



# BC Newcomer Services Program (BCNSP) May 2025 Workshop Schedule

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday
<b>*Law Clinic (By appointment only)</b> Contact BCNSP team to book an appointment. <a href="mailto:bcnsp@vircs.bc.ca">bcnsp@vircs.bc.ca</a>  <b>**Pronunciation Class</b> To register, please contact Jennifer, <a href="mailto:esl@vircs.bc.ca">esl@vircs.bc.ca</a>		<b>Program Eligibility * Restrictions apply</b> • Work Permit Holders • Study Permit Holders • Naturalized Canadian Citizens • Refugee Claimants • CUAET visa holders  BC Provincial Nominees or BCPNP Entrepreneur Immigration candidates.				<b>1</b>  <b>Beginner Grammar &amp; Conversation</b> 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm  <b>Pre intermediate Grammar and Conversation</b> 1:45pm - 3:45 pm Zahra @ Coastal Offices	<b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 9:30-11:30am David @ VIRCS  <b>Employment Cafe</b> 12:00-2:00pm Renate	<b>2</b>  <b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 1:00-3:00pm David @ VIRCS
<b>5</b>  <b>Online Functional English for Daily Life</b> 6:00 – 7:30 PM Zahra	<b>Law Clinic* (M)</b> 1:30 - 3:30 pm  <b>Parenting Circle</b> 2:30-4:30pm. Ruth King School	<b>6</b>  <b>Law Clinic* (E)</b> 10:00-12:00 pm	<b>English in the Workplace (Upper-intermediate/ advanced)</b> Mary Class 1: 3:30-5:00 pm Class 2: 5:30-7:30 pm @ BCGEU	<b>7</b>  <b>Employment Cafe</b> 12:00 - 2:00 pm Renate @ GVPL-Juan de Fuca <b>Law Clinic* (I)</b> 1:00-3:00 pm	<b>ELT Conversation</b> 2:00-4:00pm Colin Baur @City Light Church	<b>8</b>  <b>Beginner Grammar and Conversation</b> 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm  <b>Pre intermediate Grammar and Conversation</b> 1:45pm - 3:45 pm Zahra @ Coastal Offices	<b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 9:30-11:30am David @ VIRCS  <b>Employment Cafe</b> 12:00-2:00pm Renate	<b>9</b>  <b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 1:00-3:00pm David @ VIRCS
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<b>19</b>  <b>VIRCS closed Victoria Day</b>		<b>20</b>  <b>Law Clinic* (E)</b> 10:00-12:00 pm	<b>English in the Workplace (Upper-intermediate/ advanced)</b> Mary Class 1: 3:30-5:00 pm Class 2: 5:30-7:30 pm @ BCGEU	<b>21</b>  <b>Employment Cafe</b> 12 :00 - 2 :00 pm Renate @ GVPL-Juan de Fuca	<b>ELT Conversation</b> 2:00-4:00pm Colin Baur @City Light Church	<b>22</b>  <b>Beginner Grammar and Conversation</b> 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm  <b>Pre intermediate Grammar and Conversation</b> 1:45pm - 3:45 pm Zahra @ Coastal Offices	<b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 9:30-11:30am David @ VIRCS  <b>Employment Cafe</b> 12:00-2:00pm Renate	<b>23</b>  <b>Pronunciation Class**</b> 1:00-3:00pm David @ VIRCS
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Employment services</b> (*Open to certain eligible clients only)              -Pre-employment training              -Resume /Cover Letter Review              Contact Renate, Employment Counselor at <a href="mailto:rbothma@vircs.bc.ca">rbothma@vircs.bc.ca</a> </li> </ul>					<b>@City Light Church:</b> 550 Obed Avenue, Victoria, V9A 1K5 <b>@GVPL Juan de Fuca:</b> 1759 Island Hwy, Victoria, BC. <b>@Coastal Offices:</b> 328 Wale Rd #132, Colwood, BC <b>@ BCGEU:</b> #588 Burnside Road East. (If you are using 588 Burnside East, the building is between the Jimmy Pattison car dealerships and 588 Burnside East).			



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