

Boarders of the future

Lessons



ENG CORE ENGLISH

English language lessons are designed to improve students' receptive and productive skills (reading, writing, speaking, listening), extend the scope and range of their vocabulary in both formal and informal contexts and deepen their understanding of grammar to improve spoken and written accuracy.



LEARNING & INNOVATION

These task-based lessons enable students to work collaboratively to research, discuss and create projects that reflect their knowledge, skills, and personality while developing strategies that are essential for success in the 21st century. The projects have been specially created to help develop the students' capabilities in each of the 4Cs that form the core of the 21st Century Learning curriculum: Collaboration, Communication, Creativity, and Critical Thinking.

FOCUS BOARDING

These lessons are designed to develop some key skills required throughout the application process and introduce students to some fundamentals of studying and living in a UK boarding school such as:

- Application guidance
- Boarding school life
- British culture & values
- British education system
- British history
- English literature
- Interview training
- Independent study skills
- Mental arithmetic
- Research skills



MISSION: INTEGRATION!

Sunday evenings offer organised ice-breaker activities that allow new and continuing students to meet each other and start to build new friendships.

TIMETABLE A typical week

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
07:30	New students	Wake Up	Wake Up	Wake Up	Wake Up	Wake Up	Departing students
08:00	ARRIVAL DAY	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	DEPARTURE DAY
08:45	Students can arrive at any time, but preferably in the afternoon.	Meeting	Meeting	Meeting	Meeting	Meeting	Departing students should depart in the morning and cannot attend the excursion.
09:00	Continuing students ALL DAY EXCURSION	Core English (1¼ hrs) What does true friendship mean? What attributes does an ideal friend have? How many true friends do you have?	Core English (1¼ hrs) In twos, make a list of the advantages and disadvantages of playing modern computer games.	Core English (1¼ hrs) What domestic and global social media channels do you use, how often and what for?	Core English (1¼ hrs) In twos, research some basic facts about BREXIT and present your findings to the class.	Core English (1¼ hrs) Revision Assessment True Me Reflection	Continuing students ALL DAY EXCURSION
10:15	City / Seaside Town Visit	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Visit Southampton's landmark and historical building Titchfield Abbey.
10:45	Visit a local city or seaside town to explore the town / city, visit any local attractions, have a walk along the promenade, go to a café or go shopping.	Learning & Innovation (1¼ hrs) Using your mobile phone, record a one-minute video to introduce yourself and show your classmate.	Learning & Innovation (1¼ hrs) Write a blog about your first day at British Summer School and post it online.	Learning & Innovation (1¼ hrs) Find a video clip on YouTube that summarizes how you feel about technology and explain the video and your feelings to the class.	Learning & Innovation (1¼ hrs) Program a micro bit to achieve a task of your choice such as controlling a music play list or creating a visual message for a classmate.	Learning & Innovation (1¼ hrs) Write an email to a family member or friend in English to tell them about achievements so far at British Summer School. Questionnaire	In the afternoon, have some free time to explore the city centre, go to a café or go shopping.
12:00		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
13:00		Focus Boarding (1½ hrs) British Culture & Values	Focus Boarding (1½ hrs) Interview Training	Focus Boarding (1½ hrs) Independent Study Skills	Focus Boarding (1½ hrs) Boarding School life	Focus Boarding (1½ hrs) Mental Arithmetic	
14:30		Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	
15:00		Sports & Leisure <i>Choose between:</i> Football Volleyball Fitness Session Model Making	Sports & Leisure <i>Choose between:</i> Basketball Athletics Tennis Salsa Lesson	Sports & Leisure <i>Choose between:</i> Football Rounders Messy Games Landscape Painting	Sports & Leisure <i>Choose between:</i> Kwik Cricket Tennis Swimming Tie-die t-shirt	Sports & Leisure <i>Choose between:</i> Football Basketball Circuits Challenge Yoga	
16:30		Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	
18:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
19:00	BSS Experience Mission: Integration! featuring True Me	BSS Experience Housewarming! featuring True Me	BSS Experience Challenges & Events featuring True Me	BSS Experience Challenges & Events featuring True Me	BSS Experience Challenges & Events featuring True Me	BSS Experience Let's Celebrate! featuring True Me	Chill and Chat
20:30	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	
21:00	House Meeting	House Meeting	House Meeting	House Meeting	House Meeting	House Meeting	House Meeting
22:15	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)	Lights Out (12-14yrs)
23:00	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)	Lights Out (15yrs)

For illustrative purposes only; actual activities and timings may be different.