centre, Rec Room, City Scavenger Hunt
 - Niagara Day: Falls, Arcade, Journey Behind the Falls, Magic Show, Hornblower cruise (pending permission), Clifton Hill
 - Vaughan: Canada's wonderland, Vaughan Mills
 - Peterborough: Spelunking in the Warsaw Caves

Upcoming dates

School cash online open until **December 19**

- \$300 deposit
- 2nd installment: \$200 January 25 - 31
- Final installment: \$150 February 22 - 28

More information:

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