

Resources for Newcomers in Calgary

Call 211 for Additional Information

<p>Calgary Catholic Immigration Society 403-262-2006 ccisab.ca 1111 11th Ave SW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provides settlement and integration services to all immigrants and refugees in Southern Alberta <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ employment ○ youth outreach programs ○ senior services ○ community building ○ for full list of services – check website 	<p>Calgary Immigrant Women's Association (CIWA) 403-263-4414 ciwa-online.com 200, 138 4th Ave SE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides services in the following areas for women only: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Settlement and Integration ○ Language training and childcare ○ Employment ○ Family Services
<p>Immigrant Services Calgary 403-265-1120 immigrantservicescalgary.ca 1200, 910 7th Ave SW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides services in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Newcomer Support ○ Career and Education ○ Translation and Interpretation ○ Family Support ○ Citizenship Education Program ○ Building Inclusive Communities 	<p>Immigrant Access Fund 403-228-9981 Ext. 221 iafcanada.org 555, 1000 8th Ave SW</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • provides micro loans of up to \$10,000 to internationally trained immigrants so they can obtain the Canadian licensing or training they need to work in their field • loan can pay for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ exams, training ○ qualification assessments ○ professional association fees ○ books and course materials ○ living allowance

<p>Directions for Immigrants in Trades and Professional Careers 403-770-5155 directionsforimmigrants.ca Bow Valley College – 300 6th Ave SE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • career service centre that helps internationally educated professionals secure professional employment and gain accreditation • no cost 	<p>Immigrant Language and Vocational Assessment (ILVARC) Immigrant Services Calgary 403-262-2656</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Language assessment centre • Only centre to determine eligibility for LINC Programs
<p>Centre for Newcomers 403-569-3325 centrefornewcomers.ca 1010, 999 36th St NE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides services in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Settlement Services ○ Children and Youth Programs ○ English Classes ○ Employment 	<p><u>Calgary Public Library</u> 403-260-2600 calgarylibrary.ca/</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 18 locations across the city, that host a wide diversity of services and programs for all ages • Teaches computers skills, runs programs for children, movie/book/CD rentals, ESL services, homework help, legal workshops, small business workshops, and many more!
<p>Calgary Immigrant Educational Society South East: (403) 235-3666 1723, 40th Street SE North East: (403) 291-0002 3820, 32nd Street NE immigrant-education.ca/</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Variety of different level English learning classes for in-class or at home for speaking, reading, and writing • Help develop fundamental skills needed to navigate the Canadian Job Market • Computer skills, advice on building skills, and help with charting a career path • Settlement programs that help newcomers find where to go, what to do, and who to speak to 	