

November 2022 eFlash!

The Canadian Learning Trust (the CLT) is a lifelong learning community that encourages all kinds of learning by all ages of learners.

Our dream is of a prosperous Canada enriched with learning – a Learning Canada.

Hello Fellow Lifelong Learners!

Seniors are everywhere these days (15% of Canadians and a growing sector) and they are living longer. That means there is more opportunity to keep on learning. You don't need to look hard to see the graduates of post-secondary institutions all over Canada. There are courses to match almost every need and interest. If you are 65 years of age or over, subject to meeting admissions and prerequisite requirements, you can enroll in courses for credit without payment of tuition and supplementary fees.

Here are a very few of the most unique, interesting and creative courses for Seniors that we could find:

- At the Seniors College of Prince Edward Island, you can take: **Drones within Reach** including simulations, demonstrations and the opportunity to be licensed.
- Sign up in Winnipeg at the Good Neighbours for an Introduction to the Celtic Harp.
- Enjoy a wide variety of fitness courses offered at the Ottawa Seniors Center: Barre Fit, Carpet Bowling, Yogalates and Line Dancing.
- Turn Moosehide into Moccasins at the Kwanlin Dunn Cultural Centre on Front street in Whitehorse.
- How about **Dinosaur 101** at the University of Alberta?
- How to Code: Simple Data Program course is delivered on EdX by the University of British Columbia with campuses in Vancouver and Kelowna.

Is there an excuse not to take a course?

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Lifelong Learning Merch: Keep an eye on our website, www.canlearntrust.org/shop, as we will be launching our new CLT online store very soon!

Almost-Free Learning: The CLT holds regular auctions of courses. If you would like to donate a course, please let us know. We'd be delighted to promote your course across Canada.

ANSWER TO THE SEPTEMBER FOR FUN: CLT stands for The Canadian Learning Trust! The CLT is building a Learning Canada one learner at a time.

NEW FOR FUN: October Fun Question answer: Edmonton Alberta. November 2022 question: What's the current percentage of Canadians that are seniors?

As always, if you have any Learning Treasures, a unique and exciting story related to learning, please forward them to info@canlearntrust.org.

Put together by all of us at the CLT!



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