



International Public School Education Association
BRITISH COLUMBIA CANADA

IPSEA

AGENDA

September 13, 2019

1580 West Broadway, Vancouver BC

8:30am -2:30pm

Room 180

8:30am - 9:00am

Network Opportunities

9:00am - 12:00pm

Informational items

9:00-10:00am

- 1) Additions to and approval of the agenda – Colin Guiguet
- 2) Welcome & roundtable introductions – Amy Shoup
- 3) Review and approval of minutes from last meeting – Sheri Wakefield
- 4) Members directory update – Colin Guiguet
 - a) Members Directory (mark changes if any)
 - i) Tick or initial for your district if no changes
 - ii) Highlight green name is main contact for IPSEA members
 - iii) Check website addresses
- 5) President's Report – Amy Shoup
 - a) Executive meeting August 19
 - b) Hong Kong/China
 - c) Professional development 2019-2020
 - d) Executive Director contract
- 6) Executive Director's Report – Kathren Clarke
 - a) 2020 IPSEA Mission update
 - b) 2018 – 2019 Data report
 - c) RCMP – virtual kidnapping booklet
 - d) MSP – changes

- e) MoE- wording review in the BC for High School web regarding medical insurance for IE students
- f) BCSTA –updated opinion MSP/IE students released August 20, 2019

7) Treasurer’s Report – Ronda Bell

- a) Financial report to date
- b) Membership fees update
- c) Mission participation fees update
- d) Officers liability insurance

8) District Practices (group discussion)

- a) How do school’s welcome IE students
- b) Travel schedule for members interested in knowing who is in same region (Sheri)

9) Safety on road plan? (Ronda)

- a) What is your safety plan...who does what?
- b) Registration for Canadians abroad (links bottom of agenda)
- c) Canadian embassies (links bottom of agenda)

10) Vital English iCent – Amy

11) Audit General of BC- Angela Olson

- a) Executive Expenses

11:00-12:00:

Guard.me: Clark Hortsing, Jessie Atkins, Sean Hardman, Jamie Hampson
guard.me will address the impact of private insurance coverage for IE students and listen to concerns. Regional reps will be present to answer questions.

12:00-1:00pm Lunch

1:00pm -2:15pm

Guest speakers: Ministry of Education. (Guests TBD)

- Immunization Records for IE students (lead on project will be present)
- IRCC DLI project
- BC4HS update (msp/private insurance)
- Scholarships
- IDI Intercultural Training Opportunities

2:15pm

*In camera session (no recording of discussion)

*The purpose of ‘in-camera’ is to allow a forum for members to have non-recorded conversations. It is expected that topics and specific details discussed ‘in-camera’ are not shared outside of ‘in-camera’ session. If necessary, and with group consensus, we move out of camera and make a motion to act on specific details.

3:00pm

Meeting Adjourned

Links

- ⇒ BC Ministry of Education links: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/administration/legislation-policy/public-schools>
- ⇒ Ministry of Health MSP for international students: https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/health/health-drug-coverage/medical-services-plan/bc-residents/public_qa_health-fee-international-students.pdf
- ⇒ Grad Program Policy guide (2019): <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/education/kindergarten-to-grade-12/support/graduation/graduation-implementation-guide.pdf>
- ⇒ Direct contact with IRCC for process or program guidance and clarifications: IRCC.IPGDLIlist-ListeEEDOPI.IRCC@cic.gc.ca
- ⇒ Registration of Canadians Abroad: <https://travel.gc.ca/travelling/registration>
- ⇒ Canadian Embassies and Consulates: https://travel.gc.ca/assistance/embassies-consulates?_ga=2.118098049.988833492.1527011704-814661686.1389382201

*Reminders

- ⇒ Members can log into IPSEA website
 - <http://www.members.studyinbc.org> (cut and paste this address into web browser)
 - username is your first name.last name (all lowercase, no space)
 - password: if you forgot click on “forgot password” and a new password will be sent to you

Next Meetings:

- Monday December 2, 2019
- Monday March 2, 2020
- Monday June 8, 2020