



CERAN Academy

Seriously fun.

JUNIORS & YOUNG ADULTS
From 9 to 25 years old

2025



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WELCOME

It all began nearly 50 years ago, in Spa, Belgium, when the founding couple of **CERAN**, Monique and René Bastin, had a vision to help people from different backgrounds and cultures communicate and understand each other better.

Today, **CERAN's** mission is as relevant as ever, and the **CERAN** group continues to carry out this mission by offering a variety of language and intercultural training courses to both companies and individuals. You choose what suits your needs best: full-immersion, distance-learning, or e-learning.

In 2019, **CERAN** became part of the Chateaufarm' group, the European leader in hosting seminars and corporate events. CERAN immersion courses now benefit from the added warmth and quality of service from the Chateaufarm' teams and venues throughout Europe.

At the **CERAN** Academy, we put all our skills, energy, and care into supporting **JUNIORS** (9 to 17 years old) and **YOUNG ADULTS** (18 to 25 years old) on their educational journey at our sites in Spa and St Roch Ferrières (Belgium) during the school holidays and remotely all year round.

You can count on the commitment and experience of the **CERAN Academy** to provide lasting progress through «Seriously Fun» language experiences.

The CERAN [Academy](#) Team

OUR COMMITMENTS



Exceptional destinations and secure facilities



Centres equipped with high-tech teaching tools



Educational and fun activities and excursions



Immersion programmes



Premium accommodation and balanced meals



Small classes - no more than 9 children per class with an average of 7



Intensive academic programme applied using **CERAN's** own methodology



Rapid progress: 1 CEFR level acquired in an average of 2.5 weeks



Native-speaker instructors trained in the **CERAN** methodology



International camps with a good mix of nationalities



High ratio of 1 staff member to 3 students



Care for our customers, partners, talents and the environment

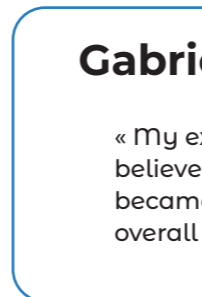
TESTIMONIALS



Anna B. [Germany - 10 y.o.](#)



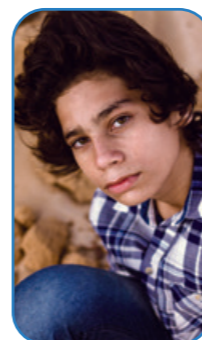
« It was really amazing ! Teachers were very nice, activities were really fun. Excursions were out of this world ! »



Gabriela G. [Sweden - 13 y.o.](#)



« My experience at **CERAN** was very good because I believe I learned French and also I met people who became my friends and I am very happy for that. My overall satisfaction was very positive. »



Lucas V. [Spain - 15 y.o.](#)



« It was my first time at **CERAN**, and at first, I was a bit scared to come. I didn't know what to expect, but by the second day, I started to love it and even asked to extend my stay for another week. I met amazing people here, the lessons were great, and the food was good too. Overall, I really enjoyed those two weeks. »



Video testimonials

Scan this QR Code to access more testimonials of our students in video format.



JUNIORS PROGRAMME

From 9 to 17 years old



Thanks to our well-balanced programmes which combine teaching and leisure, the **CERAN** Academy offers **JUNIORS** from 9 to 17 years old language immersion courses in Belgium. From beginners to advanced, all levels are welcome to learn in groups of maximum 7 to 9 students following 28 45-minute lessons per week. The lessons and activities are organised by language level and age group.

- Pre-teens 9-12 y.o.
- Teens 13-15 y.o.
- Senior teens 16-17 y.o.

SERIOUSLY.

The **CERAN Academy** offers intensive courses for **JUNIORS** in 4 different languages: French, English, German and Dutch (please enquire about other languages for which we can offer individual programmes). Each student practices the target language throughout the day for a better assimilation of knowledge, including during organised leisure activities.

The courses allow young learners to gain confidence, improve their communication skills, activate their knowledge, overcome difficulties experienced at school or simply start learning a new language.

[INTENSIVE PROGRAMME]

CERAN Academy students all benefit from 28 45-minute group lessons per week (equivalent to 21 hours of classes), including speaking, reading and comprehension lessons in the morning, while the afternoon is dedicated to writing lessons and projects in which the language is put into practice. Vocabulary and grammar are taught through the practice of everyday situations such as introducing oneself, giving one's opinion on current affairs or the study of different themes which lead to multimedia presentations, exhibitions of paintings, photographs or videos.

INTENSIVE (2, 4, 6, 8 lessons)

It is possible to add extra individual lessons each day - 2, 4, 6 or 8 lessons more during the week - in order to work on a specific difficulty, a gap, to prepare for a school exam or international tests such as Cambridge, TOEFL, DALF, etc.



THE 4 PILLARS OF THE CERAN METHODOLOGY

Developed in 1975 and continually updated and improved, the CERAN methodology focuses on communication and enables young learners to express themselves in the target language with greater confidence.



THE CONCEPT OF IMMERSION

From morning to evening, students practice the target language with their classmates, teachers and supervisors, even outside the classroom during meals, activities and excursions. Non-stop practice!



VERBO TONAL

Every language has its own music, rhythm and intonation. This verbo-tonal method corrects students' phonetic errors, improves pronunciation and reduces the influence of their mother tongue to enable better communication.



QRI®

QUESTION, ANSWER, INTONATION

A technique of reinforcement and assimilation of the language based on mutual listening between the trainer and the learner and on repetition. Did you know that neuroscientific studies have shown that you have to repeat something at least 5 times in order to remember it?



KEY SENTENCES

They summarise each lesson and are recorded for students to practice and use in different contexts.

FUN.

Each student will be offered **19 sessions of recreational activities per week**. On Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays, a full-day excursion or sports, cultural or multimedia activities will be scheduled in connection with the week's educational project.



LANGUAGE+ (Golf, Tennis, Horse-Riding)*

During the summer, it is possible to combine your stay with specific sporting activities. This is the perfect opportunity to practice tennis, golf or horse riding instead of the sports and leisure activities planned after the day. Benefit from the region's exceptional locations to take part in these sports in the target language.

The Transvaal equestrian centre welcomes you to its family friendly arena, where you can learn or improve your horse riding skills in complete safety and in an appropriate environment. Strolls, horse riding and animal care are all on offer.

For tennis enthusiasts, whether experienced or not, the Neupré tennis club and its 6 indoor courts will welcome Juniors to play singles or doubles.

Still located in the Belgian Ardennes, the Durbuy golf club offers a green and relaxing setting for practicing this sport. Designed by Fred Hawtree, this 18 hole course will give them the chance to challenge each other.

*The programmes are only available if sufficient registrations are submitted.

[FUNDiscover] Belgium

Our campus in St Roch Ferrières has sports facilities, green spaces and rooms for art work. In addition, there are many parks and gyms offering students a choice of activities: swimming, badminton, basketball, handball, beach volleyball, football, tchoukball, tree climbing, archery, tennis, drama, drawing, painting, scrapbooking, escape game or even talent shows.

Public speaking, Young Leaders and digital media workshops will also be on the programme.

Of course, visits to the cities of Liège, Brussels, Bruges, Luxembourg, Cologne or Maastricht, will be on the agenda in order to discover interactive exhibitions, monuments, chocolate shops, shopping streets and other themed places !



A TYPICAL WEEK AT CERAN

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Morning	Breakfast		Excursion	Breakfast		Departure 9am-12pm or Excursion	Excursion or Campus activities		
	Group lesson listening comprehension · oral expression	Break		Group lesson listening comprehension · oral expression	Break				
Lunch	Group lesson reading comprehension · oral expression		Lunch	Group lesson reading comprehension · oral expression		Lunch	Group lesson workshop · written expression	Break	
	Break			Break					
Afternoon	Group lesson language in action · workshop for B+ (15-17 YO)		Break	Group lesson language in action · workshop for B+ (15-17 YO)		Break	Intensive : sports, activities, workshops	Intensive 2, 4, 6, 8* : individual lessons	Language +** : tennis, golf, horse-riding
	Welcome			Intensive : sports, activities, workshops					
Dinner	Dinner		Dinner		Dinner		Dinner		
Evening	Welcome activities	Stargazing night	Karaoke night	Award ceremony	Friday party	Casino night	Camp-fire stories		
	Break and bed time		Break and bed time		Break and bed time		Break and bed time		

*offered in 2 lessons blocks with a maximum of 8 lessons per week
 **only during defined periods

This schedule and these activities are subject to change to deal with certain unforeseen events and/or weather conditions to guarantee the best experience for the children.

COLLÈGE ST-ROCH in FERRIÈRES Belgium



9-17 y/o

All. de Bernardfagne 7, 4190 Ferrières

French

English

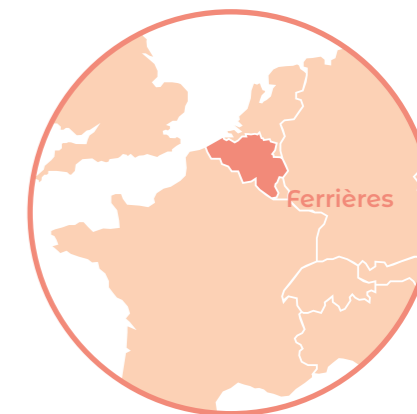
German

Dutch



[A MAGICAL PLACE]

CERAN Academy Belgium offers students an exceptional experience in a historic site: the Collège de Saint-Roch, in Ferrières, 1h30 from Brussels. Even though students might feel they have arrived on the set of a Harry Potter movie, they benefit from all the modern technology they need in this 1820 building. In terms of accommodation, Saint-Roch Ferrières offers 179 mainly single rooms with shared showers and toilets.



Dates 2025

	Intensive (2, 4, 6, 8)	Language+ Golf	Language+ Tennis	Language+ Horse-Riding
French	from 22/06 to 23/08	from 20/07 to 02/08	from 20/07 to 02/08	from 13/07 to 26/07
English	from 22/06 to 23/08	from 13/07 to 19/07 from 03/08 to 09/08	from 29/06 to 05/07	from 06/07 to 12/07
German	from 06/07 to 26/07	-	from 06/07 to 12/07	-
Dutch	from 03/08 to 23/08	-	-	-

Typical stay: 2-3 weeks

Minimum stay: 1 week, from Sunday to Saturday



TRANSPORT INFORMATION

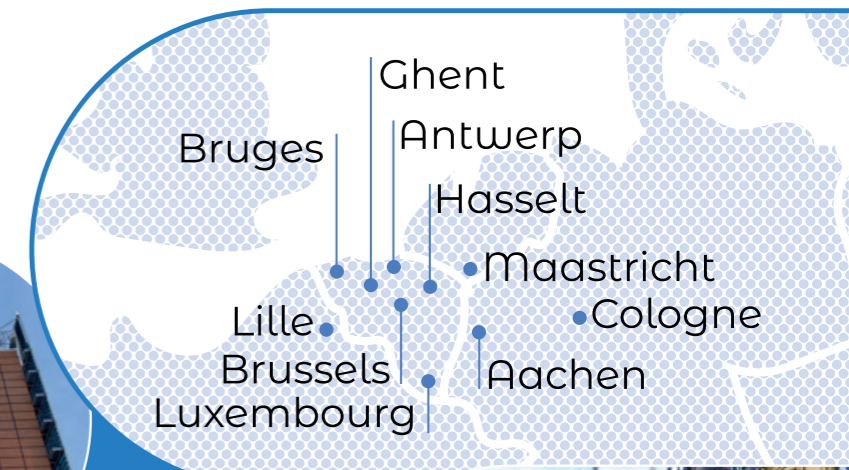
There are 2 ways to get to the sites. A transfer from Brussels train station or airport is available to students (130€ one way).
A transfer from Liège or Verviers train station will also be possible (75€ one way).

[EU EXCURSION]

Experience an enriching journey through Europe with our **EU Excursion**, where students will visit vibrant cities such as Brussels, Hasselt, Antwerp, Ghent, Bruges, and Luxembourg City. Additionally, we explore Aachen, Cologne, Maastricht, and Lille, highlighting our commitment to providing a diverse cultural experience beyond Belgium. Each weekend is filled with exciting activities, allowing participants to immerse themselves in local traditions, history, and language.



Aachen Cathedral, Aachen, Germany



European commission, Brussels, Belgium



Atomium, Brussels, Belgium



Central station, Antwerp, Belgium



Grand Ducal Palace, Luxembourg, Luxembourg



Belgium

Fees*

for 1 week all inclusive

Intensive	1 790€
Intensive + 2**	1 950€
Intensive + 4**	2 110€
Language + (Golf, Tennis, Horse-Riding)	2 270€
2 extra individual lessons per week	160€
Booking fee (non refundable)	80€
Serenity Insurance (recommended)	80€

*VAT not included

**+2 or +4 indicates the number of individual lessons per week added to the Intensive programme

We recommend that you take an international insurance. The **CERAN Academy** does not offer this service.

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YOUNG ADULTS PROGRAMME

From 18 to 25 years old

Follow @CERANAcademy on Facebook, Instagram, Tiktok and Youtube.



Video testimonials

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CERAN Academy offers young people aged 18 to 25 intensive language courses during the summer. The course takes place in Belgium, at the Château du Haut-Neubois in Spa. The **YOUNG ADULTS** programme allows students to improve their command of English or French in an intensive and rapid manner. This immersion and multicultural experience offers them the opportunity to develop effective communication skills in everyday life, present themselves and their academic or professional project, debate using different arguments, prepare for an interview or an entrance exam to a higher education institution.

CHÂTEAU DU HAUT-NEUBOIS in SPA Belgium

Av. des Petits Sapins 27, 4900 Spa

French

English

German

Dutch



[A GREEN EXPERIENCE]

The **CERAN Academy** Belgium welcomes the **YOUNG ADULTS** to the Château du Haut-Neubois in Spa, a city listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site of the «Great Water Cities of Europe» since 2021. Spa is also a town with an exceptional location in the Ardennes at the crossroads of several European countries and cultures: Germany, Luxembourg, the Netherlands & France. In terms of accommodation, the domain offers 77 simple rooms with ensuite bathrooms, lounges, dining rooms and even tennis and basketball courts !



Dates 2025

English	French
from 29/06 to 11/07	from 13/07 to 25/07



TRANSPORT INFORMATION

There are 2 ways to get to the sites. A transfer from Brussels train station or airport is available to students (245€ one way). A transfer from Liège or Verviers train station will also be possible (125€ one way).

CERAN Academy offers 2 weeks of continuous residential immersion training, with alternating learning, communication (breaks, meals, evenings), networking, sports and cultural activities.

Young-Adult Summer Workshops

- enhance your curriculum vitae
- social networking
- preparing a pitch
- interview skills & practice
- exam tips & advice + global exam
- intercultural agility
- public speaking
- sports, cultural and leisure activities

2 days of excursions and leisure activities at the weekend between the 2 weeks of training.

There is the possibility of joining **the programmes for adults over 25 (EXECUTIVES)** for the rest of the year for periods of at least one week and in different languages. Please contact us for more information.

Fees*

Young Adults - summer (2 weeks)	4 790€
Year-Round Program (per week)	starting from 2 990€
Booking fee (non-refundable)	80€
Serenity Insurance (recommended)	150€

*VAT not included

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[LEARN ALL YEAR ROUND]

CERAN Academy also offers individual online courses throughout the year, from Monday to Friday. In blocks of 10 to 25 hours, any young person can benefit from the CERAN methodology and content, which is tailor-made to meet their needs and availability.

3 programmes available

First steps in the language

- **Discovering** the language
- **Reducing** apprehension about oral communication
- **Interacting** in everyday situations (introducing oneself, asking and answering simple questions, talking about one's interests...)

Maintenance and development of language skills

- **Acquire** greater fluency and spontaneity
- **Participate** actively in general or specific conversations
- **Express** opinions with nuance and in a structured way
- **Put into practice** current academic knowledge

Academic support and exam preparation

- **Approach** school work in a calm and structured manner (summaries, articles, understanding of literary texts, current affairs, videos, etc.)
- **Targeted** exam preparation in line with needs (IELTS, TOEFL, Cambridge Certificate, TestDaf, DELE, DALF...)
- **Prepare** a study abroad programme

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