

Cultural Differences Chart

Area of Difference	Canada	Country: _____
winter clothing	down coat, insulated boots, gloves, mitts, scarves, toque	
summer clothing	shorts, sandals, t-shirt, bathing suit	
breakfast food	orange juice, cereal, yogurt, toast, fruit	
dessert	pie, cake, pudding, cookies, icecream	
eating equipment	knife, fork, spoon, glass, plate, napkin, mug, bowl	
language	English, French, other	
public holidays	Christmas, Boxing Day, Easter, Labour Day, Thanksgiving, Canada Day	
school day/year	8:30–3:00 Monday–Friday, September–June, except for holidays, Winter Break, and March Break,	
workday	8:30–4:30, Monday–Friday, two to four weeks of holidays	
beverage choice	soft drinks, coffee, tea, energy drinks, water (water fountains in every school)	