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## LOCATION

SCS is nestled in the rolling foothills of beautiful Sussex, New Brunswick - in the heart of the Canadian Maritimes. This safe, rural and picturesque community is approximately an hour from Saint John and the province's capital, Fredericton, both major city centres.

## SCS AT-A-GLANCE

### **International Scope**

Pre-Kindergarten, Elementary, Middle, and High School. International programming includes full year and short term ESL (Summer & Winter).

### **Tradition**

SCS was established in 1982.

### **Academics**

SCS prepares students for post-secondary success. New Brunswick provincial curriculum guidelines are integrated into a dynamic learning model.

### **University & College Placement**

Almost 100% of SCS graduates continue their education after graduation in colleges and universities in Canada, the United States, and internationally. Graduates attend excellent post-secondary institutions such as McGill, Dalhousie University, University of New Brunswick, Liberty University, University of Waterloo, St. Thomas University, and New Brunswick Community College.

### **Family-like Atmosphere**

SCS students love coming to school each day in a safe, caring, accepting family-like school environment.

### **Co-curricular**

SCS offers a variety of student activities throughout the school year including sports (both varsity and inter-murals), music, drama, field trips, numerous clubs, and community service opportunities.

### **Student to Teacher Ratio**

The average student to teacher ratio in classes is 15:1.







## ABOUT US

Sussex Christian School (SCS) is a private school located in Sussex, New Brunswick. The New Brunswick Department of Education approves all academic programming at SCS. SCS is founded on the core belief that the school should always build up and partner with families and prepare students spiritually, physically, socially, and intellectually to make positive contributions to their local and global communities. Faculty and staff are friendly, genuinely interested in each student's well-being, and desire to make SCS a "home away from home" for all students.

### **Experiential Learning Opportunities**

SCS is committed to the student experience and ensuring that each student finds his/her best way to learn and foster interests. International students will be offered experiential learning opportunities throughout each school year. Multiple yearly trips integrating class learning objectives include New York City, Washington (D.C.) Boston, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, Ottawa, and Quebec City.





## WHY CHOOSE SCS

- ✓ Close to 100% of SCS graduates go on to excellent universities and colleges worldwide.
- ✓ Student-focused education plans designed to meet individual student needs.
- ✓ Nurturing school atmosphere where life-long friendships are formed.
- ✓ SCS facilitates a purposeful future for each student.
- ✓ Small class sizes, caring faculty and staff, and a hands-on principal ensure that every single student will have the best chance to be successful.







## STUDENT LIFE

SCS has a number of activities that our students can participate in throughout the school year. Students are encouraged to take part in extra-curricular activities to help them develop into well-rounded individuals.

### **Sports**

SCS offers students various opportunities for Sports activities through organized sports (basketball, soccer, floorball, and volleyball) and in the physical education curriculum (swimming, snow skiing, etc.).

### **Theatre**

Three different drama productions round out the school year at SCS. In the fall of the year, students in grades 5-8 may participate in the middle school drama club; elementary students have the opportunity to participate in a spring musical drama; and students in grades 9 to 12 may audition for roles in a high school production, usually with multiple performances. There are places for students to exhibit their skills and interests on-stage or behind the scenes at each of these levels.

### **School Trips**

A series of awesome school trips are available for high school students. Over the four years from grades 9-12, students have the opportunity for a week-long trip to four different locations from a selection including: New York City; Pennsylvania; Montreal / Ottawa / Quebec City; Washington, DC; Newfoundland; and Magdalen Islands.

### **Leadership**

Students have the opportunity to participate in a number of groups that help develop and hone their leadership skills: Spirit Club, Yearbook, Worship Band, and various other school clubs.

## SCS GRADUATES

Graduates of the SCS High School Program earn a diploma that prepares them to enter colleges and universities throughout Canada, United States, and around the world. All students are given formal exams twice yearly. Senior students may sit for SAT exams, or other standardized tests required by some post-secondary institutions – all facilitated by SCS. SCS graduates go on to any post-secondary school or profession that they desire (with accepted pre-requisites). Alumni have been invited to and received scholarships from the University of New Brunswick, Crandall University, Kingswood University, Dalhousie University, Liberty University, New Brunswick Community College, Nova Scotia Agricultural College, Holland College, Houghton College, University of Toronto, St. Thomas University, University of Waterloo, McGill, and many more.

Within these schools our students have studied law, early childhood education, computer science, journalism, education, biology, kinesiology, electrical, engineering, theatre, art, music, counselling, psychology, business, policing, paramedic training, nursing, theology, English, and agriculture.











## INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM

Sussex Christian School offers a vibrant, caring, nurturing and highly academic program for students who want to study on the East Coast of Canada. Students needing additional English language assistance are educated and cared for by qualified and loving professional ESL staff and quickly feel comfortable in our small, caring environment.

International students will find acceptance, care, a non-threatening social and academic environment, and wonderful east-coast hospitality. SCS offers international students small classes and the ability to grow and develop at a comfortable pace.

International students are fully integrated into regular academic classes and have access to individualized ESL instruction according to their individual education needs. As well, after-school tutoring is available for all international students.

A comprehensive guidance program tracks students and assists them with one-on-one counseling for university applications, scholarship applications, and other preparation. All students graduating from SCS are equipped and encouraged to apply to universities throughout Canada and the United States.

### **English as a Second Language (ESL) Program**

SCS ESL Program is integrative and individualized. Students are assessed and placed so that they will be successful in their academic and social lives. The program includes tutoring in reading, written and conversational English, as well as academic vocabulary. SCS employs teaching methods that combine traditional classroom instruction with interaction, innovation, and individual tutoring. ESL labs, concentration exercises, and practical learning experiences (field trips, student clubs, athletics, and other extra-curricular activities) all supplement the learning of English effectively.

SCS's ESL Program specifically assists students to use spoken and written English to gather, interpret, and communicate information; to establish and maintain relationships; to make decisions, solve problems and plan/carry out projects; and be fully prepared for university success.

### **Residential Program**

If you're seeking a secure, and comfortable living environment while studying at Sussex Christian School, consider our Student Residence. More than just accommodation, they provide a supportive community where students can flourish academically, spiritually, and socially.

You'll have the opportunity to forge lasting friendships, participate in enjoyable activities, and become part of a strong community. Our student lounge and shared spaces are designed to foster meaningful connections and fellowship.

## INTERNATIONAL FAMILY PROGRAM

A wonderful opportunity for the whole family! You can experience Canadian culture with your child(ren) as they attend school to improve their English Language skills. SCS's International Family Program offers students from Kindergarten to Grade 5 an opportunity to study in Sussex, New Brunswick, Canada. This program invites families to accompany their children for this English immersion program. SCS offers a caring and nurturing learning atmosphere. Students will be tested in English and developed accordingly while being part of the full school program.

International students will be given full ESL and academic support. When and as needed, academic expectations are modified to accommodate student's language challenges. Students will make new Canadian friends, become familiar with the Canadian education system, learn about new cultures and improve English proficiency.

SCS will work closely with parents and agents to find wonderful living accommodations near the school, explore different modes of transportation, set up bank accounts, get oriented to the local area, and ensure that all other settlement items are cared for. The settlement process includes airport pick-up, finding housing, support with vehicle purchases, insurances, community programs for parents, and various other items.





# SETTLEMENT SERVICES

## (optional)

SCS Settlement Service provides assistance for study abroad students and accompanying families for a stable life in Canada. Based on years of experience, we do our best to help students and parents settle in Sussex as quickly as possible and without any difficulties.

## SERVICES BEFORE LANDING

### Finding Rental Property

- ✓ Searching for rental property
- ✓ Providing information and photographs of houses for rent: House condition, surrounding neighbourhood and amenities, time of commute, etc.
- ✓ Signing rent contract: Must pay 1 month rent and 1 month deposit

### Utility

- ✓ Electricity, Phone, Gas, Internet, Cable TV

### Others

- ✓ Driver's license authorization (if needed)

### Driver's License

- ✓ Assisting and providing translations for driver's license exchange at province of NB (Must bring current license, Notarized translation, Visa)

### Car insurance

- ✓ Assisting car insurance application process  
\*Must bring an English version of Zero-accident Certification from current insurance company.

### Customs

- ✓ Making appointment and accompanying to downtown customs office, in the case of international move

### Directions

- ✓ Directions to school, library, community center, shopping centre etc.

### Rent Assistance

- ✓ Connecting and using the security entrance codes
- ✓ Taking care of garbage: Location of garbage bin and recycling methods
- ✓ Using basic home appliances (Appliances: Refrigerator, oven, dishwasher, washer, dryer)
- ✓ Applying for home insurance

### Information on Daily Life

- ✓ Accompanying to nearby community center, library and programs (Provide assistance on applying for library card and community)
- ✓ Registering check and making payment for rent
- ✓ Finding way with a map
- ✓ Filling car with gas
- ✓ Information on family and walk-in clinics

### Tutor/Academy

- ✓ Information on additional academic supports and tutors in the area

## SERVICES AFTER LANDING

### Airport Pickup

- ✓ SUV/Van pickup (Maximum 5 passengers)

### Basic Duty

- ✓ Phone registration
- ✓ Purchasing map and navigation
- ✓ Purchasing pay-later international call card
- ✓ Accompanying and purchasing basic necessities

### Bank

- ✓ Assisting opening of new Canadian bank account

### Information on specialized shopping centres

- ✓ Furniture: Visit to specialized stores
- ✓ Electronics: Best Buy
- ✓ School Supplies: Staples
- ✓ Basic Necessities: WalMart, Superstore, etc.
- ✓ Groceries: Superstore, Sobeys, etc.

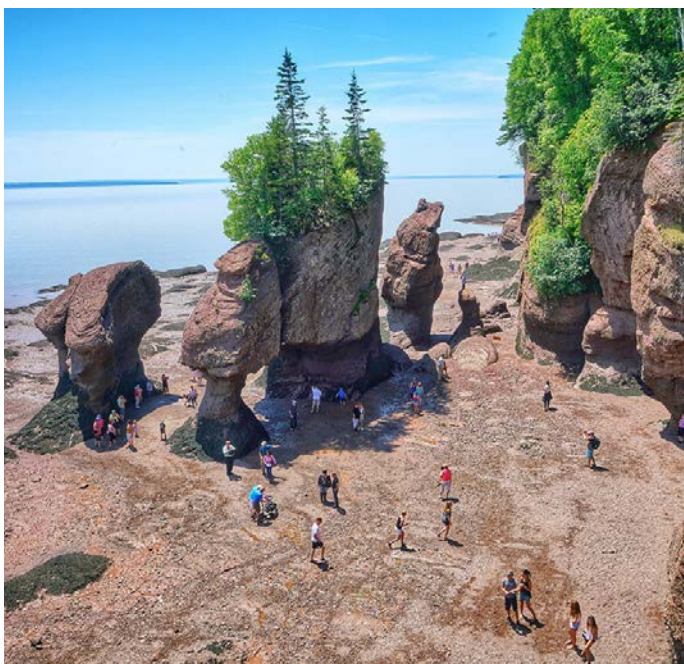
### Car Purchasing

- ✓ Accompanying car purchase according to length of visit, budget, etc.



**SUMMER CAMP 2025**  
DATES: July 21 - August 15  
Deadline: May 31, 2025

**WINTER CAMP 2026**  
\* Flexible intake available for weekly, monthly or 7-week programs.  
DATES\*: January 5 - February 20  
7 week  
4 weeks  
2 weeks  
Deadline: December 31, 2025





## ESL CAMPS

The Maritimes Adventure ESL Camp is for students ages 11-18 who want to improve their English skills while experiencing the beautiful east coast of Canada.

Students attending the Maritimes Adventure ESL Camp will enjoy challenging and fun-filled ESL classes. The academic classroom sessions will be 4 hours in length and be offered to small classes. During class time, students will receive individual instruction to guarantee development in reading, writing, and conversational English.

Afternoons will be filled with a variety of fantastic activities in various areas throughout the Canadian Maritimes. Students will enjoy swimming, basketball, going to the beach, museums, ocean cave trekking, whale watching, hiking, “Canadian traditions”, and extended trips that will highlight locations in each Maritime province.

Students participate in a variety of the following fun and exciting events/activities. Some of these may be dependent on the season and the weather:

**Sussex, NB** - Mural Walking Tour/O’Connell Park

**Fredericton, NB** - Capital city of New Brunswick - Museum, Market and Mall

**St. Martin’s, NB** - Maritimes Red Sandstone Sea Caves, Fundy Trail

**Saint Andrews, NB** - Whale watching

**Prince Edward Island** - “Anne Land”, shopping, beaches and tourist attractions

**Other activities include** – Swimming, Movies, Volleyball, Bowling, Campfire and so much more!

## INTERNATIONAL TESTIMONIES



“SCS was my home for 5 years. I loved the fresh air, beautiful landscape, and Maritime hospitality. While studying at SCS, I made good friends. I was taught by kind teachers who really cared about my well-being and helped me to develop my English skills. I really enjoyed my years at SCS.”

~ Pak Hei (Brian) Ho  
2022 SCS Graduate, Saint John University of  
New Brunswick



“I came to Sussex, New Brunswick to study at SCS, and it turned out to be the best decision ever! The four years I spent at SCS in a friendly town were full of blessings. I made lifelong friendships, learned countless things from the best teachers, and most importantly, learned more about living a life full of God’s love. I received a lot of scholarships when I entered university and was well prepared to study there!”

~ Subeen Jang, South Korea  
2022 SCS Graduate, Saint John University of  
New Brunswick



“Sussex Christian School has provided me with a comfortable environment for learning. I was able to immerse myself in a different culture than my own. During my stay at SCS, I have enjoyed the Canadian hospitality and inclusion from staff and students. Here, we are family. The teachings of the Bible have laid down the foundations and principles and served as a cornerstone for my relationships. I am able to walk in faith with like-minded individuals, serve our community, embody compassion and integrity, and pursue continual personal growth. As I strived for academic excellence, I was able to take part in enriching experiences and encounter many opportunities that broadened my horizons.”

~Shane Leong, Hong Kong  
2023 SCS Graduate, University of New Brunswick





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