



### **Ardmore UK & USA**

Summer English Language Residential and Homestay Courses **July and August 2019** 

FOR JUNIORS AND TEENAGERS FROM 9 YEARS UP TO 19 YEARS













# WHY ARDINARE

For over 30 years Ardmore has been helping students from all over the world live and learn the English language. We pride ourselves on delivering summer school programmes to the highest standards with a constant focus on student experience, safety and fun.

Ardmore has a fantastic portfolio of residential and homestay centres across the UK and USA. We are proud of the diverse mix of world famous university campuses, private schools and colleges all offering a fantastic range of facilities and accommodation. Here at Ardmore we take care of all aspects of the student experience including transfers, accommodation, teaching, activities and excursions ensuring that students have a great time whilst giving peace of mind to parents and agents alike.

In 2018, we welcomed over 11,000 students from 53 different countries offering a unique and exciting environment. This gives our students the opportunity to learn and live with other cultures whilst they practice their English together.

For more information please visit our brand new website at:

www.ardmorelanguageschools.com





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# ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES

Our English language courses are designed to help students develop their spoken English, improve their pronunciation, expand their vocabulary, consolidate their understanding of grammar and build their confidence in using English.

During their time at Ardmore we help students improve their communication skills. Therefore lessons include plenty of opportunities for students to use the language. Classroom activities include role-play, pair-work, group-work, group projects, surveys, questionnaires and games.

Each workbook contains eight topics and all students in each of the six levels study the same topic each day. Topics have been designed to be interesting and relevant to our young learners and every day they study something new. Through studying the same topics, different levels and groups continue talking about what they have learned outside of the classroom and they can be linked to activities.

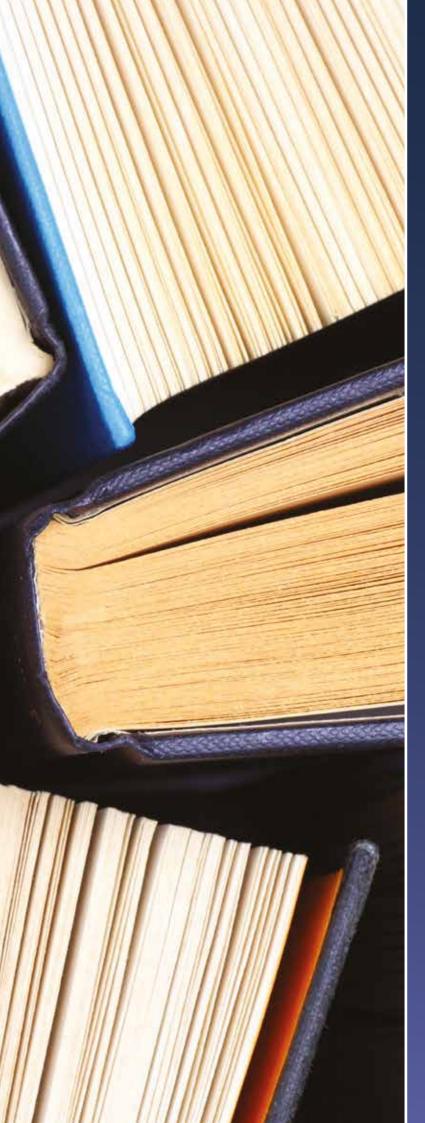
All of our teachers work very hard to provide interesting and fun language lessons and they are always happy to help and support our students.

The Ardmore workbooks have been designed specifically to improve our students' language skills. We have six levels of classes and workbooks ranging from pre-beginner to proficiency:

- Activate (beginner: A0 / A1)
- Aspire (elementary: A1 / A2)
- Ascend (pre-intermediate: A2 / B1)
- Accelerate (intermediate: B1 / B2)
- Accomplish (upper-intermediate: B2 / C1)
- Achieve (advanced: C1+)

Typical topics covered include:

- British / American Life
- Money, numbers and shopping
- Food and diets
- Hobbies and sport
- School and work
- Health
- Weather and seasons
- Entertainment and fame



### INTENSIVE ENGLISH AVAILABLE AT ALL CENTRES

Our Intensive English courses are for students who are fully committed to improving their English to the highest standard.

Our experienced EFL teachers provide an extra 12 hours of English lessons per week to maximise and boost English learning. Specific topics such as Academic or Business English can be requested. These lessons will be topic-related and will focus on using authentic materials for listening, reading, writing and speaking assignments. Homework may be given.

Available on request. Supplementary cost per student.

#### LANGUAGECERT EXAMINATION

We offer students the opportunity to take the LanguageCert Exam to gain a qualification in speaking English. These examinations are recognised by educational institutions in many European countries. Students are fully supported and prepared for the speaking tests, which are conducted by a LanguageCert examiner.

Available at all centres. Supplementary cost per student.

# ARDMORE GENERAL ENGLISH PACKAGE INCLUDES (PER WEEK)

- 15 hours lessons
- Max. 15 students per class
- Full Board Accommodation
- Various multi activity programme (e.g. Football, Arts & Crafts, Dance, Tennis, Swimming, Basketball...)
- Evening Entertainment includes a mixture of academic, social and sporting activities

# STUDENT WELFARE AND SUPERVISION

- Lessons: 1EFL teacher per 15 students
- Activities: 1 Ardmore Leader per 20 students
- Excursions: 1 Ardmore staff member per 20 students
- Residences: 12 years and over: 1 adult per 10 students. Uner 12 years 1 adult per 8 students

All students will also have Foreign Group Leaders and Centre Management Staff supervising them during all aspects of the course. We have dedicated Welfare staff to ensure students' safety and supervision is our priority during their stay.

# FACILITIES 1



24 hour Security



Adventure / Outdoor Activities



Art Galleries



Beach Volleyball



Café



Canteen



Computer Suite



Dance / Drama Studio



Dining Room / Hall



Modern / Traditional Classrooms



Playing Fields



Shops



Theatre



Tube / Subway Station



Wifi

# KEY



Astroturf / Sports Pitches



Athletics Track



Basketball Court



City Location



Common Room



Communal Area



Lecture Theatre / Cinema



Library



Sports Hall / Centre



Swimming Pool



**Tennis Courts** 



Woodland / Lakes



# INTRODUCTION TO UK

We have various summer centres in the UK, and all of our programmes are accredited by the British Council. Our centres span the UK from Edinburgh to Brighton and key study destinations in between, such as London, Oxford, and Cambridge.

With world-famous universities, beautiful boarding schools, and modern colleges to choose from, our portfolio of summer centres in the UK offer an extensive range of courses and locations for 8 to 17 year olds.

Our rich programme of activities and excursions allow students to experience many places within the UK, giving the opportunity to every student to see multiple locations whilst soaking up the culture and history of the UK.





# **ARDMORE UK**

# Summer English Language Residential and Homestay Courses

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# **BEDALES SCHOOL**

## Petersfield

8 - 17 years

Bedales School was founded in 1893 and is set within beautiful countryside in the south of England.

The school is one of the UK's most creative and innovative co-educational boarding schools and has fantastic modern facilities and accommodation. Bedales is just a short walk from Petersfield, a market town with excellent transport links to London and the surrounding areas.



#### **FACILITIES**



























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 330

Mix of single, twin, triples and quads, some larger rooms available

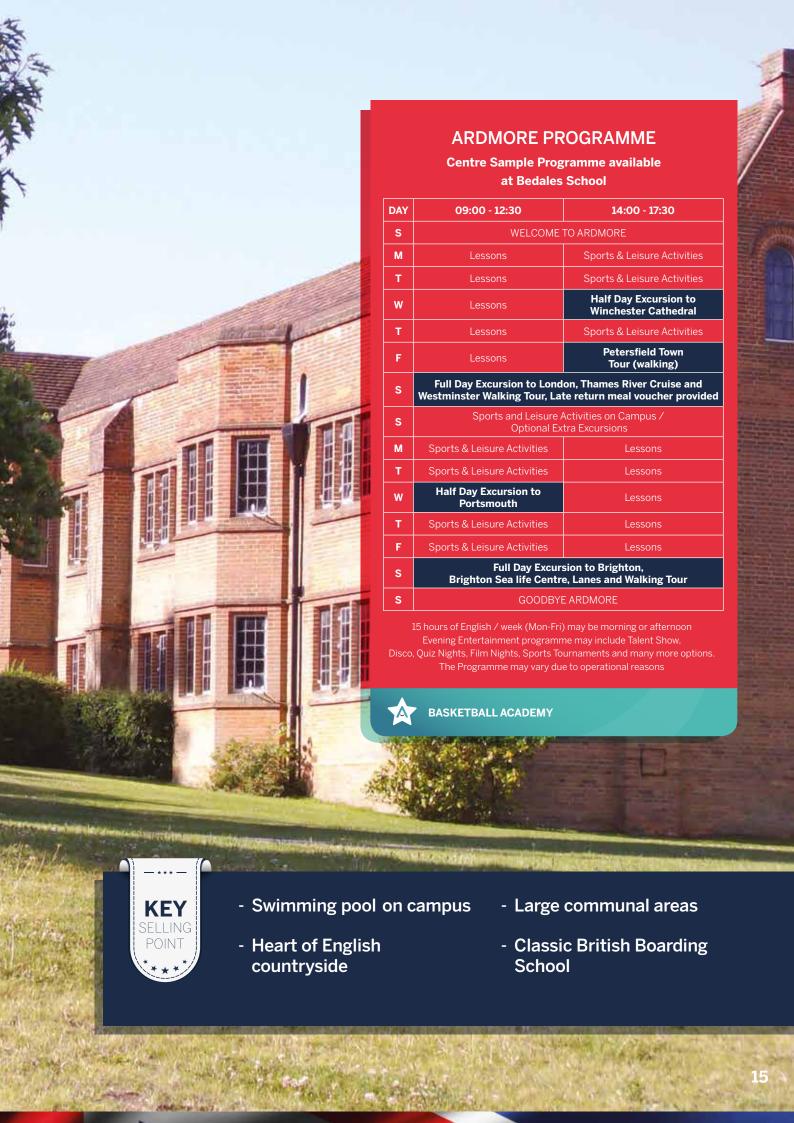
Boarding houses on the main school campus with shared bathroom

Accommodation split by gender











Centre Sample Programme available at Berkshire College

DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30	
s	WELCOME TO ARDMORE		
М	Lessons Sports & Leisure Activities		
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
W	Lessons	Half Day Excursion to Reading Town and Museum	
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
F	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
s	Full Day Excursion to London, Thames River Cruise and Westminster Walking Tour		
s	Sports and Leisure Activities on Campus / Optional Extra Excursions		
M	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
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w	Half Day Excursion to Windsor Castle Lessons		
Т	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
F	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
s	Full Day Excursion to Oxford, Oxford Castle and Universities Walking Tour		
s	GOODBYE ARDMORE		

15 hours of English / week (Mon-Fri) may be morning or afternoon Evening Entertainment programme may include Talent Show, Disco, Quiz Nights, Film Nights, Sports Tournaments and many more options. The Programme may vary due to operational reasons



GOLF ACADEMY
HORSE RIDING ACADEMY
TENNIS ACADEMY
SUPER LONDON DISCOVERY
EURO CITY TOUR

- Safe compact campus
- Historic building and home to The Ardmore Group
- Great location
- Fantastic range of specialist programmes



# BERKSHIRE COLLEGE

### Maidenhead

9 – 17 years

Berkshire College is a perfect location for students wishing to attend an English Language course. The college is the home of Ardmore Language Schools.

It is set in extensive grounds with a historic Mansion House. Some classrooms and the common room are located within the Mansion House with the accommodation blocks nearby. Its close proximity to London and the quick transfer time from all the London airports make it very popular centre for all students who wish to improve their English and enjoy cultural visits to London, Windsor, Oxford and Reading.



#### **FACILITIES**

















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 200

Twin, triples and multi-bedded rooms – most with hand basins. Some single rooms available – shared bathroom

Homestay – Carefully selected host family accommodation around Maidenhead on a full board basis with shared rooms with shared bathrooms. Organised by our experienced and professional local organiser with daily drop-off and pick-up service.







# **BRIGHTON COLLEGE**

# Brighton

9 - 17 years

Brighton College, founded in 1845, is an attractive and historic school situated within walking distance of the vibrant Brighton town centre, beaches and pier.

The school, with its 24-hour security, offers a perfect balance between a city centre location with the safety and space of a residential centre. The school's excellent facilities include a beautiful dining hall, modern classrooms, tennis courts, paying fields, common rooms with TVs and an indoor theatre.



#### **FACILITIES**

























**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 270

Mainly single, twins and triples with some larger rooms available in boarding houses on the main college campus

Shared shower and bathroom facilities

Single en-suite available out of campus, 15 min daily shuttle included









#### **ARDMORE PROGRAMME**

Centre Sample Programme available at Brunel University

M Lessons Sports & Leisure Activities  T Lessons Half Day Excursion to Natural History Museum  W Lessons Lessons  T Full Day Excursion to London, Thames River Cruise and Westminster Walking Tour  F Lessons Sports & Leisure Activities  S Full Day Excursion to Oxford, Oxford Castle and Universities Walking Tour  S Sports and Leisure Activities on Campus / Optional Extra Excursions  M Sports & Leisure Activities Lessons  T Half Day Excursion to Westfields Shopping Centre  W Lessons Lessons  T Full Day Excursion to Windsor, Windsor Castle and Eton Walking Tour  F Lessons Lessons  S Full Day Excursion to British Museum, Oxford Street and Piccadilly Circus  S GOODBYE ARDMORE	DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30	
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Evening Entertainment programme may include Talent Show,
Disco, Quiz Nights, Film Nights, Sports Tournaments and many more options
The Programme may vary due to operational reasons



SUPER LONDON DISCOVERY EDINBURGH WEEKEND TOUR EURO CITY TOUR



- Modern single ensuite
- Close to London major airports
- Shops on campus
- Modern university campus







# **BRUNEL UNIVERSITY**

# Uxbridge

9 – 17 years

Brunel University, Uxbridge Campus is located in a suburb of Greater London at a green and secure university campus.

The centre has excellent sporting and classroom facilities as well as fantastic amenities for evening activities. If you are looking for a London Experience with a great excursion programme, Brunel is for you. With the two full day and one half day excursions per week, the students will get a chance to go to London four times, visit Royal Windsor and Oxford all in a two week stay.



#### **FACILITIES**



































#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Residential – 400 beds

Single rooms with en-suite facilities

Single standard rooms also available

Accommodation in the main University campus, within minutes walk from all facilities





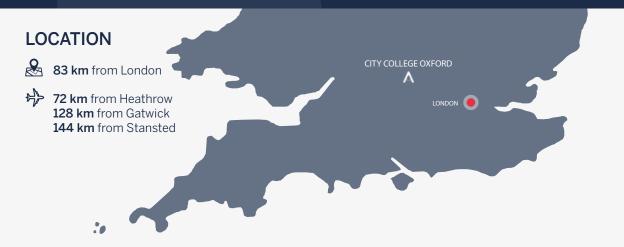
# CITY OF OXFORD COLLEGE

Oxford

12 - 17 years

City Of Oxford College is located by the very heart of the beautiful city of Oxford.

This fantastic college combines academic excellence with an informal, vibrant and supportive community. Our unique programme enables students the opportunity to explore the life of a student in Oxford. With full day excursions to London and Windsor, students can experience some of the most famous and historic cities in the UK during their stay.



#### **FACILITIES**











#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 120

Single ensuite rooms by Oxford Brookes University

**New Accommodation** 











Centre Sample Programme available at Croydon College

DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30	
s	WELCOME TO ARDMORE		
М	Lessons	Croydon Town Tour (walking)	
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
W	Lessons	Half Day Excursion to London Thames River Cruise	
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
F	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
s	Full Day Excursion to Oxford, Oxford Castle and Universities Walking Tour		
S	Day with Host Family or Optional Extra Excursion		
М	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
Т	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
W	Half Day Excursion to London Natural History Museum	Lessons	
Т	Sports & Leisure Activities	Lessons	
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DANCE & DRAMA ACADEMY SUPER LONDON DISCOVERY EURO CITY TOUR

- British culture in host family
- London based

- Private daily transport

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- Modern classrooms with interactive white board



Succeed Create

UNIVERSITY CENTRE CROYDON

# **CROYDON COLLEGE**

## South London

9 - 17 years

The Borough of Croydon is located to the south of London, only minutes by train from Central London. The town itself is centred around the Queens Gardens and the High Street, the surrounding areas are full of Victorian architecture.

A great example of the architecture is the well-known Croydon Clock Tower Arts Centre, home to the Museum of Croydon, David Lean Cinema and public library.



#### **FACILITIES**





















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Homestay** – carefully selected local families providing a home-from-home experience

Experienced and professional local organiser

**Full board** – breakfast and evening meal with family and packed lunch provided each day

Shared rooms with shared bathrooms

Daily drop-off and pick-up service included







# **EASTBOURNE CAMPUS, UNIVERSITY OF BRIGHTON**

Eastbourne

This attractive university campus is located in the seaside town of Eastbourne, a charming resort on the English South Coast with beautiful beaches and scenic landscape.

Our centre offers a range of sports facilities such as a sports hall, indoor swimming pool and tennis court in addition to spacious, modern classrooms.



#### **FACILITIES**



































#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – maximum number of beds 170

All high standard single en-suite rooms with desk and storage space

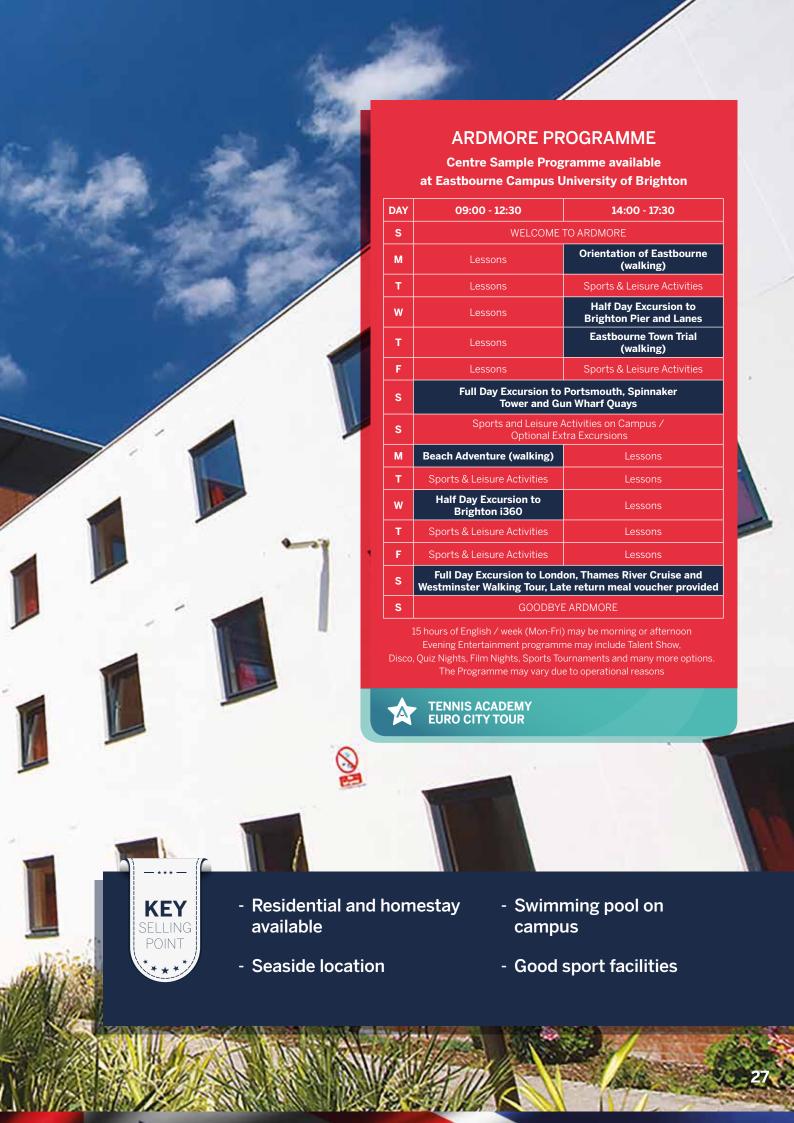
Accommodation in modern blocks on campus 24-hour security

Homestay – carefully selected local families providing a home-from-home experience









#### **ARDMORE PROGRAMME**

Centre Sample Programme available at Fulmer Grange

DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30	
S	WELCOME TO ARDMORE		
М	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
w	Lessons	Half Day Excursion to Reading Town and Museum	
Т	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
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TV ACADEMY MERLIN ULTIMATE STUDENT ADVENTURE EURO CITY TOUR

- Swimming pool on campus
- Twin ensuite rooms

- Great location, close to Windsor and Oxford
- Relaxing atmosphere



# **FULMER GRANGE**

Near Windsor

9 - 17 years

Fulmer Grange is in an ideal location only 30 minutes by car from Central London and even less by train, with easy access to Oxford and Windsor Castle.

The college has a superb indoor pool, modern sports hall, tennis courts and playing fields and its safe rural location makes it an ideal choice for students.



#### **FACILITIES**





















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 160

Twin en-suite bedrooms. All with shower / bath and WC

Accommodation minutes walk from dining hall and classrooms







# IMPERIAL COLLEGE

### London

14 - 17 years

The main campus is located in South Kensington. Imperial College is ranked as one of the top universities in the country.

Founded by Prince Albert, Imperial College London is now a public research university located in London. Through merging with several historic medical schools, the curriculum expanded to also include medicine. In 2004, Queen Elizabeth II opened the Imperial College Business School.

#### **LOCATION**



Central London 5 minutes walk to Hyde Park



30 km from Heathrow 70 km from Stansted 85 km from Gatwick

#### **FACILITIES**





















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

IMPERIAL COLLEGE

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 120

All single rooms with shared bathroom

Accommodation split by gender

Accommodation 25min walk or 10min by tube to main campus









#### ARDMORE PROGRAMME

Centre Sample Programme available at LVS Ascot

DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30	
s	WELCOME TO ARDMORE		
М	Lessons	Sports & Leisure Activities	
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- Fantastic sport facilities
- Modern accommodation
- Great food selection
- Swimming pool on campus





# LICENSED VICTUALLERS' SCHOOL

Ascot

9 – 17 years

Licensed Victuallers' School is set in 30 acres of land within Ascot in the county of Berkshire, located close to London and Windsor. Ascot is home of the prestigious Royal Ascot horse racing.

The school itself is only a few minutes walk from the famous racecourse and was founded in 1803. As of today, Queen Elizabeth II remains the patron of the school. Set in 30 acres of grounds, the school has great facilities such as a 25-metre indoor swimming pool, theatre with hi-tech lighting, sports facilities including four tennis courts, enabling students to live and learn in a safe secure environment.



#### **FACILITIES**





























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 210

Twin, triple and quad rooms, with shared facilties

Four boarding houses







# LEITH Edinburgh

12 - 17 years

Located in the beautiful ancient city of Edinburgh, the school is located a short walk North East of the famous Edinburgh Castle - home to Scotland's Crown Jewels and only a short hop from the east coast and North Sea. The school itself has been through many transformations.

The current building was completed in 1991 and features an innovative design which centres on a glass roofed 'main street' which runs the length of the school with all facilities, departments and classrooms leading off.

#### **LOCATION**



2.5 km from Edinburgh City



15 km from Edinburgh Airport





#### **FACILITIES**































#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Modern, single en-suite bedrooms

4-6 en-suite bedrooms per apartment

All rooms en-suite

Accommodation 15 minute walk from main campus











## **LIDDINGTON**

## Near Swindon

9 - 17 years

Liddington is a fantastic modern adventure centre set within extensive grounds and located within the English countryside.

The specialised adventure activities offered at this centre, place great emphasis on confidence building and improving conversational English Language skills whilst making friends at the same time. The courses are designed to promote leadership and teamwork skills, combining fun and personal development in a safe, supportive environment.



#### **FACILITIES**























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 300

Modern en-suite rooms – maximum 4 students per room

Twin en-suite rooms for Group Leaders







## ROYAL HOSPITAL SCHOOL

**I**pswich

Royal Hospital School is located in beautiful English countryside overlooking the River Stour.

The accommodation and facilities include boarding houses, an indoor heated swimming pool, a sports hall, tennis and volleyball courts.

#### **LOCATION**



140 km from London



177 km from Heathrow 160 km from Gatwick 80 km from Stansted

ROYAL HOSPITAL SCHOOL /



### **FACILITIES**

























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

230 standard and 120 en-suite rooms

Single, twins, quads and some larger rooms available

En-suite available (subject to availability at time of booking)

Large newly refurbished boarding houses with modern common rooms with flat screen TVs









#### **ARDMORE PROGRAMME**

Centre Sample Programme available at Shiplake College

DAY	09:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 17:30
S	WELCOME TO ARDMORE	
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F	Henley-on-Thames Walk (walking)	Lessons
s	Full Day Excursion to Oxford, Oxford Castle and Universities Walking Tour	
S	GOODBYE ARDMORE	

15 hours of English / week (Mon-Fri) may be morning or afternoon Evening Entertainment programme may include Talent Show, Disco, Quiz Nights, Film Nights, Sports Tournaments and many more options. The Programme may vary due to operational reasons



RUGBY ACADEMY EURO CITY TOUR

- Harry Potter style building
- Outdoor swimming pool
- Next to River Thames
- Classic British Boarding School



## SHIPLAKE COLLEGE

Henley-On-Thames

9 – 17 years

Shiplake College is a historic 'Harry Potter' style boarding school located close to the riverside town of Henley-On-Thames only yards from the River Thames itself.

Aside from the colleges beautiful appearance and amazing setting, the fantastic facilities include a historic dining room, indoor theatre, outdoor heated swimming pool, tennis courts, playing fields and sports hall.



#### **FACILITIES**

























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 250

Mainly two to four bedded rooms, some single and larger rooms available

Shared shower and bathroom facilities

Accommodation in boarding houses on the main campus







## ST EDMUND'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY

Cambridge

14 - 17 years

St Edmund's College was founded in 1896 and is one of the 31 colleges which make up the University of Cambridge.

St Edmund's is known for its friendly atmosphere, which reflects in its history and traditions. The college is a short walk from central Cambridge allowing students the unique experience of being immersed into the life of Cambridge students!



#### **FACILITIES**













#### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Residential** – Maximum number of beds 100

Twin and triple rooms with shared bathroom facilities

Accommodation blocks are all on the main campus











Centre Sample Programme available at St Joseph's College

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15 hours of English / week (Mon-Fri) may be morning or afternoon
Evening Entertainment programme may include Talent Show,
Disco, Quiz Nights, Film Nights, Sports Tournaments and many more options.

- Close to city centre
- Residential and Homestay available
- Extensive sport facilities
- Easy access to London



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## ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF READING

## Reading

10 - 17 years

Our courses will be run at St Joseph's College and the University of Reading which is located just five minutes walk from the main university campus.

St Joseph's College, founded in 1910 and set within secure grounds, offers excellent modern classrooms, a good range of sporting facilities including an all-weather sports pitch, an outside basketball court as well as an indoor heated swimming pool. The accommodation comprises of single en-suite bedrooms on the main university campus.



#### **FACILITIES**



























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Residential – maximum number of beds 250

Standard bedrooms with en-suite accommodation on main campus, within minutes walk from the Dining Hall

Shared bathroom accommodation also available off campus, by the Dining Hall, 10 minutes walk from school

**Homestay** – Carefully selected host family accommodation on a full board basis in shared rooms with shared bathrooms, packed lunch provided







## **UNIVERSITY OF BATH**

### Bath

Discover part of England's rich history in Bath, a UNESCO World Heritage City, while staying at University of Bath, one of the top universities in the United Kingdom.

This centre offers outstanding facilities such as a sports hall, all weather sports pitches, beach volleyball court as well as a 350 seat cinema, mini-market and cafés. The ancient Roman City of Bath is a wonderful and idyllic location for an English language course. It has a wide variety of historic and cultural sites such as the Roman Baths, theatres, Bath Abbey, Royal Crescent and museums all set alongside a modern new shopping area with cafés and restaurants overlooking the River Avon. It offers students of all ages the perfect balance between culture and history with modern shops and attractions.



#### **FACILITIES**



















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#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Residential – maximum number of beds 500

Single en-suite rooms

Single rooms with shared facilities available

Accommodation in modern blocks on campus

24-hour security











# UNIVERSITY OF HERTFORDSHIRE

## Hartfield

9 - 17 years

Ardmore is delighted to introduce a new centre, only 1 hour away from central London. The programme will take place only 30km away from London at the University of Hertfordshire's College Lane Campus in Hatfield.

Ideally located, the high standard campus is a short 15 min walk from the town centre in a secure and peaceful environment. Let alone the high quality single ensuite accommodation and modern common rooms, the centre also offers a large bright dining room, extensive sport facilities such as all-weather pitches and Tennis courts and modern classrooms.



#### **FACILITIES**

























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Close to London and Harry Potter Studios

High-standard single en-suite accommodation on campus

Apartment style with an average of 6 bedrooms per apartment

Shared kitchen/communal area in each apartment







# UNIVERSITY OF WESTMINSTER

London Harrow

12 - 17 years

Only 20 minutes from Central London, the University of Westminster Harrow Campus offers modern and comfortable accommodation with views of the campus and university grounds.

Harrow Campus has plenty of green open spaces for outdoor activities or just to sit and relax in. Facilities on site include a function room, disco space, shops, theatre, dining hall and a modern indoor sports hall. The adjacent underground station, Northwick Park of the Metropolitan Line connects the campus to Baker Street and central London in only 20 minutes.



#### **FACILITIES**

























#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Single and twin en-suite rooms

Shared kitchen facilities

Coin operated washing machines

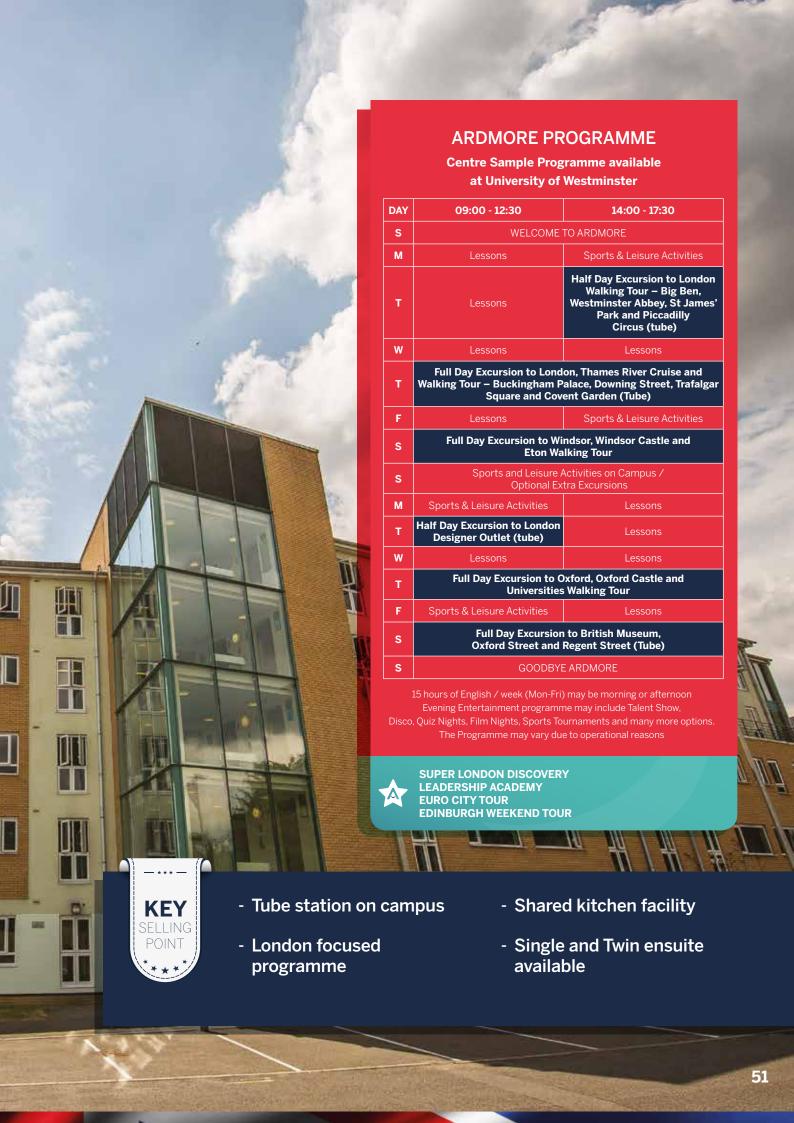
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Free wifi available in all rooms





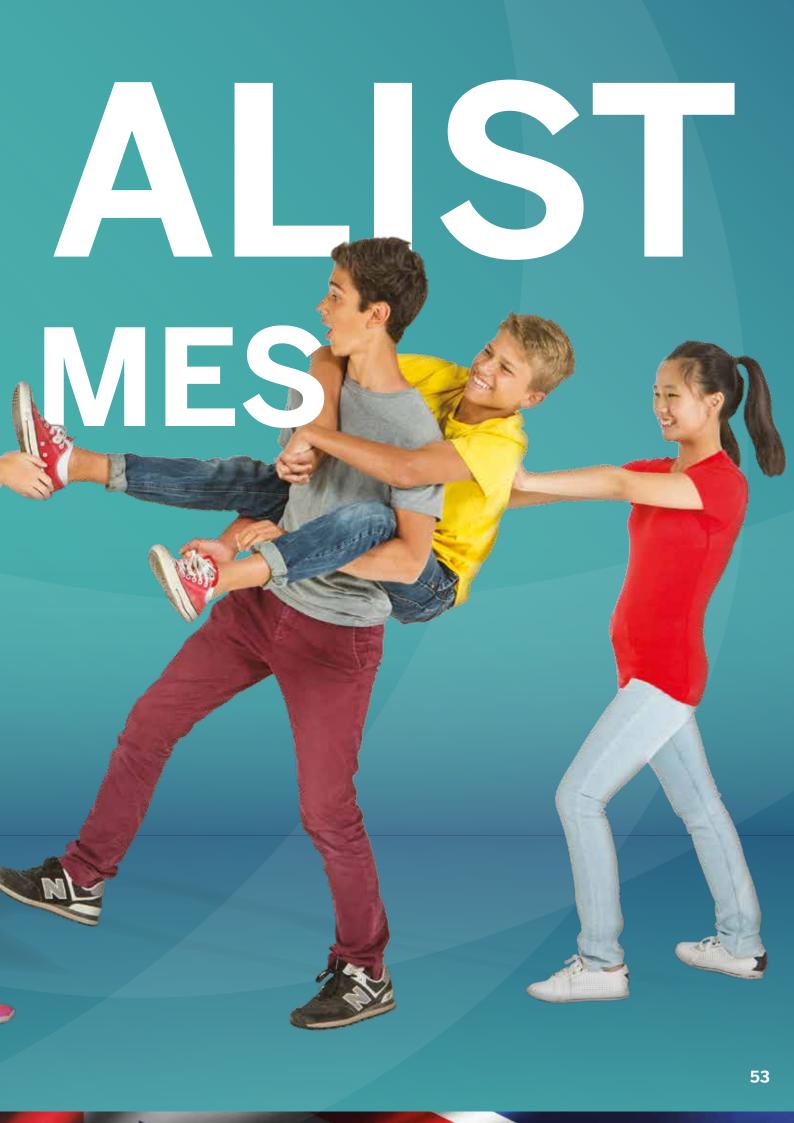




PROGRA

Here at Ardmore we are passionate and enthusiastic about all of our courses offered. Alongside our multi activity programme we have developed a range of specialist courses to cater to all interests. Whether you are a football fanatic or a budding TV presenter, a keen golfer, have an interest in volunteering or love theme parks and adventure we are certain we have a course for you!

These specialist courses give a further dimension to the students stay with all instruction and delivery in English the learning experience is further enhanced by the specific instructions required for many of our specialist courses.





Each session will be designed to work on the fundamentals of basketball, with sessions including shooting, ball handling and team play. Students will have the chance to play in mini leagues and competitions throughout the week.

All sessions are delivered in a way that ensures that all children enjoy high activity sessions and that the drills are flexible and catered for different standards of play.











Students from all over the world return each year to improve their English as well as their basketball skills. Individuals as well as organised groups are welcome.

For those coaches from overseas who bring a team of young players with them, there is the opportunity to observe coaching techniques from the Surrey Scorchers.

### ☑ INCLUDED

- 12 hours per week of basketball coaching by qualified coaches
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- In Association with Surrey Scorchers.
- Coaches are qualified and have experience working with those who are new to Basketball and those who have played for many years.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Our basketball players will be immersed into this fast-paced sport learning key phrases and terminology for the game.

They will improve their Basketball Vocabulary, sport skills and their general English.







Our talented and friendly instructors offer great advice and encouragement for children new to the arts and draw on years of experience to help the more advanced students improve their stage skills and gain further confidence.

### ☑ INCLUDED

- 12 hours of Dance & Drama with qualified instructors per week
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Ideal course for those who love being on stage and want to develop their dance and drama skills whilst learning English.
- Not only will students be improving their dance and drama skills they will also be learning English helping them to communicate with the new friends they will have made from all over the world.







Our highly qualified, friendly instructors offer great advice and encouragement for new riders and draw on years of experience to help the more advanced equestrians improve their riding skills and gain further confidence.

#### **☑** INCLUDED

- 1h30min of horse riding and 1h30 of stable management per session
- Use of horse riding equipment (students must bring shoes / boots with a heel)
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Students will have the chance to meet, socialise and ride horses with other like minded students from all over the world.
- Their use of practical and conversational English combined with their daily language classes will help to improve their spoken and written English.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Depending on how the individual course is run, days will start with 'mucking out' of stables and feeding the horses. All aspects of cleaning, grooming and the general care of these beautiful creatures will be covered as well as vital information on their putritional peads.

Student should bring riding clothes if possible. If not possible, they should then bring comfortable trousers that reach down to the ankles

Heeled Boots are a must! (trainers are not enough)







We are pleased to welcome students from all over the world to the Merlin Ultimate Student Adventure Programme. Our friendly staff will be taking part in this adventure with the students.

#### ☑ INCLUDED

- Annual Pass to Merlin Attractions for a stay of 13 nights minimum
- Madame Tussauds
- Legoland Windsor Resort
- London Tour, London Eye
- Shrek's Adventure
- Sea Life London Aquarium
- Thorpe Park Resort
- Chessington World of Adventures Resort
- Discounts for food in the amusement parks

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Students staying for at least 13 nights will receive an annual pass to access all Merlin attractions in the UK for free for the rest of the year!
- They will also be able to go to some other Merlin attractions in the rest of the world at discount prices.



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We are pleased to welcome students from all over the world to the Oxbridge Tour. The Oxbridge Tour is designed for students from 14 to 17 years old.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 3 Half Day Excursion (per week)
- Transfer between centres

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Study English in the famous prestigious British Schools
- Meet with undergraduate students from those universities
- A wonderful opportunity to sample University life at the world-famous city of Oxford and University of Cambridge.
- Spend one week at each University and explore these cities to find out about life as an undergraduate student.





# SUPER LONDON DISCOVERY

University of Hertfordshire • University of Westminster – Harrow • Brunel University • Croydon College

12 - 17 years

See centre information on pages 20, 24, 48 and 50

Choice of four fantastic centres with an intensive excursion programme allowing students to travel into London to visit some of the most famous sights.

This course is the perfect way to combine English language learning with an educational and cultural tour of London.













The Super London Discovery Programme is the perfect course for students wishing to explore the exciting and vibrant capital city of England – London!

#### ☑ INCLUDED

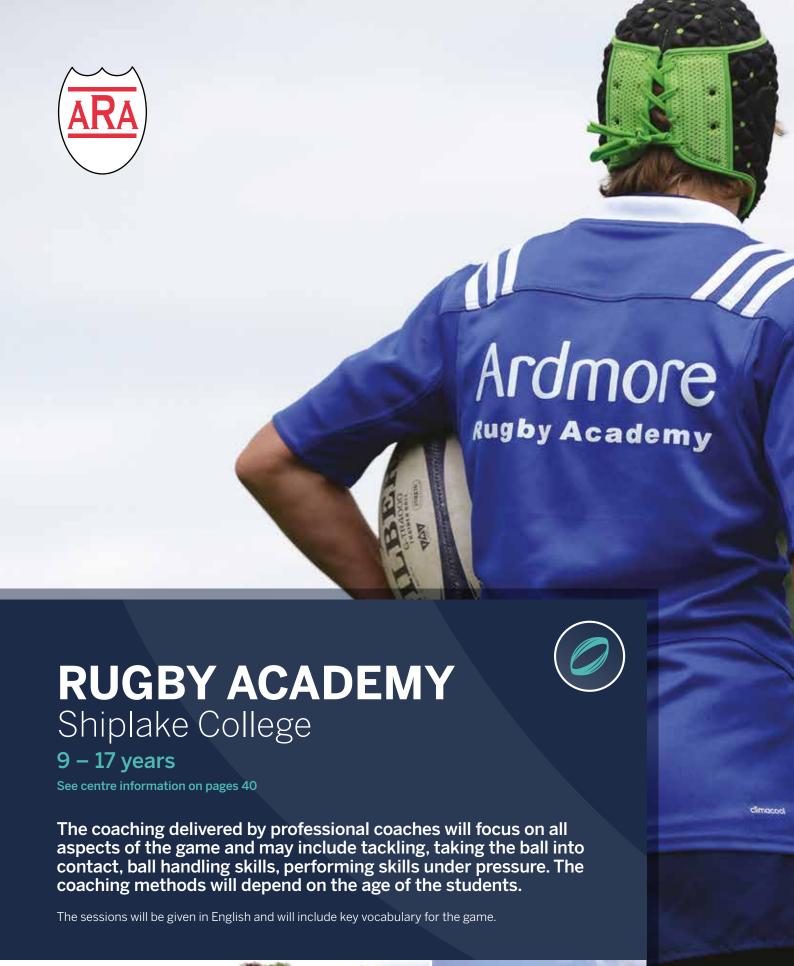
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 3 Half Day Excursions (per week)

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Visit London
- London Walking Tour: Big Ben, Trafalgar Square, Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace, Houses Of Parliament

#### Possible Excursions:

- Natural History Museum, Science Museum and Harrods
- Windsor Castle and town
- British Museum
- London River Cruise, London Eye and South Bank
- Oxford Walking Tour and towr
- V&A Museum
- Covent Garden
- National Gallery













Students from all over the world return each year to improve their skills in English language and rugby whilst being trained by some of the best coaches from a professional team.

For the coaches who may travel with groups of students, there is a great opportunity to exchange ideas with the academy coaches and pick up the latest techniques from the coaches of some of the World's best rugby players.

#### ☑ INCLUDED

- 12 hours of rugby coaching by professional coaches
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### △ SELLING POINTS

- Residential coaches.
- There will be competitions and incentives to give the course a 'competitive edge'.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Every course is designed by experienced coaches who use the latest techniques and training methods available. These coaches are responsible for nurturing some of today's top talent and they are constantly looking for new young talent from around the world.



## **TV ACADEMY**

## Fulmer Grange

9 - 17 years

See centre information on pages 28

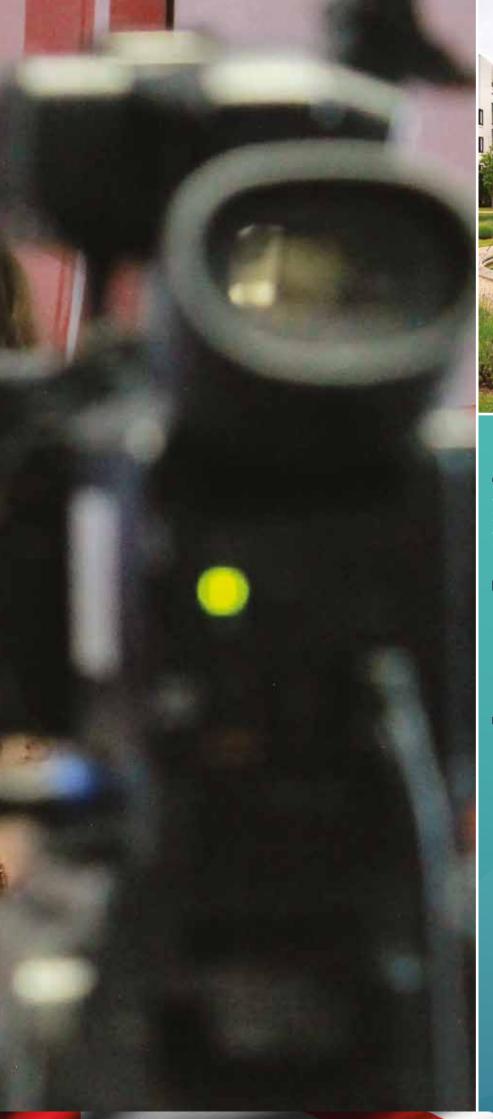
If students have a passion for entertaining, then this is definitely the course for them. Hosted at world-famous Pinewood Studios, home to the Star Wars and James Bond movies, students will benefit from the expertise of top media coaches.

Students will choose a topic they wish to talk about: their life at home, their family, their hobbies or an interesting fact. The media coaches will teach the participants how to put scripts together and how to perfect their camera communication. Part of the course will be spent creating and editing footage to make a personal showreel that students can share with friends and family.











We are happy to welcome students from 9 to 17 years old. Our friendly Ardmore Staff will accompany the students in this experience, making sure that they all make the most of it.

#### ☑ INCLUDED

- 1 Half Day training at Pinewood Studios (per week)
- 2 Half Day TV Training on campus (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)

### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Prestigious TV Studios
- Professional Media Coaches
- Students will also learn how to add professionally edited backgrounds, music and graphics
- Showreel to take home







Students from all over the world return each year to improve their English as well as their football skills. Individuals as well as organised groups are welcome.

For those coaches from overseas who bring a team of young players with them, there is the opportunity to observe coaching techniques and exchange ideas with the AFA coaches (all FA charter standard coaches).

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 12 Hours per week of football tuition by qualified Football Association Coaches
- Football Kit Including Ardmore Football shirt, shorts and socks
- Visit to Chelsea Football stadium

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- The programme is run by qualified football coaches
- The programme includes a balance of coaching sessions and practise matches
- Daily briefings will be held
- Students will learn English while practising their favourite sport, learning key football phrases, terminology and useful tips for the game.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

The framework for the Ardmore Football Academy has been created by professionals.

We are sure that this coaching will help bring out the best in every student that will attend the Academy!



## University of Bath • Berkshire College

12 - 17 years

See centre information on pages 16 and 46

The Ardmore Golf Academy offers golf loving students the opportunity to have professional coaching in English. Special emphasis is placed on techniques and skills. We have fantastic facilities at our specialist golf centres.

Coaching will include:

- Individual Techniques
- Posture & Grip
- Chipping Skills
- Game Play & Tactics

These coaching sessions are interspersed with practice matches, technical tests and daily briefings to complete an all round full interactive course.











#### **WHO CAN TAKE PART**

Students from all over the world return each year to improve their English as well as their golfing skills.

Individuals as well as organised groups are welcome.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 12 hours per week of golf tuition by qualified golf professionals
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Golf coaching and briefing sessions will be conducted by qualified golf coaches.
- The students will have the opportunity to play on a 9 or 18 hole course at least once per week during the course.
- Led by a PGA Tour Professional.
- Experience World Class Golf Courses.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

University of Bath and Berkshire College have driving ranges and fantastic golf courses nearby. We are able to cater to all abilities from complete beginners to players with golf handicaps

For this academy, students must bring smart Golf attire and their own Golf Clubs.

Golf Clubs can be hired at a supplement.



## LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

University of Westminster – Harrow 14 – 17 years

See centre information on pages 50

The Leadership Academy includes exciting field trips, interactive workshops, simulations, case studies, presentations and speeches from guest speakers.

The course offers a truly cross-cultural opportunity for young learners to improve their key skills during those all important formative years. Participation in the Academy affords future young leaders an unparalleled chance to build confidence in key areas such as problem solving, public speaking, idea sharing and their own personal development.











#### **WHO CAN TAKE PART**

Ardmore is delighted to welcome individuals and groups of students interested in developing leadership skills.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 12 hours per week of Leadership related activities
- 2 Full Day Excursions (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
- Visit to local businesses

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

If you are interested in improving yourself and already have an interest in the areas below the Ardmore Leadership Academy can help you develop in these key areas:

- Intellectual curiosity
- Personal initiative
- Teamwork
- Creativity
- Impact

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Leadership is a vital and transferable skill in every walk of life. Having the drive and intellectual curiosity to tackle difficult situations and tough challenges, plus the ability to help other people do their best is an essential life skill. By developing leadership skills, students open up opportunities for a bright and positive future.



## **TENNIS ACADEMY**

Eastbourne Campus, University of Brighton • Berkshire College

12 - 17 years

See centre information on pages 16 and 26

All sessions are based on assessment of players abilities and are aimed at challenging their skills through a combination of tactical, court awareness and competitive drills.

Each three hour session will have a different theme and will be always finished with 1 hour of match play to give players the opportunity to practice what they have been taught.











#### **WHO CAN TAKE PART**

Students from all over the world return each year to improve their skills in English language and tennis whilst being trained by some of the best coaches.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 12 hours of tennis coaching by qualified Tennis coaches
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### △ SELLING POINTS

- Tennis coaching takes place at a local Tennis Club in Eastbourne or Maidenhead areas.
- The Ardmore Tennis Academy in Eastbourne is proud to count Living Tennis as a partner. Founded in 2012, Living Tennis provides high quality tennis courses and coaching for all ages and abilities. As one of its founders Jamie Delgado, now the coach of Andy Murray, has helped to develop the training programme for all the participants.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

All sessions are delivered in a way that ensures that all children enjoy high activity sessions and that the drills are flexible and catered for different standards of play. Closed drills i.e. technical work is only used if certain players need extra attention to get them up to the standard of the rest of the group.



## VOLUNTEER PROGRAMME

St Joseph's College, University of Reading

14 - 17 years

See centre information on pages 44

These volunteer experience sessions will include outdoor activities such as park, as well as work in charity service industries such as shops, cafés etc.

Ardmore Language Schools are now offering students the chance to combine their English language course with the opportunity to undertake some volunteer experience here in the UK.











#### **WHO CAN TAKE PART**

This is an ideal programme for international students wishing to contribute to society during their study abroad period.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 1 Full Day Excursion
- 1 Half Day Excursion
- 2 volunteer sessions per week

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

• Original Experience in the UK.

#### **TESTIMONIALS**

"In other words, through the collaboration of many generous and giving people, we can make homes and facilities warmer, healthier, and safer for all who visit, live or work in them."

# ACADEMIC YEAR PROGRAMME

Locations throughout the UK

**Ardmore Education** 

For groups and individual students 7 – 18 years For academic year September – July

Ardmore are delighted to offer students the opportunity to study within one of the best school systems in the world. This programme offers an academic year at a British state school – at a choice of locations throughout the UK.

This programme provides an affordable alternative to studying at an independent UK school. Many academic year students use their stay in Britain as a "springboard" to their future educational and career aspirations – i.e. studying at a UK or International University where fluent English is a requirement, or with a view to being able to work anywhere in the world where they need an advanced level and understanding of English.

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

- Students must be from European Economic Area (EEA).
- Students will normally need at least an intermediate level of English (e.g. of IELTS 5.5 or similar) in order to participate fully in lessons and gain the maximum benefit from this experience.
- Minimum age is 11 years and maximum age is 18 years.
- Academic year starts in September and ends in late July.
- All students are required to complete a detailed application form with educational, medical
  family and personal history, as well as academic achievements. A school is then selected by
  Ardmore, according to the students' requirements.
- why not consider an Ardmore Summer Course in July or August to prepare the student and give them added confidence to start the Academic Year? Or London Sightseeing programmes during half term?

Suitable for individual students









#### LOCATIONS OF SCHOOLS

Ardmore have chosen the locations of their partner schools with great care to ensure the highest quality welfare support by our most experienced local organisers, offering 24 hour assistance to students, coupled with the quality of the schools where the students will study.

All schools selected by Ardmore for this programme are inspected and graded either 1 (outstanding), 2 (good) or 3 (Satisfactory) by Ofsted which is the UK government office for standards in education, children's services and skills. www.ofsted.gov.uk

Schools are located in towns and suburbs – away from the hustle and bustle of large cities – but at the same time, offering students the opportunity to explore the local area easily, with the excellent transport links these towns offer.

#### HOST FAMILY ACCOMMODATION

Students will be accommodated at DBS (Police) checked, carefully selected host families for the duration of each term, returning to their home country during the half term (usually 1 week in February, May and October) as well as during Easter and Christmas holidays (as applicable). Families live within close proximity to the school (either within walking distance or a short bus ride away). Half board accommodation is provided during weekdays and full board at weekends.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM AND MATERIALS

School placement and text books are included in the programme. Students will be expected to wear the school uniform (up to 6th Form) and Ardmore will be able to assist students in purchasing this before arrival.

## SUPPORT BY LOCAL ORGANISER / GUARDIAN AND ARDMORE HEAD OFFICE

Students will be under the care of Ardmore's Local Organisers / Guardians who usually live no more than 30-45 minutes from the student and their school. In addition, Ardmore offers 24 hour, 7 day a week support by Head office. The Local Organisers will provide reports during the year to advise of the student's progress, as well as assisting in host family / accommodation matters and arranging transfers on arrival and departure.

Transfers are included in this programme. N.B Excluded: Half Terms and Easter.

Please contact us for more detailed information about the prices and services Ardmore will provide on this programme.

# SCHOOL INTEGRATION PROGRAMME

Locations throughout the UK & USA

**Ardmore Education** 

For groups and individual students 11 - 18 years

This programme is perfect for students who want to live the life of a British or American teenager for a short period. For group leaders and parents, this is an ideal opportunity for students to improve their English and understand the UK state or US public school systems.

Students will "buddy" up with teenagers and follow exactly the same curriculum for the whole school day, for a period of 1-7 weeks. They will participate in classes with other students, follow all the lessons in English as well as enjoying the opportunity to chat with them in a more relaxed setting at lunchtime. Group leaders accompanying the students are welcome to stay at school.

Why not book a Full School Integration Programme just before your group takes part in an Ardmore Summer / Easter course? It's a great way to encourage language learning and give students added confidence before they start their course! Why not consider a London Sightseeing programme during half term?

The programme offers accommodation with carefully selected host families located close to the school. We have numerous locations where we can offer this programme and we will advise you of the possible availability for the dates you have chosen. Students will be fully immersed in either the British or American way of life, enjoying a truly memorable learning experience.

#### **EXTRAS AVAILABLE**

Airport transfers

Sightseeing trips (after school or weekends)

Sports / activities (after school or weekends)

EFL lessons

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Half board accommodation with host families

School lunch included in the programme

Accommodation at private school (prices on request – supplement payable)













#### TYPICAL SCHOOL DAY

Many schools start the day with an "Assembly" i.e. where the whole school meets together in the hall with the teachers. Important announcements are made during this first 30-45 minutes of the school day.

Students will then be divided into smaller numbers and will join their English "buddies" in classes, taking part in everyday school life. e.g. Geography, English, History lessons, etc. This could involve playing sports, studying IT, learning a Shakespeare play or discovering British cookery!

Students will receive a lunch allowance to choose a hot or cold meal according to their wishes.

Afternoon school follows the same pattern as the morning and when the final bell sounds, students will return to their host families or hotel.

All British students wear "school uniform" and international groups would be expected to wear school colours. School uniform is mandatory in British Schools. Students will be expected to wear the school colours (up to 6th Form). A school tie / scarf is included with our Discovery Group Programme.

Discovery price includes:

- Accommodation (in host family or hotel)
- Lunch allowance for meal at school
- Full School Integration 5 days per week
- School tie or scarf (British schools)
- 24 hour support by Ardmore Head office
- Services of Local Organiser
- One local excursion per week (entrance fees extra)



# ARDMORE EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL

Worldwide locations

For schools and groups

Ardmore Educational Travel, part of The Ardmore Group, offer complete extra-curricular solutions for schools and students aged 11 – 18 across the globe.

For over 30 years they have been encouraging cultural interaction via educational experiences abroad and work with over 15,000 students a year. They have been providing safe and exciting trips for schools since 1984 and have a rapidly expanding selection of program(me)s around the world for schools and groups. With an established reputation worldwide for student travel, they offer something for everyone.

All programmes are tailored to suit the requirements of the group.

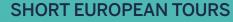
- Language and Cultural Tours
- Science and Geography Tours
- Arts, Drama and Classics Tours
- Sports Tours
- Ski Trips
- Adventure Tours
- Global Citizenship and Service Learning











Ardmore Educational Travel is also the bespoke travel department of The Ardmore Group. As well as arranging worldwide educational trips & tours for schools and college groups, it also offers a range of European 'Add-On' tours, which can be combined with your stay at an Ardmore Language School. Our most popular destinations are Paris, Amsterdam, Barcelona, Madrid and Berlin, but wherever takes your fancy, Ardmore Educational Travel can arrange it for you. Our typical European Add-On is between 3-7 nights but longer for European multi-stop trips.

So if you're travelling a long way to join us in the UK or USA, why not add on additional exciting countries and cultures with Ardmore Educational Travell

If you would like more information on what Ardmore Educational Travel have to offer or would like to request a brochure, please contact:

Email: info@ardmoreeducationaltravel.com

Tel: +44 (0)1628 826699
Web: www.ardmore.travel









## **ARDMORE USA**

Summer English Language Residential and Homestay Courses



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## **BOSTON**

## Held at Boston University

10 - 16 years

Boston University (BU) is a private university centrally located in the city of Boston.

Boston University's modern, well-equipped campus is situated in Boston's Fenway-Kenmore area along the scenic banks of the Charles River. Only minutes from historic Fenway Park and downtown Boston, BU's campus is the perfect location to discover one of the United States' most historic cities and its exciting historic, cultural, and social attractions.

Ardmore Language Schools is not affiliated with Boston University. Although programs are scheduled to occur on the campus of Boston University, the use of University facilities and/or property does not constitute or imply the endorsement or support of Language Schools by Boston University.

#### LOCATION



5 km from Boston



10 km from Boston Airport



#### **FACILITIES**













#### **ACCOMMODATION**

24-hour front desk security

TV Lounge and

Games area

In building laundry

Twin-bedded rooms with shared facilities

Vending areas

Wifi internet access

Full board – breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week) and packed lunch on excursions











- Modern beautiful campus with air-conditioned accommodation
- 24-hours campus security
- State of the art student centre including various shops, cafes
- Free laundry





## MIAMI, FLORIDA Held at University of Miami 10 - 19 years

A vibrant and diverse academic community, the University of Miami has rapidly progressed to become one of America's top research universities.

Located in Coral Gables, a beautifully lush city in sunny South Florida, the University of Miami is just seven miles from downtown Miami. The University's Coral Gables campus is located on a 239-acre tract and is one of South Florida's prime destinations for a rich variety of arts and culture offerings.

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10 km from Miami City Centre



12 km from Miami International Airport



















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

MIAMI

Traditional style residence halls with air conditioned rooms. Two students per room with hall bath

Semi-private community style bathroom with stalls that contain a toilet and shower

Buffet-style cafeteria with all you can eat plan





## PRATT INSTITUTE

Brooklyn, New York

14 - 19 years

Founded in 1897, Pratt Institute is one of the leading fine arts colleges in the United States. The campus is just 20 minutes from the skyscrapers of Downtown Manhattan and only 30 minutes from bustling Midtown and exciting Times Square.

Pratt Institute has access to Prospect Park and downtown Brooklyn, as well as NYC. This, combined with its fully landscaped park-like campus and unique artistic setting, makes Pratt Institute the perfect complement to the bustle of NYC and the ideal setting to explore all that this great city has to offer.

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#### LOCATION



5 km from Central Manhattan



30 km from Newark Airport 27 km from JFK Airport



#### **FACILITIES**

















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Halls of residence with twin-bedded rooms (some singles for Group Leaders) with shared facilities

Wifi internet access / 24 hour security

Lounge with TV and kitchenette, Games room and study area

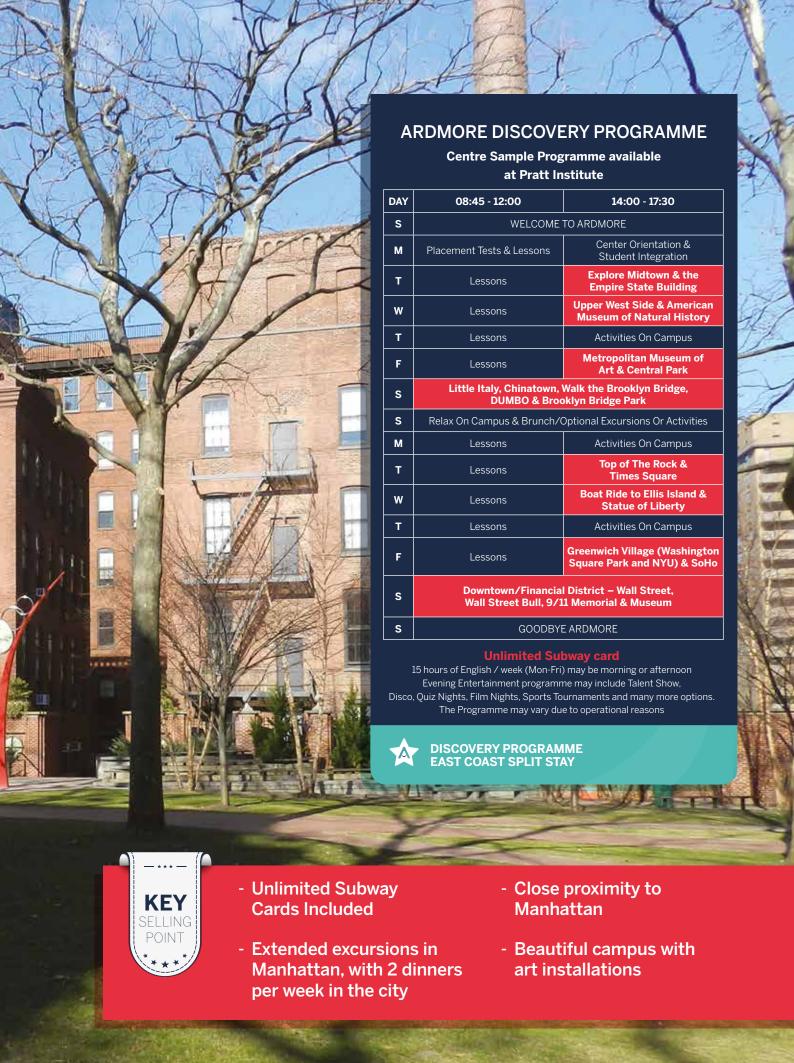
Full board - breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week) – packed lunch on excursions

Homestay – carefully selected host families in the New York area on a full board basis with daily drop-off and pick-up













## **SAINT PETER'S** UNIVERSITY

Jersey City, New York Area 12 - 19 years

Saint Peter's University was founded in 1872 and is a co-educational liberal arts university located within a fantastic urban setting.

Located in the heart of Jersey City, Saint Peter's University, is a bustling urban campus surrounded by a welcoming and diverse community. Students can access the country's biggest metropolitan area by bus, train or ferry within minutes.

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#### LOCATION



15 km from New York



15 km from Newark Airport 40 km from JFK Airport



#### **FACILITIES**

















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Air-conditioned twin or triple rooms with shared facilities

Bath towels provided

Common areas with relaxation lounges on all floors Full board – breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week) – packed lunch on excursions.

Homestay – carefully selected host families in the New York area on a full board basis with daily drop-off and pick-up







## **UC BERKELEY**

### San Francisco

10 - 19 years

Founded in 1866, the University of California, Berkeley is one of the USA's top ranking Universities and is located in the beautiful San Francisco Bay area. The historic central campus is spread across 178 acres and offers fantastic facilities including astro pitches, large common areas, an indoor sports hall and a large swimming pool.

Students stay in modern twin-bedded accommodation with shared facilities. The fantastic Discovery Excursion Programme is an exciting opportunity for students to discover the famous city of San Francisco with visits to landmarks like the Golden Gate Bridge and the largest Chinatown in the United States.

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#### LOCATION



22 km from San Francisco City Centre



40 km from San Francisco Airport

SAN FRANCISCO

UC BERKELEY

#### **FACILITIES**









#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Twin rooms with shared facilities

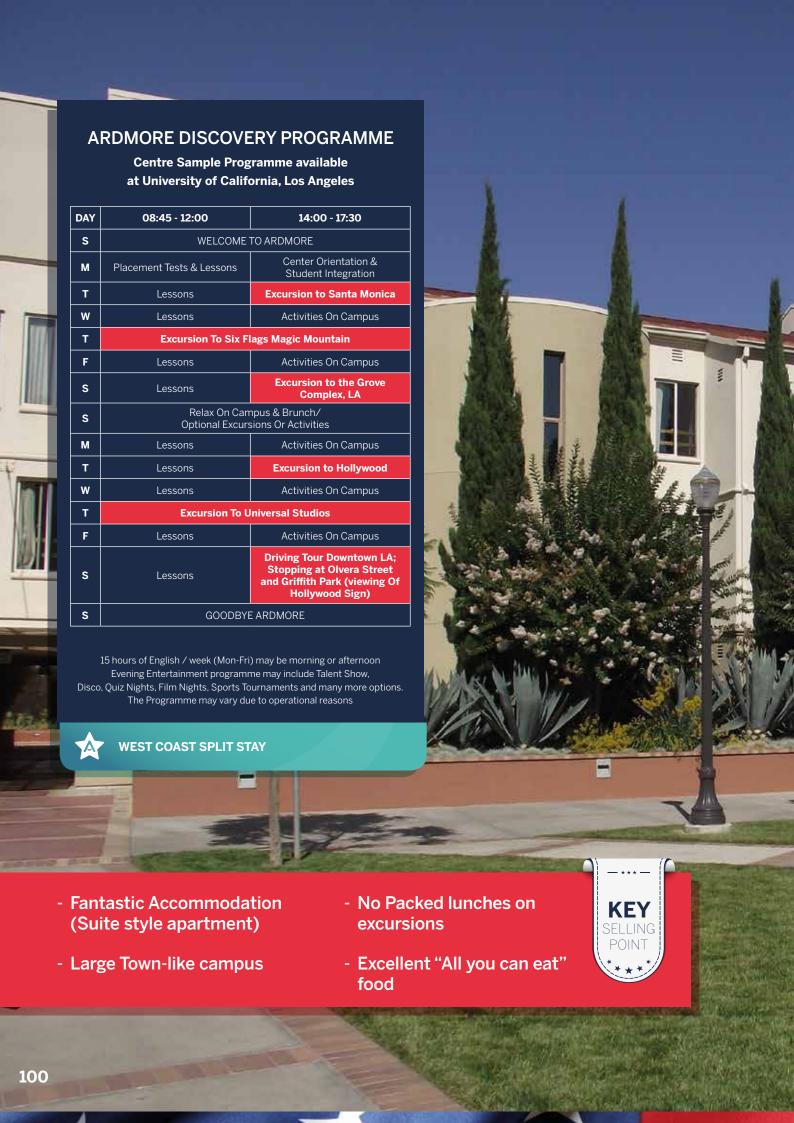
Common areas, wifi available

Full board – breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week) packed lunch on excursions











### **UCLA** Hollywood, Los Angeles 10 - 19 years

The University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) is one of the world's top ranking Universities. Founded in 1919, the campus is located near Beverly Hills, western Los Angeles.

The location is perfect for students wishing to explore LA. It is a short 20 minute journey to the city's main attractions including Santa Monica, Universal Studios, Hollywood, Disneyland and Downtown LA.

Ardmore Language Schools is not affiliated with UCLA. Although programs are scheduled to occur on the campus of UCLA, the use of University facilities and/or property does not constitute or imply the endorsement or support of Language

#### LOCATION



6 km from Beverly Hills



30 km from Los Angeles Airport



#### **FACILITIES**















#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Two bedroom apartments with private bathrooms and lounge area

Twin or triple rooms available (Some singles for group leaders)

> Common areas, wifi available

Full board - breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week) money provided for lunches on excursions.

Self-contained en-suite apartments







## **UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII** MANOA

Hawaii 10 - 19 years

Founded in 1907, the University of Hawaii, Manoa is the flagship university of Hawaii, with 14,000 undergraduate students and a campus covering 320 acres on the island of Oahu.

This is a diverse community with beautiful landscapes and state-of-the-art athletic facilities. The Campus is located just outside Downtown Honolulu; a shimmering mecca of hustle and bustle plus museums and a royal palace.

Ardmore Language Schools is not affiliated with University of Hawaii Manoa. Although programs are scheduled to occur on the campus of University of Hawaii Manoa, the use of University facilities and/or property does not constitute or imply the endorsement or support of Language Schools by University of Hawaii Manoa.

#### **LOCATION**



7 km from Downtown Honolulu



12 km from Honolulu Airport



#### **FACILITIES**











#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Modern Halls of Residence

Twin, Triple or Quad rooms available (some singles for group leaders) with shared facilities

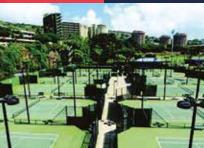
Lounge with TV and kitchenette

Games room and study areas

Wifi internet access

Superior accommodation available on request

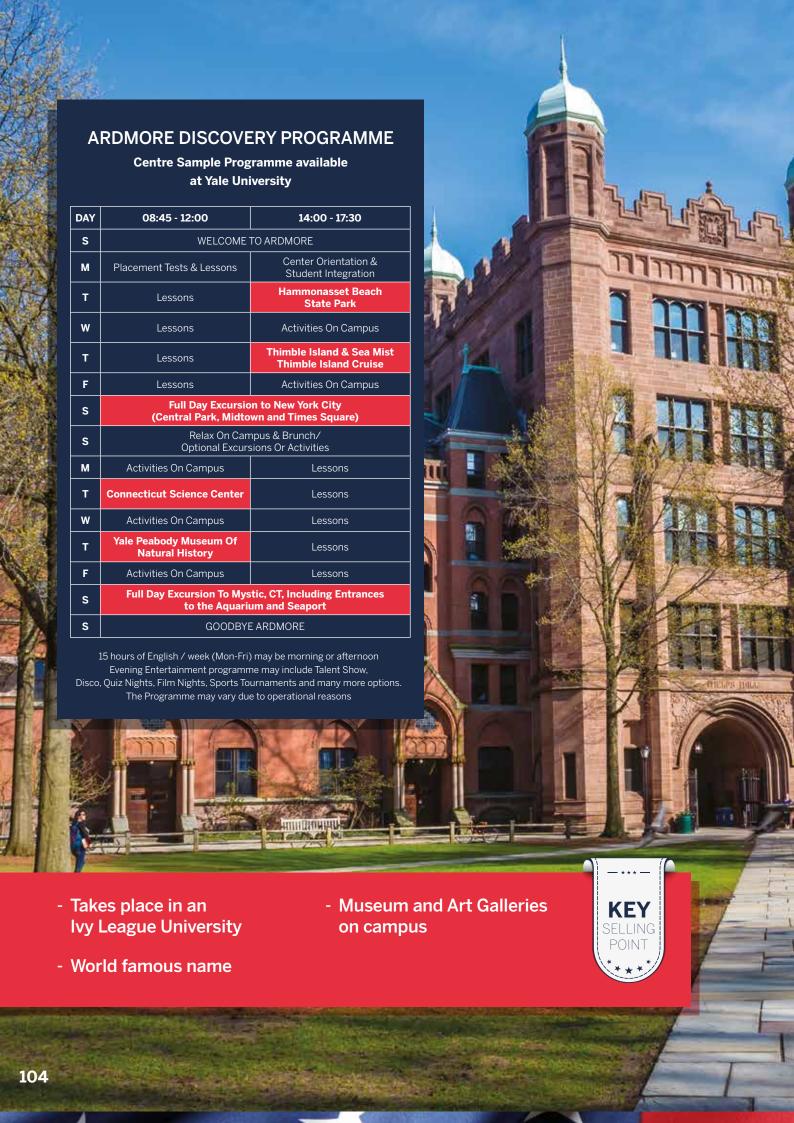














## YALE UNIVERSITY

New Haven, Connecticut 13 - 19 years

Founded in 1701, Yale University is an Ivy League institution and one of the leading liberal arts universities in the United States and the world.

The campus is nestled in downtown New Haven, right next to the historic New Haven Green. Yale is only a two hour journey to Boston and a 90 minute journey to Manhattan.

Ardmore Language Schools is not affiliated with Yale University. Although programs are scheduled to occur on the campus of Yale University, the use of University facilities and/or property does not constitute or imply the endorsement or support of Language Schools by Yale University.

#### **LOCATION**



0.5 km from New Haven City Centre



130 km from JFK Airport



#### **FACILITIES**













#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Recently renovated residential colleges

Twin and triple bedded rooms (some singles for group leaders) with shared facilities

Wifi internet access

24 hour security

Full board - breakfast, lunch & evening meals with brunch on Sundays (20 meals per week)

– packed lunch on excursions

Games room and study area





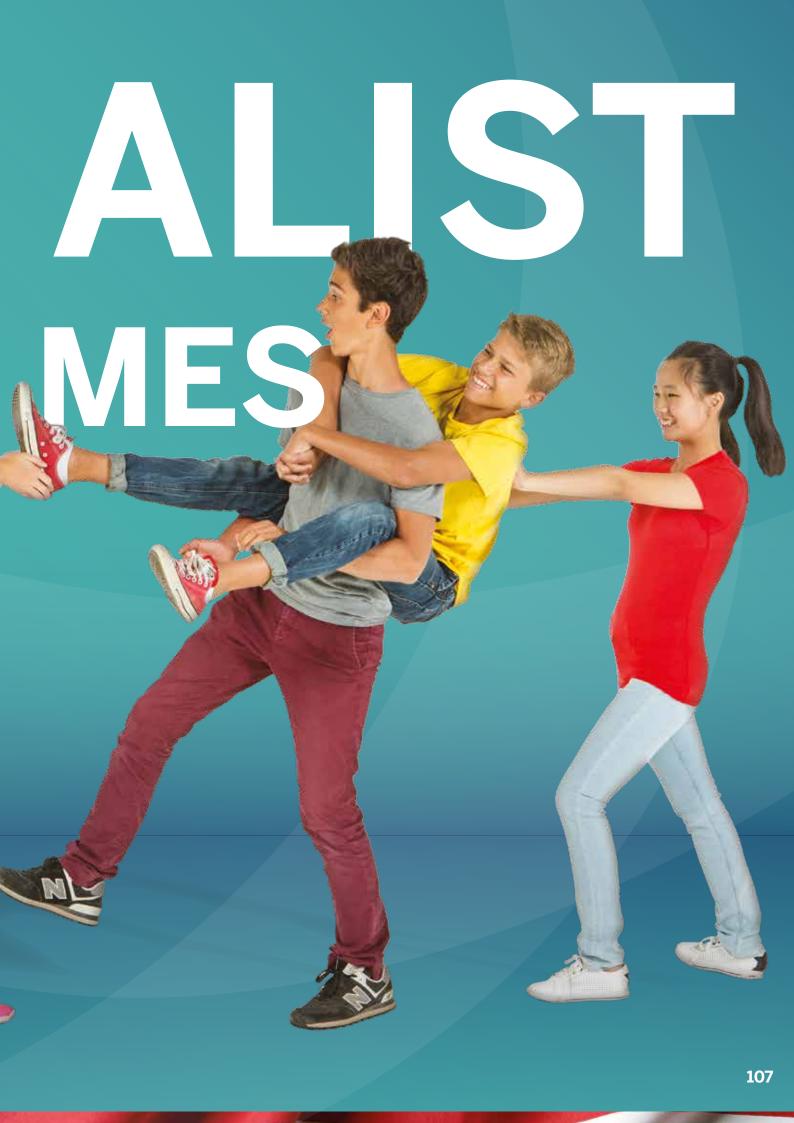


PROGRA

Here at Ardmore we are passionate and enthusiastic about all of our courses offered. Alongside our multi activity programme we have developed a range of specialist courses to cater for all interests. Whether you are a basketball player, have an interest in volunteering or love Dance & Drama we are certain we have a course for you!

These specialist courses give a further dimension to the students' stay. With all instruction delivered in English, the learning experience is further enhanced by the specific instructions required for many of our specialist courses.

Ardmore is also delighted to introduce the STEM Programme. Students will have the opportunity to develop their scientific vocabulary, as well as enhance their problem solving and critical thinking.





# DANCE & DRAMA ACADEMY

Saint Peter's University

12 - 19 years

See centre information on pages 96

Students attending the Academy will be fully immersed in all aspects of the Performing Arts. The programme for summer 2019 has a brand new curriculum which our dance instructors will follow over a two week course. Experience and feedback from previous courses has enabled us to create both a fun and enjoyable programme which includes improving communication in English.

Each of the sessions have the same core elements which help students improve key skills such as confidence, flexibility, range of motion, coordination and much more. In addition to this, students learn a dance routine for a song chosen by them, and create a show for the final day of the course.

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Every year we are pleased to welcome students from all over the world to the Ardmore Dance and Drama Academy. Our talented and friendly instructors offer great advice and encouragement for children new to the arts and draw on years of experience to help the more advanced students improve their stage skills and gain further confidence. So whether your students are completely new to the stage or have previous dance and drama experience they are sure to enjoy this great course.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 12 hours of Dance & Drama with qualified instructors per week
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
  Wall St., Battery Park, 9/11 Memorial,
  Boat Ride to Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
  Broadway Show, NBC Studio Tour & 5th Ave,
  Empire State Building

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

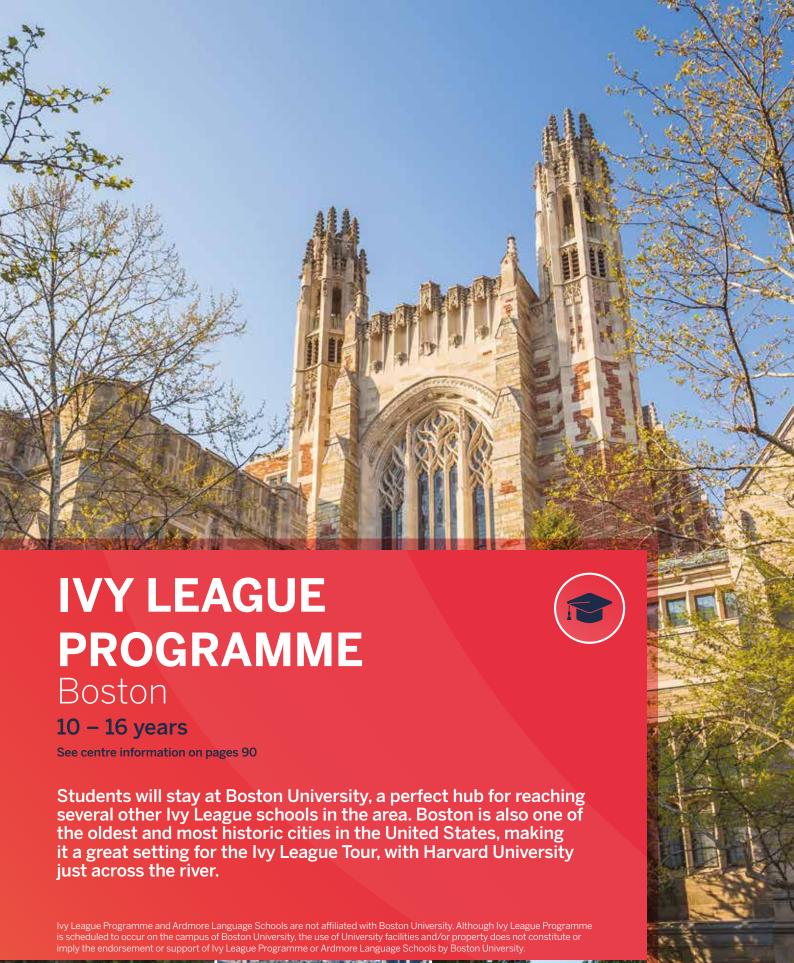
 Ideal course for those who love being on stage and want to develop their dance and drama skills whilst learning English.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Learning a set routine gives students the confidence to perform in front of friends, family or in public and it can be tailored to their age or skill level. The final day performance gives the students a chance to let their imagination run wild with guidance from their professional dance instructor.

Students are encouraged to communicate in English and create a show that they are happy to perform as a group in front of the whole school during their graduation ceremony.

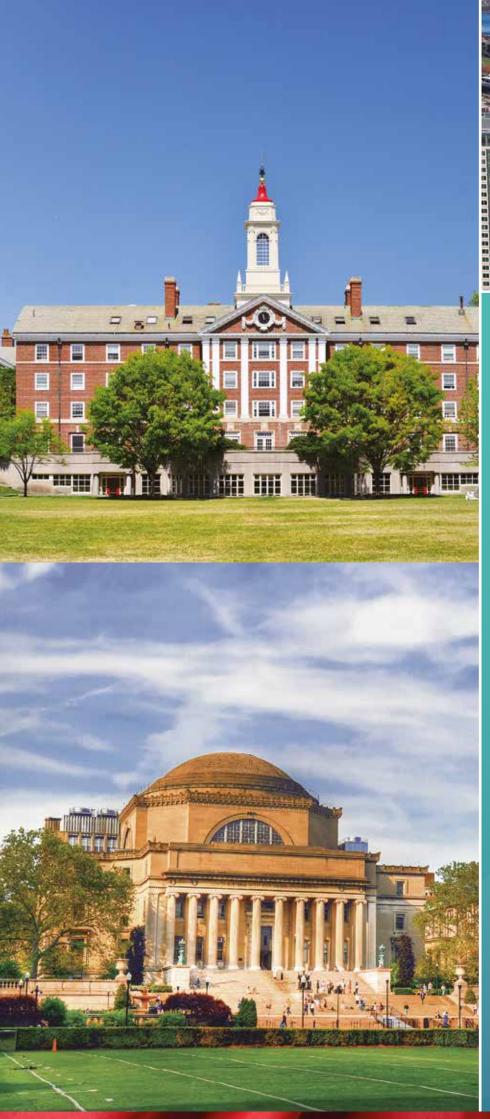
Students will have the chance to meet, socialise and perform with other like minded students from all over the world. Their use of practical and conversational English combined with their daily language classes will help to improve their spoken and written English.













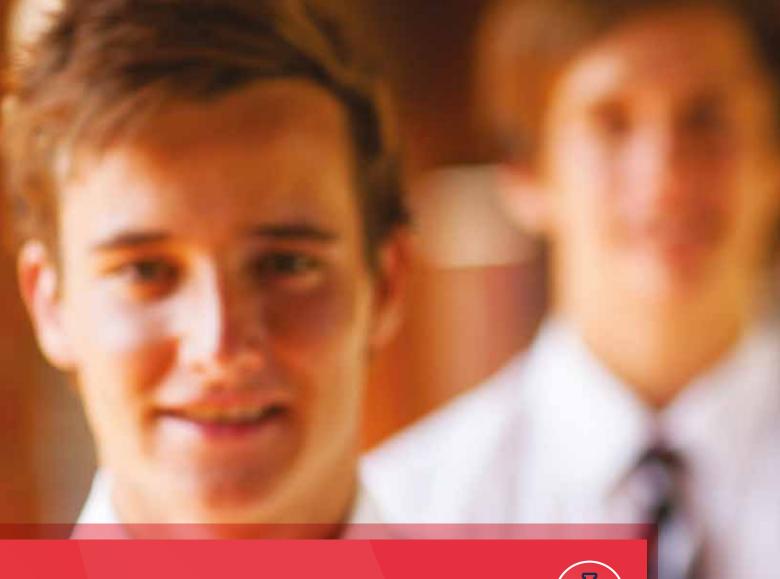
This programme is perfect for those students who are considering applying to one of these prestigious universities and want to know more about them, including how to apply. Available fo groups only.

#### **☑** INCLUDED

- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
  Yale & Harvard University Tours,
  New York City & Columbia University Tour
- 3 Half Day Excursions (per week)
  Freedom Trail Guided Tour, MIT University Tour,
  Charlestown, New England Aquarium, Red Sox
  Fenway Stadium Tour, Brown University Tour

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

The lvy League is a group of eight longestablished colleges and universities in the Northeastern United States that are regarded as the best in the country and some of the best in the world! They are known for their rigorous academics and high social prestige. The league includes the universities of Harvard, Yale, Columbia, and Brown, amongst others. Language classes will help to improve their spoken and written English.



### **STEM ACADEMY**



Boston: 10 - 16 years

UC Berkeley: 10 - 19 years

See centre information on pages 90 and 98

Ardmore is delighted to introduce the STEM Academy. Students will have the opportunity to explore the four elements of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths), develop their vocabulary, while enhancing their understanding of each element.

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The course offers a truly cross-cultural opportunity for young learners to improve their key skills. Participation in the STEM Academy affords future young leaders an unparalleled chance to build confidence in key areas such as scientific vocabulary, problem solving, mathematical functions and design.

#### **☑ INCLUDED**

- 15 hours of English lessons per week in international classes
- 12 hours per week of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics related activities
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)

#### **BOSTON**

Museum of Science, Tour of MIT, Boston University Observatory, Microsoft YouthSpark

#### **SAN FRANCISCO**

Google grounds, Computer History Museum, Intel Museum. The Tech Museum of Innovation

#### △ SELLING POINTS

- Our STEM Academy seeks to broaden students' horizons, inspire them to achieve and provide them with new life skills which will help them to undertake further learning and future academic opportunities. Students will attend seminars, workshops and lectures by guest speakers.
- STEM subjects will include Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths, all designed to challenge and prepare our international students for the future.
- The Ardmore STEM Academy includes exciting field trips, interactive workshops, simulations, case studies, presentations and speeches from guest speakers.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Having the drive and intellectual curiosity to tackle difficult situations and tough challenges, plus the ability to help other people do their best is an essential life skill. By developing these academic skills, students will open up opportunities for a bright and positive future.







Students travelling to the USA have the unique opportunity to visit two exciting cities during our course by choosing our split stay programme to New York and Boston. Available for groups only.

#### **☑** INCLUDED

- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
  Wall St., Battery Park, 9/11 Memorial,
  Boat Ride to Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty,
  Whale Watching Boat Cruise
- The state of the s
- Transfer between centres

#### △ SELLING POINTS

- Why settle for one fantastic destination when you can have two?
- Offer your students this unique and diverse cultural experience to offer them a language summer programme they will never forget.
- Students will stay in our carefully selected residential colleges in New York and Boston







Students traveling to the USA have the unique opportunity to visit two exciting cities during our course by choosing our Split Stay Programme to San Francisco and Los Angeles! Available for groups only.

#### **☑** INCLUDED

- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
   Universal Studios, Pier 39 & Golden Gate
   Bridge Boat Cruise
- 2 Half Day Excursions (per week)
   Santa Monica, Grove Complex, North Beach & Chinatown, Alamo Square / Haight & Ashbury, Lombard St. & Coit Tower
- Transfer between centres

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

- Why settle for one fantastic destination when you can have two?
- Offer students this unique and diverse cultural experience to offer them a language summer programme they will never forget.
- Students will stay in two of the world's leading universities based in San Francisco and Los Angeles.



# BASKETBALL ACADEMY

Saint Peter's University

12 - 19 years

See centre information on pages 96

Each session will be designed to work on the fundamentals of basketball, with sessions including shooting, ball handling and team play. Students will have the chance to play in mini leagues and competitions throughout the week.

All sessions are delivered in a way that ensures that all children enjoy high activity sessions and that the drills are flexible and catered for different standards of play. Closed drills i.e. technical work is only used if certain players need extra attention to get them up to the standard of the rest of the group.

As well as immersion into this fast paced sport, students will have the opportunity to improve their knowledge of the English Language. The basketball briefings and coaching are conducted in English and the students enjoy the benefits of 15 hours of classroom English lessons per week.

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This course is aimed at boys and girls aged between 13-19 years. Students from all over the world return each year to improve their basketball skills in addition to their English language. For any coaches who may travel with groups of students, there is a great opportunity to exchange ideas with the academy coaches and pick up the latest techniques from the coaches of Ardmore Basketball Academy.

#### ☑ INCLUDED

- 12 hours of basketball coaching by
- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
  Wall St., Battery Park, 9/11 Memorial,
  Boat Ride to Ellis Island & Statue of Liberty,
  Little Italy, Chinatown, SoHo
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
  West & Greenwich Village, the Cage Basketball
  Court, Rucker Basketball Park, Central Park,
  Upper East Side, Grand Central Station,
  Fifth Ave, Times Square, Empire State Building

#### **△** SELLING POINTS

Coaching will be provided by coaches who are highly qualified and have vast experience working with players of all ages and abilities.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

The Academy has excellent basketball training facilities plus a wide range of additional sport and recreational facilities to complement the intensive training programme. There are plenty of facilities that include tennis courts, sports hall and swimming pool.



# VOLUNTEER PROGRAMME

Boston • UC Berkeley

Boston: 10 - 16 years

UC Berkeley 10 - 19 years

See centre information on pages 90 and 98

These volunteer experience sessions will include outdoor activities such as park or beach maintenance, as well as work in charity service industries such as shops, cafés etc.

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This is the chance to combine their English language course with the opportunity to undertake some volunteer experience in the USA.

#### ☑ INCLUDED

#### **BOSTON**

- 1 Full Day Excursion (per week)
  Whale Watching Boat Cruise,
  Shopping at Newbury St. & Prudential
  Center, Skywalk Observatory
- 1 Half Day Excursion (per week)
   Quincy Market & Faneuil Hall, Cambridge:
   Harvard & MIT, Freedom Trail Guided Tour,
   Charlestown & the USS Constitution

#### **SAN FRANCISCO**

- 1 Full Day Excursion
  Walk Across the Golden Gate Bridge,
  Exploratorium, Ferry Building,
  Pier 39 & Golden Gate Bridge Boat Cruise
- 2 Half Day Excursions
   Alamo Square/Haight & Ashbury,
   Academy of Sciences, Union Square & Yerba
   Buena Gardens, Lombard St. & Coit Tower
- 2 volunteer sessions per week

#### △ SELLING POINTS

 This is an ideal programme for international students wishing to contribute to society during their study abroad period.

#### **TESTIMONIALS**

"We send our sincerest appreciation to you. Your thoughtful efforts are a vital contribution to our projects."







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