



## Enhanced Language Training (ELT)

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### What is Enhanced Language Training (ELT)?

- Enhanced Language Training (ELT) assists internationally trained professionals (newcomers to Canada) develop their English language skills and gain experience in their respective fields of expertise.
- ELT provides eight weeks of in-class instruction, followed by (up to) eight weeks bridge-to-work internship or mentoring opportunities.

### Who can apply?

- Internationally trained professionals with Canadian Language Benchmark (CLB) of 6 or higher.
- Permanent Residents (Landed Immigrants), Convention Refugees and Protected Persons.
- Candidates may begin the application process at any time; however, space is limited. (See attached program dates and locations. Refer to [www.dce.ca](http://www.dce.ca) regarding upcoming ELT Information Sessions.)

### Where are the classes held?

- In-class sessions are held Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 2:00 pm (Oshawa location only) and 9:00 am to 2:30 pm (Pickering & Ajax locations).
- In-class session locations rotate per term and are delivered in Oshawa, Pickering and Ajax.

### What will candidates learn?

- ELT helps participants upgrade their English language skills and acquire Canadian experience.
- Candidates receive training on:
  - Job Search Preparation Skills
  - Labour Market Information and Trends
  - Canadian Workplace Culture (e.g. common business etiquette, workplace norms, employer expectations, employment related legislation etc.)
  - Written and Oral Business Communication Skills

### What is the cost?

- There is no tuition fee.
- \$10 parking key card fee (Oshawa location only).
- Volunteer Criminal Information Check and a medical clearance have a minimal cost.
- Childcare and transportation assistance is available to eligible candidates.

### How do I apply?

Attend a mandatory ELT information session or contact the ELT office at 905.440.4488.