

North America Refund Policy

OIEG Oxford International Education Group

Name of Institution

7th February, 2022

4th November, 2024

Refund Policy

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Effective Date

Revision Date

Halifax

Refund Policy before Original Registration Date and/or First Day at School	
Registration Fee and Accommodation Placement Fee are non-refundable. The first 2 weeks of homestay are non-refundable.	
Reason (written notification required)	Refund (paid within 30 days of written notification)
Visa Refusal (Refusal letter must be provided within 30 days)	100% of tuition fees
Other reason (14 days +)	80% of tuition fees
Other reason (1-13 days)	60% of tuition fees

Refund Policy on or after First Day at School	
Registration Fee and Accommodation Placement Fee are non-refundable. The first 28 days of homestay are non-refundable for students who have arrived in the homestay program.	
% of Registration complete when written notification received	Refund (paid within 30 days of written notification)
Visa Refusal (Refusal letter must be provided within 30 days)	100% of tuition fees
UCP, Special Promotions & Program	No refund
Up to 10% of program completion	50% of unused tuition fees
11% - 30% of program completion	30% of unused tuition fees

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PAL Cancellation and Refund Policy	
Registration Fee (\$180) is non-refundable	
Reason (written notification required)	Refund (paid within 30 days of written notification)
Cancellation After PAL has been issued	No refund
Visa Refusal (Refusal letter must be provided within 30 days)	\$820

1. Students must provide written notification if they would like to request a refund.
2. A \$120.00 cancellation fee will apply to all refund requests as well as any changes to course or accommodation type or duration, including cancellations.
3. A review of the refund policy above will be conducted to determine if the student is eligible to receive a refund. Written notification of any allowable refund, or any reasoning for denial of a refund will be refunded (based on the terms listed above).
4. Refunds are returned to the student by cheque or wire transfer, depending on the original form of payment. Refunds are returned to the original payer (agent, parent, student), unless written authorization to direct funds elsewhere is provided by the original payer.
5. Specials Programs may include, but are not limited to, Summer Groups, English for Parents, UCP.

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Toronto

- The Enrolment Fee and Accommodation Fee are non-refundable.
- All tuition and accommodation fees will be refunded if a Study Permit is denied, provided that the student gives notice within reasonable time, as per the Oxford International Toronto Study Permit Application Condition, and provides the school with written notification from Immigration Canada of this decision prior to the program commencement.
- No refunds will be issued for time off during public holidays.
- If a student withdraws from their course, in writing, 14 days prior to the start of their course, all tuition fees will be refunded.
- If a student withdraws from their course, in writing, less than 14 days prior to the start of their course, but no later than 1:00 PM on the last Friday before the commencement of the course, all tuition fees will be refunded except for tuition fees for one week.
- If a student fails to show up for their course or withdraws after 1:00 PM (local school time) on the last Friday before the commencement of the course, no tuition fees will be re-funded.

- For the Junior Summer Programs, all fees will be refunded if the course is cancelled, in writing, 30 days prior to the start of the course. No refunds will be given for cancellations received less than 30 days prior to the start of the course.

- Students may cancel their accommodation by providing two weeks' notification, in writing. In such cases, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded. If a student cancels their accommodation with less than two weeks' notice, in writing, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded except for the two-week notification period.

- The Airport Reception fee will be refunded if the student cancels this service, in writing, at least 7 days prior to their scheduled arrival date.

- There will be a \$120 administration fee charged for any changes to course or accommodation type or duration, including cancellations, and a \$95 materials fee upon return from break or holiday, depending on the length of break and original program duration.

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- A student will be dismissed from their course and/or accommodations if they violate Canadian Law and/or Oxford International Toronto Rules & Regulations. No refunds will be issued in the case of dismissal.
- In the event that all fees are not received as a result of items such as bank wires etc., the outstanding fees due will be reduced from the tuition fees paid.
- Refunds will be issued within 30 days of receiving written notice and only upon presentation of the original corresponding receipt. If a representative or agent has registered the student, the refund will be sent to the representative or agent.
- Refunds are normally issued by cheque. Refunds issued by other methods are subject to a service charge.

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Vancouver

Tuition

6. If OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver receives tuition from the student, or a person on behalf of the student, the institution will refund the student, or the person who paid on behalf of the student, the tuition that was paid in relation to the ESL Program in which the student is enrolled if:
 - a. the institution receives a notice of withdrawal from the student no later than seven days after the effective contract date and before the contract start date
 - b. the student, or the student's parent or legal guardian, signs the student enrolment contract seven days or less before the contract start date and the institution receives a notice of withdrawal from the student between the date the student, or the student's parent or legal guardian, signed the student enrolment contract and the contract start date; or
 - c. the student does not attend a work experience component and the institution does not provide all of the hours of instruction of the work experience component within 30 days of the contract end date.
7. OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver will refund the tuition for the ESL Program and all related fees paid by the student or a person on behalf of the student enrolled in the program if the student is enrolled in the program without having met the admission requirements and did not misrepresent his or her knowledge or skills when applying for admission.
8. If a student does not attend any of the first 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term, OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver may retain up to 50% of the tuition paid under the student enrolment contract unless the program is provided solely through distance education.
9. Unless the ESL Program is provided solely through distance education, if OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver receives a notice of withdrawal from a student:
 - a. more than seven days after the effective contract date and
 - at least 30 days before the contract start date, the institution may retain up to 10% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, to a
 - maximum of \$1,000.
 - less than 30 days before the contract start date, the institution may retain up to 20% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, to a maximum of \$1,300.

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- b. after the contract start date
 - and up to and including 10% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
 - and after 10% but before 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
10. Unless the ESL Program is provided solely through distance education, if OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver provides a notice of dismissal to a student and the date the institution delivers the notice to the student is:
- a. equal to or before 10% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
 - b. after 10% but before 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term have been provided, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
11. If OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver provides the ESL Program solely through distance education and the institution receives a student's notice of withdrawal or the institution delivers a notice of dismissal to the student and:
- a. the student has completed and received an evaluation of his or her performance for up to 30% of the hours of instruction to be provided during the contract term, the institution may retain up to 30% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract, or
 - b. the student has completed and received an evaluation of his or her performance for more than 30% but less than 50% of the program, the institution may retain up to 50% of the tuition due under the student enrolment contract.
12. OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver will refund fees charged for course materials paid for but not received if the student provides a notice of withdrawal to the institution or the institution provides a notice of dismissal to the student.
13. Refunds required under this policy will be paid to the student, or a person who paid the tuition or fees on behalf of the student, within 30 days:

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- a. of the date OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver receives a student's notice of withdrawal,
 - b. of the date OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver provides a notice of dismissal to the student,
 - c. of the date that the registrar provides notice to OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver that the institution is not complying with section 1(c) or 2 of this policy, or
 - d. after the first 30% of the hours of instruction if section 3 of this policy applies.
14. If an international student delivers a copy of a refusal of a study permit to OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver, sections 1(a), 1(b), 4, 7, and 8 of this policy apply as if the copy of the refusal were a notice of withdrawal, unless:
- a. the international student requests an additional letter of acceptance for the same program that was the subject of the refusal of a study permit,
 - b. or the OIEG Oxford International Education Group Vancouver is provided solely through distance education.

Ancillary Fees

1. The Enrollment Fee is non refundable
2. The Accommodation Placement fee is non refundable
3. Students may cancel accommodations by providing two weeks' notification, in writing. In such cases, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded. If a student cancels his/her accommodations, in writing, with less than two weeks' notice, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded except for the two-week notification period. Some residences will require 4- weeks' or more notice to cancel. Students will be notified before booking with one of these residences if the residence requires a longer notification period.
4. The Airport Reception fee will be refunded if the student cancels this service, in writing, at least 7 days prior to the scheduled arrival date.
5. There will be a \$120 administration fee charged for any changes to course or accommodation type or duration, including cancellations.
6. A student will be dismissed from his/her course and/or accommodations if he/she violates Canadian law and/or the Oxford International Vancouver Rules & Regulations. In the case of dismissal, standard tuition refund policies will apply. Any refund will be in accordance with this refund policy.
7. In the event that all fees are not received as a result of items such as bank wire charges, etc., outstanding fees due will be reduced from tuition fees.

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8. Refunds will be issued within 30 days of receiving written notice and only upon presentation of the original corresponding receipt. If a representative or agent has registered the student, the refund will be sent to the representative or agent.
9. Refunds are normally issued by cheque. Refunds issued by other methods are subject to a service charge. If fees are received through an agency, a parent, or a representative, any fees will be refunded to the source of the fee.

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New York City

- The Enrollment Fee is non-refundable. There are no refunds for services used, like courier fees, accommodation placement fees and credit card fees.
- All tuition and accommodation fees will be refunded if an F-1 Student Visa is denied, provided that the student gives notice within reasonable time, as per the Oxford International Terms and Conditions, and provides the school with written notification from the US Embassy of this decision prior to the program commencement.
- No refunds will be issued for time off during public holidays.

Charges and refunds for cancellation or shortened courses will be calculated according to this table:

<u>Cancellation Given:</u>	<u>Charges Made:</u>	<u>Refund Given:</u>
Students must give 4 weeks' notice of changes. These weeks are counted as weeks used.		
Student withdraws from their course, in writing, more than 4 weeks prior to the start of the course.	Student will be charged for any services used (such as express mail services).	All remaining fees for unused tuition, materials and services.
Student withdraws from their course, in writing, fewer than 4 weeks prior to the start of the course, but no later than 1:00 PM on the last Friday before the start of the course.	Student will be charged for any services used (such as express mail services, materials fee. Fees for 4 weeks tuition plus a course amendment fee of \$80.	All remaining unused fees for unused tuition, materials and services.
Student doesn't arrive or withdraws after 1:00 PM on the last Friday before the start of the course (courses of up to 4 weeks).	Student will be charged for 4 weeks' tuition in lieu of notice.	No refund.
Student doesn't arrive or withdraws after 1:00 PM on the last Friday before the start of the course (courses of 5 weeks or more).	Student will be charged for 4 weeks' tuition in lieu of notice plus a course amendment fee of \$80.	All remaining unused fees for unused tuition, materials and services.

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<p>Student shortens or amends course after starting (up to 50% of the course is complete).</p>	<p>Student will be charged for the new course, as requested. The school will reprice the course at the full brochure price for the new course length. Four weeks' fees must be paid in lieu of notice where shorter notice is given plus a course amendment fee of \$80.</p>	<p>All remaining unused fees for materials and services. 60% of the balance of remaining unused tuition fees will be refunded.</p>
<p>Student shortens or amends course after starting (more than 50% of the course is complete).</p>	<p>Student will be charged for the full course.</p>	<p>No refund.</p>

- Students may cancel accommodation by providing 30 days' notification, in writing. In such cases, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded. If a student cancels their accommodation, in writing, with less than 30 days' notice, all unused accommodation fees will be refunded except for the 30 days' notification period.
- The accommodation placement fee is non-refundable.
- The materials fee is non-refundable once a 12-week block has started and is considered 'a service used'.
- The Airport Reception fee will be refunded if the student cancels this service, in writing, at least 7 days prior to the scheduled arrival date.
- There will be a USD \$80 administration fee charged for any changes to course or accommodation type or duration, including cancellations.
- A student will be dismissed from their course and/or accommodations if they violate any local or federal law and/or the Oxford International Rules & Regulations. No refunds will be issued in the case of dismissal.
- In the event that all fees are not received as a result of items such as bank wire charges, etc., the outstanding fees due will be reduced from tuition fees.
- Refunds will be issued within 45 days of receiving written notice.
- If a representative or agent has registered and paid for the student, the refund will be sent to the representative or agent.

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- Otherwise, refunds are normally issued by check. Refunds may be issued by other methods but are subject to a service charge.

Student must direct any refund related communication to the local managing team of each Oxford International North America campus:

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Halifax	+1 (902) 491 - 1526	Director of Studies: Gareth Jenkins gjenkins@oxfordinternational.com	School Director: Katie Christie kchristie@oxfordinternational.com
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New York	+1 (212) 967 - 9927	Director of Studies: Jamie Grafton jgrafton@oxfordinternational.com	School Director: Phillip Wright pwright@oxfordinternational.com

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