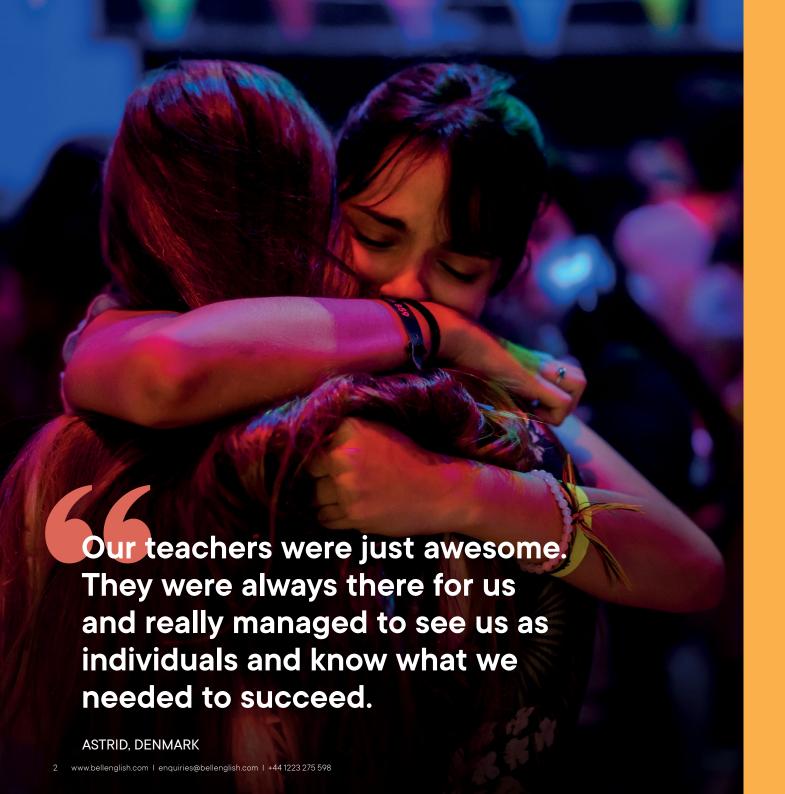




English language courses

Young Learners

11 - 17 years



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An unforgettable experience

We are Bell, a leading language school and education provider in the UK who provide outstanding support, education and overall experiences that transform lives.

Here are just a few reasons why Bell is the right school for your child:





care





Diverse nationality mix



65 years of experience



Ideal locations



Group specialists



Year-round courses



insurance



Teaching expertise



All-inclusive courses







98% of students who took the Trinity speaking exam successfully passed their exam in 2019 - 38% with a distinction and 41% with a merit



In 2019, Bell schools welcomed young learners from 68 different countries

came to Bell to improve my English and explore England. Now I speak more fluently and sound like a native speaker. It's the best course I've ever been on!

Your inclusive Bell experience

Students learn faster and more successfully when they use English all the time and in a range of situations.

That is why we offer fully integrated courses with lessons, activities, and exciting study tours.

ACTIVITIES

Inspiring lessons

Supporting and inspiring young learners to achieve their potential is at the heart of everything we do.

to improve students' language capabilities, develop vital 21st century life skills and build confidence.

Project-based learning

Our Explorer courses focus on developing core English language skills through engaging and relevant weekly project themes, like 'Natural Wonders' and 'Protecting the Planet'.

Students work in groups and use new language learnt to produce a final project such as a short film, a story or a magazine.

Educational activities

At Bell, the educational activities, evening events and Academies are planned just as much as the lessons, with learning outcomes to support what your child has studied in class.

Students practise their English while focused on an activity, which leads to a natural and fluent use of the language.

Action-packed study tours

Every course includes study tours which are linked to the weekly project theme, so your child can explore the UK and experience
British culture at no extra cost.

Every course includes a full day trip to London, which includes a walking tour, a trip to a top London museum, and the chance to visit iconic London landmarks.

Our integrated approach

Take a look at what a typical week looks like on a Bell young learner programme.

Student arrivals and departures

The Bell experience starts from the moment we collect your child at the airport. A Bell representative with a Bell sign will meet your child in arrivals and travel to Bell with a member of staff. On departure day, your child will be accompanied by a Bell member of staff to the checkin desk in time for their flight.

Language test

We want your child to get the most out of their course. Each student takes a short English language test when they arrive to make sure they are placed in a class appropriate to their level



Morning & evening house meetings

Houseparents dedicate time with students to outline schedules for the following day and encourage students to reflect on each day.

Study tours

Fully inclusive in the course fee, your child will get to explore exciting places around the UK, such as Oxford, Cambridge, Warwick Castle. Each study tour reflects the weekly project theme and includes exciting tasks to complete.

Evening events

Students get further opportunity to practise their English as one big group or in teams during our evening events, which include quizzes, talent shows, sporting events and movie nights.

Educational activities

Learning at Bell does not stop outside of the classroom. Learning everywhere is one of our core teaching principles, and our educational activities, study tours and Academies are planned with learning outcomes – just like our lessons.

Exciting study tours

All our young learner courses have study tours included within the course, so your child can explore places of interest in the UK, including London, Oxford, Cambridge and Warwick Castle - at no additional cost.

Every course includes a full day trip to London, where students get to visit iconic London landmarks on a walking tour around the city, and explore a top London museum.





Study tours are important learning opportunities, which students prepare for during their lessons. Each study tour relates to the weekly project theme on our Explorer courses.

Example study tour: Natural History Museum, London

Project theme: Protecting the Planet

Preparation task: Review map of Natural History Museum, check vocabulary and language for asking directions. Discuss key questions to answer while at the Natural History Museum.

Study tour task: Selfie scavenger hunt challenge. Find answers to the questions in the museum. Take a selfie with the answers to the questions.

Follow-up task: Students share their answers in the lesson following the study tour in a feedback session.

Itinerary

08:30	Meet in classrooms
09:00	Depart for London
11:15	Explore the Natural History Museum
13:00	Coach to Tothill Street
13:30	Begin Walking Tour (Westminster – Covent Garden)
15:00	End of Walking Tour & free time with hourly check in Covent Garden
16:00	Meet at Coaches
16:15	Depart from London
18:00	Arrive at Bell Royal Masonic School

Our supportive community

Your child's welfare is our top priority and we provide an outstanding level of care from arrival to departure.

Safe and secure

Your child will be in a safe and secure residential environment 24 hours a day. Boys and girls have separate accommodation on site with their own secure storage for valuables. All our activities are fully risk-assessed for safety.

Students are required to give deposit money, medication and important documents to the Student Services team for safekeeping. Medication will be carefully managed and distributed by appropriate staff members throughout your child's stay.

Care and support

Your child will be fully supported throughout their experience at Bell.

We have a team of dedicated houseparents, teachers and activity leaders on site 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

All staff working on our Young learner courses have passed safeguarding checks, including a full reference check covering previous employment history.

Inclusive learning

We will always endeavour to accommodate students with additional learning needs.

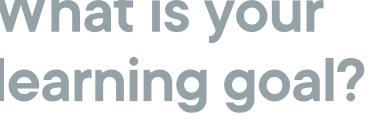
We will work with you before your child arrives in order to tailor the programme to meet the needs of your child, so they have the care and support they need to thrive while studying at Bell.



Centre Manager

What is your learning goal?

Every student is a unique individual to us: it is one of the core Bell Way principles. We can help you find the perfect course for your unique young learner.



QUICK TIP



Let us help you!

You may prefer to discuss your needs with one of our education advisors, so that we can consider the specific needs and goals of a student in order to make a recommendation.

Contact us online and we can arrange a private appointment. www.bellenglish.com/contact-us



Build confidence

Our popular Explorer courses - available every season of the year - will bring English to life for students of all ages.

Let's give your child an all-round experience: improved English language skills and new hobbies.



Academic success

These courses will kickstart the road to academic success

Students will take on new challenges and experience what life could be like at an elite boarding school or university.

Young Cambridge Scholars



Gain specialist skills

This practical, subject-focused course is ideal for the more career-oriented

Students will expand on their specialist language knowledge and feel confident in taking the next steps in their learning, life and work.

Young Business Leaders

Where would you like to study?

Our schools are historical locations with contemporary facilities, each set within beautiful and ideally-located English towns and cities.

Winter Explorer

Spring Explorer

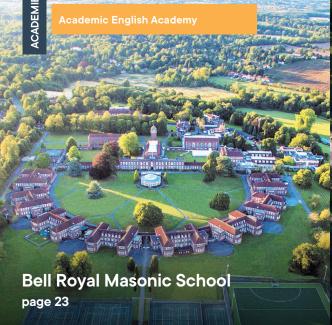
Summer Explorer

Autumn Explorer

COURSES

Summer Explorer









Day school options also available at this school – please contact us for more details

Summer Explorer

Young Cambridge Scholars

Young Business Leaders



All our face-to-face courses include:











Access to sports facilities















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Engaging project themes

Learning through projects is particularly motivating for young learners and helps to accelerate language learning. Students activate new language in group project tasks, including producing a presentation, short film or magazine.

Each theme is based on an engaging real-world topic that is relevant to our students.

Learning outcomes

Sample theme: Once upon a time

Students focus on developing English language skills through storytelling and British literature. Students discover its influence on society and culture and have the opportunity to get creative by making a video and writing their own compositions.

Learning outcomes:

- · Learn to use a range of narrative tenses to complete story writing/telling activities (B1-B2)
- · Develop reading skills and range of vocabulary by reading a variety of literature
- · Collaborate on a creative piece of performance art based on a famous British play or novel

Project outcome:

· Creating a video dramatization of a well-known fable or folk tale

Activities:

- · Studying an extract of British literature and participating in discussions and debates
- · Designing a fictional social media page for a character from a popular work of fiction

Study tour:

Tower of London



Academies & Activities

Available on face-to-face Explorer programmes

Educational activities

Our educational activites give students an opportunity to take part in a wide range of activities, with a choice of active, creative and academic options available at each school. Students have multiple sessions in each activity, allowing them to build confidence and practise specific language. Each activity is delivered by experienced activity leaders with a variety of backgrounds, from keen sportspeople to professional actors.

4.5 hours x 2 activities (total 9 hours) on a one-week course

Academies*

Bell Academies give students the chance to specialise in one particular area of interest. Delivered by professionals with many years of industry experience, students practise their English while focused on learning or developing their chosen skill. Academy options are booked in advance and are available at both Bell St Albans and Bell The Leys.

9 hours of 1 focused Academy on a one-week course

Bell The Leys

Bell Royal Masonic School

^{*} Academies are available at an additional cost

Winter Explorer Online

Course description

Our Winter Explorer Online course gives students the opportunity to accelerate their language learning, develop their collaborative and critical thinking skills, and meet other students from around the world - without needing to travel.

Lessons combine relevant topical themes with interactive project tasks to challenge students, maximise learning and build confidence.

On this course, your child will:

- Develop their use of English grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation
- Improve their English in all four areas: reading, writing, speaking and listening

- Become confident, independent learners with essential 21st century life skills like: communication, critical thinking, collaboration, creativity and cultural awereness
- ► Learn key study skills to take forward in their future studies
- ► Meet people from around the world

Lesson times

Students can choose between morning or afternoon classes to suit their schedule and local timezone.

Morning classes

9am - 11.15pm GMT (including a 15-min break)

Afternoon classes

1.30pm - 3.45pm GMT (including a 15-min break)

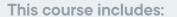


FOR MORE INFORMATION:

bellenglish.com/winter-explorer-online

Course summary

Age	11 - 17
Min. language level	All levels
Course length	1-4 weeks
	10
Max. class size	12
Start dates	Weekly, starting any Monday from 3 Jan - 28 Jan
Location	Online
Class times GMT	Option 1 9.00-11.15 Option 2 13.30-15.45





Course tuition from an experienced Bell tutor



A digital certificate of achievement at the end of the course



Direct and personal feedback with clear advice for future development



The opportunity to collaborate with students from all over the world



Level-specific and authentic lesson materials



Personalised written report outlining individual strengths and areas for development



Spring Explorer Online

Course description

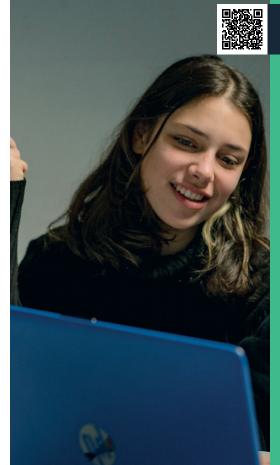
Students improve and activate their English language and study skills, while working with students around the world to design, create or present an exciting project on a real-world topic.

This course puts the learners' interests and needs at the heart of the lessons by combining relevant topical themes with interactive project tasks to accelerate learning.

On this course, your child will:

► Develop their English in all four areas: reading, writing, listening and speaking

- Practise new vocabulary, pronunciation and improve their grammar structures, as appropriate to their level
- ▶ Become confident, independent learners with essential 21st century life skills like: communication, critical thinking, collaboration, creativity and cultural awereness
- Experience and learn about British history, life and culture while enjoying study tours
- ► Make friends with students from a diverse mix of countries across the globe



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

bellenglish.com/spring-explorer-online

Course summary

Age	11 - 17
Min. language level	All levels
Course length	1-5 weeks
Weekly hours	10
Max. class size	12
Start dates	Weekly, starting any Monday from 28 March - 29 April
Location	Online
Class times GMT	9:00-11:15





Course tuition from an experienced Bell tutor



The opportunity to collaborate with students from all over the world



A digital certificate of achievement at the end of the course



Level-specific and authentic lesson materials



Direct and personal feedback with clear advice for future development



Personalised written report outlining individual strengths and areas for development



Spring Explorer

Course description

Spring Explorer is a perfect getaway for students to embrace that 'springtime' feeling and freshen up their language at our English countryside school, Bell Berkshire College

The courses focuses on developing core English language skills through projectbased learning activities and interactive learning - an effective way to learn language quickly and successfully.

Our activity programme is also an integral part of the course and allows young learners to practice and develop what they have learnt in lessons.

Study Tours

- **▶** London

- ▶ Oxford

- **▶** Warwick
- ► Stratford-upon-

All levels 1-5 weeks 27 March to 30 April **Bell Berkshire College**

Sample Timetable

TIME	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
08:00				Breakfast followed by	morning meeting		
09:00		Language test/ Language lesson	Language lesson		Language lesson	Language lesson	
10:30		Bı	reak		Bre	eak	
11:00	Student arrivals	Orientation/ Language lesson	Language lesson	Full day study tour	Language lesson	Language lesson	
12:30	and welcome	Lu	unch	LONDON	Lui	nch	
13:30	activities	Academy / Activities	Academy / Activities	Madame Tussauds Walking Tour	Academy / Activities	Academy / Activities	(
15:00		Ві	reak	Shopping	Bre	eak	K
15:30		Language lesson	Academy / Activities		Academy / Activities	Course presentation	
17:00		Hous	se time		House	e time	
18:00			ı	Dinner and free time			
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Course components 1 week

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Minimum staff to student ratio

Course summary

bellenglish.com/spring-explorer

11 - 17

14



Study tours

1 - 2 days

Summer Explorer

Course description

Our Summer Explorer course gives your child the opportunity to discover British culture while developing their English language skills, through project-based learning activities and interactive learning - both inside and outside the classroom.

English lessons include projects that are designed around weekly themes, and there are also elective sessions available that can be integrated as part of the course.

Test your English

Students at Bell The Leys will also have the opportunity to demonstrate their language skills by preparing for the Trinity College London Speaking Exam (GESE) every two weeks and receiving a printed certificate.

SATURDAY

For further information on the dates these exams will run. please visit our website.

FRIDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY SATURDAY

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

bellenglish.com/summer-explorer

Minimum staff to student ratio

Course summary

All levels

Bell Berkshire College

Up to 12 weeks

3 July to 6 August

Bell The Leys:

from 6 July to 16 August

Course components

1 week

Study tours



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08:00				Breakfast followed by
09:00		Language test/ Language lesson	Language lesson	
10:30		Ві	reak	
11:00	Student arrivals	Orientation/ Language lesson	Language lesson	
12:30	and welcome	Lu	LONDON	
13:30	activities	Academy / Activities	Academy / Activities	
15:00		В	reak	
15:30		Language lesson	Academy / Activities	
17:00		Hous	se time	
18:00				Dinner and free time

THURSDAY FRIDAY ed by morning meeting Language lesson Language lesson Language lesson Lunch Academy / Academies / Activities Activities Academies / Course Activities presentation

SUNDAY



Course description

Our Autumn Explorer is the perfect chance to kickstart your language learning while experiencing the UK in Autumn.

This course gives your child the opportunity to discover British culture while developing their English language skills, through project-based learning activities and interactive learning - both inside and outside the classroom.

THURSDAY

Study Tours

Sample Timetable SUNDAY

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08:00				Breakfast followed by	morning meeting	
09:00		Language test/ Language lesson	Language lesson		Language lesson	Language lessor
10:30		В	reak		Br	reak
11:00	Student arrivals	Orientation/ Language lesson	Language lesson	Full day study tour	Language lesson	Language lessor
12:30	and welcome	Lu	unch	LONDON	Lu	nch
13:30	activities	Language lesson	Academy / Activities	London Eye Walking tour	Academy / Activities	Course presentation
15:00		В	reak		Br	reak
15:30		Academy / Activities	Academy / Activities		Academy / Activities	Academy / Activities
17:00		Hou	se time		Hous	se time
18:00				Dinner and free time	-	

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TUESDAY

SATURDAY

FRIDAY

▶ Windsor

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Minimum staff to student ratio

bellenglish.com/autumn-explorer

Course summary

Age	11 - 17
Min. language level	All levels
Course length	1 - 3 weeks
Start dates	9 - 23 October 2022
Location	Bell Berkshire College
Max. class size	14

Course components 1 week

- 15 hours
- Study tours
- 1 2 days
- 9 hours
- 9 hours



Upgrade your English

generation to strive for future success.

Core courses

Solution Young Cambridge Scholars

OVER 19 Young Business Leaders

Young Cambridge Scholars

Course description

This course gives students advanced university-level learning through a combination of subject study, an inspiring lecture programme and educational study tours and activities

On this course, your child will:

- ► Improve their confidence, fluency and range of vocabulary when communicating English in an academic
- Develop their subject-level knowledge and academic skills, such as writing an essay, note taking and paraphrasing
- ► Learn to effectively communicate and present their opinions in discussion with new people or when facing new situations
- Enhance their ability to work with others effectively, as a leader or team member, and to continue studies independently
- Develop useful techniques and strategies when learning and preparing for exams
- Be more informed about future university study options

Course components

Subject study: 32 Hours

Gain insight into university level study in popular topics at the University of Cambridge, including Mathematics, British Literature, Science and International Relations.

Academic skills: 10 hours

Develop essential academic skills, including critical thinking and effective independent study.

Lecture programme: 12 hours

Students will have lectures with speakers from the University of Cambridge.

Sample Timetable



Study Tours

▶ London

▶ Cambridge



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FOR MORE INFORMATION:



bellenglish.com/young-cambridge-scholars

Course summary

Age	14 - 17				
Min. language level	Intermediate B1				
Course length	2 weeks				
Start dates	Wednesday 6 July Wednesday 20 July Wednesday 3 August				
Location	Bell The Leys				
Max. class size	14				

Course components 2 weeks

- Lessons
 42 hours
- Study tours





Lectures

12 hours



Young Business Leaders

Course description

This course will support your child to develop their general and specialist language skills and enjoy businessthemed study tours - inspiring them to become business leaders of the future.

On this course, your child will:

- ► Improve their confidence, fluency and accuracy when communicating in English
- ► Develop their business-specific knowledge, language and

vocabulary as well as grammar and pronunciation skills

- ► Become young entrepreneurs gaining experience in running their own business
- ► Be inspired and get useful insights and feedback from real-life business managers and business entrepreneurs
- ► Enjoy an unforgettable opportunity to make lots of international friends.

themed study tours

- ► Museum of Brands.

Business-



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

bellenglish.com/young-business-leaders

Minimum staff to student ratio

Course summary

Age	14 - 17		
Min. language level	Intermediate B1		
Course length	3 weeks		
Start dates	Wednesday 6 July Wednesday 27 July		
Location	Bell The Leys		
Max. class size	14		

Course components 3 weeks

Lessons

40.5 hours

Study tours 5.5 days

Business Challenge 36.5 hours

Other activities

39 hours

Sample Timetable

TIME	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
08:00		Breakfast followed by morning meeting					
09:00		Course introduction	What is Business? Study tour prep	The Business Plan		The Marketing Mix	Brands
10:30			Break			Bre	ak
11:00	Student arrivals	Teamwork	Successful business	Time Management	Full day study tour	Market Research	Advertising part 1
12:30	and welcome activities	Lunch		LONDON	Lunch		
13:30	activities	Motivational speaker introduction to the Business Challenge	Half day study tour CAMBRIDGE Behind the scenes (Bell Cambridge	The Bell Business Challenge	Museum of Brands Westfield shopping	The Bell Business Challenge	The Bell Business Challenge
15:00							
15:30				Activities			
17:00		House time	and other local businesses)	House time		House time	
18:00				Dinner and free time			



Bell Berkshire College

Discover the English language through active, academic and creative activities in a beautifully historic school with extensive grounds.

Featuring modern classrooms, spacious common areas, a dining room and modern residential accommodation, this centre is ideal for providing a safe and peaceful environment for your child.

Winter Explorer

Spring Explorer

Summer Explorer

Autumn Explorer

Sample activities



Art and crafts



Handball



British literature 🙋



Health and fitness



Cricket Dance



Journalism





Music

Academies



Dodgeball



Orienteering



Drama



Film and photography



Business Leadership



Football



Academic English

Facilities



Bright, spacious classrooms, many with interactive whiteboards



Free wireless internet



Dining room



Art room



Disabled access/facilities



On-site sports fields



Peaceful, countryside setting

* For flight arrival/departures between 10am and 6pm or specific trains. Custom transfers can be arranged - ask us for details.

Accommodation



Twin rooms and dormitories



Separate accommodation blocks for boys and girls



A dedicated houseparent in every boarding house

Travel

FREE transfers* on scheduled arrival and departure days from:



London Stansted 60 km



St. Pancras 60 km

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Bell Royal Masonic School

The RMS School was founded in 1788 and moved twice within London until it finally settled in the magnificent grounds of Rickmansworth Park, Hertfordshire, in 1934.

The school was purpose built on its site, making the most of its generous land. The building includes a Great Hall and decorated Dining Hall as well as modern Sports facilities.

Within easy reach of London Heathrow Airport and access to Central London by Tube, this is the perfect location for our Summer Explorer.

Summer Explorer

Sample activities



Art and crafts



Handball



British literature



Health and fitness



Cricket



Journalism







Dodgeball





Drama



Volleyball





Board games



Football



Swimming

Facilities



Free wireless internet



Common rooms



Swimming pool



Sports center



24/hr CCTV across the campus

24 km

79 km

39 km

Travel

FREE transfers* on scheduled arrival and departure days from:



London Heathrow



London Stansted



St. Pancras

Accommodation



Mainly twin and triple rooms available



Shared showers and bathroom facilities, kitchen and common area in each house



Accommodation in typical boarding

* For flight arrival/departures between 10am and 6pm or specific trains. Custom transfers can be arranged - ask us for details.



Bell The Leys

Follow in the footsteps of great Cambridge scholars with an inspiring academic and cultural experience in this famous university city.

This prestigious school is set in the centre of Cambridge, close to the Fitzwilliam Museum and several of the University of Cambridge Colleges.

Young Business Leaders

Young Cambridge Scholars

Sample activities



Basketball



Drama



Football



Journalism



Photography in Cambridge

Academies



o Tennis

Academic English

Facilities



Bright, spacious classrooms with interactive whiteboards



Free wireless internet



Computer study centre



Dining room



Student common rooms



Cookery room



Art room



On-site sports facilities including tennis courts and a synthetic football pitch

Accommodation



Single, twin rooms and dormitories



Separate accommodation blocks for boys and girls



A dedicated houseparent in every boarding house

Travel

FREE transfers* on scheduled arrival and departure days from:



London Stansted 44 km



89 km London Heathrow

* For flight arrival/departures between 10am and 6pm. Custom transfers can be arranged - ask us for details.

How to book



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