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Junior and adult summer school programmes in England, Scotland and the USA

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# Welcome to an Embassy Summer

# Embassy Summer has programmes and locations with something for everyone...

# Come and join us.



Great sights to see on outdoor adventures



Kristin, Germany



the learning experience

- · Learn new skills
- · Improve your English
- · Make new friends
- · Take home memories



settling into comfortable, friendly surroundings

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# our Team

During the summer, our centres are staffed by hard-working, dedicated professionals – many of whom return year after year to work for us.



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# Years of experience

Our head office team is one of the most experienced in the industry. With detailed knowledge of each summer school, they are committed to helping you find the best option to suit your requirements. Their attention to detail ensures that you will receive excellent care and welfare from your first day.

# Summer with the experts

Every year, our staff use their knowledge and experience to deliver new and improved summer school programmes. We spend our entire year setting up our programmes to ensure you get the most out of your time with us.

# Staff training

The intensive management training workshops, specific activity leader and teacher training workshops, and extensively researched materials that our staff receive ensure our students enjoy a well-prepared experience.

# **Professional school staff**

During the summer, our centres are staffed by caring, hard-working professionals – many of whom return year after year to work for us. Our head office staff work very closely with these people, to ensure that your time with us is enjoyable and productive. % Embassy provided great
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# lur Programme

# Whatever your age, junior or adult, Embassy Summer offers a programme for you.

# The right programme for you

The programmes vary according to the location and age range of the students in each centre, but there are common elements throughout all of the centres.

# **Homestay option**

Our Homestay programmes differ slightly from the residential programmes in that a minimum of three evening activities per week are offered. You also have the opportunity to spend Sundays with your host family.

# **English language classes**

Our English language classes are of a maximum of 15 students, and are designed specifically for students taking part in short-term language courses. You are encouraged to improve your existing knowledge of English by maximising your spoken and listening work.

# Included in the price

- 20 English language lessons per week (50 minutes per lesson\*)
- Multinational classes
- Maximum class size of 15 students
- Full board residential or Homestay accommodation (hot lunch in college, packed lunch at the weekends)
- Full excursion and activity programme (including one full-day and minimum one half-day trip per week)
- Learning materials (on loan)
- End of course report and certificate
- 24-hour emergency assistance

\*45 minutes in the UK

Classes use modern technology to enhance lessons

# **Speak Out Lectures**

Although the focus of our English classes is to improve the students' speaking skills and to increase interaction and classroom participation, we do understand that many of our students will go on to further education and that this may be conducted in English. We therefore run a series of lively lectures as an alternative to some of the sports and arts options on our activity programme. These allow the students to practice the note-taking and listening skills that are necessary in an academic environment.

Led by members of staff and focusing on culture and local places of interest, thse Speak Out Lectures are always followed by a debate that enables students to join in.

# **Great activities**

We carefully select excursion destinations to many well-known towns and cities. With activities including volleyball, treasure hunts, discos and talent nights, to name but a few, the Embassy Summer programmes will keep you busy all day, from breakfast through to bedtime.

# Sample Teaching Programme Level 2 (A2)

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
9.00-9.45	Functional Language - Fortune Tellers	Functional Language - Draw it			Functional Language - 'What do you think?'	
9.45-10.30	Listening Task - 'What am I going to do?'	Speaking Task - 'What's your alibi?'	Listening Task - Define it	Speaking Task - Food & Diet Crossword	Speaking Task - Restaurant Complaints	
11.00-11.45	Listening and Role- Play - Persuading	Speaking Reflection - Recounting a past event	Interactive Speaking - Describing scenes	Speaking Reflection - Talking about Food & Diet	Role Play - Complaining and Apologising	
11.45-12.30	Mind the Trap - Avoiding simple mistakes	Excursion lesson - Know more about tomorrow's trip	Project Lesson - Based on the Activity Programme	Culture - Alternative London	Excursion lesson - Know more about tomorrow's trip	

# Sample Residential Programme

Time	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
09.00-12.30	Arrival or sports on site	Testing & induction	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons Lessons		Brighton Pier		
12.30 (approx) LUNCH									
14.00-17.30	Optional trip to Madame Tussauds	Sports and drama workshop	Sports	Half-day trip to Windsor Castle	Sports or local visit	Sports and preparation for fancy dress disco	Walking tour and visit to the Science Museum		
18.00 (approx) DINNER									
19.30-22.30	Get to know you quiz	Welcome disco	International night	Games tournament	Who Wants to be a Millionaire	Fancy dress disco	Video night		

US centres: free evenings to enjoy the city at our centres in Fort Lauderdale, San Diego and San Francisco

# Sample Homestay Programme\*

Time	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday Full-day trip to London	
09.00-12.30	Arrival or day with family	Testing & induction	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons		
12.30 (approx)				LUNCH				
14.00-17.30	Optional trip to Thorpe Park	Hastings town tour	Hastings Castle & Smugglers Adventure	Trip to Bodiam Castle	Multi-sports	Beach games or swimming	Walking and sightseeing tour	
18.00 (approx)				DINNER				
19.30-22.30	At home	Welcome disco	Tenpin bowling	At home	At home	Themed disco	At home	

# US centres: evenings with host family

\*Selected centres only







Interesting and engaging lessons



Learning new moves for the disco



Lots of chances to get out and about



Fun and educational days out

Your Welfare

# At Embassy Summer, we take the care of our students very seriously.

# Arrival in the country

Embassy Summer provides a meet and greet service for all students who have requested a transfer to the centre. All students under the age of 18 travelling to or from a centre must be accompanied by an adult. Embassy Summer will arrange for these students to be met on arrival in the country and taken to their accommodation. For students aged 18 or over, or those students travelling with a parent or guardian, we will provide information and directions to the centre.

# Help during your stay

On arrival at the centre, students will be welcomed by our staff and will receive a full induction to enable them to settle in quickly and enjoy their stay with us. All students are issued with an ID Card during their stay, for which they should bring a passport photograph. This ID card should be kept on their person at all times and will contain not only the address of the centre, but important telephone numbers should they require assistance. Students with enquiries or problems should speak to our staff at the centre who will do all they can to help. In addition, we provide a 24-hour emergency telephone service during the summer.

# StudyCare insurance

It is essential that all students travelling abroad have adequate insurance in case of medical or other emergency. Embassy offers a comprehensive insurance policy called StudyCare which is specifically designed to meet the needs of international students. Please contact us for more details of this policy.

#### **Medical conditions**

For the safety of all students and so that we may provide proper care, it is imperative that students make us fully aware of any medical or psychiatric conditions that are being treated. We reserve the right to refuse enrolments from students we feel will not be able to participate fully in our programmes. Students who do not notify us of a condition may be excluded from the programme.

# Student welfare is paramount

We offer a high standard of care and supervision to our students. All of our centres have a nominated welfare person who is responsible for ensuring that our students remain happy and healthy throughout their stay. We also have a guardian system for our individual students in our junior centres. In addition, there are on-site first aiders and established links with local doctors, dentists and hospitals for any first aid issues that may arise.

All students under the age of 18\* should be aware that for all parts of their programme (lessons and activities) attendance is compulsory and students under 18 will not be allowed to leave the centre unaccompanied at any time.

\*Please note that this does not apply in our adult centres (16+)

> **StudyCare Insurance** is specifically designed to meet the needs of our international students.



supervised outings and activities



A warm welcome from friendly staff



Tasty and nutritious meals at all centre canteens



# Locations

# A choice of 32 great locations in England, Scotland and the USA

Whether it's city life, the beach, culture or stunning scenery, Embassy Summer has the perfect location for you.

# Locations in the USA



# Locations in England and Scotland



See the magnificent Canterbury cathedral



# LONDON



# GREENWICH [S]

**Age range:** 16 – 25 **Dates:** 27 June – 15 August **Nearest station:** Cutty Sark (DLR)

# Location

Modern purpose-built centre based in the MacMillan Student Village of the University of Greenwich, less than 10 minutes walk away from the local delights of Greenwich Village in the south east of London. Only 15 minutes by train from central London.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with en-suite bathrooms.

# **General information**

- All rooms have internet/email access points
- Wireless internet facility
- School cafeteria for all meals, self-catering available on request
- Library and multimedia learning centre

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.



# SOUTHBANK [S]

Age range: 16 – 30 Dates: 20 June – 15 August Nearest station: Waterloo

# Location

South Bank University situated in central London (Underground zone 1) close to the London Eye.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with en-suite bathrooms, laid out in flats of six, with a shared kitchen.

# **General information**

- Refectory and classrooms a short walk away
- Indoor sports hall
- Outdoor sports in local parks
- Student Union disco

# Excursions

Visits around London are organised every day with one full-day trip out of London each week. (Students will require a weekly travelcard)

# UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON Ramsay Hall [J] [S]

**Age range:** 14 – 17 & 18 – 30

Dates: 20 June – 15 August

Nearest station: Warren Street

# Location

Located in central London (Underground zone 1) in upmarket Bloomsbury with easy access to Tottenham Court Road. Lessons are a five-minute walk away on the UCL Gower Street campus.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with washbasins, with students sharing bathroom facilities. A few twin rooms may be available on request.

# **General information**

- Joint programme with Campbell House/John Adams
- Dining room on-site for breakfast and dinner, lunch taken at the Gower Street refectory using meal vouchers
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Common room and TV room
- Social area at residence for evening activities

# Excursions

Visits around London are organised every day with one full-day trip out of London each week.

# Campbell House/John Adams [J] [S]

Age range: 14 – 17 & 18 – 30 Dates: 13 June – 5 September Nearest station: Euston

# Location

Located in the heart of London (underground zone 1) with easy access to Tottenham Court Road and Oxford Street.

# Accommodation

Single and twin rooms. A few minutes walk from the main UCL campus in Gower Street. All rooms have their own washbasins and shared bathrooms.

# **General information**

- Joint programme with Ramsay Hall
- Self-catering with vouchers for breakfast and dinner, lunch provided Mon-Fri in the college canteen, vouchers at the weekend

# Excursions

Visits around London are organised daily. One full-day trip out of London each week (students will require a weekly travelcard).





# LONDON



# MILE END [J]

**Age range:** 12 – 18 **Dates:** 20 June – 22 August **Nearest station:** Mile End

# Location

Located on the Queen Mary University of London campus in the heart of London's trendy East End. The centre is situated in London Underground zone 2 and is a short 15-minute ride from Oxford Circus.

# Accommodation

Recently built single rooms with en-suite bathrooms, all arranged in flats of approximately nine rooms sharing a kitchen/common area.

# **General information**

- Shops and banking facilities on site
- Indoor sports hall with outdoor sports taking place in local parks
- Large Student Union for discos
- All rooms have internet access (small fee)

# Excursions

Four visits in London and one full-day trip out of London each week.





# ROEHAMPTON [J]

Age range: 12 – 17 Dates: 27 June – 15 August Nearest station: Barnes

15 minutes to Waterloo Station

# Location

Situated on the main campus of Roehampton University, in South London, close to Wimbledon and its many green spaces. Easy access to central London.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with shared bathroom facilities. There are also limited single rooms with en-suite facilities.

# **General information**

- 10-minute walk from the nearest train station
- Playing fields for outdoor sports as well as an Astroturf pitch
- Games room with pool table/table football/video games
- Large hall for evening activities

# Excursions

Two half-day trips plus one full-day trip each week.



# UXBRIDGE [J]

# **Age range:** 12 – 17

Dates: 20 June – 15 August

**Nearest station:** Uxbridge 37 minutes to central London

# Location

Located on the Uxbridge campus of Brunel University, in the West of London (Underground zone 6) with easy access to the city centre.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with shared bathroom facilities, all rooms have their own washbasins. En-suite accommodation also available.

# **General information**

- Modern indoor sports hall
- Outdoor playing areas
- Student cafeteria
- On-site bank and shops

# Excursions

Two half-day trips plus one full-day trip each week.



# **OUTER LONDON**



# KINGSWOOD HALL [J]

Age range: 10 – 17 Dates: 20 June – 15 August Nearest station: Egham

39 minutes to Waterloo station

# Location

Based on a suburban campus of Royal Holloway College, University of London on the outskirts of Englefield Green, a short walk away from Egham in Surrey. Easy access to Windsor/central London.

# Accommodation

Both single rooms with en-suite bathrooms and shared bathroom facilities. The newly renovated en-suite rooms are laid out in flats of eight/nine rooms with a shared kitchen area. The standard rooms are spacious and most have washbasins.

# **General information**

- Large common room with TV facilities
- Computer room with email access (small fee)
- Tennis court and squash court
- Playing field for all outdoor sports.

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# WOKING [J]

**Age range:** 8 – 16

Dates: 11 July – 15 August

**Nearest station:** Brookwood 35 minutes to London Victoria

# Location

Situated at Gordon's School in the small Surrey village of West End close to Woking. Easy access to London and the South Coast.

# Accommodation

Several boarding houses with rooms of various sizes (from twin to multi-bedded) and shared bathroom facilities. Common rooms in each boarding house.

# **General information**

- Heated indoor swimming pool
- Extensive playing fields and tennis courts for outdoor sports
- Sports hall for indoor sports
- Large traditional hall for evening activities

# Excursions

Two half-days trips and one full-day trip each week.



# REIGATE [J]

Age range: 8 – 16 Dates: 11 July – 15 August Nearest station: Reigate.

35 minutes to London Victoria

# Location

Situated at the Royal Alexandra and Albert School within walking distance of Redhill in Surrey. Easy access to London and the South Coast.

# Accommodation

Several boarding houses with rooms of various sizes (from two to four students) and shared bathroom facilities. Recently refurbished common rooms in each house.

# **General information**

- Playing fields and tennis courts for outdoor sports
- Covered basketball courts and sports hall for indoor sports
- Heated indoor swimming pool
- Beautiful 250-acre campus with picturesque views.

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# MEDWAY [J]

Age range: 11 – 17 Dates: 4 July – 15 August Nearest station: Chatham station

# Location

Located on the Medway campus of the University of Greenwich, based in Chatham Maritime, near Chatham's historic dockyard.

# Accommodation

Single en-suite rooms in residential blocks on site. All flats share a kitchen/common area.

# **General information**

- Indoor sports hall and tennis courts
- Outdoor green area
- Cafeteria on site
- Modern shopping and leisure facilities close by

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.

# TRINITY EXAMINATION

We are pleased to offer the Trinity Examination in Spoken English at all of our UK centres. See page 26 for more details.



# **SOUTHERN & SOUTH WESTERN ENGLAND**



# CANTERBURY [J]

Age range: 12 – 17 Dates: 27 June – 15 August Nearest station: Canterbury East

# Location

Located on the University of Kent campus, with fantastic views across Canterbury and an easy 20-minute walk from the city centre.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with shared bathroom facilities or single en-suite rooms.

# **General information**

- Safe, self-contained campus site
- Indoor sports hall and tennis courts
- Extensive playing fields for outdoor sports
- Shops and student cafeteria on site

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# BRINSBURY [J] [S]

Age range: 8 – 16; Adult Dates: 4 July – 8 August Nearest station: Pulborough

# NEW FOR 2010: Parents & Junior course

# Location

Set on the Brinsbury site of Chichester College, near to Pulborough in the beautiful countryside of the South Downs, close to Chichester, Brighton and Arundel.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with en-suite bathrooms. Some twins and triples are available. Students have access to a TV room.

# **General information**

- On-site agricultural farm with large landscaped gardens
- Extensive field space for outdoor sports
- Sports hall for indoor sports
- Computer suites with internet access
- Conservatory room for evening activities

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# BRISTOL [J]

**Age range:** 11 – 17

Dates: 4 July – 8 August

Nearest station: Bristol Parkway

# Location

Based on the Frenchay campus of the University of the West of England, a 20-minute bus ride away from Bristol city centre. Close to Bath and the Welsh border.

# Accommodation

Excellent single rooms with en-suite bathrooms laid out in flats of six rooms all sharing spacious kitchen and common room areas.

# **General information**

- Modern sports hall for indoor sports
- Student social areas for afternoon and evening activities
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  On-site shops and banking facilities

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# HASTINGS [J] [S]

Age range: 12 – 25 (Individuals from 14+)

Dates: 6 June – 29 August

**Nearest station:** St Leonards, Warrior Square

# Location

Based at Gensing Manor only a 20-minute walk from the town centre in this popular seaside resort on the South Coast of England.

# Accommodation

Homestay in shared rooms within a 30-minute walk (or single bus journey) from the school. Residential accommodation available from 3 July to 18 August, age 12 to 18. Various sized rooms with shared bathrooms. Single rooms for group leaders (limited availability).

# **General information**

- Student cafeteria and extensive grounds
- Outdoor sports take place in the local park
- Student common room
- An easy walk to the beach

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week. Four daytime and three evening social, cultural and sporting activities per week.





# **SOUTHERN ENGLAND**



# SEAFORD [J]

Age range: 8 – 16 Dates: 4 July – 8 August Nearest station: Seaford

# Location

Situated at Newlands School within walking distance of Seaford town centre in Sussex, close to Brighton and Eastbourne.

# Accommodation

Several boarding houses comprising rooms of various sizes from four to multi-bedded with shared bathroom facilities.

# **General information**

- Playing fields and tennis courts for outdoor sports
- Sports hall for indoor sports
- Heated indoor swimming pool

# Excursions

Two half-day trips plus one full-day trip each week.



# SOUTHSEA [J]

Age range: 10 – 17 Dates: 20 June – 29 August Nearest station: Fratton 90 minutes to London

# Location

Located on the Southsea campus of Portsmouth University on the South Coast of England, directly beside the sea. Students benefit from the many modern shops and historic sights in Portsmouth.

# Accommodation

Single rooms with en-suite bathrooms. All rooms have access to a kitchen/common area shared by eight people and some blocks also have lounge areas. There is a launderette for student use.

#### **General information**

- Two large all-weather pitches, tennis courts and lots of open spaces for outdoor sports
- Indoor hall used for some sports, dance and drama
- Large refectory with attached student bar for evening activities

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.

# **CENTRAL ENGLAND**



# BEDFORD [J]

**Age range:** 11 – 17

Dates: 4 July – 15 August

**Nearest station:** Bedford 45 minutes to London

# Location

Located on the Polhill campus of the University of Bedfordshire, a 15-minute walk from Bedford town centre.

# Accommodation

Modern single en-suite rooms arranged in apartments and low-rise blocks. Standard rooms with washbasin also available.

# **General information**

- Two excellent indoor sports halls
- Modern student cafeteria and common areas
- Outdoor playing field
- Internet facilities on a booking basis

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.



# CAMBRIDGE [J]

Age range: 14 – 18 (Residential 16+)

Dates: 27 June – 15 August

Nearest station: Cambridge

# Location

Based in our year-round school in Cambridge at the Bellerbys Manor campus.

# Accommodation

Homestay accommodation in shared rooms in the city area. Limited residence available on site in good quality single rooms with washbasins and shared bathroom facilities.

# **General information**

- Student cafeteria and common room
- Internet facilities available to students
- Modern sports centre for indoor sports
- Playing fields for outdoor sports

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one-full-day trip each week.

We did a lot of different activities 66 and learnt new things, we had a great time!"

Julien, France



# **OXFORD**



# HEADINGTON [J]

**Age range:** 14 – 18 **Dates:** 27 June – 15 August **Nearest station:** Oxford

# Location

Based on the Headington Campus of Oxford Brookes University, a 20-minute walk from Oxford city centre.

# Accommodation

Single rooms (some with washbasins), with shared bathroom facilities. The rooms are laid out in small apartments with each apartment, of four to six rooms, sharing a kitchen and lounge area.

# **General information**

- Large sports centre for indoor sports and evening activities
- Playing fields for outdoor sports
- Homestay available on request

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.

# SCOTLAND



# EDINBURGH [J]

**Age range:** 10 – 17 **Dates:** 29 June – 9 August

Nearest station: Edinburgh

# Location

Based at the Heriot-Watt University, the campus occupies 380 acres of mature meadow and woodland on the outskirts of Edinburgh, the cultural capital of Scotland.

# Accommodation

Modern single en-suite rooms in groups of five. Halls of residence have a communal lounge for relaxation. On-site laundrette.

# **General information**

- Only 15 minutes from Edinburgh airport
- Easy access to the city centre, just 30 minutes by public transport
- Extensive playing fields for outdoor sports and indoor sports hall
- On-site shop, cafes and bank

# Excursions

Three half-day trips in and around Edinburgh and one full-day trip each week.





Age range: 13 – 18 Dates: 27 June – 15 August Nearest station: Oxford

# Location

Based on the Wheatley Campus of Oxford Brookes University, a 25-minute bus ride from the city centre.

# Accommodation

Single and twin rooms with washbasins, with students sharing bathroom facilities. Kitchens on each floor.

# **General information**

- Tennis courts and playing fields for outdoor sports
- Student social club for evening activities
- Small on-site shop and regular buses to the city centre

#### Excursions

Two half-day trips, including one half-day into Oxford, and one full-day trip each week.

"I really liked the staff they are Wonderful people and the lesson organisation was excellent"

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**Katya,** Ukraine



# **NEW YORK**



# STORM KING SCHOOL [J]

# **Age range:** 10 – 16

Dates: 3 July – 15 August

# Location

Located at Storm King School, a beautiful private school, one hour north of Manhattan.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms with shared bathroom facilities conveniently located on the school campus.

# **General information**

• Excellent sports facilities within the extensive beautiful school grounds

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# RUTGERS UNIVERSITY [J] [S]

**Age range:** 14 – 20 **Dates:** 26 June – 8 August

# Location

Located on the Newark campus of Rutgers University, New Jersey. Only 30 minutes by train to central Manhattan.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms are arranged in comfortable apartments for six to seven students, each with its own bathroom and spacious lounge area. Located in a modern residence on the University campus.

# **General information**

- Excellent sports facilities; soccer, volleyball, basketball
- Modern student cafeteria
- Game rooms and student common areas

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.

# LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY [J] [S]

**Age range:** 14 – 20

Dates: 26 June – 8 August

# Location

Located on the campus of Long Island University. Stunning, historic campus in lovely landscaped grounds within easy travelling distance of Downtown New York City and the beaches of Long Island.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms with shared bathrooms located in the modern university dorms.

# **General information**

- Excellent facilities for field sports
- Olympic quality swimming pool, basketball courts, gym and fitness centre.
- Access to the library, computer centre, and well equipped student centre with snack bars, lounges and game rooms

# Excursions

Two half-day and one full-day trip each week.





# **WEST COAST**



# LOS ANGELES [J] [S] WOODBURY UNIVERSITY

# **Age range:** 12 – 19

Dates: 26 June – 8 August

# Location

Located on the campus of Woodbury University in Burbank, Los Angeles. Close to downtown LA, Universal Studios and Hollywood.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms with shared bathrooms located in a comfortable modern residence on the University campus.

# **General information**

- Access to library, computer centre, cafeteria and extensive gardens
- Playing fields for outdoor sports
- Outdoor swimming pool

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# SAN FRANCISCO [S]

**Age range:** 16 – 20 **Dates:** 12 June – 30 August

# Location

Located at the year-round school, a five minute walk from downtown San Francisco.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms, with shared bathrooms in local residences, within walking distance of the school. Homestay available on request.

# **General information**

- Student lounge, computer rooms with email access for students
- In the heart of San Francisco
- Close to a cable-car stop and attractions

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.



# SAN DIEGO [S]

**Age range:** 16 – 20 (Groups 14+)

Dates: 12 June – 30 August

# Location

Located at the year-round school, a five-minute walk from downtown San Diego

# Accommodation

Shared rooms in residence with shared and en-suite bathrooms (not available for individuals). Homestay accommodation is also available.

# **General information**

- Student lounge and fully air-conditioned classrooms
- Media laboratory available for students' use
- Easy access to the beach, downtown shopping and local tourist attractions

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.



# SEATTLE [J] [S] PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY

**Age range:** 12 – 20 **Dates:** 26 June – 8 August

# Location

Located on the campus of Pacific Lutheran University in Tacoma. A 60-minute bus journey to downtown Seattle.

# Accommodation

Conveniently located on campus with shared rooms with shared bathrooms.

# **General information**

- Beautiful, peaceful, park-like setting close to magnificent scenery
- Golf course, tennis, soccer and baseball fields for outdoor sports
- Indoor swimming pool.
- Student centre with snack bar and games room.

# Excursions

Two half-day trips and one full-day trip each week.



# **BOSTON**



# DOWNTOWN [J] [S]

**Age range:** 14 – 20 **Dates:** 26 June – 15 August

# Location

Study in the heart of Boston's commercial district, just a short stroll from Macy's, Quincy Market and Boston Common.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms with shared bathrooms, just walking distance away in our Suffolk University residence right by the beautiful Boston Common.

# **General information**

A wonderful new facility with high-technology classrooms, stylish modern design and fantastic location in the centre of Boston.

# Excursions

One half-day and one full-day trip each week.



# MERRIMACK COLLEGE [J]

**Age range:** 10 – 16 **Dates:** 26 June – 8 August

# Location

Located on the campus of Merrimack College in North Andover, 45 minutes from downtown Boston.

# Accommodation

Shared rooms with shared bathrooms conveniently located on the college campus.

# **General information**

- Excellent sports facilities
- State of the art theatre complex with concert hall and art gallery
- Playing fields for outdoor sports
- Modern student centre with cafeteria, game rooms and coffee shop

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.

# FORT LAUDERDALE



# DOWNTOWN [S]

**Age range:** 16 – 20 (groups 14+) **Dates:** 12 June – 30 August

# Location

Classes are held at the year-round Embassy school in the beautiful downtown area of Fort Lauderdale.

# Accommodation

Our residence is five minutes walk from the beach. Shared rooms are available with private bathrooms and the residence has its own outdoor pool. Homestay accommodation is also available.

# **General information**

- Student lounge and air conditioned classrooms
- Computer rooms with email access for students
- ${\boldsymbol{\cdot}}$  Study in the heart of the city whilst living right on the beach
- Just a short bus ride from the school

# Excursions

One half-day trip and one full-day trip each week.



# NORTH BROWARD [J]

Age range: 8 – 16 Dates: 26 June – 15 August

#### Location

Located at North Broward Preparatory school, an elite private boarding school with 2 superb campuses.

# Accommodation

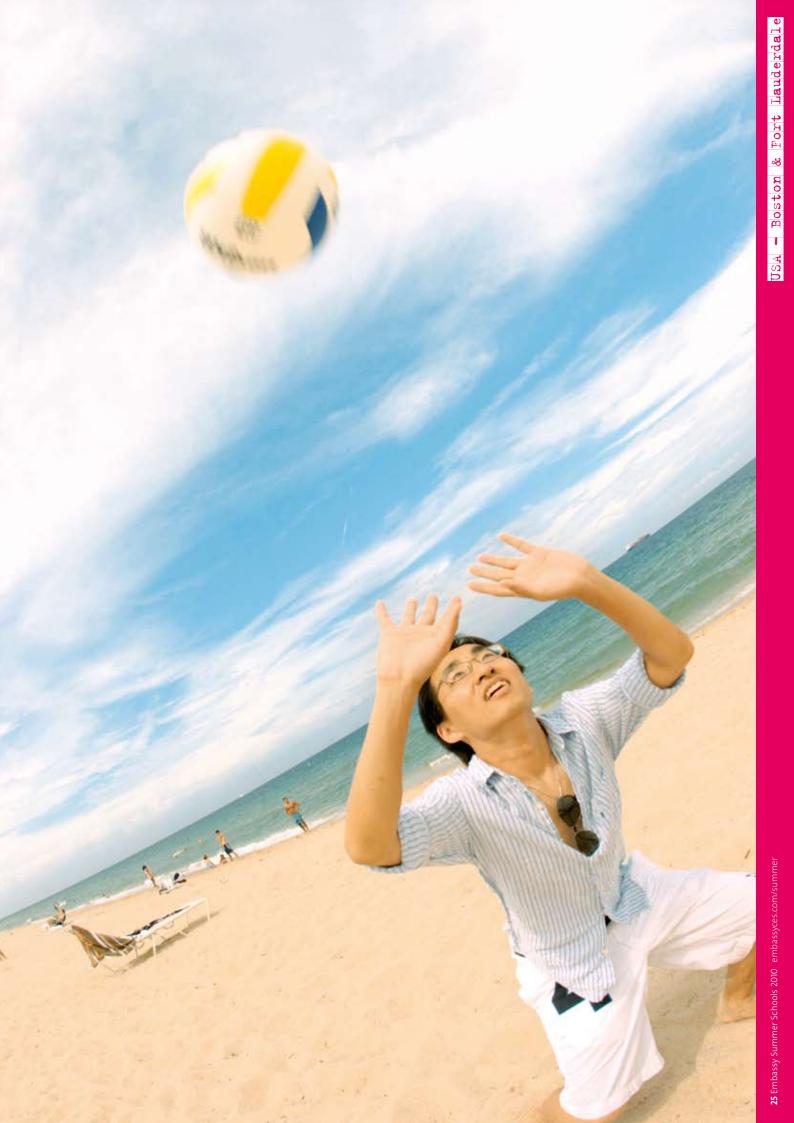
Shared rooms conveniently located on the school campus with shared bathrooms.

# **General information**

- Excellent sports facilities within extensive
- beautiful school grounds
- 3 swimming pools
- Tennis courts, indoor and outdoor fields

# Excursions

Two half-day and one full-day trip each week.



# HOW TO BOOK

# YOUR LOCAL AGENT

We recommend that you book your course through one of the many Embassy Summer agents around the world. They have the information, knowledge and experience to answer your questions and help you make the right choice. They are also a useful contact point for you before you leave home.

If you would like us to help you find your local agent, please contact us. Alternatively, you can book directly through our website.

# CONFIRMATION OF ENROLMENT

We will process the booking and confirm your enrolment in writing to you, or your agent, and send you all the information you need.

Homestay students will normally receive details of their accommodation one to two weeks before arrival.

# SPECIAL REQUESTS

NEW for 2010

Students, or their agents, are welcome to make special requests regarding their programme or accommodation. Whilst every effort will be made to fulfil these requests, Embassy Summer cannot guarantee to be able to comply with every request, and such requests cannot be made a pre-condition of a booking with Embassy Summer.

# PAYMENT

You should make your payment to your agent or, if booking directly, by bank transfer direct to Embassy. Full details are included on the application form attached to this brochure. All payment must be received 14 days before students arrive. Transfers, accommodation or tuition will not be provided unless, full payment has been received.

All bookings are made subject to our Terms and Conditions of booking.

# **EXTRA INFORMATION**

# START DATES

All courses start on Sunday with the academic programme commencing on Monday (except where indicated). Students should therefore normally arrive on Sunday. Students or groups who join international programmes midweek may not be able to be integrated into international classes until the following Monday. Tailor-made programmes for closed groups can start on any day of the week.

# LESSONS

In some centres lessons may take place either in the morning or afternoon and will normally alternate weekly. This means that students having lessons in the afternoon one week will normally have morning lessons the following week.

# AGE LIMITS

There is a minimum and maximum age limit for some of the Embassy Summer schools, as indicated in the brochure. Students below the minimum age for a centre will only be accepted onto the programme in exceptional circumstances. They must be accompanied by an adult leader who will take full responsibility for their safety and welfare, and they may not be included in classes unless there is a suitable class for them. In all cases, Embassy reserves the right to reject applications from students under the minimum age for a centre or over the stated range.

# **EMBASSY ICT**

Technology plays an increasingly important part in modern education and here at Embassy we endeavour to be market leaders in this field (as reflected by our Language Travel Magazine Star Award 2008 for Innovation of the Year). Many of the summer centres we use have classrooms equipped with data projectors, computers and, in some cases, interactive white-boards. This enables us to include video, flipcharts and CD-ROMs into the lesson.

# TRINITY EXAMINATION\*

We are pleased to offer students travelling to the UK the Trinity Examination in

Spoken English at all of our centres. The cost for 2010 will be £58 per student for levels 1-6 and £78 for levels 7-12. This cost does not include preparation classes, however we can offer these at an additional cost of £20 per student for a total of four hours whilst at the centre. These classes will be run as group classes. Please note that the Trinity Examination is subject to a minimum number of 12 participants, and we are happy to advise you if that number has been reached at your specific location.

All Trinity Examination bookings must be submitted by 1st June 2010.

# **REGISTER OF SPONSOR**

Embassy Summer is accredited for the provision of English and Academic courses for overseas students through the UKBA Register of Sponsors, Sponsor Licence Number RFXNY1AK2.

This means that unlike those providers who are not accredited, we are fully able to assist you in obtaining your students' visas for studying in the UK.

\* Only available in the UK



# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

#### 1. Enrolment

All enrolments are subject to the following conditions which become legally binding on acceptance of enrolment by Embassy.

All fees including application fee must be paid in full before your course starts.

#### 2. Services

The company reserves the right to change the particulars of the services, including changes to courses, locations, facilities and dates of the programmes where circumstances beyond the company's control necessitate such changes or where the number of bookings received does not reach the minimum numbers required to operate a course viably.

#### 3. Refund policy

The following are the Embassy charges and refunds if you cancel or withdraw from a course.

- If we reject your application for an Embassy course or your visa application is rejected after we have confirmed your place, there will be no charge and you will receive a full refund within 30 days.
- If you cancel your course in writing up to 48 hours before the start date, you will be charged 30% of the package price.
- If you cancel your course less than 48 hours before the start date or fail to arrive, or if you cancel in writing after the start date on the grounds of force majeure, 100% of the full package price will be charged.
- If you withdraw from the course after the start date, 100% of the full package price will be charged.
- Any application fees and airport transfer fees are non-refundable.

#### 4. Visas

Some students require a student visa or tourist visa. Students should contact their nearest British Embassy, Consulate or High Commission for conditions of all visa categories. Arranging the correct visa is the sole responsibility of the student or agent.

#### 5. Liability

Embassy and its staff and representatives will not be liable for any loss, damage or injury to persons or property howsoever caused, except where liability is expressly imposed by law. Embassy will not be liable in the event that any service contracted to be supplied by Embassy becomes impossible to supply for any reason or any cause outside the control of Embassy.

The student or agent making the booking shall be liable for any costs incurred by Embassy as a result of changes to the details of the booking not communicated in writing to Embassy at least one week before arrival. This liability includes, but is not limited to, accommodation charges and transport costs.

Please note this particularly applies to transfer costs incurred through cancelled flights and missed flight connections, whereby Embassy is charged for transfers already booked.

Note: All prices contained in this brochure are valid until 31st August 2010

# 6. Medical insurance

It is a condition of making a booking with Embassy that all students have appropriate medical and health insurance. Students must either take out our own StudyCare insurance policy or provide proof of adequate cover at enrolment. The StudyCare insurance fee is non-refundable.

#### 7. Behaviour and Discipline

As all our students choose our courses to obtain the best programme possible we owe it to all our guests to make sure that they can study and enjoy their stay to the fullest. Embassy reserves the right to terminate the programme of any person or group whose behaviour is likely in our opinion to cause distress, damage or danger to other participants, Embassy employees or anyone else. Embassy reserves the right to terminate the programme of any person or group whose behaviour is contrary to applicable local laws. This behaviour includes but is not limited to: under-age purchase or consumption of alcohol, possession of illegal substances, damage to property, threatening or violent behaviour. 5. Students or group leaders who disregard the rules laid down by our staff may be sent home.

Embassy will not be liable for any costs incurred in repatriating a person or group to their country of origin. No refund will be made for any programme missed as a result of such termination. No discussion will be entered into once this has occurred. We reserve the right to exclude any person from our programmes without explanation.

#### 8. Our Student Discipline Procedure

Our general discipline procedure in cases of misbehaviour is as follows: In the first instance a student will be given a verbal warning. If the incident is repeated then a student can immediately be issued with a written warning, the second stage of our discipline procedure. Once a written warning has been issued, Embassy will contact the agent as soon as possible, allowing differences in time zones.

Any student who has been issued with a written warning will be made fully aware that any further incidents, will result in removal from the centre.

#### 9. Resolution of disputes

If a student, group leader or agent wishes to complain about any aspect of the services provided by Embassy, such complaint must initially be made to the company or Centre Manager or representative on site. Unless there is a valid reason why this is not possible, we will not consider ourselves liable for any complaint not made at the time. In the event that the matter is not resolved, the student or group leader or agent should make a complaint in writing to the Embassy head office. Such complaints will be investigated in full providing that:

- The complaint is received within one month of the termination of the course.
- The complaint was initially registered in writing with an on-site representative or Centre Manager.
- All invoices relating to the student making the complaint have been settled in full.

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