



Powder Skiing

Community Profile

REVELSTOKE

BRITISH COLUMBIA

www.cityofrevelstoke.com

the Region:

Rocky Mountains

...BC's Mountain Playground

The towering mountains, glacier-fed lakes, mountain lodges and evergreen valleys are almost overwhelming and nothing short of magnificent. In this eastern BC area, students can go skiing, snowboarding or take a soak in a mineral hot spring. Breathtaking views of the Rocky and other Mountain ranges and the proximity to Banff and Calgary in Alberta make this region truly unique.

Location: South-Eastern British Columbia

Outdoor Sports: Back-Country hiking • Boating • Canoeing • Cross-Country Skiing • Curling • Cycling • Dogsledding • Fishing • Fly Fishing • Golfing • Hiking • Horseback Riding • Kayaking • Mountain Biking • River Rafting • Skating • Skiing • Snowboarding • Wildlife viewing

Recreation for students:

• Art Galleries • Coffee shops • Festivals • Libraries • Music concerts • Movies • Museums • Parks • Restaurants (formal and fast food) • Ski Resorts • Shopping malls & centres • Sports • Theatre • Youth recreational centres

Why the Rocky Mountain region?

- Ideal for the student who wants to ski or snowboard in winter
- Best suited for students who prefer outdoor pursuits over big-city living
- Rocky Mountain setting
- Small communities with few international students - complete immersion in Canadian life

COMMUNITIES IN THIS REGION:

- Revelstoke

www.kootenayrockies.com

Small Town

"Powder Snow Capital of Canada"

Revelstoke is a community rich in natural beauty and is home to some of the best adventure recreation opportunities in the world. The town prides itself on its rich heritage and scenic ambiance, and has lots of community spirit and cultural vibe. The population takes advantage of the aquatic centre (home to salt water pools, a waterslide, an indoor climbing wall and MORE!), a skating rink (home to the Revelstoke Grizzlies Hockey Team), a curling rink, a public library, and the Revelstoke Community Centre. This is a community with a relatively young and homogeneous population with a median age of 39 years.

- Located on the Columbia River, within the Columbia Mountains
- Population: 8,780
- 640 kilometres east from Vancouver and 415 kilometres west of Calgary

Notable features:

- Revelstoke is quickly developing its tourism sector into an all season playground.
- Outdoor adventurers take advantage of the breathtaking scenery in the form of back country hiking, ski touring, heli-skiing, snowmobiling, downhill skiing, snowboarding, river rafting, canoeing and kayaking.
- Full service community centre provide year-round recreation
- 18 hole golf course, swimming pools, tennis courts & more
- 2 national parks 3 provincial parks, municipal parks and hot springs
- Minor Junior B League Hockey Team: Revelstoke Grizzlies

Main Attractions:

- Revelstoke Mountain Resort: www.revelstokecc.bc.ca
www.revelstokemountainresort.com
- Indoor Aquatic Centre: www.cityofrevelstoke.com/pool/index.html
- Revelstoke Forum Arena: www.cityofrevelstoke.com
- Halcyon Hot Springs: www.halcyone-hotsprings.com
- Nakusp Hot Springs: www.nakuspphotosprings.com
- Revelstoke Museum & Archives
- Revelstoke Railway Museum
- Mount Revelstoke and Glacier National Parks

Libraries: 1 public library

Shopping Malls: 1 (*Alpine Village Shopping Centre*) including clothing and music stores and fast food eateries

Movie Theatres: 1 *single screen theatre - The Roxy Theatre*

Public Transit: Public bus system

Transit to school may include: Public bus / School Bus / Walking

Average Temperatures: [° c]

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High	-3	1	6	13	19	11	25	24	18	10	3	-2
Low	-9	-7	-3	1	5	9	11	11	7	2	-2	-7