CHLA/ABSC 2025

UBC LOCAL GUIDE

To help you make the most of your time at UBC and in Vancouver, the Local Assistance Committee has compiled this guide.

- Getting Around
- Resources and Services
- Dining, Coffee, and Markets
- Fitness
- UBC Hidden Gems

Getting Around

Accessibility

- Library maps - accessibility routes
- Campus accessibility
- UBC Accessibility Shuttle
- The Nest - Building Directory
    - Accessible/inclusive washrooms are available on levels 1, 3, and 4

UBC Wayfinding

- Campus Maps
- Self-Guided UBC Campus Tour - Highlights
- The Nest - Building Directory
- UBC Campus Lost & Found
- UBC Campus Security & Safewalk
- UBC Safety and Risk Services

Transportation

- Translink, bus loops by The Nest
- Carsharing (Modo or evo, membership required) by the UBC Bookstore and other locations, as noted in the aforementioned apps
- Mobi, Vancouver's public bike share system, has bikes located across the network at secure, easy-to-use docking stations. A convenient, flexible, and affordable option to get around! There is also a phone app for easy use.

Resources and Services

Health

- UBC Hospital Emergency Department - on-campus beside Woodward Library
- UBC Shoppers Drug Mart
- University Pharmacy I.D.G.
- UBC Free Menstrual Product Map
- Need a bandaid, or a feminine product? Woodward Library has an emergency stash for patrons.

Campus WIFI and Computers

- UBC Wireless options
    - UBC Guest Access - Free WIFI
    - Eduroam
    - RogersOpen
- Public computers @ UBC Libraries

Photocopying, Printing, and Media Services

- Photocopying, printing, and scanning @ UBC Libraries
- Staples - @ UBC Alison Road

Stationary Supplies and Computer Accessories

- UBC Bookstore
- Shoppers Drug Mart
- University Pharmacy (University Village)
    - Canada Post - University Pharmacy, University Village
- Dollarama (University Village)

Cell Phone Re-Charging Stations

- Blue Chip Cafe in The Nest
- Chatime - University Boulevard

Bank Machines

- RBC - The Nest
- CIBC - University Village
- BMO - University Village

Groceries

- H-Mart Express (University Village)
- Sum's Grocery Check-out (the Nest)
- Chit Chat Enterprise - Granville Island Produce (University Village, 5767 Dalhousie Rd)

Dining, Coffee, and Markets

Coffee Shops

- Great Dane Coffee at UBC
- Blue Chip Cafe at UBC (in The Nest)
- Loafe at UBC
- Revolver Coffee
- 49th Parallel Cafe and Lucky's Doughnuts
- Honolulu Coffee
- Nemesis Coffee
- Prototype Coffee
- Breka Bakery & Cafe
- Earnest Ice Cream

Markets

- UBC Farms Markets (starting June 3 in different times, locations)
- Granville Island
- Vancouver Farmers Markets
- Richmond Night Market

Restaurants

- Koerner's Pub at UBC
- The Gallery at UBC (in The Nest)
- Kinton Ramen at UBC
- Big Way Hot Pot at UBC
- Tap & Barrel
- Go Fish
- East is East
- Handi Grill
- BREWHALL
- NomNomSeoul
- Indian Oven
- New India Buffet
- Afuri Ramen + Dumpling

- Little Bird Dim Sum & Craft Beer
- Las Margaritas
- The Naam
- Banana Leaf

Fitness

- Gold's Gym - University Village (free 1-day pass)
- UBC Recreation - Student Union Boulevard (drop-ins available)
- Harbour Dance Centre - Granville Street (drop-in dance classes available)

UBC Hidden Gems

- Woodward Library Life Sciences Tapestries, Darwin's Letters & Medical Equipment Display
- Belkin Art Gallery – The Nest
- The Norm - Movie Theatre - Life Building (adjacent to the Nest)
- Rare Books - Chung Collection
- The Cake Jar Vending Machine - Emergency snack cakes at the Nest
- Museum of Anthropology (self-guided group tour Friday June 6 at 2:00 PM, sign-up at the Registration Desk)