Live in a world-class city. VFS is located in the heart of downtown Vancouver — named one of the world’s best cities, year after year. Vancouver’s natural beauty and cosmopolitan environment combine to make it an ideal place to study.

Get results. With over 1,000 students across 13 programs every year, and more than 20,000 alumni worldwide, VFS has a reputation built on results.

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Start your unique career path.
Vancouver Film School, our instructors, and many of our 20,000 graduates play an integral part of Vancouver’s booming entertainment industry. We constantly assess and tweak the curricula of our 13 programs to make sure they evolve with the demands of employers in Vancouver’s film, animation, game, and design industries.

Gain access to a global community.
Our eight campuses in downtown Vancouver are filled with creative and technical artists. Students work together to create projects and establish connections that will last them their entire lives. Join our creative community and our global network of more than 20,000 alumni.

Create an extraordinary portfolio.
Work closely with instructors and mentors to develop your creativity and technical skills. Apply yourself on assignments that emulate industry projects. Graduate from an advanced program in one year with a professional-level portfolio or demo reel of your work.

Did you know?
> VFS students have acquired over 5,000 student awards in 10 years.
> In 2014 alone, VFS students created 900+ finished productions.
> We have a plethora of Oscar- and Emmy-winning grads.
> In 2014, VFS alumni contributed to entertainment properties that grossed over $18 billion!

Choose your program

3D Animation + Visual Effects
Gain experience with traditional arts, computer animation and cinematic storytelling skills in a professional studio environment.

Acting Essentials
Develop your instrument, work with an ensemble, and discover if acting is the ideal creative path for you in four months of exploring truth in performance.

Acting for Film + Television
Transform your relationship with yourself and others. Develop an actor’s instrument and a comprehensive understanding of the craft and business of acting.

Animation + Concept Art
Gain the skills, knowledge, and industry expertise needed to create visual concepts that capture the emotional core of your story.

Classical Animation
Create an attention-grabbing reel of animated work that showcases your classical animation techniques, storytelling skills, and grasp of modern digital tools.

Digital Design
Change the way people interact with the world, technology, and each other.

Film Production
Live and breathe filmmaking in an industry environment where you’ll learn from the experts.

Foundation Visual Art + Design
Build a foundation in traditional art techniques combined with training in modern visual media.

Game Design
Experience the entire game development cycle and develop specialized skills in coding, game art, and level design.

Makeup Design for Film + Television
Gain hands-on experience in the world of production makeup.

Programming for Games, Web + Mobile
Create a focused software development portfolio in a fast-paced production environment that’s driven by innovation.

Sound Design for Visual Media
Discover professional-level sound design techniques in a demanding production environment that closely echoes the industry.

Writing for Film and Television
Develop an absolute command of the craft of storytelling and a deep understanding of the world of film and television.