

# Essential Links for Iranian Newcomers to Toronto

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## Language Instruction

### Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada (LINC)

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=6764&pageid=5884>

Please call the LINC Assessment Hotline at 416 925-5462 for an assessment, or the LINC office nearest you:

\* **LINC North**

Tel: 416 395-4820

Tel: 416 395-8486

\* **LINC East**

Tel: 416 396-6394

Tel: 416 396-2488

\* **LINC South**

Tel: 416 393-8268

Tel: 416 396-2930

\* **LINC West**

Tel: 416 394-6225

Tel: 416 394-6232

### LINC Locations (Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada (LINC))

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=10040&pageid=8825>

Willowdale and Sheppard 416-395-8214

Bayview & Cummer 416-395-4820

### Enhanced Language Training (ELT) for Employment

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=15032&pageid=13313>

Are you looking for a job in IT, Accounting, Engineering, Sales and Marketing, or Administration?

The ELT for Employment offers:

- \* 8 weeks language training
- \* Job search assistance
- \* Work placement and Mentoring
- \* Free TTC Tokens

Call 416-395-3669 for more information on how to use these FREE services, or visit one of our 2 convenient **office locations**:

- \* 170 Sheppard Ave. East, Suite 200, Toronto, ON (in Sheppard Centre Mall)
- \* 2267 Islington Avenue, Ground Floor, Etobicoke, ON

ELT for Employment offers **classes at**:

- \* Cummer Centre - 500 Cummer Ave. (Bayview & Cummer)

## Employment

### Newcomer Opportunities for Work (NOW)

777 Bloor Street West, Room 120 (416) 393-0350

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### Yahoo Groups for Iranians of Toronto

[Toronto Iranians Jobs](#)



## Mentorship

### Centre for Information and Community Services

#310, **3852 Finch Avenue East**  
Scarborough, Ontario M1T 3T9 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-292-7510  
Fax: 416-292-9120

### Centre Francophone du Toronto

22 College Street, Main Floor  
Toronto, Ontario M5G 1K2 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-922-2672  
Fax: 416-922-6624

### Culturelink

Suite 300, 160 Springhurst Avenue  
Toronto, Ontario M6K 1C2 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-588-6288  
Fax: 416-588-2435

### Jane/Finch Community & Family Centre

Unit 108, 4400 Jane Street  
Toronto, Ontario M3N 2K4 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-736-4413  
Fax: 416-763-8434

### Theatre Revolve

435 Manning Avenue  
Toronto, Ontario M6H 1M1 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-407-7301  
Fax: N/A

### Toronto District School Board

**5050 Yonge Street**, Third Floor  
Toronto, Ontario M2N 5N8 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-395-8430  
Fax: 416-396-2238

### Woodgreen Community Services

815 Danforth Avenue, 3rd Floor  
Toronto, Ontario M4J 1L2 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-469-5211  
Fax: 416-469-0825

### Youth Assisting Youth

Suite 401, **5734 Yonge Street**  
Toronto, Ontario M2M 4E7 [map](#)  
Tel.: 416-932-1919  
Fax: 416-932-1924



## Iranian Communities in Toronto


### Yahoo Groups for Iranians of Toronto

List of more than 70 groups to join:

[http://iraniansoftoronto.webs.com/yahoo\\_groups\\_for\\_iranians\\_of\\_toronto.html](http://iraniansoftoronto.webs.com/yahoo_groups_for_iranians_of_toronto.html)

Most popular groups from above:

- [Toronto Iranians Books](#)
- [Toronto Iranians Newcomers](#)
- [Toronto Iranians Jobs](#)



List of Yahoo Groups for Iranians of Toronto

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### Face-to-Face Gatherings for Young Iranians of Toronto

Iranians living in the GTA are invited to join this group if they are between the ages of 18 and 29 (inclusive). Every week or two we have a fun activity – indoors or outdoors, so join as membership and attending the events are free. Click here to see the [Young Iranians of Toronto](#) Meetup group



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### Parya Trillium Foundation

“Parya is working towards creating a community centre that will meet the needs of Iranian-Canadians with a special focus placed on the elderly and youth.”

<http://www.parya.org/>



## Other Links

### **Newcomer Services for Youth**

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=17602&pageid=15496>

### **Newcomer Services for Adults**

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=17798&pageid=15659>

### **Continuing Education Department**

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=200&menuid=985&pageid=722>

2 Trethewey Drive, 3rd floor

Toronto, ON M6M 4A8

416-338-4111 fx. 416-394-3877

communityprograms@tdsb.on.ca

### **TDSB's (Toronto District School Board) Services for Newcomers**

<http://www.tdsb.on.ca/site/ViewItem.asp?siteid=9995&menuid=6543&pageid=5699>