



**BERKSHIRE
INTERNATIONAL
SUMMER SCHOOLS**



28th July - 11th August 2017

Berkshire International Summer Schools have a track record of delivering first class Summer Schools and feedback from previous students that have attended the course rate it as exceptional. We offer both English Language and Academic programmes combined with a large range of activities and visits to British cultural and historical sites.



COURSES AVAILABLE:

Academic Subjects with Activities (12-17yrs)

Where better to study the works of Shakespeare than at a British boarding school. Lessons in English literature and Science will be age appropriate and use the excellent facilities on offer. Teachers are all subject specialists and have designed bespoke courses to appeal to international students. They will be academically stretched and challenged and given a taste of what it is to be at a top independent boarding school in the UK.

English Language with Activities (12-17yrs)

This intensive programme of English Language ensures students not only improve their English speaking, writing and listening but also to get a better understanding of British culture and history. Each class will consist of about 10 students in order that they are able to receive the individual attention they deserve.

Junior English Language with Activities (8-11yrs)

This Junior programme allows students to feel comfortable and safe and builds on their limited use of English Language. Small classes of about 10 students with highly qualified teachers allows them to improve their reading, writing and speaking in a fun and relaxed environment.

STUDY DAYS:

Study days to Oxford, Bath and London

provide students with the opportunity to bring to life what they have learnt in the classroom. Those that study on the Academic subjects with Activities course will also have the opportunity of visiting Stratford Upon Avon, the birthplace of Shakespeare, and home of the Royal Shakespeare company. Before each study day students will receive lessons that prepare them for the visit. Study days provide an interesting and enjoyable way of extending knowledge of English history and culture by allowing students to experience it for themselves.

Students are also given an opportunity to meet and talk with current students at some of the world's top universities and ask them about their own experiences of applying and the interview process.

Students also have the chance of visiting Windsor Castle or Hampton Court Palace and a stadium and museum tour of Chelsea FC.



ACCOMODATION

Students are housed in one of Wellington College's Boarding houses. In previous years students stayed in the Talbot boarding house which has been designed as a spacious, well-appointed and prestigious building in character with others on the Wellington College estate. It occupies a site nestling among mature woodland and landscaped water features. It has an environment, which is homely, secure, comfortable, and conducive to study and in which social contact is natural and easy.

As well as the elegant oak-paneled Dining Room, in which students can take breakfast and supper, the facilities, which are second to none, include a large Common Room with TV, table tennis tables, two rooms for making "Brews" and a separate library room for more quiet study. There are computing and printing facilities in an alcove off the TV room, whilst the well-appointed rooms on the first floor have washing and drying machines which ensure a speedy turn round of students' laundry. Each room has a bed, wardrobe for hanging and storing clothes and a desk. Some rooms have en-suite showers and washing facilities. Outside the building, aside from the lakes and grassy areas, there is a floodlit play area.

THE VENUE:

The Summer School is set in the beautiful 400 acre estate of Wellington College in Berkshire. Situated to the west of London it is just 30 minutes from Heathrow airport. The grounds of the college include a golf course, large woodland areas and superb facilities for many of the activities.

The College was established by Queen Victoria in 1859 as a memorial to the Duke of Wellington who as well as defeating Napoleon at the battle of Waterloo was twice British Prime Minister.

The school was voted 'Best Public School' by the prestigious Tatler Schools Guide and results make the school one of the top performing IB schools in the UK. For more information about Wellington College please visit www.wellingtoncollege.org.uk





The Summer school is packed full of activities to ensure your child gets to do the things they love as well as benefiting from new experiences!



ACTIVITIES:

As well as an opportunity to play popular sports such as **Badminton, Basketball and football**, students have the opportunity to try new activities. The College has its own Golf course, Indoor climbing wall and Outdoor low ropes course. Horse riding, Bowling and Ice skating facilities are close by.

Younger students have the opportunity to visit the Harry Potter studios while older students can try the very popular Go Karting. Highly qualified instructors are always used and safety is paramount.

Raft Building	Swimming
Horse Riding	Tennis
Leadership	Croquet
Activity Ropes Course	Rounders
Ice Skating	Table Tennis
Bowling	Cricket
Go Karting	Fencing
Climbing Wall	Kayaking
Drama Classes	Scuba Diving
Basketball	Golf
Badminton	

INSURANCE & MEDICAL

Each student is covered under the **Studentguard+ insurance** which is underwritten by ACE European Group Limited www.acegroup.com/uk. Their policy, which is widely used by many Summer Schools in the UK covers students for various medical expenses, personal injury, personal liability and loss of personal belongings including money, credit cards and passport.

TOTAL COST IS INCLUSIVE OF:

Sporting & Leadership Activities
Accommodation and 3 meals each day
Hire of classrooms and sports facilities
Airport Transfers from Heathrow
Books and materials
Course T-Shirt & bag
Group Photo & Course Certificate
Transport to & from all activities
Sports Equipment
Insurance & Medical Care
Laundry
All tickets and activities



It was a fantastic experience for me because I got to try so many different activities. Also, the teachers were patient and very kind!



3.00	0.50	5.00	7.30
3.45	2.20	5.30	9.30
3.00	3.30		2.00



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**A first class summer school set in an
idyllic location with a royal heritage**

**Sole use of 2 of Wellington College's
newest boarding houses**

**Modern teaching facilities and
highly qualified teachers**

24 hr pastoral care and medical provision

**Excursions to London, Oxford and
Bath or Stratford upon Avon**

**Extensive range of sporting and
leadership activities**

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