



SUMMER COURSES

“Excellence is an art won by
training and habituation...
We are what we repeatedly do.
Excellence, then, is not an act,
but a habit.”

THE STORY OF PHILOSOPHY, WILL DURANT

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WELCOME TO DUKES SUMMER SCHOOLS

Dukes Education offers residential summer schools and activity day camps in the UK. Our summer programmes take place in two of our own colleges: Earlscliffe, on the coast in Kent, and Cardiff Sixth Form College, the top performing A-level college in the UK. We also have summer programmes in prestigious British boarding schools, and an outstanding academic programme held in the famous colleges of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

Great experience for all the family. We were really happy.
Eduardo, Parent, Peru



It was amazing and I made some amazing friends.
Wanjiru, Student, Kenya



The organisation is excellent. I also liked the great effort they make to encourage students to mix and speak English.
Agent, Spain



We have welcomed students from over 130 different countries



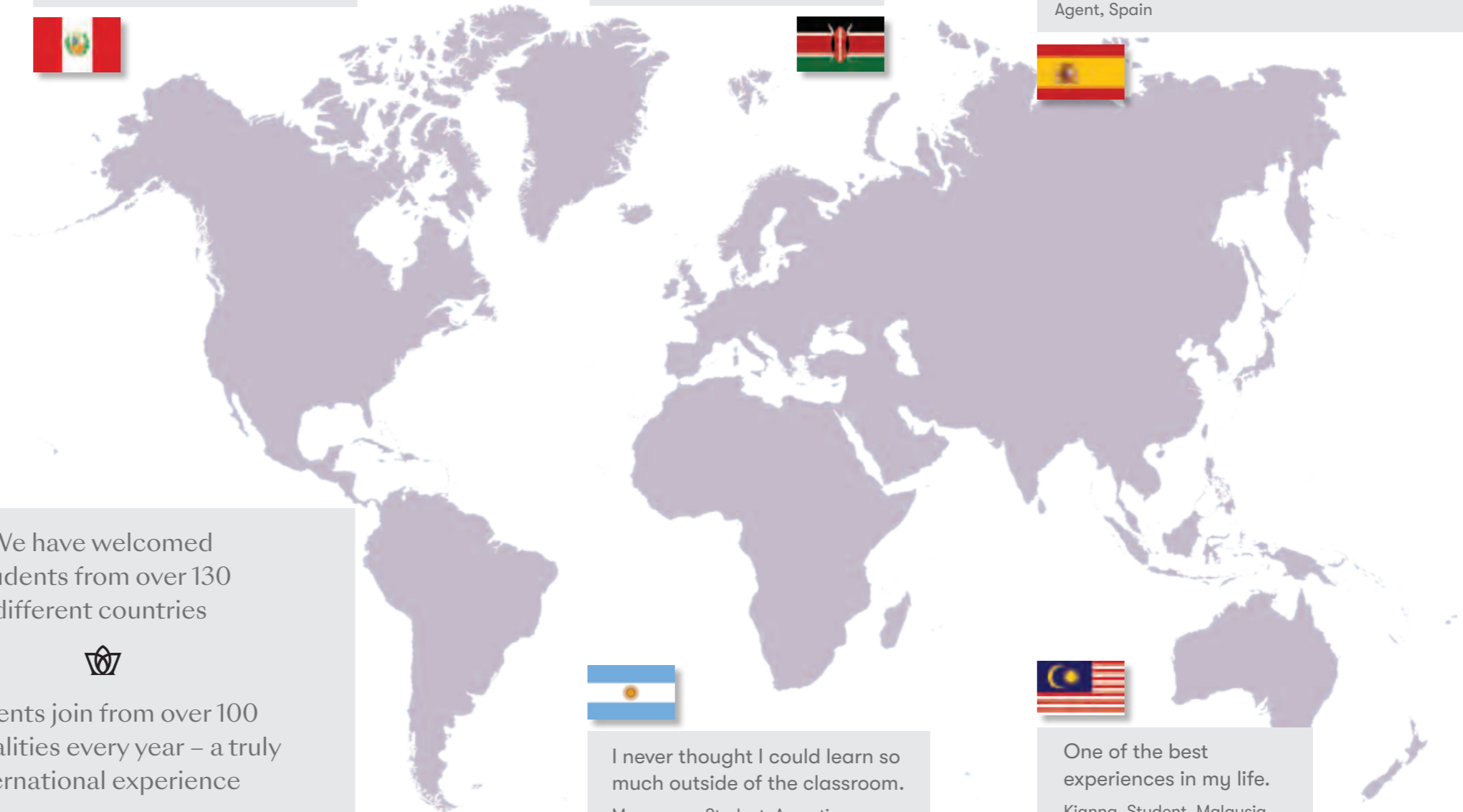
Students join from over 100 nationalities every year – a truly international experience



Speakers of different native languages are limited in number to ensure English is the primary spoken language at Summer Boarding Courses and Earlscliffe



Exceptional return and recommendation rate. Students come back to us year after year



I never thought I could learn so much outside of the classroom.
Marcarena, Student, Argentina



One of the best experiences in my life.
Kianna, Student, Malaysia



AN OVERVIEW OF OUR CAMPUSES AND COURSES

General English Courses

Appropriate for beginner to advanced levels. Vocabulary, grammar, reading, writing, and listening are improved in our General English and Global English courses, as well as Summer Study, which builds language skills through the study of subjects such as History, Science, or literature.

Academic Study Courses

Students with an intermediate or advanced level of English often wish to use the summer to explore academic subjects in more depth. We offer a huge range, from introductory courses in Business or International Relations, to advanced study in Philosophy and Creative Writing to Engineering, Medicine, and Law.

University Preparation Courses

For intermediate and advanced levels of English, some programmes help students develop the study skills required at university, with some combining this with academic study for a taste of specific courses at university. Other programmes specifically target certain universities or courses such as our Mini-MBA™, Oxbridge, or Medicine preparation programmes.

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BOURNEMOUTH
Canford School

BRISTOL
Badminton School

CAMBRIDGE
Cambridge College

CROWTHORNE
Wellington College

CARDIFF
Cardiff Sixth Form College

FOLKESTONE
Earlscliffe

LONDON
Kingston-upon-Thames, Sutton, Surbiton

OXFORD
SBC Oxford, Coxhill School, Abingdon School, Chandlings School, Headington School, Oxford College

WINDSOR
Eton College







Read on for details of exactly
which programmes are
available at each campus





SBC OXFORD SUMMER SCHOOL

At a glance

-  2 or 4 week courses
-  15 hours English tuition per week
-  Shared rooms for 4-8 students
-  Final report card and certificate

Ages 8-12

SBC Oxford is located at the Dragon School. Students from over 40 countries come together over the summer, developing confidence in English and enjoying varied activities and trips. SBC Oxford gives young learners an unforgettable experience where they can see more of the world and make international friends.

Academic Programme

All students receive 15 hours of English lessons per week, taught by professionally qualified teachers.

Choose between:

General English

English Level: Beginner to Advanced

Focuses on improving vocabulary, grammar, reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Our communicative method emphasises interaction and building confidence for use in the real world.

Junior Summer Study

English Level: Upper Intermediate to Advanced

Minimum English Level: B2+. This exciting course gives students the perfect introduction to the exhilarating world of high-level business administration.

Time to Shine!

All students have two 'Time to Shine' lessons each week. Dynamic, interactive challenges are completed in teams – perfect for improving communication in a practical, fun, and creative setting.



Campus Life

SBC Oxford is our youngest school, with our highest level of supervision and care. Our friendly, helpful, and fully-qualified professionals ensure our young learners feel supported and cared for whilst away from home – with one member of staff to every five students.

Afternoon and Evening Social Programme

Students enjoy a rich and varied multi-activity programme throughout their stay, keeping them entertained. It is often in these sporting and social activities that their English improves most!



“Our son was eager to participate everywhere. The activity programme was fun, we were seeing the blog... it seems great and Nick was so excited about all the activities.”
Gulben, Student, Turkey.



Multi Activities

An exciting range of sporting and social activities, which may include: Arts and Crafts, Coding, Disco, Fashion Design, Football, Knitting, Oxford Visits, Photography, Science Experiments, Swimming, Team Games or Yoga.



Excursions

Two day-trips per week, including cultural and fun attractions such as Legoland, Warwick Castle, Bristol, and Cotswold Wildlife Park.



English Plus+ Courses





Optional extras at a small additional fee:

- Intensive English Speaking
- Intensive English Writing
- Adventure Sports
- Horse Riding
- Drama
- Art and Design



VARSITY INTERNATIONAL COTHILL HOUSE SCHOOL, OXFORD

At a glance

-  2-6 week programmes, July and August
-  15 hours English tuition per week (English Activity Programme)
-  Shared rooms for 4-6 students
-  Final report card and certificate (English Activity Programme)

Ages 8-14

Varsity International is an English language and activity summer camp located at Cothill House Prep School in Oxford. International students are integrated with British students (ratio 1:2) to ensure they learn both the language and culture from native speaking children.

English and Integrated Activity Programme For children aged 8-14

Suitable for all language ability levels, English classes take place in either the mornings or the afternoons with students split by age and ability. Taught by specially trained English teachers, the programme is constructed using the most up-to-date teaching concepts and methodology with student progress reviewed and evaluated throughout the course.

Fluent English Speaker Programme For children aged 10-14

Students who are English level C1 and above take part in full days of activities alongside our British children - an ideal way to make lifelong friends and learn new skills. Students choose which activity they would like to do from a shortlist each day with different choice combinations each day so no one day is the same as another. Plus the opportunity to try one of the specialist choice activities at an additional cost such as golf, horse riding, outdoor adventure, tennis or extra English.

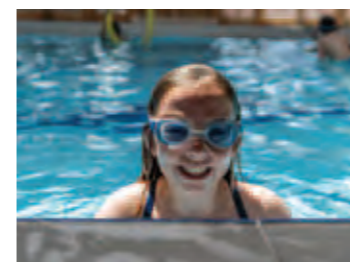


Campus Life

Cothill School offers top-quality facilities including a swimming pool, theatre, tree house adventure playground, tennis courts, basketball rings, playing fields and 9-hole golf course. Meals are taken in the dining room with our chefs able to cater for specific dietary requirements.



Afternoon and Evening Social Programme



Sports

Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Dodgeball, Fencing, Football, Golf, Pop Lacrosse, Rounders, Swimming, Tag Rugby, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball, Handball.

Art/Creative

Art Studio, Cheerleading, Clay Modelling, Dance, Drama, Jewellery Making, Mocktails, T-Shirt Design, Yoga, Zumba

Adventure

Air Rifles, Archery, Axe Throwing, Campfire Making, Quad Bikes, Shelter Building, Slip and Slide, Zorbs

Evening Activities

Includes, amongst others: campfire, casino night, disco and karaoke, film night talent battle, sports competition, water wars and international night.

Excursions

Three excursions over a two-week course including: London Attractions, Harry Potter Studios, Warwick Castle and Bournemouth Beach Day.



VARSITY INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITY DAY CAMPS

At a glance

- 1-7 week programmes (open 8.00am-6.00pm for parental drop off)
- 10 hours English tuition per week
- Locations in London, Oxford, Abingdon, Bristol, Birmingham, and Ascot
- Final report card and certificate

Ages 4-14

Ideal for international children coming on holiday with their parents, the activity and day camps are the perfect mix of English language lessons and activities. Improving English through integration with British children, 2-hour English lessons every day help improve vocabulary, conversation, pronunciation and develop skills and confidence.

Grouped by Age

4-5 Years – Junior activity programme led by specially qualified staff to ensure children are well looked after, receive age-appropriate care and have lots of fun!

6-7 Years – An exciting mix of games, sport and art activities with a packed timetable to allow children to burn off their boundless energy.

8-9 Years – Additional activities such as archery and zorbs are available and all children come together for our popular Big Game sessions.

10+ Years – Choice activities allowing children to do more of what they enjoy and a Big Game session where boys and girls mix together in team activities.



School Locations

Oxford
Headington School,
Abingdon School,
and Chandlings School

London
Kingston-upon-Thames,
Sutton, and Surbiton

Bristol
Badminton School

Ascot
Licensed Victuallers' School

Birmingham
Edgbaston



40 Activities Every Week

Including: Archery, Basketball, Cookery, Drama, Football, Fencing, Pedal Karts, Kwik Cricket, Netball, Roller Racers, Swimming, Trampolining, Tennis, Outdoor Art, Ultimate Inflatables, Pop Art Masterclass, Zorbing, Quad Bikes, Mini Olympics





SBC CANFORD SUMMER SCHOOL

At a glance

- 2, 3, 4 or 5 week courses, July and August
- 15 hours English tuition per week
- Mostly single rooms
- Final report card and certificate

Ages 11-15

SBC Canford provides a beautiful location for a fantastic summer school experience. Located at the prestigious Canford School on the coast of the UK, students improve their English through a variety of interesting subjects and activities, visit famous British sites, and form lifelong friendships.

Academic Programme

All students receive 15 hours of English lessons per week, taught by professionally qualified teachers.

Choose between:

- General English.** All English levels
- English Literature.** Intermediate - Advanced
- Introduction to Business.** Intermediate - Advanced
- Introduction to International Relations.** Intermediate - Advanced
- Introduction to STEM.** Intermediate - Advanced
- Medicine.** Intermediate - Advanced

Time to Shine!

Each course has a bespoke 'Time to Shine' project, which students must research and, ultimately, present to their peers. This builds communication, teamwork, innovation, and social skills.



Campus Life

SBC Canford takes place in Canford School, one of the most famous and beautiful schools in the UK. The historic campus buildings and 250 acres of stunning parkland near the coast provide an inspiring and quintessentially British setting. Professional, trained, and friendly staff are always on hand to ensure students receive attentive care throughout their stay.

Afternoon and Evening Social Programme

Facilities at Canford School are outstanding, allowing for a first-class range of activities.



“My son has improved his English level, reading, speaking, and writing. The lessons are both good at an academic level and great for summer.”

Nuria, Parent, Spain.



Multi Activities

Students choose six varied activities a day, which may include: Cookery, English Sports, Football, Music Workshops, Photo Challenges, Swimming, Water Polo or Yoga



Excursions

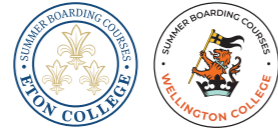
Two full-day excursions per week, to some of the UK's most famous cities and sites such as London, Oxford, Thorpe Park and Bath.



English Plus+ Courses

On two afternoons per week, students can choose these optional extras at a small additional fee:

- Intensive English Speaking
- Intensive English Writing
- Adventure Sports
- Horse Riding
- Street Dance
- Art and Design
- Water Sports



SUMMER LEADERSHIP ACADEMIES AT ETON COLLEGE AND WELLINGTON COLLEGE

At a glance

- Courses from 2 to 4 weeks long
- 15 hours tuition each week
- 10 hours of Leadership Development
- Single and shared rooms

Ages 13-16

Our new Summer Academies take place at two of the UK's most famous colleges: Eton College and Wellington College. Each week, the programmes provide 15 hours of academic tuition and 10 hours of leadership training.



SBC at Eton College

Choose between:

- General English
- Humanities
- Mathematics
- STEM



SBC at Wellington College

Choose between:

- General English
- Business
- IB Preparation
- Introduction to Engineering
- Mathematics
- Sciences



Social Life

The Summer Academy Social Programme allows students to socialise with friends through our wellbeing activities and evening events. Students can choose from a varied schedule which includes sports and fitness activities, mindfulness sessions, art and creative workshops and cultural visits. Our evening events include discos, sports tournaments and talent shows.



“SBC at Eton College was a unique experience, not only from an academic point of view. Even the building itself, the classrooms and the rooms are extremely luxurious for school premises. Especially that debate room or the Chapel!”

Dora, Parent, Greece.



Academic

All students will have 15 hours of tuition each week in their chosen subject. Each course is designed to develop our students' English language skills and subject knowledge. Every student takes part in our Time to Shine programme, in which they develop their research, collaboration, communication and presentation skills in teamwork projects connected to their chosen Elective Subject.



Leadership

All Summer Academy students will participate in 10 hours of leadership development each week. This exciting programme is designed to challenge students, build reflective practice, and enhance leadership skills to develop the leaders of tomorrow.





Excursions

- Academic excursion to Oxford
- London – visit Kew Gardens, museums, shopping and restaurants
- Thorpe Park - A fun-filled day with plenty of roller coasters and rides to suit all levels of bravery



HEADINGTON OXFORD SPRING & SUMMER SCHOOL

At a glance

-  2 - 6 week courses
-  15 hours English tuition per week
-  Single, twin, and shared rooms
-  Final report card and certificate

Ages 13-16

With fantastic facilities and only a 20-minute walk to Oxford's city centre, Headington Oxford offers the perfect setting for an exciting summer school experience that students will never forget.

Academic Programme

Students receive 15 hours of English lessons per week, taught by professionally qualified teachers.

Time to Shine!

Each course has a bespoke 'Time to Shine' project, which students must research and, ultimately, present to their peers. This builds communication, teamwork, and cross-cultural social skills.

Choose between:

- General English:** Beginner – Advanced
- Summer Study:** Upper Intermediate – Advanced
- SBC Coding:** Intermediate – Advanced
- Global Young Leaders:** Intermediate – Advanced

Oxford Spring Leadership School

The Spring Leadership School at Headington Oxford offers students 15 hours of English tuition per week, plus 10 hours per week of Leadership Training. Students can choose either General English, Business or Science courses as their main study subject. The Leadership training engages active and practical activities, encouraging students to develop the leadership, teamwork and communication skills required for future success.



Campus Life

The campus provides a friendly and inspiring setting in the heart of one of the world's most iconic academic cities. Fully-trained staff oversee every aspect of the programme, during lessons, activities, meal times, breaks and excursions.

Afternoon and Evening Social Programme

Our Headington social programme comprises a range of engaging activities in the afternoon and evenings tailored specifically for teenagers.



Multi Activities

Students choose from six varied activities a day, which may include: Arts and Crafts, Barbecue, Disco Party, Fashion Show, Indoor and Outdoor Sports, Masquerade Ball, Movie Night, Music Workshops, Poetry and Blogging, Reading and Conversation Clubs, Sports Tournament, Swimming and Water Polo.

Excursions

Two day-trips per week, to some of the UK's most famous cities and attractions, such as London, Brighton, Bristol, and Thorpe Park.

English Plus+ Courses

Optional extras at a small additional fee on two afternoons per week:

- Intensive English Speaking
- Intensive English Writing
- Adventure Sports
- Dance
- Art and Design



“Classes are the best, we had so much fun and at the same time we were always learning.”
Alanoud, Student, Jordan.



EARLSCLIFFE SUMMER & EASTER PROGRAMMES

At a glance

-  2 to 7 week courses, April & July - August. Plus Academic Integration in June
-  22 hours English tuition per week. (16 hrs at Easter)
-  Twin and triple en-suite rooms (singles available at extra cost)
-  Additional Easter course and short options



Summer, ages 13-17 and Easter, ages 8-17

Earlscliffe's summer and Easter courses strike a balance between serious study and fun activities. Earlscliffe is a top independent college situated in the coastal town of Folkestone, Kent, where students can come each year to choose from four different academic programmes.

Academic Programme

Students receive 22 hours of lessons per week, in classes of no more than 12 students. (On our Easter course, students receive 16 hours' tuition).

Global English (ages 13-17)

Minimum English Level: A2. Global English uses UNESCO's Four Pillars of Learning to maximise students' language development, by investigating and discussing global themes through workshops, debates and projects.

Mini-MBA™ (ages 15-17)

Minimum English Level: B2+. This exciting course gives students the perfect introduction to the exhilarating world of high-level business administration.

Uni-Prep (ages 16-17+)

Minimum English Level: B2+. The course develops the independent learning skills necessary for undergraduates – perfect for students who want to study at university in the UK.

Earlscliffe Easter (ages 8-17)

Students at Earlscliffe Easter develop the four key English language skills of reading, writing, speaking, and listening whilst enjoying a fun and varied programme of activities and trips.

Academic Integration Course

Our June course gives students a taster of studying at Earlscliffe for a month.



Campus Life

The Earlscliffe campus provides excellent residential facilities in six recently renovated Victorian and Edwardian buildings. Whilst staying with us, boys and girls live separately in twin or triple rooms with en-suite bathrooms and Wi-Fi, enjoying high-quality international dishes prepared on site.

Social Programme

Students enjoy a rich, varied programme of activities and excursions every evening, including visits to some of the UK's most famous sites.



Afternoon and Evening Activities

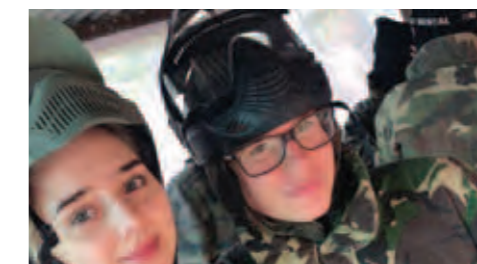
Students choose from a wide variety of sporting and creative activities, such as:

Arts and Crafts, Baking, Beach Games, Billiards, Bowling, Casino Night, Discos, Earlscliffe's Got Talent, Formal Dinners, Jeux Sans Frontières, Shopping, Volleyball.



“My favourite summer holiday. I have spent six weeks at Earlscliffe and I am so happy about this. I am going to miss all my friends and the staff.”

Gulben, Student, Turkey.



Optional Extras

The following optional extras are available at a small additional fee:

- Paintball
- London Musical
- Warner Bros Harry Potter™ Studios Trip
- Four hours additional English tuition in small groups
- Four hours one-to-one English tuition



Excursions

2 day trips per week including a visit to London every week on Capital Wednesdays™. Our students visit famous and cultural sites such as Canterbury, Thorpe Park, and Leeds Castle or attractions such as Hastings Adventure Golf.



GLOBAL ENGLISH (AGES 13-17)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: A2+

Our Global English programme maximises students' language development using UNESCO's Four Pillars of Learning: learning to know, learning to do, learning to be, and learning to live together.

Working in classes of no more than 12, students improve their English speaking, reading, writing, and listening, as well as their critical thinking, collaboration, and independent learning skills.

Course Outline

Students learn through:

- Projects
- Debates
- Workshops
- Trips

Typical topics include:

Global Society

UNESCO priorities
The environment
The economy
Inter-cultural learning

Pop Culture

Music and festivals
Social media
Art, film, and comedy
Lifestyles and fashion

Values

The law
Political engagement
The role of religion
Youth well-being

Language Practice

Speaking
Writing
Listening
Reading
Critical Thinking



MINI-MBA™ (AGES 15-17)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B2+

The Mini-MBA™ is an inspiring course giving students the perfect introduction to the exciting world of high-level business administration.

Delivered by Earlscliffe's full-time academic staff, the course is designed for students who are considering studying Business, Finance, Economics or Accounting at A-level, IB or undergraduate level, and who would like to make a distinctive addition to their business CV.

The programme also includes a special visit to the Bank of England Museum in London.

Course Outline

- **Unit 1: Introduction to Management**
This unit provides students with the techniques, vocabulary, knowledge, and confidence to analyse business issues, research company case studies, and give presentations.
- **Unit 2: Accounting**
Provides an introduction to basic accounting for financial statement analysis.
- **Unit 3: Entrepreneurship**
This unit explores the concept of entrepreneurship and ways of finding and creating business opportunities.
- **Unit 4: Organisation**
Looks at the history of organisational development, and how this has affected modern-day leadership in organisations.
- **Unit 5: Marketing**
Lectures, discussions, and short case studies that help students explore the ideas and tools used in marketing today.





UNI-PREP (AGES 16-17+)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B2+

Designed for students seeking entry to the UK's best universities, Earlscliffe's Uni-Prep course develops the independent learning skills that are required of undergraduates. The course is led by teachers who have years of experience in preparing international students for entry to universities such as Oxford, Cambridge, Stanford, University College London (UCL), and Imperial College.

Course Outline

- Critical thinking and topical debating skills
- Oxford and Cambridge admissions process and personal statement guidance
- Note taking, essay writing, public speaking, and research skills
- Choosing an appropriate UK university and course
- Visits to Oxford and a London university
- An extended essay on an academic topic of the student's choice
- IELTS lessons and exam preparation



EARLSCLIFFE EASTER (AGES 8-17)

16 hours per week.
Dates: Saturday 4th April –
Friday 17th April 2020.
(either one or two weeks)

Earlscliffe Easter is a General English and multi-activity programme taking place in the spring vacation.

Morning classes of no more than 12 students focus on the four skills of reading, writing, speaking, and listening. Our afternoon sessions are more interactive project lessons, involving drama, music, film, arts and crafts, and even debating for the more advanced learners. Lessons are suitable for students of all levels of English.

We offer a minimum of two trips per week and a huge range of fun activities, as well as optional extra hours of English tuition in small groups or one-to-one.



ACADEMIC INTEGRATION (AGES 14-17)

Dates: Monday 01 June –
Sunday 21 June 2020

Earlscliffe is a leading, independent, international college with an excellent reputation for providing a platform for success in entering top UK universities. Students normally spend at least three years with us taking English curriculum classes in preparation for the GCSE (Year 11) and A-level (Year 13) national exams.

In June we offer a limited number of places to those looking for a fully integrated, academic programme within our traditional boarding environment. Our course is designed for international students and provides a balanced curriculum of mathematics, humanities, sciences, and English language including preparation for the IELTS exam at the end of the course. Students also participate fully in our sports and cultural programme alongside their academic year peers. Students should bring trousers/skirt, jacket and shirt/blouse (we provide the tie/lapel badge) to wear during the normal school day from 0830-1630hrs.

Key factors

- Academic subjects plus English language
- Sports and cultural activities
- High-quality en-suite accommodation
- A boarding school experience
- IELTS test included
- Month of June – during the English academic year





CARDIFF SIXTH FORM COLLEGE SUMMER PROGRAMMES

At a glance

-  2, 3 and 4 week courses
-  22 hours English tuition per week
-  Boarding single rooms, en-suite. Separate floors for male and female students.
-  Ongoing careers guidance. Final certificate and report card.

Cardiff Summer Courses

Students receive 22 hours of lessons per week in classes of no more than 15 students. An English level test is sat on arrival to ensure they are suited to their programme.

Choose between:

Academic Summer can be combined with other courses for longer stays.

Academic Summer (2-4 week course)

Minimum English Language Level: B2.
Max. 40 students per week.

For students who wish to progress to full-time education in the UK, this course develops English language skills and improves core academic subjects (eg Maths, Biology, Economics etc) to help students adjust to the demands of a British education.

Oxbridge Preparation (2 week course)

Minimum English Language Level: B1.
Max. 20 students per week.

An intensive preparation course for students interested in applying for Oxford, Cambridge, or other top UK universities. 15% of Cardiff Sixth Form College students go onto Oxbridge each year, so it is the perfect place to prepare.

Ages 14-18

Cardiff Sixth Form College is the highest performing school in the UK, having topped the UK league tables every year since 2010. Our summer programmes give students from around the world a taste of this ambitious environment. Based in the heart of Cardiff, the capital city of Wales, students receive teaching from the college's expert academic staff. Our programmes enhance learning over summer, help students prepare for university, whilst enjoying a fun summer of new experiences and new friends.

Medical, Engineering and Law School Preparation (2 week courses)

Minimum English Language Level: B1
Max 20 students per week.

Around half of Cardiff Sixth Form College's graduating students go onto study medicine, engineering and law. The college staff are experts in preparing students to apply for these competitive places.

On the medical course, students can explore a possible future in Medicine or related healthcare professions such as Dentistry, Veterinary Science, or medical research.

Engineers look at the differences in engineering degrees and take part in practical study and potential lawyers enjoy lectures on career pathways into law, applying to top universities and how to be an outstanding candidate.



Campus Life

Cardiff is a lively capital city, with restaurants, shopping centres, museums, art galleries, and concert halls. On campus, students board in contemporary accommodation with single, en-suite study bedrooms, communal common rooms, secure gardens, and good Wi-Fi. Our resident chef prepares a range of international dishes onsite, which can help students feel more at home.

Activities and Excursions

Students enjoy a rich, varied programme of activities and excursions, including visits to some of the UK's most famous sites. Recent trips include visits to Stonehenge, Lazer Quest, Bowling, Coasteering in West Wales, a visit to Cardiff Castle, and Bute Park. These are an essential part of the summer programme: not only do students make friends and have fun, but these activities provide an immersive way to improve spoken English language skills.

Course-Specific Experiences

Students will attend lectures at Oxford and/or Cambridge, as part of the **Oxbridge Preparation Programme** – an incredible first-hand experience of studying at these world-famous universities.

On the **Medical Preparation Programme**, students get hands-on hospital experience at a variety of medical venues.

Engineers visit industry to see top quality engineers at work in engineering companies.

Law students visit the Houses of Parliament, take part in mock trials and visit the Royal Courts of Justice.



“The programme was fantastic! Eren attended lectures at Oxford University and had the chance to revise and learn, which gave him a very good head start at his new school.”

Mother of Eren, Cardiff Sixth Form College Summer.



ACADEMIC SUMMER PROGRAMME (AGES 14-18)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B2

Our Academic Summer course is designed for students who wish to progress to full-time education in the UK. As well as developing their English language skills, students will also be taught core academic subjects (Maths, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and Economics), to help them adjust to the specific demands of a British Education.

The course is equally suitable as a pre-GCSE or pre A-level course.

Course subjects

English: Language lessons are tailored to different age groups, with younger students practising speaking and listening skills through interactive role-play. More advanced students focus on literacy and vocabulary development through topical discussion.

Economics: Themes include how businesses determine price and output decisions, how cities develop to accommodate populations, and why countries struggle to develop successful economies.

Physics: Designed to motivate students to take on STEM subjects, the course includes an introduction to digital electronics as well as more traditional topics such as mechanics and bridge building.

Chemistry: The course will enhance practical, observational, and analytical skills through looking at colour, acids, titration, reaction rates, and principles of forensic Science.

Biology: This course explores Biochemistry, Zoology, Microbiology, and Histology, using interactive practical sessions to explore biological complexity in the world around us.

Maths: Includes practical mechanics, statistics, shape and space, trigonometry, and logic puzzles to improve problem-solving and reasoning skills.

MEDICAL SCHOOL PREPARATION PROGRAMME (AGES 14-18)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B1

This programme gives students the opportunity to explore the possibilities of a future in Medicine or related healthcare professions such as Dentistry, Veterinary Science, and medical research. Around a quarter of Cardiff Sixth Form College's graduating students get into Medical School each year. The college staff are, therefore, experts in preparing students to apply for these competitive places.

Highlights of the course:

- Hands-on medical experience at a variety of medical placements
- Tutoring from current undergraduate medical students
- Mock panel and Multiple Mini Interviews (MMI), crucial for international students to practise communicating about their subject in English.

Course content

- Application process for medical schools
- Differences between medical schools and courses on offer
- Personal statement writing
- Admissions tests (BMAT and UCAT)
- Developing confident communication, presentation, and debating
- Clinical and ethics knowledge
- Panel and mock MMI interviews



ENGINEERING PREPARATION PROGRAMME (AGES 14-18)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B1

The Engineering Preparation Programme gives budding engineers the opportunity to understand the wealth of opportunities there are to study specific types of engineering such as aeronautical, mechanical or civil in the UK. Last year 15 students went onto study engineering at Imperial College which is the top university for engineering related degrees.

Highlights of the course include:

- Visit to Industry to see top quality engineers at work at companies such as Renishaw Engineering, British Aerospace, GE Healthcare or GE Aviation
- Visit to the Institute of Civil Engineers in London
- Practical masterclasses
- Computer science, mechanical and civil taster sessions

Course content

- Application process for top universities
- How to be an outstanding applicant
- Career pathways to engineering
- University research and presentation
- Presentations and effective research
- Interview skills, etiquette and body language
- Personal statements
- Independent project preparation
- Mentoring by current Engineering students

LAW SCHOOL PREPARATION PROGRAMME

Those students thinking of studying law at university will benefit tremendously from the law preparation summer school programme. Highly competitive as a degree choice, students from Cardiff went on last year to study law at Cambridge, London School of Economics, University of Warwick, University College London and Essex University.

Highlights of the course:

- Visits to the Houses of Parliament, the Royal Courts of Justice, Old Bailey, a walking historical law tour of London and a visit to the Law Museum
- Mock Trial and Debate and visit to Cardiff Crown Court
- Law Masterclasses

Course content

- What is law?
- Career pathways into law
- University research
- Text analysis and evaluation
- Personal statement
- Independent Project Preparation
- Cambridge law test and LNAT
- Interview skills, etiquette and body language
- Interview discussion, reflection and practice
- Mentoring by current Law students

OXBRIDGE SCHOOL PREPARATION PROGRAMME (AGES 14-18)

22 hours per week.
Minimum English level: B1

As the top-performing school in the UK, Cardiff Sixth Form College sends most of its students to the leading British universities in the Russell Group, including Oxford and Cambridge Universities, known as 'Oxbridge' in the UK. Around 15% of the college receive offers at Oxbridge each year.

This makes the college the perfect place to learn more about how to make a competitive application to Oxbridge or the Russell Group. The college's academic staff who teach year-round deliver the course, so students on the summer programme are taught by the same staff who help our own students to win these competitive places.



Course Content

Applications to Oxbridge tend to involve the following steps. The Oxbridge Preparation Programme follows these steps over the two-week programme:

Choosing to apply to Oxbridge

Our expert staff introduce students to the unique worlds of Oxford and Cambridge, covering the college teaching system, the stages of the application process, and what Admissions Tutors are looking for in an applicant.



UCAS and the personal statement

Students learn the key ingredients of a competitive personal statement, how to write one, and how to adapt it to be suitable for Oxford or Cambridge.



Admissions Tests

Admissions Tests are an increasingly important aspect of the application process – without a good score, students will not get to interview. On the course, we prepare students to excel in these tests through problem-solving and critical thinking workshops.



Interview Preparation

The most famous part of the Oxbridge application process is the interview. This unit of the course develops communication skills through structured group workshops and mock interviews.

Undergraduate Skills Development

As well as the specific aspects of the application, our programme teaches students crucial skills required to excel as an undergraduate:

- **Lateral thinking**
Essential to the Oxbridge interview, our sessions help students learn how to respond to new or unseen material.
- **Presentation skills**
This helps students develop confidence when delivering information to audiences, for example in a student conference – often required in seminar environments at university.
- **Lectures**
Students attend lectures in Oxford and/or Cambridge universities during the second week of the course – an incredible opportunity to get a real taste of undergraduate life.

Dukes Publications

Dukes Education's Summer Schools benefit from our links to the Dukes Education Consultancy, the leading experts in university applications in the UK. Our consultancy publishes the definitive guides on applying to Oxbridge, Medical Schools, and the US & Ivy League, available from their websites.



dukesoxbridgeapplications.com



dukesmedicalapplications.com



dukesusapplications.com



SUMMER COLLEGES AT OXFORD & CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITIES

At a glance

- 2, 4 or 6 week courses
- 20 hours English tuition per week
- Single or twin rooms
- Formal graduation ceremony, certificate, and report

Ages 15-17

Our Summer College programmes are held at two world famous colleges which constitute part of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge. Each course contains 20 hours of tuition per Elective, and is designed to improve both knowledge of the subject and English language skills. All students will develop key 21st century skills such as essay writing, presentations, public speaking, and critical thinking as part of our Time to Shine programme.

Academic Programme

Students at our Summer Colleges will receive 40 hours tuition during their two-week course. This includes one 3-hour workshop during the academic excursion to London. All courses culminate with a Time to Shine presentation. During the Academic Programme, students will benefit from an academic workshop which is closely linked to their chosen elective course. A range of different subjects are available to study at Cambridge and Oxford College, please see next page.



Time to Shine!

Every student will work on a project that develops their ability to work in groups, plan their workload, and present their idea to others. Students will develop crucial 21st century skills during their Time to Shine work.



Campus Life

Our Summer Colleges takes place in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge which give students a real taste of life and study at these prestigious institutions. Our fully-trained, approachable team supports students every step of the way, providing attentive care 24 hours a day, so that all students have a safe, enjoyable time on the programme.

Social Programme

A chance to explore the cities of Oxford and Cambridge, make new friends, and get a taste of life as a student at university.



“It has been one of the best experiences of my life. I met special people from around the world, the staff were amazing, and the classes were very interesting.”

Camilla, Student, Italy.



Wellbeing

On our Wellbeing Programme, students exercise and relax – a chance to re-energise and get creative with activities such as sports, yoga and mindfulness, and art workshops.



Excursions

Students visit some of the UK’s best known attractions and cultural sites. Locations include: London, Bristol, Bath, Brighton, and Cambridge.



Formal Graduation

Set in a memorable location, students celebrate their academic and social achievements at a Formal Dinner and Graduation Ceremony. The highlight of any Summer College stay!





SUMMER COLLEGE ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Minimum English Language Level:
Intermediate

At our Summer Colleges, there are a variety of academic courses available that cater for a wide variety of interests.

Elective Courses

Students choose one subject from the following:

General English

Improve English through an interactive and collaborative methodology, developing strong communication, and allowing students to participate in lectures and tutorials.

Business and Leadership

This course covers budgeting and finance, marketing, sustainability and growth, complemented by learning leadership strategies such as presentation skills, negotiation, and collaboration.

Engineering

Introduces Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Mechanical, and Environmental Engineering, focusing on mathematical principles alongside practical project lessons.

International Relations

Analysing real political models and divisive contemporary issues through case studies, students develop debate and research skills. They are taught negotiation strategies, interpersonal communication, and teamwork, for successful political interactions.

Law

Covers criminal, familial, tort, and contract law, as well as how solicitors, barristers and judges operate. Students practise powerful argumentation using case studies, simulating life as a lawyer.

Medicine

Students learn how to identify symptoms and diagnose patients. They carry out tests, draw conclusions and present their findings. The course also covers responding cogently and clearly to medical issues in a wider, ethical context – essential for budding medics.

Natural Sciences

Chemistry, Biology and Physics are covered equally. Students gain an appreciation of scientific methodology studying complex systems such as the Earth's climate, and space exploration.

Politics and Economics

Students evaluate the ideologies and values at the centre of different political systems and study how resources and consumers shape domestic and foreign policy.

Academic Highlights

- **Subject Tuition**
Subject-specific study helping students begin to explore university courses at a more advanced level.
- **Time to Shine**
Students develop transferable life and careers skills through researching and presenting a project – a chance to collaborate in a team to deliver a successful outcome.
- **Academic Excursion**
Helps students build on what they're learning in their Electives. Examples include the British Library, the Royal College of Physicians, the Royal Courts of Justice, the Imperial War Museum, and many more.



Sample Weeks

The Sample Weeks are subject to change, but give a flavour of life over the course of a week at Dukes Education’s summer courses.

SBC Oxford

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
7.30 - Wake up								
8.15 - Breakfast								
Arrival Day or Full Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	Full Day Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1		
	10.00 - Break				10.00 - Break			
	10.20 Lesson 2	10.20 Lesson 2	10.20 Lesson 2		10.20 Lesson 2	10.20 Lesson 2		
	11.20 - Break				11.20 - Break			
	11.40 Lesson 3	11.40 Lesson 3	11.40 Lesson 3		11.40 Lesson 3	11.40 Lesson 3		
	12.30 - Lunch				12.30 - Lunch			
	13.30 - House Time				13.30 - House Time			
	14.30 Whole School Activity	14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus			14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus		14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus	
		15.45 - Break						
		16.00 Multi Activity or English Plus			16.00 Multi Activity or English Plus		16.00 Multi Activity	
		17.00 - House Time						
	18.00 - Dinner							
	18.45 - House Time							
	19.30 House Night	19.30 Capture the pig	19.30 Harry Potter night		19.30 Talent Show	19.30 BBQ & Quiz	19.30 Challenge Night	19.30 Disco
21.15 - House Time								
21:30 - Lights Out								

SBC Canford

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
7.30 - Wake up								
8.15 - Breakfast								
Arrival Day or Full Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	Full Day Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1		
	10.30 Break				10.30 Break			
	11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2		11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2		
	12.30 - Lunch				12.30 - Lunch			
	13.30 - House Time				13.30 - House Time			
	14.30 Whole School Activity	14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus			14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus		14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus	
		15.45 - Break						
		16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus			16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus		16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus	
		17.30 - House Time						
	18.30 - Dinner							
	19.15 - House Time							
	19.45 House Night	19.45 House Night	19.45 Capture the pig		19.45 Splash Down	19.45 Talent Show	19.45 BBQ & Quiz	19.45 Disco
	21.45 - House Time							
	22.00 / 22.30 - Lights Out							

Summer Academy at Eton College

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
7.15 - Wake up									
8.00 to 8.45 - Breakfast									
Arrival Day Time tbc Eton Tour	8.45 to 9.00 Assembly			London Excursion	8.45 to 9.00 Assembly				
	9.00 to 10.30 - Electives		9.00 to 10.30 - Electives		9.00 to 10.30 - Electives				
	10.30 to 11.00 - Break				9.00 to 11.30 Wellbeing Programme		10.30 to 11.00 - Break		
	11.00 to 12.30 - Electives		11.00 to 12.30 - Electives		11.00 to 12.30 - Electives				
	12.30 to 13.30 - Lunch				11.30 to 12.30 House Time		12.30 to 13.30 - Lunch		
	13.30 to 14.00 - House Time				14.00 to 15.30 Electives		13.00 to 14.00 House Time		
	14.00 to 17.30 Windsor Orientation & River Cruise		14.00 to 16.30 Masterclass		Break		14.30 to 17.30 Wellbeing Programme		
			Eton Games		16.00 to 17.30 - Electives		14.00 to 16.30 Masterclass		
	17.30 to 18.30 - House Time						Eton Games		
	18.30 to 19.30 Dinner						17.30 to 18.30 House Time		
	19.30 to 21.00 Welcome Evening						18.30 to 19.30 Dinner		
	19.30 to 21.00 Capture the Flag						19.30 to 21.00 Escape Rooms		
	19.30 to 21.00 Best of British						19.30 to 21.00 Secret Cinema		
							19.30 to 21.00 Wellbeing Evening		
21.00 to 22.00 House Time									
22.00 to 22.30 Lights out									

Headington Oxford

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday		
7.30 - Wake up								
8.15 - Breakfast								
Arrival Day or Full Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1	Full Day Excursion	9.00 Lesson 1	9.00 Lesson 1		
	10.30 Break				10.30 Break			
	11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2		11.00 Lesson 2	11.00 Lesson 2		
	12.30 - Lunch				12.30 - Lunch			
	13.30 - House Time				13.30 - House Time			
	14.30 Oxford Afternoon	14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus			14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus		14.30 Multi Activity or English Plus	
		15.45 - Break						
		16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus			16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus		16.15 Multi Activity or English Plus	
		17.30 - House Time						
	18.30 - Dinner							
	19.15 - House Time							
	19.45 House Night	19.45 House Night	19.45 Capture the pig		19.45 SBC Carnival	19.45 BBQ & Quiz	19.45 Challenge Night	19.45 Disco
	21.45 - House Time							
	22.00 / 22.30 - Lights Out							

Varsity International English and Integrated Activity Morning Lessons

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrivals	English Classes	English Classes	English Classes	English Classes	Full Day Excursion	English Classes
Full Day Excursion						
Arrivals	Swimming OR Art OR Quad Bikes OR Specialist Choice Activities - Horse Riding OR Outdoor Adventure	Football OR Jewellery Making OR Archery OR Specialist Choice Activities - Tennis OR Golf	Basketball OR Clay Modelling OR Axe Throwing OR Specialist Choice Activities - Horse	T-Shirt Design OR Air Rifles OR Zorbs OR Specialist Choice Activities - Tennis OR Golf	Full Day Excursion	Inflatable Bungee Run & Team Competition
Full Day Excursion Bournemouth						
Welcome Party & Activities	Team Challenges & Camp Fire	Spy Night	Talent Show	Initiative Games	Film Night	Disco, Karaoke and Leaving Presentation

Varsity International English and Integrated Activity Afternoon Lessons

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrivals	Swimming OR Art OR Quad Bikes OR Specialist Choice Activities - Horse Riding OR Outdoor Adventure Football OR Jewellery Making OR Archery OR Specialist Choice Activities - Tennis OR Golf	Football OR Jewellery Making OR Archery OR Specialist Choice Activities - Tennis OR Golf	Basketball OR Clay Modelling OR Axe Throwing OR Specialist Choice Activities - Horse Riding OR Outdoor Adventure	T-Shirt Design OR Air Rifles OR Zorbs OR Specialist Choice Activities - Tennis OR Golf	Full Day Excursion London	Inflatable Bungee Run & Team Competition
Full Day Excursion Bournemouth						
Arrivals	English Classes	English Classes	English Classes	English Classes	Full Day Excursion	English Classes
Full Day Excursion						
Welcome Party & Activities	Team Challenges & Camp Fire	Spy Night	Talent Show	Initiative Games	Film Night	Disco, Karaoke and Leaving Presentation

Earlscliffe, Global English

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Capital Wednesday™	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast						
Option A day's paintball	Thorpe Park theme park	Global Pop Culture project: fashion	Global Society workshop: the environment	High Speed train to London The Tate Modern Gallery, St Paul's Cathedral and shopping	Global Society: priority areas for UNESCO	Global Pop Culture project: music & festivals
Morning swim		Global Values forum: well-being	Global Pop Culture project: lifestyles		UNESCO debate preparation	Global Society forum: the economy
Badminton		Global Values: the role of religion	Topical debate preparation		Trip Review	Global Values workshop: the law
Lunch		Lunch			Lunch	
Football		Trip preview	The weekly topical debate		The weekly UNESCO debate	Global Pop Culture presentations
Basketball		Activity sessions	Activity sessions		Activity sessions	Activity sessions
Arts and Crafts		Football	Swimming		Visit Folkestone in small groups	Rounders
Wii dance competition		Softball	Beach Trip			Basketball
		Park games	Badminton			Football
Supper						
Welcome	Film and popcorn night	International Quiz	Pamper party/ basketball competition	Formal dinner	Cinema trip	Black and white dress themed disco

Earlscliffe, Mini-MBA™

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Capital Wednesday™	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast						
House games	Leeds Castle and Bluewater	Introduction to Management	Marketing	London Dungeon and, exclusively for our Mini-MBA™ students, the Bank of England Museum.	Entrepreneurship	Introduction to Management
Lunch		Lunch			Lunch	
Ashford designer Outlet trip		Accounting	Entrepreneurship		Marketing	Organisations
		Activity sessions	Activity sessions		Activity sessions	Activity sessions
		Football	Golf		Visit Folkestone in small groups	Basketball
		Sandy beach trip	Softball			Badminton
		Arts and crafts	Volleyball			Arts and Crafts
Supper						
Welcome BBQ and games	Jeux sans Frontières	Casino night	Karaoke	Formal dinner	Ten-pin bowling trip	Hawaiian disco night

Earlscliffe, Uni-Prep

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Capital Wednesday™	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast						
Park games	Canterbury and boat tour	Choosing universities	IELTS prep	High speed train to London The National Gallery	Public speaking	IELTS prep
		Extended essay skills	Critical thinking		Extended essay work	Research skills
Lunch		Lunch			Lunch	
Trip to Folkestone		Note-taking skills	Topical debate		UCAS personal statement tutorial	The Oxbridge application process
		Trip to Oxford	Activity sessions		Activity Sessions	Visit to Queen Mary University London
			Beach Trip			
	Softball					
Football	Visit Folkestone town centre in small groups					
Supper						
Welcome games and music	Film and popcorn night	International quiz	'Minute to win it!'	Formal dinner	Laser tag trip	Masquerade disco

Earlscliffe, Easter

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Capital Wednesday™	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast						
House Games	Canterbury and boat tour	English Lessons	English Lessons	London The Science Museum and Shopping in Covent Garden	English Lessons	English Lessons
Lunch		Lunch			Lunch	
Football		Active English	Active English		Active English	Active English
		Activity Sessions	Activity Sessions		Visit to Folkestone	Activity Sessions
Badminton		Basketball	Laser Tag trip			
Park games		Arts and crafts			Table tennis	Football competition
			Volleyball			
Supper						
Welcome	Film and popcorn night	Casino night	Karaoke	Cinema trip	Disco	Pool and table tennis competition

Academic Integration

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
English	Science	English	Study	Maths	Trip to Canterbury	Horsriding Golf
Maths	English	Science	Visit to London	English		
Geography	History	Cultural Activities		Business		Free time and study
English	Business	English		History		
Formal Dinner	Tennis	Gym	Evening Lecture	BBQ and Basketball competition	Free Time	



Cardiff Sixth Form College - Academic Summer Programme

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Breakfast		Atlantic College			Chessington World of Adventure	
Assembly	Breakfast		Breakfast	Breakfast		Breakfast
Maths	Physics		Biology	Maths		Free time
Break	Break		Break	Break		
Maths	Economics		English	Maths		Lunch
Lunch	Lunch		Lunch	Lunch		St Fagans
English	Economics		English	Chemistry		
Break	Break		Break	Break		
Biology	Chemistry		Physics	Economics		Dinner
Dinner	Dinner		Dinner	Assembly		
Cardiff Tour	Laser Quest & Bowling		Late night shopping / table tennis	So you think you can dance / sing?		Sports / Crafts
Team-building						

Cardiff Sixth Form College - Medicine Summer School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast			
Arrivals Day		Applying to top UK universities			Bill Mapleson Centre	Interview skills - introduction, etiquette, body language, techniques	UCAT - Intro, VR and QR
		How to be an outstanding applicant				Interview discussion - group work	UCAT - AR and DM
		Break				Break	Break
		Oxford and Cambridge - differences, supervisions, colleges				Interview - individual reflection and practice	UCAT - SJT
		Lunch				Lunch	Lunch
		Applying to Medicine in the UK (and 5th choice)				Peer-to-peer panel interview	Personal Statement
		Researching into Medical Schools				Peer-to-peer panel interview (swap)	Personal Statement
		Break				Break	Break
		Presentations on assigned Medical School				Medical Ethics session and group discussion	PBL Simulation
		Set up group presentations, session on effective group work				Medical Ethics session and group discussion	PBL Simulation
		Group presentation preparation				Group presentation preparation UCAT - Intro, VR and QR	Assembly

Cardiff Sixth Form College - Oxbridge Summer School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
Arrivals Day	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast			
		UWC Atlantic			Applying to top UK universities	Interview skills - introduction, etiquette, body language, techniques	Introduction to Debating
					How to be an outstanding applicant	Interview discussion - group work	Debate Practice
					Break	Break	Break
					Oxford and Cambridge - differences, supervisions, colleges	Interview - individual reflection and practice	Debate
					Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
					Oxbridge College Research (pair) and 2-3 min presentation	Peer-to-peer panel interview	Personal Statement
					Oxford vs Cambridge for chosen course	Peer-to-peer panel interview (swap)	Personal Statement
					Break	Break	Break
					3-minute presentation on their research to class	Supervision simulation - text reading, analysis and discussion	Q&A with Oxbridge Students
					Set up group presentations, session on effective group work	Supervision simulation - text reading, analysis and discussion	Q&A with Oxbridge Students
					Group presentation preparation	Group presentation preparation	Assembly

Cardiff Sixth Form College - Law Summer School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Arrivals Day	Breakfast	London Trip	London Trip	Breakfast	
				Applying to top UK universities	Text Analysis and Evaluation
				How to be an outstanding applicant	Text Analysis and Evaluation
				Break	Break
				Oxford and Cambridge - differences, supervisions, colleges	Text Analysis and Evaluation
				What is Law?	Personal Statement
				Career Pathways into Law	Personal Statement
				Break	Break
				University Research	Independent Project Preparation
				Set up group presentations, session on effective group work	Independent Project Preparation
				Group presentation preparation	Assembly

Cardiff Sixth Form College - Engineering Summer School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Visit to Industry	Breakfast
Assembly		Physics Masterclass		Independent Project Preparation
Admissions Tests	Physics Masterclass	Independent Project Preparation		
Break	Break	Break		
Admissions Tests	Practical	Independent Project Preparation		
Interview Practice	Practical	Presentation		
Thinking out Loud	Practical	Presentation		
Break	Break	Break		
Computer Science Taster	Maths Masterclass	Presentation		
Bioengineering Taster	Maths Masterclass	Presentation		
Independent Project Preparation	Maths Masterclass	Assembly		

Summer College - Week 1

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
07:45 - 08:45 Breakfast						
08:45 - 09:00 Assembly						
Arrival Day	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 12:30 Wellbeing Programme	Excursion Day	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1
	Break			Break	Break	
	11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2			11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2	11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2	
	12:30 - 13:45 Lunch			12:30 - 13:45 Lunch		
	13:45 - 14:00 Assembly			13:45 - 14:00 Assembly		
	14:00 - 16:00 University Preparation	14:00 - 15:30 Electives Lesson 1		14:00 - 16:00 Wellbeing Programme	14:00 - 16:00 University Preparation	14:00 - 16:00 Cultural Afternoon
	16:00 - 18:00 Oxford Orientation	Break		16:00 - 17:30 Electives Lesson 2	16:00 - 18:00 Free Time	
		Break				
	18:00 - 18:30 Assembly			18:00 - 18:30 Assembly		
	18:30 - 19:30 Dinner	Early Dinner 18:00		18:30 - 19:30 Dinner		
19:00 - 20:00 Dinner	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:00 - 22:00 Shakespeare	19:00 - 20:00 Dinner	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:30 Disco
20:00 - 22:00 Evening Event			20:00 - 22:00 Wellbeing Programme			
22:00 - 22:30 Evening Meet						
22:30 - All Students to Rooms						

Summer College - Week 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
07:45 - 08:45 Breakfast							
08:45 - 09:00 Assembly							
Academic Excursion	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 12:30 Wellbeing Programme	London Cultural Excursion	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	09:00 - 10:30 Electives Lesson 1	
	10:30 - 11:00 Break			10:30 - 11:00 Break			
	11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2			11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2	11:00 - 12:30 Electives Lesson 2		
	12:30 - 13:45 Lunch			12:30 - 13:45 Lunch			
	13:45 Assembly			13:45 - 14:00 Assembly			
	14:00 - 16:00 University Preparation	14:00 - 15:30 Electives Lesson 1		14:00 - 16:00 Wellbeing Programme	14:00 - 16:00 University Preparation	14:00 - 16:00 Packing & Free Time	
	16:00 - 18:00 Free Time	Break		16:00 - 17:30 Electives Lesson 2	16:00 - 18:00 Free Time		16:00 - 18:00 Garden Party
		Break					
	18:00 - 18:30 Assembly			18:00 - 18:30 Assembly			
	18:30 - 19:30 Dinner			18:30 - 19:30 Dinner			
19:00 - 20:00 Dinner	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	19:30 - 22:00 Evening Event	18:00 - 22:30 Graduation	
20:00 - 22:00 Wellbeing Programme							
22:00 - 22:30 Evening Meet							
22:30 - All Students to Rooms							

Dates and Fees

SBC Oxford (Ages 8 - 12) - Residential

Monday 13th July - Monday 27th July	2 Weeks	£3,200
Monday 13th July - Monday 10th August	4 Weeks	£6,000
Monday 27th July - Monday 10th August	2 Weeks	£2,900

SBC Canford (Ages 11 - 15)

Monday 6th July - Monday 20th July	2 Weeks	£3,000
Monday 6th July - Monday 27th July	3 Weeks	£4,350
Monday 6th July - Monday 3rd August	4 Weeks	£5,600
Monday 6th July - Monday 10th August	5 Weeks	£6,750
Monday 20th July - Monday 3rd August	2 Weeks	£2,700
Monday 20th July - Monday 10th August	3 Weeks	£3,900
Monday 27th July - Monday 10th August	2 Weeks	£2,600

Varsity Day Camps (ages 4-14) - Non-residential

ASCOT

Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

BRISTOL

Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410

LONDON - KINGSTON

Monday 6 July - Friday 10 July	£410
Monday 13 July - Friday 17 July	£410
Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

LONDON - SURBITON

Monday 13 July - Friday 17 July	£410
Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

Varsity International Cothill House School (ages 8-14 years) - Residential

Tuesday 7 July - Sunday 12 July	£839
Sunday 12 July - Sunday 19 July	£1175
Sunday 19 July - Sunday 26 July	£1175
Sunday 26 July - Sunday 2 August	£1175
Sunday 2 August - Sunday 9 August	£1175
Sunday 9 August - Sunday 16 August	£1175

£200 deposit per week to secure the booking with balance paid by 15 May 2020. 5% discount for bookings of 3 weeks or more. Excludes airport transfers (£60 Heathrow, £90 Gatwick between 10am and 7pm) or specialist choice activities - £100-£175 per week.

LONDON - SUTTON

Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

OXFORD - ABINGDON

Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410

OXFORD - CHANDLINGS

Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

OXFORD HEADINGTON

Monday 6 July - Friday 10 July	£410
Monday 13 July - Friday 17 July	£410
Monday 20 July - Friday 24 July	£410
Monday 27 July - Friday 31 July	£410
Monday 3 August - Friday 7 August	£410
Monday 10 August - Friday 14 August	£410
Monday 17 August - Friday 21 August	£410

Eton College (Ages 13-16) - Residential

Saturday 4th July - Saturday 18th July	2 Weeks	£4,000
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Wellington College (Ages 13-16) - Residential

Monday 13th July - Monday 27th July	2 Weeks	£4,000
Monday 13th July - Monday 10th August	4 Weeks	£7,600
Monday 27th July - Monday 10th August	2 Weeks	£4,000

Headington Oxford (Ages 13 - 16) - Residential

Monday 13th July - Monday 27th July	2 Weeks	£3,200
Monday 13th July - Monday 3rd August	3 Weeks	£4,650
Monday 13th July - Monday 10th August	4 Weeks	£6,000
Monday 13th July - Monday 24th August	6 Weeks	£8,700
Monday 27th July - Monday 10th August	2 Weeks	£3,200
Monday 27th July - Monday 17th August	3 Weeks	£4,650
Monday 27th July - Monday 24th August	4 Weeks	£5,600
Monday 10th August - Monday 24th August	2 Weeks	£2,800

Headington Oxford Spring Leadership School (Ages 12 - 16) - Residential

Monday 30th March - Monday 6th April	1 Week	£1,400
Monday 30th March - Monday 13th April	2 Weeks	£2,400
Monday 6th April - Monday 13th April	1 Week	£1,400

Cardiff Sixth Form College - Residential**Possible courses:**

Oxbridge Course - 2 Weeks
Monday 20th July – Monday 3rd August - £3840

Medical Course - 2 Weeks
Monday 20th July – Monday 3rd August - £3840

Law Course - 2 Weeks
Monday 3rd August – Monday 17th August - £3840

Engineering Course - 2 Weeks
Monday 3rd August – Monday 17th August - £3840

Academic Courses
2 Weeks: Monday 20th July – Monday 3rd August - £3000
2 Weeks: Monday 3rd August – Monday 17th August - £3000
3 Weeks: Monday 20th July – Monday 10th August - £4020
4 Weeks: Monday 20th July – Monday 17th August - £4920

Students may choose to combine courses which do not overlap. The combinations would be as follows:

Oxbridge/Medical + 1 week academic - £4740
Oxbridge/Medical + 2 weeks academic - £5400
2 weeks Academic + Law/Engineering - £5400
No other combination of courses is possible.

Earlscliffe Easter English plus multi-activities - Residential

Buy one week and get the second week half price

1 week - £1,350

Saturday 4th April to Saturday 11th April

Saturday 11th April to Friday 17th April

2 weeks - £2,025

(includes a 50% discount for the second week)

Saturday 4th April to Friday 17th April

Earlscliffe Global English - Residential (summer only)

Price per week = £1,350 Early Bird price per week = £1,225

2 weeks - £2,700	3 weeks - £4,050	4 weeks - £5,400
Early Bird = £2,450	Early Bird = £3,675	Early Bird = £4,900
28th June to 11th July	28th June to 18th July	28th June to 25th July
11th July to 25th July	11th July to 1st August	11th July to 8th August
18th July to 1st August	18th July to 8th August	18th July to 15th August
25th July to 8th August	25th July to 15th August	
1st August to 15th August		

5 weeks - £6,750	6 weeks - £8,100	7 weeks - £9,450
Early bird = £6,125	Early bird = £7,350	Early bird = £8,575
28th June to 1st August	28th June to 8th August	28th June to 15th August
11th July to 15th August		

Earlscliffe Mini-MBA™ - Residential (summer only)

2 weeks - £2,900

Early Bird = £2,600

28th June to 11th July

11th July to 25th July

25th July to 8th August

Academic Integration - Residential

3 weeks – £3,995

Monday 1st June to Sunday 21st June

This fee includes all accommodation, meals, lessons, general sports, activities and events, one day trip per week, Wi-Fi, weekly laundry service and IELTS exam entry.

Optional extras:

Transfers to/from airport or train station

Earlscliffe Optional Extras - Residential

4 hours per week	Weekly cost
English (small group lessons)	£125
One-to- one classes	£250

4 hours per week	
Paintball (session)	£95
London musical i.e. Disney's The Lion King™ including transport and theatre ticket	£145
Warner Bros Harry Potter™ Studios trip including transport and entry ticket	£145

Book by 29th February 2020 and receive an 'Early Bird' discount on any of our summer programmes. A deposit of £500 is required at the time of booking; details of how to pay are available on the booking form. Full payment is due by 1st May for summer bookings and 9th February for Easter bookings.

Oxford College (Ages 15 - 17) - Residential

Monday 6th July - Monday 20th July	2 Weeks	£4,400
Monday 6th July - Monday 3rd August	4 Weeks	£8,400
Monday 6th July - Monday 17th August	6 Weeks	£12,000
Monday 20th July - Monday 3rd August	2 Weeks	£4,400
Monday 20th July - Monday 17th August	4 Weeks	£8,200
Monday 3rd August - Monday 17th August	2 Weeks	£4,100

Cambridge College (Ages 15 - 17) - Residential

Monday 6th July - Monday 20th July	2 Weeks	£4,400
Monday 6th July - Monday 3rd August	4 Weeks	£8,400
Monday 20th July - Monday 3rd August	Weeks	£4,400

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✉ info@varsityinternational.co.uk

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Download a booking form at varsityinternational.co.uk/book

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✉ summer@earlscliffe.co.uk

☎ +44 (0)1303 253 951

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✉ admissions@dukeseducation.com

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