

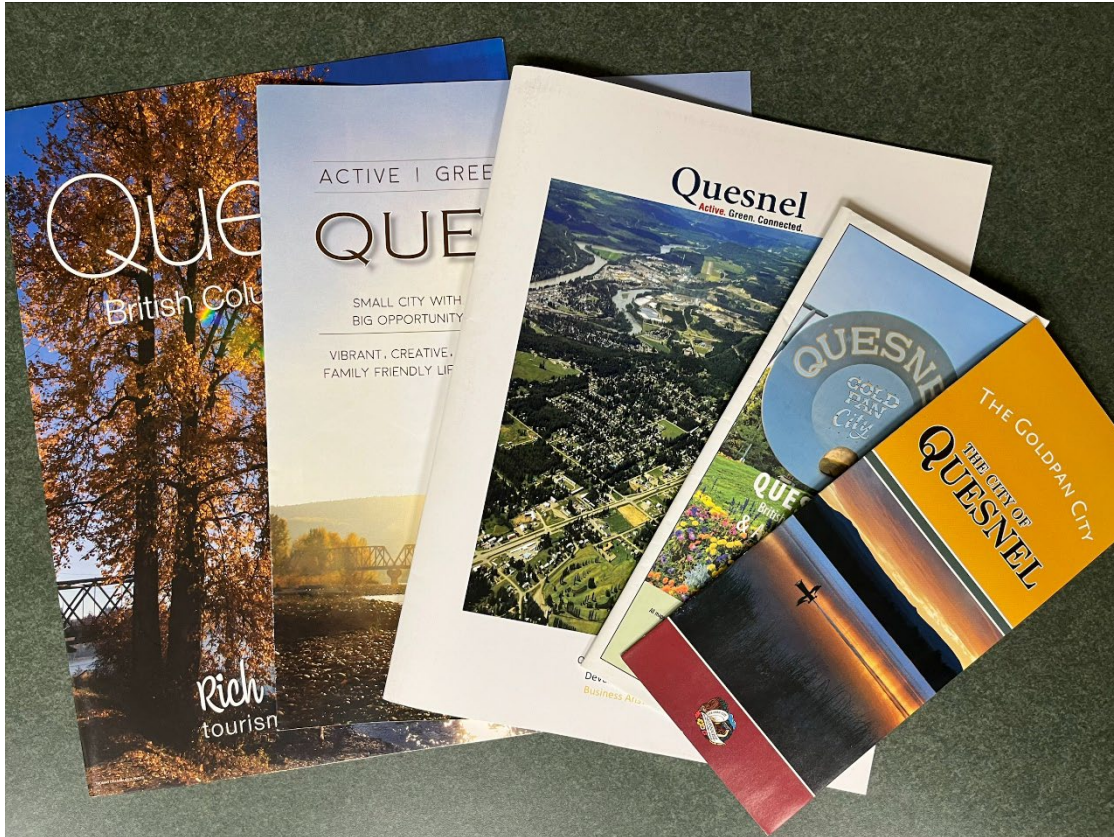
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# Addressing workforce challenges

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# It's in our nature.







# Adventure in our backyard

It's not just the natural world, but the sheer accessibility of it all. Whether you're enjoying our world-class whitewater rafting, fishing at the lake, or a day at the waterpark, you're a quick drive, or walk, to your destination. Imagine setting out on the water and soaking up the sun just ten minutes after your work day ends. With warm summers, cool winters and over 2,000 hours of sunshine annually, we take full advantage of our four distinct seasons. This is life in Quesnel.

## LAKES, RIVERS AND CREEKS

We're literally surrounded by rivers, and our area lakes are plentiful for exploring by boat, canoe, kayak, or paddleboard. When we say we have world class fishing in our backyard, we mean it. No matter the season, Quesnel is an angler's paradise. Access Dragon Lake within city limits or Ten Mile Lake for a day at the beach. Explore the banks of the Fraser and Quesnel rivers, where miners and pioneers travelled in pursuit of a rich lifestyle that is still within your grasp. On a hot summer day, take a dip in our cool, lazy Cottonwood River, which has many access points and swimming holes along the way.

An hour's drive east of Quesnel you'll find Bowron Lake Provincial Park. This world-renowned canoe and kayak destination has a naturally occurring nearly perfect



## PARKS OUR KIDS LOVE

We have plenty of parks too. Natural and accessible



## TRAILS FOR DAYS

Unplug and recharge. When you live in a community that was built on a connection to the land, you instinctively connect with it too.

Surround yourself by nature and history on our Riverfront Trail; start at one of several points throughout the city and enjoy over 9 km of paved trail along the banks of the Quesnel and Fraser rivers. You'll encounter many friendly faces along the way. Yes, we still make eye contact and wish each other a good day here.

We have an ever-expanding trail network connecting our neighbourhoods to endless wilderness trails built for exploring on a mountain bike, quad, skis, or your own two feet. These trails stretch from the city centre to outlying areas.

When snow blankets our town, it's time to bundle up and head outdoors. Troll Mountain is only forty-five minutes from the city and offers fantastic downhill skiing and snowboarding, while fifteen minutes south of the city the Hallis Lake Trail Network provides scenic cross-country skiing and snowshoeing opportunities. Ask the Cariboo Ski Touring Club about the hidden backcountry cabins accessible by ski or snowshoe.

Snowmobiling is another popular sport in the mountains surrounding Quesnel. You can experience the thrill of snowmobile mountain climbing, or maybe take it easy on the throttle and just cruise the trails maintained by the Wells Snowmobile Club.

And here's the best part: it's all so close that you don't have to wait until the weekend to get out there and enjoy it. With no rush hour or long commute, you'll have time after work, or even on your lunch break.





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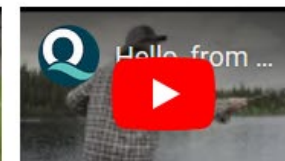
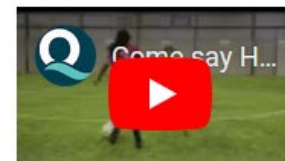
# Moving to Quesnel



## Hello, Quesnel.

Quesnel is located in the central interior of British Columbia, on the traditional territory of the Lhtako Dene. If you're moving here from one of the larger centres in the province, you'll be amazed by our home prices, and how little time you spend in your vehicle getting from A to B (to C to D). From hockey to soccer, aquafit to trail running, yoga to zumba, knitting to photography, live music to peaceful snowshoeing, there is plenty to keep you and your family as busy as you want to be in Quesnel. Here, we live a well-rounded lifestyle; we don't believe in working hard for a life you can't enjoy. We're friendly and approachable. It's in our nature to welcome you and your family, warmly.

## Say Hello



A group of people are sitting at a table on a balcony or terrace. The balcony has a glass railing and is overlooking a city and a river. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting it might be evening or night. The text "Video series" is overlaid in the center of the image.

# Video series





# Housing





A photograph of three young children sitting on a light-colored floor, playing with colorful wooden blocks. The child in the center, a young girl with curly brown hair, is wearing a blue and white checkered shirt and is focused on stacking a green block on top of a red one. To her left, a boy in a red and white plaid shirt is also playing with blocks. To her right, another boy in a yellow and blue plaid shirt is visible, also engaged with the toys. The floor is covered with many colorful blocks in shades of red, green, blue, and yellow. The background is slightly blurred, showing more of the play area.

# Childcare



A photograph of three mountain bikers on a rocky ridge. The person on the left is wearing a red jacket and a red helmet, standing next to a black mountain bike. The person in the middle is wearing a blue jacket and a black helmet, sitting on a purple mountain bike. The person on the right is wearing a red plaid shirt and a black helmet, standing next to a black mountain bike. They are all looking towards the right. The background is a dense forest of evergreen trees under a cloudy sky. The word "Amenities" is written in large white letters across the middle of the image.

# Amenities













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# Healthcare



# Housing

