

Checked on Nov. 25/05

Preference	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice
Hostel Name	G.V. Backpackers	Canadian Backpackers	The Residence	College Hostel
Address	460 King Street West	42 Widmer Street	280 Augusta Avenue	90 Gerrard Street West
Website	http://www.globalbackpackers.com/	http://www.canadianlodging.com/	http://www.theresidence.net/	http://www.affordacom.com/
24 hours reception	Yes	8 a.m. - 2 a.m.	Yes, after 7 p.m. buzzer access	9a.m. - 10 p.m.
Safe place to store valuables Extra Cost?	Lockers \$1/day Big enough for luggage	Yes, coin lockers \$1/locker	No	Coin locker, 0.50/use
Safe place to store luggage, extra cost?	Luggage room, other people have access to it, no extra cost	Leave in room	Bag Room, you get # tag, no extra cost	Locker big enough for luggage
Bed linen provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Towels provided	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Bathroom	Shared	Individual & Shared	Shared	Separate
Individual rooms have own bathroom	No	No	No	No
Cooking Facilities	Shared, large kitchen w/ storage	Shared, large area, storage	Shared, fridge, stove, microwave	Shared, kitchen has storage
Washing machines, are they free?	Washer \$1.50 Dryer \$1.50	0.75 for soap \$1.75 wash \$1.50 dry	Coin operated, and floors w/ card operated \$10 deposit for card	No, landromat across street
Dorms are mixed or male only female only	Co-ed and also male only, female only	Same sex available	n/a	Separate male/female
Are meals provided	Buy breakfast \$2.95 Tuesday free Pancakes before noon	Free breakfast Free coffee and tea all day	No	No
What are the rooms like	Private rooms, all double	Dorm for 6-8 ppl	Bed, storage place, sink	Single room with tv and telephone, dorm rooms w/ bunks, or double rooms (2 double beds)
Confirm prices	On website	On website	Same as handout I had	On website
Prices include tax	Yes	Yes	daily and weekly is taxed	Yes
Any additional costs	No	No	Squash courts (for daily guests)	No

Curfew	No	No	No	No
Internet access Free	\$2/30mins, wireless free	Free wireless	No, Rogers can come and person can open their own account (for long-term residents)	Free wireless in lobby
TV	TV lounge & sometimes movie night in bar	Group TV room, video	Bring own tv, open account w/ Rogers (for long-term residents)	In the room
How does airport pickup work	Pacific Western Airport Express (for those that pay and reserve) (you pay and then they reimburse you)	No	No	No, for group of 4 or 6 yes
Discount e.g. ISIC	ISIC & N.A. uni get a \$2 discount	Daily rate \$2 disc for dorm or quad	Only long-term students. They must show their acceptance letter	Roughly \$2 discount
Other	<p>Good Social Environment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ATM Machines - List of activities to do - Deposit of \$10 for key & linen - Only hostel in TO w/ bar - TO info. at front desk - Frequent day trips - Pay phones on site 	<p>Events EVERY night</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Refundable deposit - Sometimes people stay here for the entire semester - Tourist info. at front 	<p>Phone 0.35/outgoing call or \$35/month unlimited</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ATM Machines 	<p>When booking mention you are from York U</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Credit card # or deposit required