

# USLC Weekly News

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What's on campus?

Hands-on Help: Study Permit Extension Application

June 3rd 1:00 – 3:00 PM (Sk time)

Register here

Need a study break?

PAWS Your Stress – read with therapy dogs!



Photo: therapydogs.ca/read-with-therapy dogs-3

Reminder to students: No classes Monday, May 24th

### Why is Monday a holiday in Canada?



To celebrate the reigning Queen in 1845, <u>Queen Victoria</u>'s birthday was declared a holiday: <u>Victoria Day</u>. But, it was not until her death in 1901 that an act of Parliament established it as a legal holiday to be celebrated every year on May 24<sup>th</sup> (or the last Monday before May 25<sup>th</sup>).

Queen Victoria was an important influence in the creation of Canada as a country and it was she who selected our capital city: Ottawa. This Victoria day holiday also unofficially marks the start of summer in Canada and is commonly celebrated with parades and fireworks!

## Student Support and Advising

The Student Advisor invites all students to discuss your academic plans and any concerns. <u>Contact the student advisor</u> to set up a private meeting on WebEx.

Do you have kids? There are resources on campus to help balance your roles as student and parent. Check the <a href="webpage">webpage</a> for information and resources. Read some self-help materials from the <a href="Student Wellness Centre">Student Wellness Centre</a>. Look in your PAWS announcements for an online course from the Parenting & COVID-19 Support Group.

# Vocabulary and Reading practice:

### **<u>Learning Resources</u>** – here to help you succeed!

ALL sessions will be held in the USLC Student Support Webex room: 145 260 2276 Password: LR2021B and are listed below in Saskatchewan time.

Canvas tips for students

Readtheory.org

Reading for fun!

Self-Study for USLC students

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10:00 am		Level 3	Level 4	Level 1	All levels
	No classes or Learning Resource sessions –	Academic Integrity	Time Management	Tech Help	Student Lounge
	Victoria Day	How to Avoid Plagiarizing (LR 8)	Jump in the DeLorean with us and travel through time	Bring questions, geek out	Podcast <u>The</u> <u>Behemoth (</u> LR 9- 9.2) <u>and</u> announce a surprise for next week!
7:00 pm			Level 4  Sociology Video Viewing Time		

What is the "Student Lounge"? - USLC staff and teachers join students for conversation and speaking practice. Listen and discuss with us!

### What is coming up?

For everyday activity, check the <u>term calendar</u> to see what is planned at the USLC and mark your calendars for something very exciting the week of June 14 - 18!

### **Building community**

Have you heard about <u>Building Bridges</u>? Have you visited the <u>Global Connections</u> <u>Lounge</u>? If you are looking to meet other students and get extra practice with your speaking, you should check these out!

