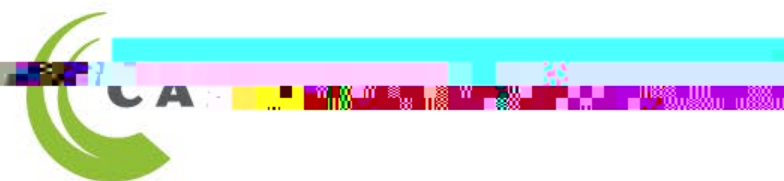


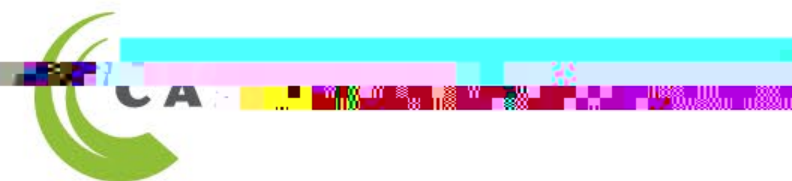
Education Assistant and Community Support (EACS) Certificate Program Info Session

* Note, completing this information session is a pre-requisite for entry into this program.
Upon completion, you will be asked to complete a short survey.



Territorial Acknowledgement

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Victoria, British Columbia with campuses on
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Camosun College is B.C.'s largest public college

- 19,000+ students
- 1,200+ faculty and staff
- Programs range from arts and business to



School of Health & Human Services (HHS)

Camosun College offers more than 15 health and human services programs, including degrees, post-degree diplomas, certificates, diplomas and university transfer courses.

- Our School, the School of HHS is a place of warmth and caring.

Our goal is to educate and support “flourishing individuals, families, and communities”.



Centre for Health and Wellness (CHW)

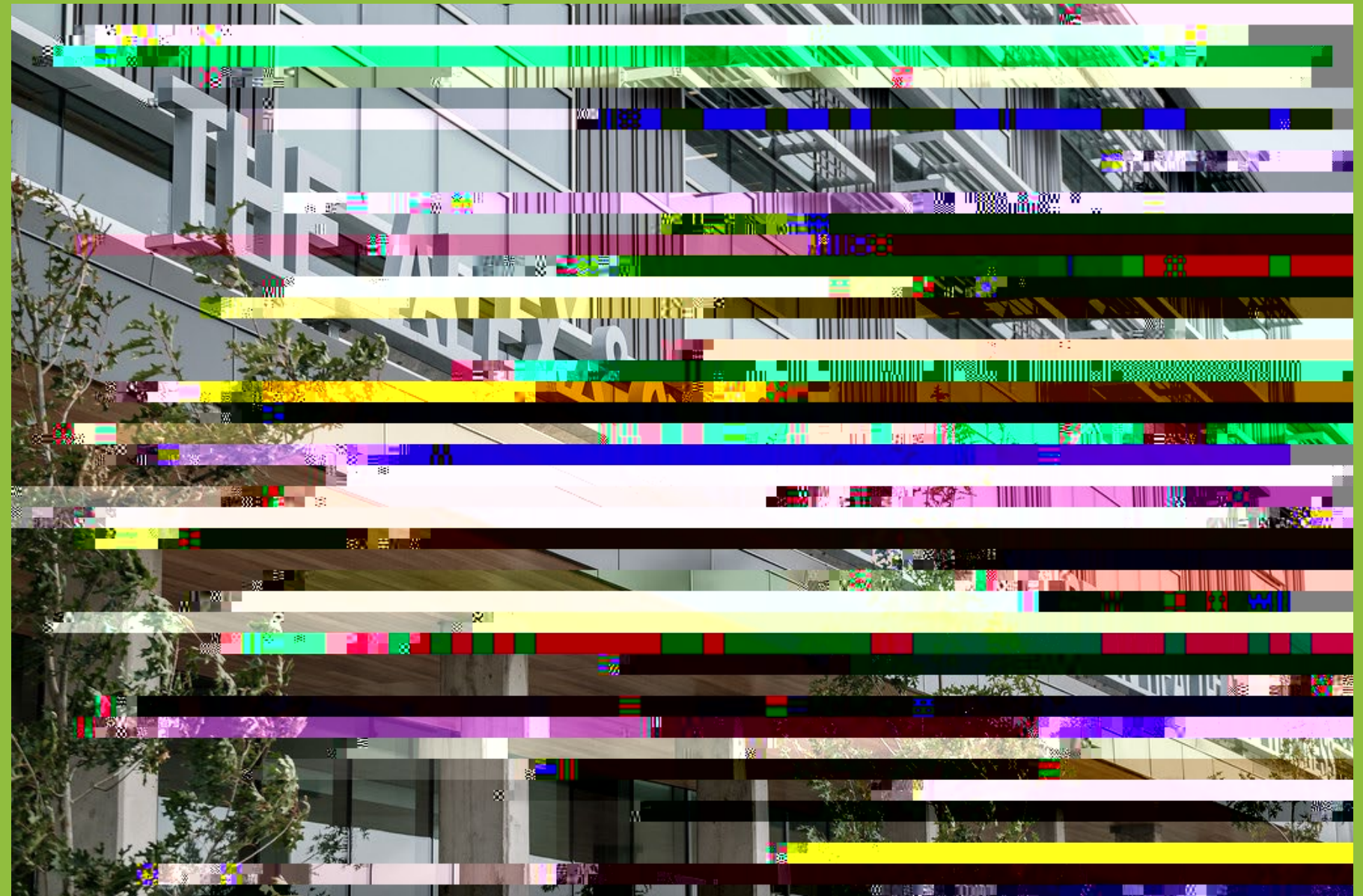
- All HHS Programs except Dental are delivered at the CHW at Interurban Campus
- The CHW brings together HHS Programs and allows a more interdisciplinary approach to teaching and learning
- The CHW provides twenty-first century learning environments including modern classrooms designed to foster active learning, hands-on labs, high technology simulation environments, and lots of collaboration spaces



Alex & Jo Campbell Centre for Health and Wellness

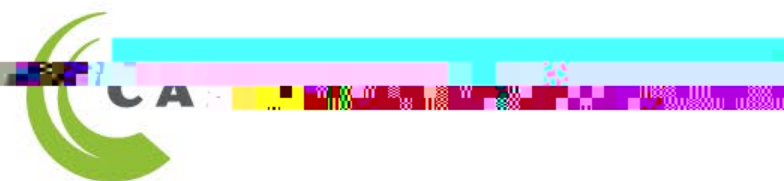
21st century education for outstanding health and wellness professionals

- \$63.8 million investment
- 89,000 sq. ft. facility at Interurban campus
- 800+ students
- Latest in health education teaching
- Interdisciplinary approach is aligned with Island Health



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Are you interested in....?

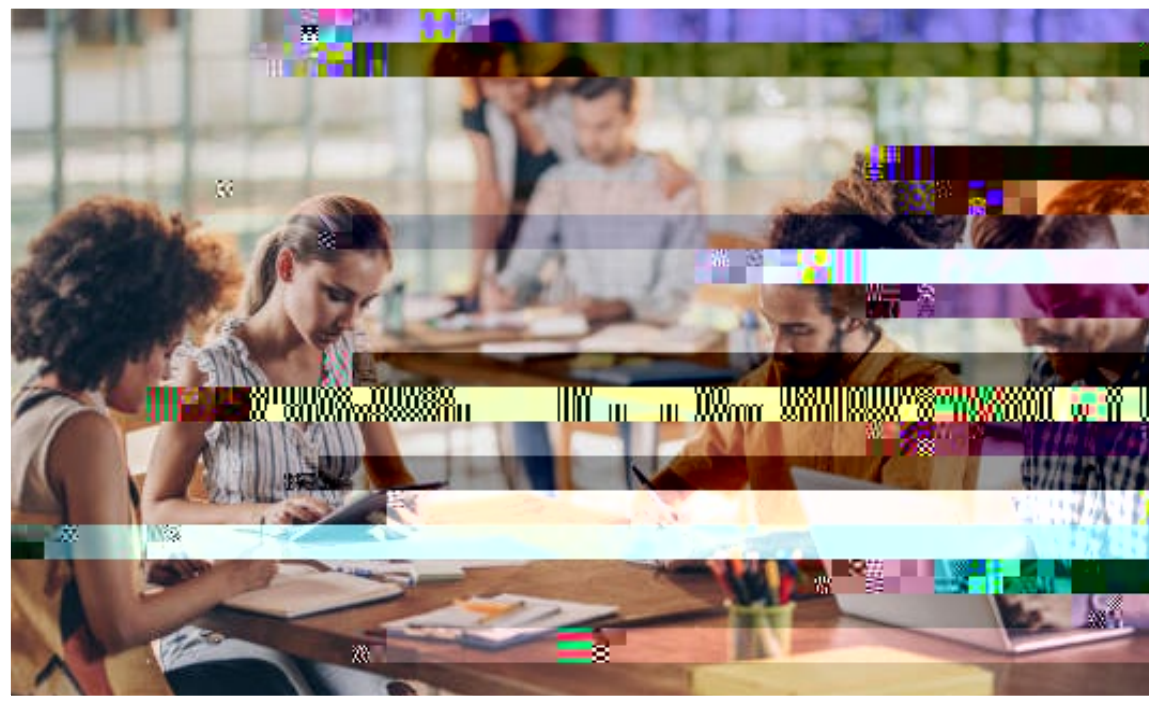
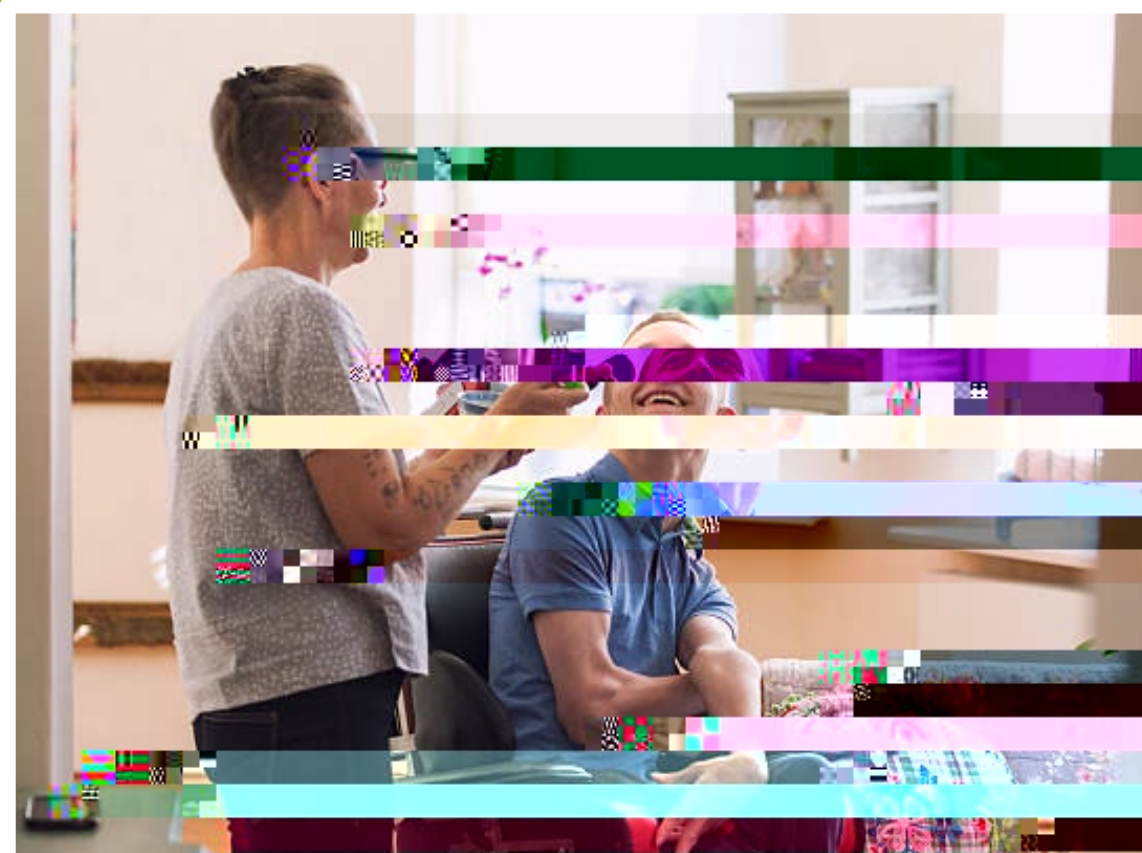
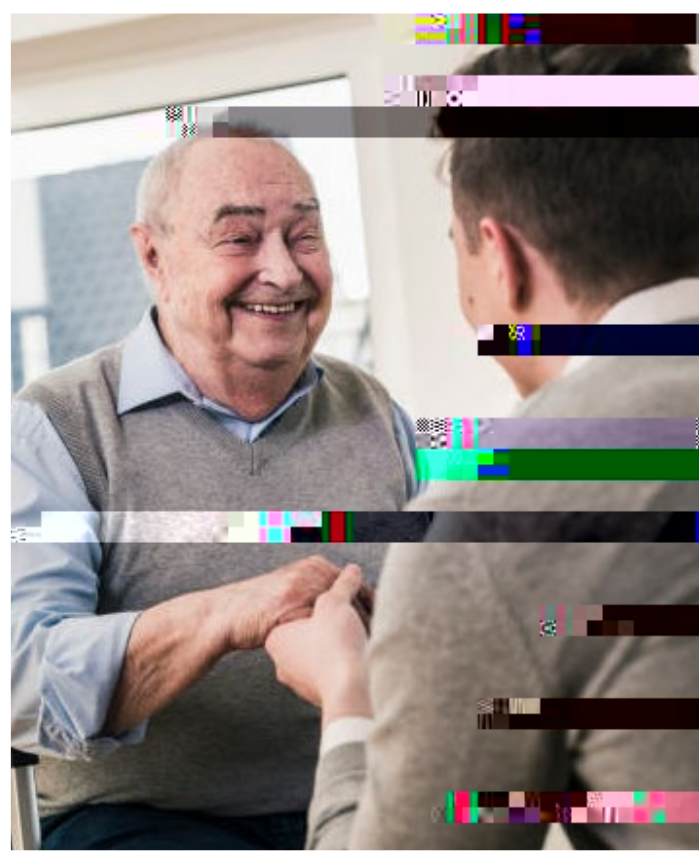
- Working with people with disabilities
- Education, Social Work, Child and Youth Care or the medical field
- Inclusive environments
- Being part of a team
- Working with children, youth and adults of all ages and cultures



Welcoming Diversity

The EACS program prepares you to support individuals with acquired and/or developmental disabilities both ethically and professionally in the context of home, school, work, and community settings





The EACS Program

Certificate Program

2 Practicums are Offered:

1. In school
2. In the Community



Is the EACS Program Right for You?

The role of the Education Assistant and Community Support Worker demands adherence to high standards of personal and professional conduct.

Employers expect sensitive and helpful responses to a wide range of problem situations, learning environments and behaviours.

- The work may involve participation in school and community settings, recreation activities, wellness needs of individuals.
- Both classroom and field work require a professional way of being with behaviours and attitudes that require us to challenge personal beliefs and values.

Program Participation Requirements

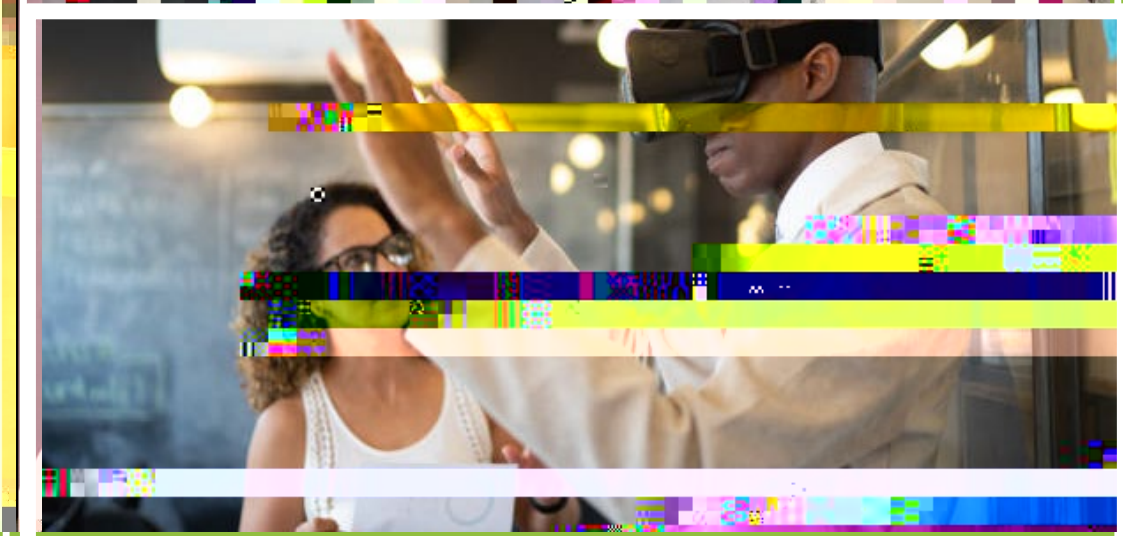
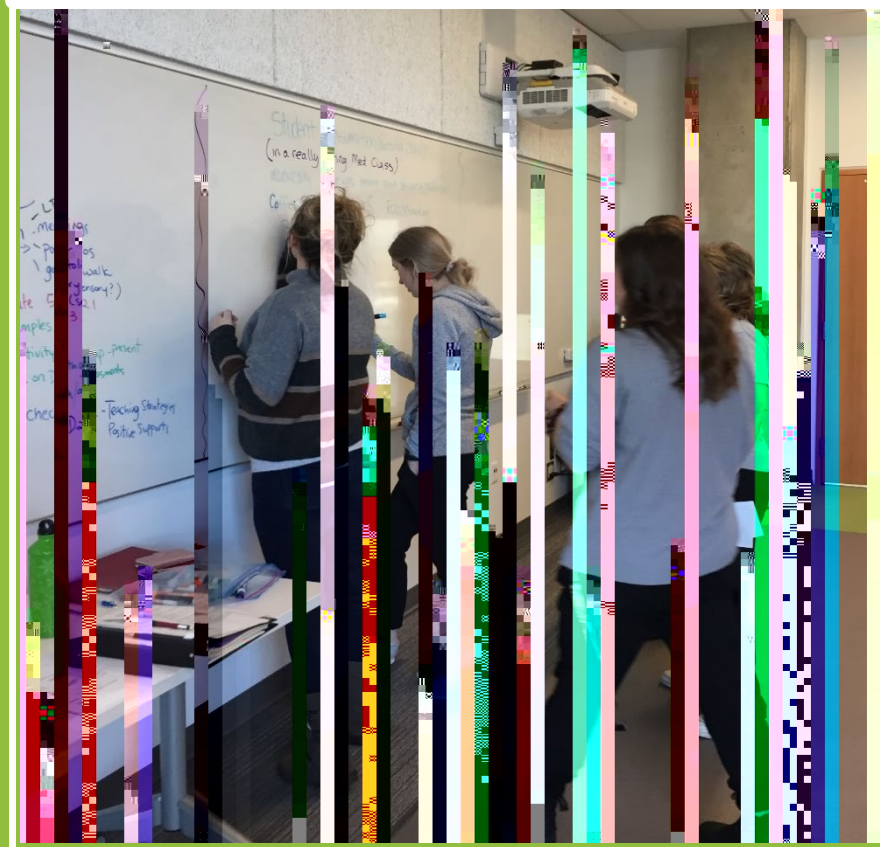
Once accepted into the program, students will be required to complete the following:

- Current immunizations
- Criminal Records Check
- TB skin test (Might be required by your practicum site).

Please note these are program requirements and should not be done before you have an accepted seat.

EACS Classes are Student Centred Learning

- Groups
- Individual
- Hands on
- Virtual and Online



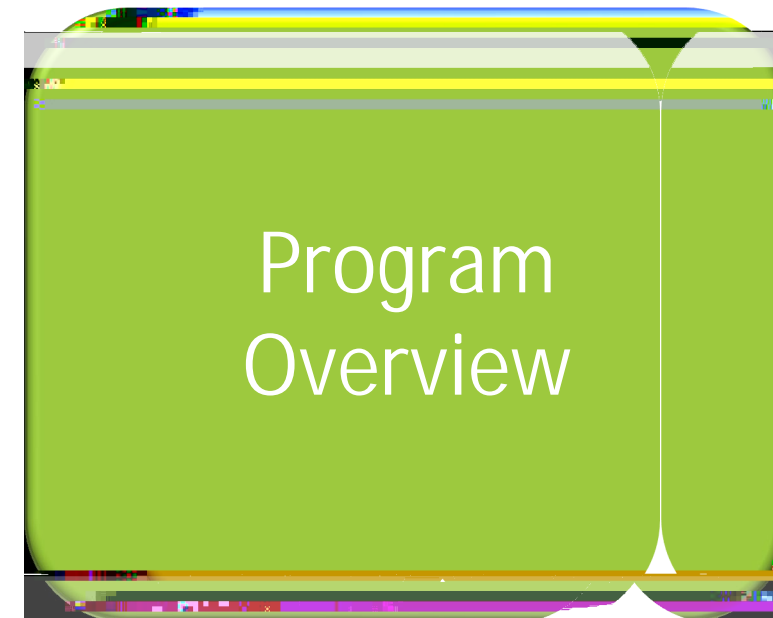
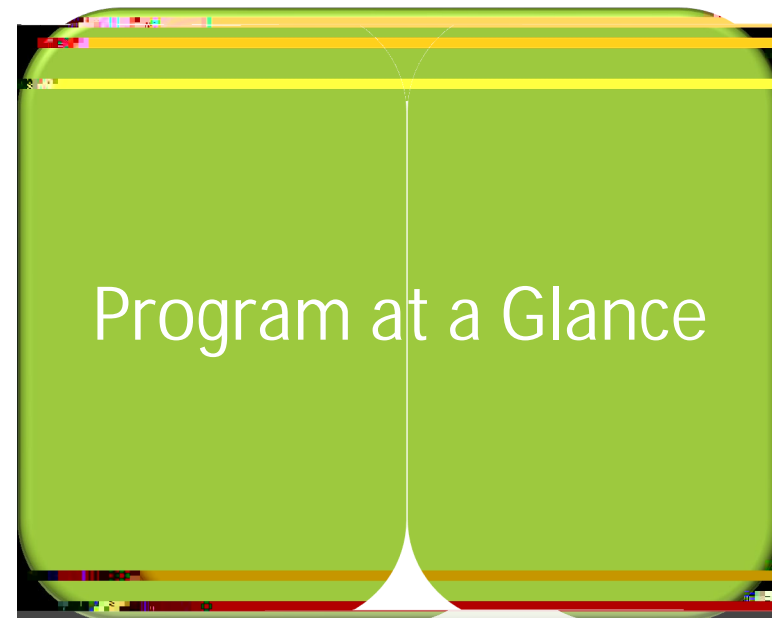
Employment

GRADUATES work as part of a professional team in:

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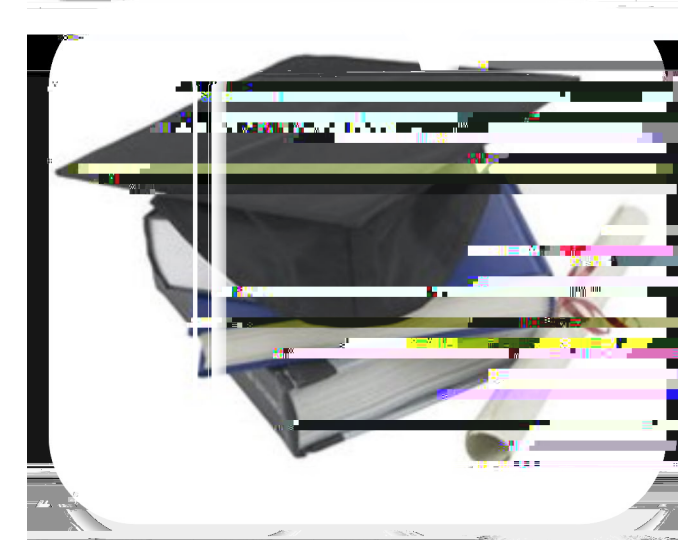
Review the EACS program pages online:

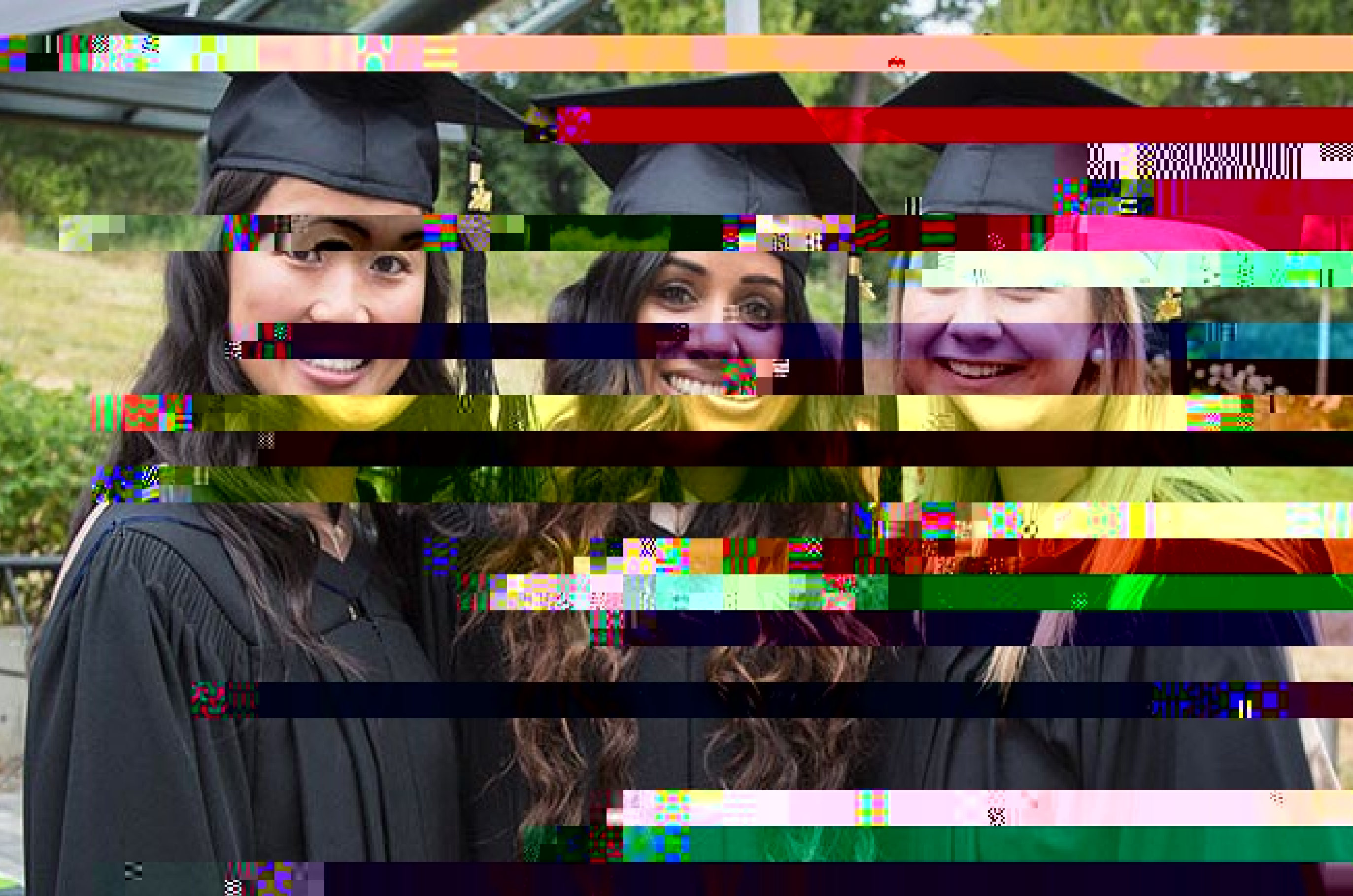


Education Assistant and Community Support

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS:

- Have support from family members, friends & classmates
- Devote approximately 30-35 hours each week to study
- Attend classes or practicum regularly
- Achieve a balance in home and school life
- Make a commitment to being a student
- Make time for practicum preparation and hours





TRANSFER CREDITS

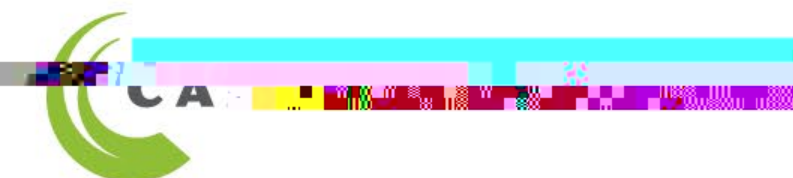
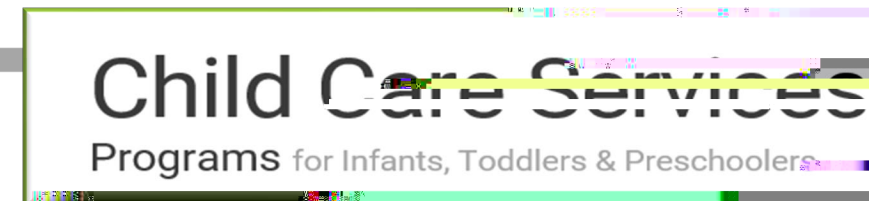
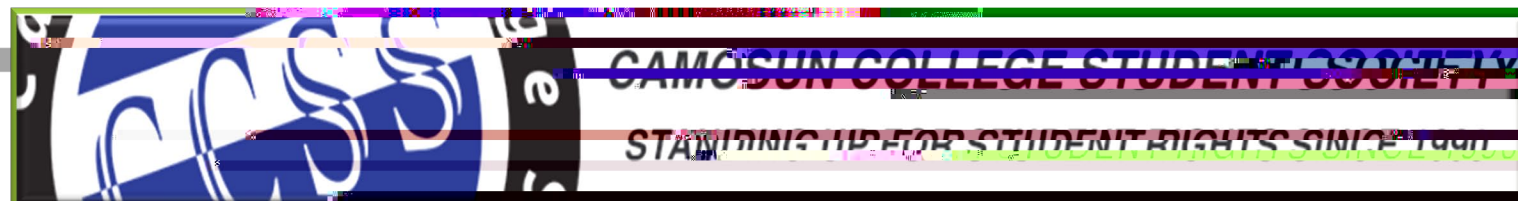
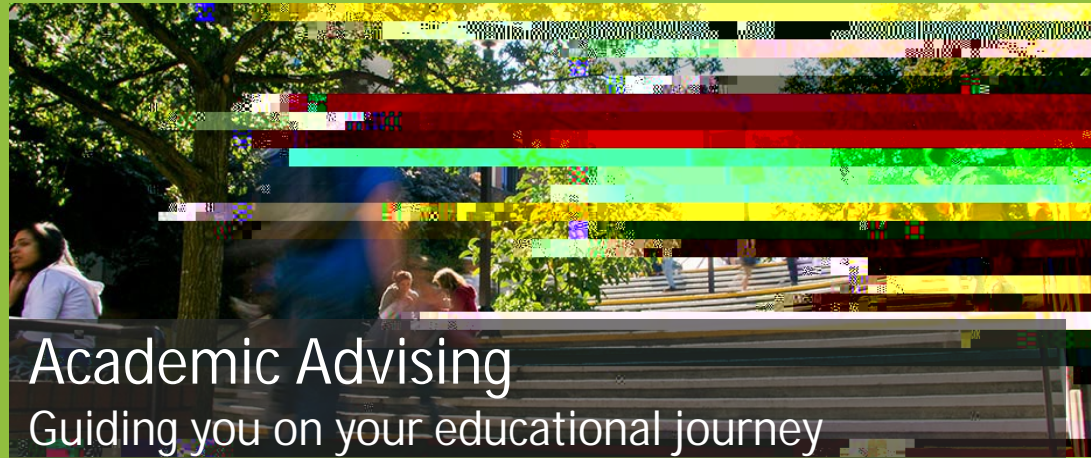
Completion of this certificate provides you with transfer credits towards:

- 2nd Year of the [Community Family and Child Studies Diploma](#) (CFCS).
- Credits to some Degree Programs (e.g. School of Child and Youth Care and Social Work), at other BC institutions such as the [University of Victoria](#) and [Vancouver Island University](#).

Further education possibilities



Student Services at Camosun



Indigenous Support Coordinator

Artemis Fire is Red River Métis and grateful to be a visitor on the unsundered territories of the

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Artemis is passionate about walking with people on their journeys.

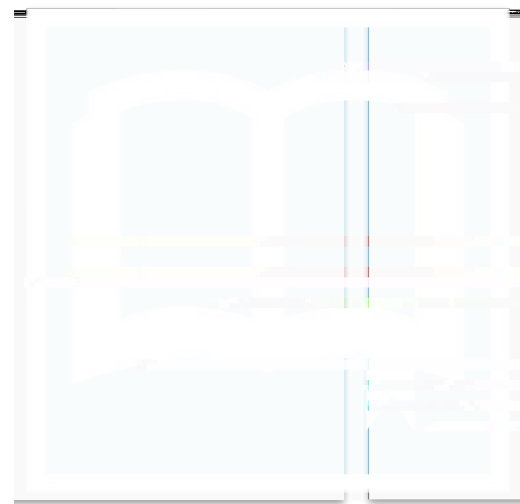


As the Health and Human Services Indigenous Support Coordinator, Artemis supports students in various ways, including assisting applicants to confirm their Indigenous identity.

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View the Dean's Welcome and the School of Health & Human Services (HHS) Student Handbook online



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Thank you!

We look forward to seeing you soon!
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