

CAMBRIDGE Canadian Language Benchmarks **UNIVERSITY PRESS** Unit by unit competencies

Ventures 3

Welcome

Canadian Language Benchmarks



- Request and provide expanded basic personal information appropriate to the context
- CLB 3
- Talk about personal experience, wants and needs
- CLB 2 D
- Identify specific details in a listening text: numbers

Personal information Unit 1

Canadian Language Benchmarks



CLB 3 CLB 5

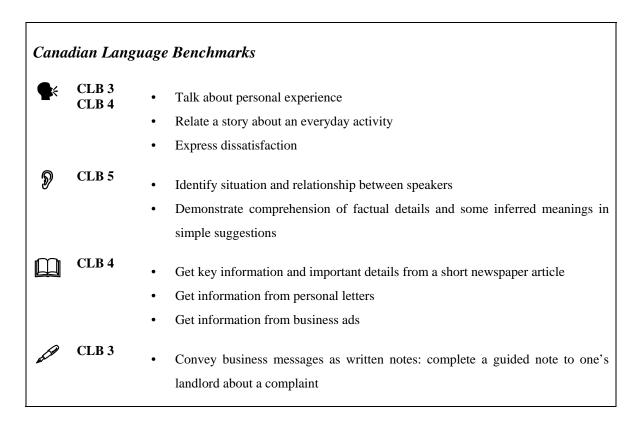
CLB 5

- Talk about hobbies and interests, feelings, personal experience
- Participate in a small group discussion; express opinion, reason
- Identify situation and relationship between speakers
 - Identify factual details and inferred meanings in dialogues containing discussion of interests, likes / dislikes, and preferences
- CLB 4 Ш
- Use standard reference texts: graphs
- Get the gist, key information and important detail from simple, explicit two- to three-paragraph texts
- Get information from personal notes
- CLB 5
- Describe a person's suitability for a specific job, explain reasons

Unit 2 At school

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3 CLB 5	Talk about personal experience	
		 Ask for and provide information related to personal situation 	
		Give simple informal advice	
		Participate in a small group discussion	
P	CLB 5	Identify situation and relationship between speakers	
		 Identify factual details in simple advice and suggestions 	
	CLB 3	Follow one- to five-step common everyday instructions and instructional texts	
		• Get important details from simple explicit one-paragraph texts; identify the	
		narrative sequence	
		• Find information in formatted texts: directories	
500	CLB 5	Write a paragraph to describe strategies, give examples	

Unit 3 Friends and family



Unit 4 Health

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3 CLB 5	Talk about personal experienceAsk for and provide information about daily activities	
P	CLB 5	 Identify situation and relationship between speakers Identify factual details and inferred meanings in simple advice and suggestions 	
	CLB 3 CLB 4	 Identify layout and specific information on a form Get details from a two- to three-paragraph text Identify links between paragraphs 	
	CLB 5	Describe an object: a medicinal plant	

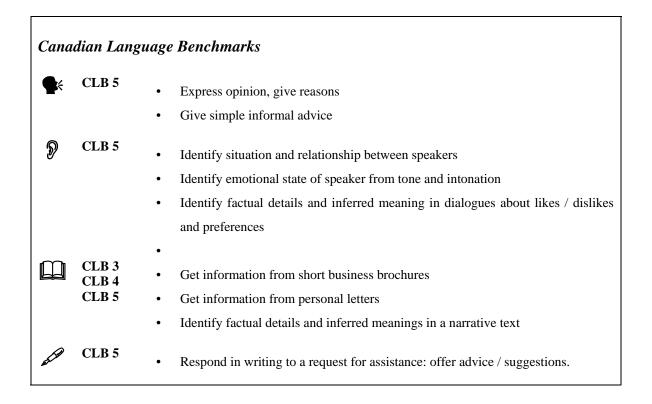
Unit 5 Around town

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3	Talk about interests	
	CLB 4	Tell about personal experience	
		 Describe a place, a person, an experience 	
		• Express preference, satisfaction	
P	CLB 5	Identify situation and relationship between speakers	
		• Identify factual details in dialogues containing suggestions and discussion of	
		preferences	
	CLB 2 CLB 4	Understand simple tables and schedules	
	CLB 5	 Get information from short business notices 	
		 Identify factual details and inferred meanings in a descriptive text 	
		 Identify factual details in moderately complex e-mail messages 	
	CLB 4	Describe an event in a friendly e-mail	

Unit 6 Time

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3 CLB 5	Talk about daily routines	
		• Express necessity	
		 Express opinion, give reasons 	
		Participate in a small group discussion	
		Take turns	
		 Encourage others in a conversation by showing interest 	
P	CLB 5	Identify situation and relationship between speakers	
		 Identify main ideas in simple advice and suggestions 	
	CLB 5	Identify factual details and inferred meanings in a descriptive or narrative text	
		 Demonstrate understanding of a basic pie chart 	
A STORE	CLB 5	Describe a person, provide adequate paragraph structure	

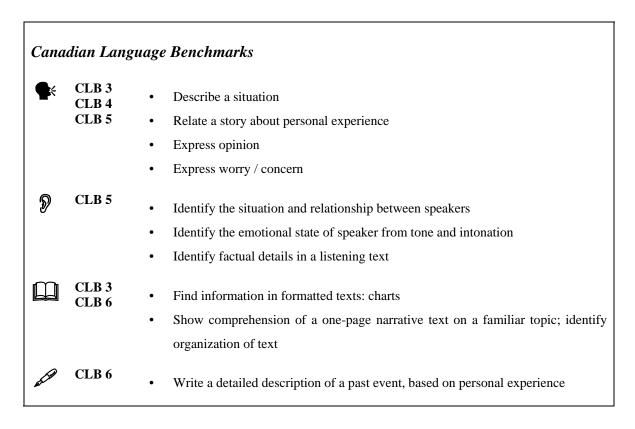
Unit 7 Shopping



Unit 8 Work

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3 CLB 4 CLB 5	 Express immediate and future needs, wants, plans Relate a story about personal experience Express necessity and reason 	
P	CLB 5	 Identify situation and relationship between speakers Identify factual details and inferred meaning in dialogues containing offers, discussion of interests (strengths), and preferences 	
	CLB 4 CLB 5	 Get the main idea and key information from blog entries and personal letters Identify factual details and some inferred meanings in formatted business texts 	
	CLB 4	Write a formal letter of thanks to a person or business, following basic paragraph structure	

Unit 9 Daily living



Unit 10 Leisure

Cana	Canadian Language Benchmarks		
•	CLB 3 CLB 4	Talk about personal experience	
		Describe a tourist attraction	
		Express preference	
9	CLB 5	Identify situation and relationship between speakers	
		• Identify factual details in dialogues containing discussion of likes / dislikes,	
		preferences, and suggestions	
	CLB 4	Get key information and important details from a two- to three-paragraph	
		descriptive article	
		 Find information in formatted texts: directories 	
	CLB 6	Write a detailed description of a place	