



**July - August 2018**

*\*Wellington College course is limited to 1st - 15th August*



**REDDAM HOUSE**



**WELLINGTON COLLEGE**

**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**.

## THE VENUES

“Two first class summer schools set in idyllic locations”

### REDDAM HOUSE

Shortlisted for an award at the TES Independent Schools award in 2018 Reddam House is part of the Inspired group of schools.

The group currently boasts 27 premium schools across the globe. Its founder is South African based Graeme Crawford whose own educational experiences formulated the ethos of the Inspired Schools.

Reddam House is a majestic school, housed in a magnificent Victorian mansion, in a beautiful, secure setting at the heart of the 125-acre estate. The mansion is filled with light and airy classrooms, equipped with the latest in technology to provide an enhanced learning environment. The Summer school takes advantage of the magnificent library and Sixth Form area which provides space for private study, research and reflection and is conducive to individual and small group tuition.

The International Summer School will take place at various dates for 2 weeks in July and August. [www.reddamhouse.org.uk](http://www.reddamhouse.org.uk)

### WELLINGTON COLLEGE

Set in 400 acres of beautiful countryside, Wellington College in Berkshire is situated to the west of London and 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.

The International Summer School will take place between the 1st and 15th August.

For more information about Wellington College please visit [www.wellingtoncollege.org.uk](http://www.wellingtoncollege.org.uk)



# THE COURSES

“Modern teaching facilities and highly qualified teachers”

“Cultural Excursions to London, Oxford and Bath or Stratford upon Avon are paired with a dynamic activities programme..”

## WELLINGTON:

*Academic Subjects with Activities (12-16yrs)*

Where better to study the works of Shakespeare than at a British boarding school. Lessons in English literature, Science, Maths and History 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.

## REDDAM HOUSE:

*English Language with Drama or Sport (12-16yrs)*

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. Drama classes bring to life English Language in a fun and social way and help to improve communication skills regardless of ability or previous experience.

## BOTH VENUES:

*Junior English Language with Drama or Sport (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:

All courses involve Study days to major historic cities in the UK including Oxford and London and provide students with the opportunity to bring to life what they have learnt in the classroom.

Those that study on the Academic subject 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 and a stadium and museum tour of Chelsea FC.

## ACTIVITIES:

As well as an opportunity to play popular sports such as Badminton, Basketball and football, students have the opportunity to try new activities.

Wellington College has its own Golf course, Indoor climbing wall and Outdoor low ropes course. Horse riding, Bowling and Ice skating facilities are close by.



## ACCOMMODATION

“24 hr pastoral care and excellent medical provision”

Students are housed in specifically designed boarding houses. Each boarding house has a resident housemaster and house tutor to look after the student's needs. Three meals are provided each day as well as other snacks. Packed meals are provided on excursion days.

Boarding houses provide an environment which is homely, secure, comfortable, and conducive to study and in which social contact is natural and easy.

Boarding houses include a large Common Room with TV, table tennis tables, rooms

for making “Brews” a room for quiet study as well as computing and printing facilities. They also 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 are plenty of fields and open space for evening activities and games.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

### TYPICAL DAY

Below is the structure for a typical day on any one of our courses:

|       |                        |
|-------|------------------------|
| 08:00 | Breakfast              |
| 08:45 | Meeting / Registration |
| 09:00 | Language Lessons 1     |
| 10:30 | 1st Break              |
| 10:45 | Language Lessons 2     |
| 12:20 | Lunch Break            |
| 13:30 | Activity Session 1     |
| 15:00 | Break                  |
| 15:30 | Activity Session 2     |
| 17:30 | House Time / Swimming  |
| 18:30 | Dinner                 |
| 19:30 | Evening Activities     |
| 22:00 | Meeting / Registration |
| 22:15 | Lights Out             |

### INSURANCE & MEDICAL

Each student is covered under the Studentguard+ insurance which is underwritten by Chubb Insurance 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.

<http://helpinghand.uk.chubbinsured.com>.

### PRICE INCLUDES

- Accommodation and 3 meals each day
- In excess of 50 hours of tuition
- Airport Transfers from Heathrow
- Books and materials
- Course T-Shirt and bag
- Group Photo and Course Certificate
- Transport to and from all activities
- Sports Equipment
- Insurance & Medical Care
- Laundry
- All tickets and activities

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