





### **ADVENTURES IN ENGLISH**

Our Adventures in English course is perfect for students looking to improve their English both inside and outside the classroom, while enjoying the rich nature that surrounds the beautiful Windlesham school. This course has an ideal mix of adventure activities, excursions and lessons well suited for young learners and younger teens.

# Academics

There are 18 hours of lessons per week including English Skills, Explorations and Adventure Activities. All levels are available with a maximum of 14 students per class. Weekly tests are conducted to check progress. Lessons improve students' general language competencies (including grammar and vocabulary) while placing particular emphasis on communication, fluency and building confidence in the speaker.

#### LEVELS

All levels are welcome, starting from AO (Complete Beginner) up to C2 (Proficiency).

#### ENGLISH SKILLS

These lessons are designed to improve students' general language skills, extend their vocabulary and better their understanding of grammar, to improve accuracy when producing spoken and written English.

#### **EXPLORATIONS**

These lessons use CLIL methodology to develop students' English Skills through a range of stimulating subjects such as Science, Technology, Geography and History.

#### ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES

Adventure Activities offer students practical lessons outdoors, focusing on productive and receptive communication skills such as orienteering, problem-solving, survival skills or bushcraft activities.

For further information on Academics at Bede's Summer School, please see <u>page 10</u> of the Introduction.

### **DIGITAL TRAILBLAZERS**

A trailblazer is an original thinker at the forefront of discovery, who also leads others towards new and exciting possibilities. Our Digital Trailblazers course will similarly teach students to confidently navigate and take bold forward steps in a rapidly shifting global terrain through the effective use of a 21st Century Skills toolkit.

# Academics

Critical thinking and problem-solving are at the heart of learning and innovation. 21C Skills are designed to train students to solve the complex challenges and problems associated with living in a competitive, globally connected and technologically intensive world. 21C Skills offer weekly task-based lessons and workshops that use English for real purposes, placing particular emphasis on communication, fluency and building confidence in the speaker.

#### LEVELS

Five levels available from A2 (Pre-Intermediate) to C2 (Proficiency). Complete Beginners and Beginners are not accepted on the Digital Trailblazers course. Students whose mother tongue is English are welcome on this course.

#### 21C SKILLS

These lessons and workshops use a number of modern tools and methods, many of them related to social media, digital communication and technology that appeal to curious minds such as:

- Animation
- 3D Design & Printing

YouTube for Kids

- Build an App
- Blogging
- Trend-setting in Fashion

These sessions are designed to develop Life Skills such as Collaboration, Creativity, Critical Thinking, Problem-Solving, Information Literacy and Teamwork, to help students reach their full potential.

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### Leisure

# SPORTS & ACTIVITIES (AFTERNOONS)

After lessons, students participate in a variety of sports and recreational activities. Students will be able to choose their preferred sport or activity.

Examples are: Cooking, Dance, Drama, Football, Handball, Short Tennis, Swimming and Touch Rugby.

#### SOCIAL EVENTS (EVENINGS)

Social events are always the perfect time for students to mix and enjoy themselves with their new friends. At Windlesham they include: Disco, Egg Drop Challenge, Fashion Show, Karaoke, Messy Games, Mini Olympics, Talent Show and Treasure Hunt.

#### **EXCURSIONS**

Students taking Adventures in English and Digital Trailblazers enjoy a full-day excursion every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday to a variety of locations including London, Brighton, Windsor and more. Students will visit an exciting mix of cultural, historical and amusement attractions. For more information please see the next page.

#### ACADEMIES (OPTIONAL)

Academies are a great addition to our Adventures in English and Digital Trailblazers course, these include:

- Basketball Skills
- E-Kart Racing
- Film & Animation
- Horse Riding
- LEGO & Coding
- Street Dance
- Tennis



Please check the <u>Course</u> <u>Summary</u> for further information on Academies.