

The German side indicated its willingness to continue in 1991 and 1992 the program of premiums for Canadian students of German, and offered in addition to subsidize the cost of a course on German language and civilization for 25 Canadian students of German.

Both sides acknowledged the good cooperation with respect to the trimester student exchange and would welcome it if renewed impulses could be given to the program by the parties concerned.

3. German language in Canada

Both sides indicated their interest in the continuation of the close cooperation in the area of support for German language teaching in Canada and noted the welcome increase in interest in Canada in the German language. With respect to the "Saturday schools" the German side expressed its desire for a continuation of the support for the teaching of the German language and the Canadian side explained its policies in connection with the teaching of heritage languages.

4. Cooperation in the field of vocational training

Both sides expressed their satisfaction at the exchanges and cooperation between the Association of Community Colleges of Canada and the Carl Duisberg Gesellschaft. Both sides expressed their interest in a continuation of exchanges in the field of vocational training. The German side will supply documentation to explain specific proposals that were made during the consultations.

5. Cultural Institutes

Both sides expressed their appreciation for the valuable work of the branches of the Goethe Institute in Canada. The Canadian side will endeavour to assist the staff of the Goethe Institute with their administrative affairs within the framework of Canadian legislation.

6. Cultural cooperation

Both sides praised the active exchange of events between the two countries in all cultural disciplines. Government assistance plays only a supportive role in this area. Private sponsorship can be activated in a complementary role. The Goethe Institute and its branches in Canada play an