



63  
YEARS  
1954 - 2017



## English Language Courses for Adults and English Language Camps for Young Learners



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Sir Richard summer camp



Sir William summer camp

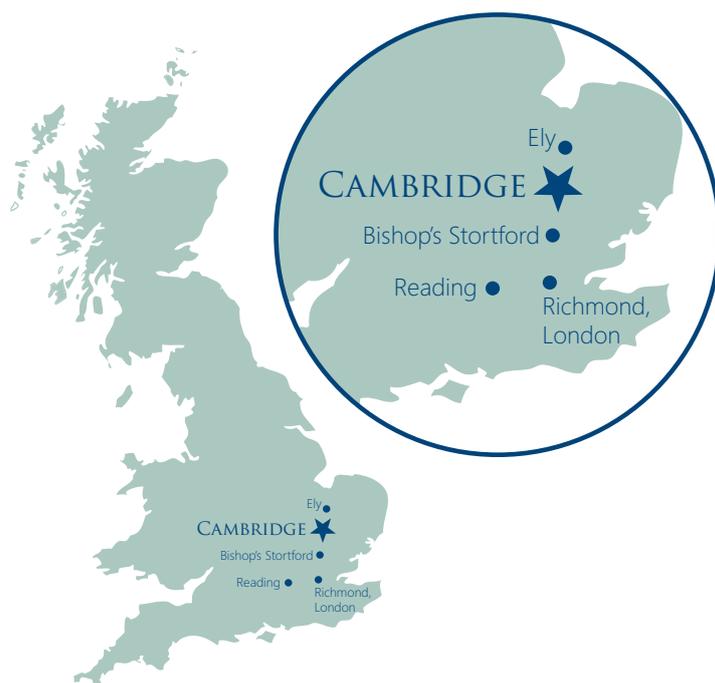
## ONE ORGANISATION, NINE LOCATIONS

- ✓ Studio Cambridge Main School
- ✓ Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge University
- ✓ Newnham College, Cambridge University
- ✓ Ridley Hall College, Cambridge University
- ✓ Hills Road Sixth Form College, Cambridge
- ✓ King's Ely, Cambridgeshire
- ✓ Hockerill Anglo-European College, Bishop's Stortford
- ✓ Leighton Park School, Reading, Berkshire
- ✓ Richmond - the American International University in London

### Our partners

We have been offering our courses on the campuses of the prestigious schools, colleges and universities listed above for many, many years. Each of them is a renowned academic institution in its own right, and we will be happy to supply contact details should you require further information.

However, these institutions are not responsible for our courses and camps. Studio Cambridge is solely responsible for the design, management and accreditation of these programmes.



### Memberships and accreditations

Studio Cambridge is inspected and accredited by, or a member of:

Accredited by the

UNIVERSITY of CAMBRIDGE  
ESOL Examinations  
Authorised Centre

Home Office  
Tier 4 Sponsor  
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## OUR MISSION

Our aim is to provide students with an effective and enjoyable experience of studying English in England. In so doing, we treat them and our partners – colleagues, overseas representatives, host families and others - with the professionalism, respect and personal attention which they deserve.

### Environmental responsibility

Our students travel many millions of miles to get to Cambridge, and this has a negative impact on the earth and its resources.

We have joined the Green Tourism initiative to help us develop ways to compensate for this, and to ensure that we act in an environmentally and socially responsible way.

Our detailed "Corporate Social Responsibility" Policy is available on our website.



## WHY STUDIO CAMBRIDGE?

### 1. Experience and reputation

An international reputation based on 63 years of teaching English as a foreign language

### 2. Private ownership

We are not part of a chain of schools. All our management is based, year-round, at our main school in Cambridge

### 3. Effective teaching

A proven curriculum taught by experienced professionals

### 4. Specialised courses for adults

Intensive and examination courses, with specialised options, for students aged 16+ years

### 5. Award winning courses, year-round, for young learners

Winter, spring, summer and autumn camps for young learners, ages 9-19

### 6. Personal care

A 24-hour Studio Cambridge telephone number, health insurance at no extra cost and experienced welfare staff

### 7. Good accommodation

Choice of living with a local family or in a student residence, all carefully inspected and chosen by us

### 8. Great activities

Lots to see and do during free time

### 9. Superb locations

Schools in five of England's finest towns and cities

### 10. New friends from every part of the world

Students from more than 70 countries each year

# LEARNING AT STUDIO CAMBRIDGE

## Effective teaching and methodology

- ✓ Methodology in continuous development for more than 60 years
- ✓ Up-to-date techniques and technology
- ✓ Effective curriculum at all levels
- ✓ Interesting, stimulating, and personalised teaching
- ✓ Teaching that meets your needs and challenges you to succeed
- ✓ Lessons linked to places and events around Cambridge and the UK

## Classes at the right level

Classes are at all levels from beginner to advanced. You will be tested on your first day by an experienced and qualified teacher and placed in a class at the level which is right for you.

The table below shows the six main levels used by Studio Cambridge.

It also shows equivalent levels in the Cambridge Assessment examinations and IELTS.

Studio Level	Skills	CEFR*	Cambridge	IELTS
<b>Beginner</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	No ability, except, perhaps, for a few isolated words	None	None	1.0 - 2.0
<b>Elementary</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Can understand and use familiar expressions, and communicate in simple terms if the other person speaks slowly	A1	None	2.0 - 3.0
<b>Lower Intermediate</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Can take part in simple exchanges in everyday life with a sympathetic native speaker	A2	KET	3.0 - 4.0
<b>Intermediate</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Can understand main ideas of texts, discuss past and future projects and understand limited social conversation	B1	PET	4.0 - 5.0
<b>Upper Intermediate</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Good command of English, with some inaccuracies; can understand implicit ideas in complex texts and use English effectively	B2	FCE	5.0 - 6.0
<b>Advanced</b> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Fully operational command of English; can express ideas coherently and precisely but still missing cultural nuances	C1 C2	CAE CPE	6.0 - 8.0

\*CEFR – the Common European Framework of Reference (for languages)



**Tim Essex**  
Director of Studies



**Melissa Bubenicek**  
Director of Studies

## Our Directors of Studies

We have a team of teaching professionals, led by our Academic Manager and two Directors of Studies.

The most important role of the Director of Studies (DoS) is to help you succeed. You will meet Tim or Melissa on your first day and you will be able to discuss your academic progress with them at any stage of your course.

The DoS is available to advise you about which courses or exams to take, help you with any problems or worries you might have or just listen to you if you feel the need to talk to somebody about your time studying with us.

*"The quality of the curriculum, teaching and learners' achievements is excellent."*

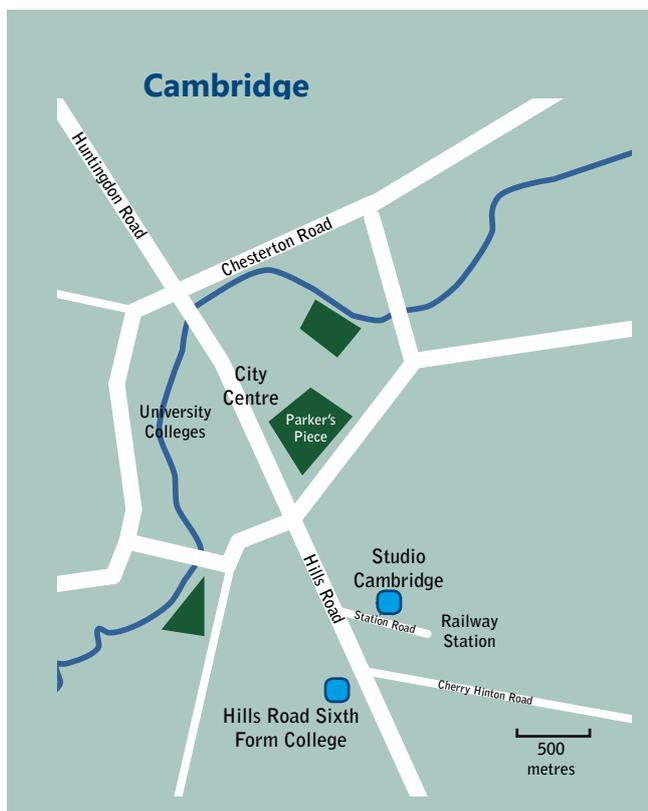
*"Teachers demonstrate excellent subject knowledge and lessons are well planned using wide-ranging high quality and interesting resources. Information Technology (IT) is used well and enhances enjoyment and achievement."*

**Report by the Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) 2015**



**Intensive  
English Courses  
for Ages 16+**





## THE SCHOOLS

### Experienced

One of the longest-established English language schools in Britain, we have been part of Cambridge's education scene since 1954. We are well known and respected in Cambridge.

### Independent and privately owned

Studio Cambridge is not part of a chain of schools. We are privately owned and managed.

All of our central services – such as Accommodation, Welfare, Activities staff, Academic Manager, Directors of Studies and the school Directors – are based at our main school in Cambridge.

In this way, we all get to meet and to know our students and are able to respond quickly without needing to contact "head office".

### Big but friendly

Although we are not a small school, we treat our students as individual people.

We typically have between 180 and 250 students at school each day. This is an ideal size because:

- ✓ We usually have at least 12 classes running at the same time, so can teach at all levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ You will meet fellow students from countries all over the world (see "Student nationalities" opposite)
- ✓ We can organise a wide variety of social, sports and cultural activities – which are free of charge
- ✓ We can give you our personal attention in all aspects of your stay at Studio Cambridge

### Student ages

- ✓ The minimum age for our EFL 20 course is 18 years.
- ✓ The minimum age for all other adult courses (including EFL 28) is 16 years.

However, during the academic year (August to June) we run our Sir George English Camp for young learners aged 14 - 17 years at our main school in Cambridge (see page 29).

During the academic year, therefore, if you are studying on our EFL 28 course (pages 13 – 16):

- ✓ If you are aged 19 years or over, your classmates will not be younger than 16 years.
- ✓ If you are aged 16 - 18 years, some classmates may be 14 or 15 years of age.

The average age of all students taking our Intensive English Courses is 23 years.

### Airport transfers

Cambridge is very easily reached from all of London's airports (Heathrow, Gatwick, Stansted and Luton). Transfers can be by bus, train or taxi – all at additional cost. We will send you full information when you enrol.



# TWO PREMISES IN CAMBRIDGE

## 1. Our main school, during the academic year

Our main school, including our management offices, is open year-round. It is located in impressive 19th century buildings belonging to Cambridge University.

Classes are held here during the academic year (January to June and August to December).

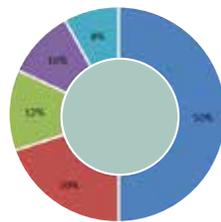
The school is just 15 minutes' walk from the centre of Cambridge and 3 minutes' from the main railway station, from where there are frequent train services to London.

### The main school has:

- ✓ 22 classrooms
- ✓ Learning Centre, with library, multimedia facilities and free Internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi
- ✓ Director of Studies Office for help and advice with academic work
- ✓ Café for snacks, drinks and hot or cold lunches
- ✓ Garden
- ✓ Accommodation Office
- ✓ Student Services Department for activities and excursions
- ✓ Welfare Department with qualified welfare personnel

## Student nationalities

Students come to Studio Cambridge from over 70 countries and speak dozens of languages. The mix of nationalities changes from year to year and according to the time of year. However, here are the nationalities of our adult students taking intensive and examination courses during the past year:



Austria	2%	Russia	4%
Brazil	6%	Saudi Arabia	4%
China	2%	Spain	4%
France	4%	Switzerland	9%
Germany	3%	Taiwan	3%
Italy	9%	Turkey	8%
Japan	9%	Rest of the world	23%
Korea	7%		
Netherlands	3%		

- Western Europe
- Asia / Far East
- Africa / Middle East
- Latin America
- Eastern Europe

## Accessibility

Studio Cambridge's main school is located in 150 year-old buildings on four floors and without lifts. We have limited facilities for the disabled, therefore, but do our best to make adjustments in order to accommodate the needs of such students. Accessibility to Hills Road Sixth Form College is better, but still limited.

If you have a physical, mental or learning impairment or special educational need please inform us prior to enrolment. We will be pleased to advise on the suitability of each of our schools, educational programmes, activities and accommodation for you as an individual.

## 2. Our summer school (July and August)

In the summer, classes are held in the renowned Hills Road Sixth Form College (HRSFC).

HRSFC is one of the most outstanding schools in Britain, sending more students to Oxford and Cambridge universities than any other state college in Britain.

It is just 10 minutes' walk from our main school and has excellent, modern facilities, including:

- ✓ 20 classrooms
- ✓ Computer suites with free Internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi
- ✓ Director of Studies Office for help and advice with academic work
- ✓ Cafeteria for snacks, drinks and hot or cold lunches
- ✓ Student Services Office for activities and excursions
- ✓ Garden

We have been teaching at HRSFC every summer since 2005.



Homestay house



Typical homestay bedroom



Typical homestay lounge



A host mother and student

## ACCOMMODATION

### Homestays - living with local people

Living with a host family in their private home - a homestay - is the best way to experience British culture at first hand.

All our hosts are known to us personally and we visit all of them at least once every year. They provide a friendly environment, a clean and comfortable bedroom, good food, and a quiet place for study.

Homestays are normally located less than 30 minutes from school on foot, by bicycle or using the frequent bus services. Our hosts are typical of British and Cambridge society as a whole: of different ages and occupations and from a variety of ethnic and cultural backgrounds.

If we place another student in your homestay, he or she will not be a native speaker of your language, so your only means of communication will be English.

There are three types of homestay accommodation:

- ✓ Homestay Three Star  
Good, clean accommodation.
- ✓ Homestay Four Star  
As above, but of a particularly high standard, in a larger home or with additional facilities.
- ✓ Homestay Five Star  
Executive-standard, usually in a large house and typically providing a bathroom for your private use. Available exclusively to students aged 18 or more years.

### Your bedroom and meals

You will have a single room, although double rooms are available for couples. Your clothes will be washed and your bed linen and towels will be changed once per week.

Your homestay hosts will provide breakfast and dinner from Monday to Friday and all meals at weekends. Lunch is available in school, in the Studio Café, from Monday to Friday, at an additional cost.

### Residential accommodation

In a student residence you live with other Studio Cambridge students – not a family – and you must buy and cook your own food.

A Studio Cambridge residence is right for you only if you are aged 18 years or over, and are mature and responsible.

You will:

- ✓ cook your own meals
- ✓ keep your bedroom and other parts of the house clean and tidy
- ✓ wash your own clothes
- ✓ share the residence with many other students
- ✓ pay a £100 deposit on arrival and be responsible for damages

We have two residences for the exclusive use of our students.



Student in Bragg House bedroom



Kitchen area in Bragg House



Bragg House

### Railyard & Bragg House at CB1

Bragg House and Railyard are large and modern student residences next door to each other, just 5 minutes' walk from our main school and Hills Road Sixth Form College. They are 15 minutes' walk to the centre of Cambridge.

They are located in a student residential area called "CB1". The CB1 development has a range of other new buildings, including shops, restaurants, bars and apartments, offering a young lifestyle. CB1 is in central Cambridge, close to the railway station, and 5 minutes' walk to the Cambridge Leisure Park with cinema, bowling, gym, bars and restaurants

Both provide single rooms, all with private bathrooms and toilets.

#### Details

- ✓ Post code CB1 2BP
- ✓ Up to 75 student rooms (all single en suite)
- ✓ All rooms with private bathrooms and toilets
- ✓ Either shared living room, kitchen and dining area or private kitchen in the room (studio room)
- ✓ Bed linen changed once per week
- ✓ Available in July and August only
- ✓ Price per room is £220 per week



*"A homestay is another opportunity for us to improve our English and it's another way to learn about the city and the culture. We talk about British history, the weather and I tell them a lot about Brazil. Mainly the differences!"* **Fellipi Henrique, Brazil Scholarship Student**



*"I prefer to stay with a homestay. I wanted to know how English families lived, and now I know. We talk about every topic. My homestay family is very friendly. I'm very lucky."* **Sena, Turkey**



*"Homestay accommodation is useful because you can practise speaking English. Food is also included. We talk about culture and other things."* **Sami, Libya**



*"For me, I really like living in Bragg - my bedroom is bright and open. As well, it is close to school and if I ever need anything the supermarket or leisure park is right outside!"* **Tariku, Italy**



Cambridge is one of Britain's most beautiful and historic cities



Kings College



St. John's College



Trinity College



Jesus College



Caius College



Punting on the River Cam

## CAMBRIDGE

### The city of Cambridge

Our city is known throughout the world for its mediaeval university colleges, impressive architecture, the peaceful River Cam, and its green parks and gardens. With its historic buildings and beautiful setting, the city of Cambridge is the ideal place in which to learn English.

But Cambridge is not only about tradition; it is modern, too. With a population of 100,000 residents and 20,000 university students, Cambridge is an exciting place in which to live and study. It is small enough to get around easily on foot or by bicycle, but big enough to have all the shops, restaurants, cinemas, theatres, clubs, museums, galleries and sporting facilities that you may need.

Of course, if you want to visit a really big city, London is just 45 minutes away by train.

Our main school in Cambridge is located just 15 minutes' walk from Cambridge's historic city centre and our summer school is 20 minutes' walk from the historic city centre. For more details, please see pages 5 and 6.

### Cambridge's unmissable attractions

Cambridge has so many beautiful buildings, green parks, open spaces, museums and attractions, it is difficult to name them all, but here is a sample of things not to be missed.

- ✓ Punting on the River Cam
- ✓ The many stunning Cambridge University colleges such as King's, Trinity, Jesus, St John's College
- ✓ Fitzwilliam Museum
- ✓ The University Botanic Garden
- ✓ Cream tea in Granchester Meadows

### Cambridge - the gateway to Europe

Cambridge is the perfect place to be based for independent travel around Europe.

As well as direct trains to London every 15 minutes, there are also regular direct trains from Cambridge to London Stansted airport, which offers cheap flights to more than 30 different countries.

*"The activities offer a break from learning and an opportunity to talk to classmates. I enjoy the city visits to Kings College Chapel and Botanic Garden best."*

**Antonio, Italy**

*"It's a good way to get to know each other. My favourites are the cultural visits and movie and popcorn night."*

**Noemie, Switzerland**



## ACTIVITIES – FREE OF CHARGE

### At least five free activities per week

It is very important that you continue speaking English with your friends and classmates after your lessons are finished for the day, and that you get to see as much as you can in your free time. Therefore, we include a choice of at least five activities each week which are completely free of charge. Most have no limits on the number of people who can take part.

There is also one evening activity offered each week.

### Studio Missions

We also offer Studio missions which keep you using and learning English outside of the lessons. Missions such as selfie challenges outside Cambridge attractions, making videos on a punt on the river or interviewing university students are set by us and completed by you as you explore Cambridge.

### Conversation Club

You can also have extra conversation practice in school with our free Conversation Club every Friday afternoon. A great way to meet and interact with fellow students and to raise any language points with a teacher.

### Excursions and UK travel

It is easy to travel independently from Cambridge by train or coach to all destinations in the UK. There is direct transport to London, Birmingham, the seaside, and all of the London airports.

During the weekend, student excursions can be booked to destinations such as London, Stratford-upon-Avon, York, Bath, Canterbury, Windsor Castle, Warwick Castle, Salisbury and Stonehenge.

Longer trips to Scotland and other European countries on the continent also leave regularly from Cambridge.

These are all at extra cost. A full-day excursion to London, for example, costs approximately £22.00. Some excursions are available exclusively to students aged 18 years or more.

Please visit our website for up-to-date information and prices.

### Available activities

-  Indoor Football
-  Basketball
-  Badminton
-  Volleyball
-  Swimming
-  T-shirt design
-  Charcoal sketching
-  Mask making
-  Bag design
-  Clay modelling
-  Cake and cookie decorating
-  British quiz
-  Cream tea
-  Bingo
-  Museum visits (Anthropology & Archaeology, Scott Polar exploration, History of Science etc)
-  Movie and popcorn
-  Video games night
-  Ten-pin bowling
-  Pool competition



## EFL 20

Content:  
General English

Lessons:  
20 lessons per week  
(15 hours)

Start dates: Every week  
(classes start on Mondays)

Duration:  
2 to 50 weeks

Classes: International,  
with average 13 per class.  
Maximum 16 per class

Ages: 18+\*

## EFL 20 Levels 1 2 3 4 5 6

### The Course

Our EFL 20 course is in general English, with no specialisation. It consists of 20 lessons each week, typically from 09:15 to 12:45 each day, Monday to Friday. It is ideal for students who prefer to have their afternoons free.

The content of the course differs according to the level of each class. However, all courses include the study of grammar, speaking and pronunciation, writing skills, and listening and reading comprehension.

### Methodology

We adapt our teaching to the needs and learning styles of our students, following three guiding principles:

The teaching will be balanced with practice - you will learn and practise English, with an emphasis on speaking.

Lessons will be centred around you - you will not spend all your time listening to the teacher but will be busy using English in the classroom.

The language we teach will be recycled - we will not allow you to forget what you have learnt.

Lessons are linked to places and events around Cambridge and the UK

Each lesson is:

- ✓ Clearly focussed
- ✓ Progressive
- ✓ Interactive
- ✓ Communicative
- ✓ Practical
- ✓ Dynamic

### The heart of the EFL 28 Intensive Course

Students taking our EFL 28 course (see pages 13-16) take the EFL 20 course during the mornings and then study from a choice of options in the afternoons.

\*Ages: Some of your classmates may, therefore, be 16 or 17 years of age.

### Tests – Placement, Progress and End-of-course

On the first day of your course you will take a written and oral test to allow us to assess your knowledge of English and so to place you in a class at the right level for you.

At the end of each week you will take another test to make sure that you have understood the work done during the week and that you are continuing to improve. The test also allows us to confirm whether your current class is still at the right level for you.

Before you leave us, you will be able to take an end of course test, to show your progress over the whole course.

### Modern technology

Lessons regularly incorporate modern media, including listening exercises based on Internet sources, video clips and the latest news. All our classrooms have WiFi, data projectors and speakers.



**Ages:  
18+**

### Interesting teachers

Members of our teaching team have many years' experience of TEFL (Teaching English as a Foreign Language) at Studio Cambridge, and often at other schools, colleges and universities in the UK and overseas.

Between them, they also have academic backgrounds in Philosophy, English Literature, IT, Sciences, Psychology, Law, Business, Politics, Accountancy, History and more.

### Tutorials

A tutorial is a private meeting with your teacher, in which you can discuss the progress you have made and what you need to do next to reach your goals.

### Your Study Plan

Based on the personal goals identified in your tutorials and your work in class, your teacher will give you a personalised Study Plan. This will guide you to work on those areas of English which you need to focus on to improve your command of the language.

### Self-study in the Learning Centre

You can visit our Main School Learning Centre before or after lessons to work on the areas identified in your Study Plan. It has 20 PCs with free internet access and Wi-Fi, and a range of materials including CDs, books and newspapers.

### Certificate of Studies and Academic Report

At the end of your course you will receive a certificate showing the course you have studied and the dates of that course.

Your main teacher will also write a personalised Academic Report which shows not just your progress but also the level you have attained in each area of English. This is a very useful document for your future studies or work.

### The timetable

Classes are usually held from 09:15 to 12:45 each day, Monday to Friday. A typical day, at the Intermediate level (level 4) is as follows:

#### 09:15 - 10:45

Two lessons (90 minutes) in grammar and speaking

#### 10:45 - 11:15

Break for tea or coffee in the café

#### 11:15 - 12:45

Two lessons (90 minutes) in pronunciation and listening skills

#### 12:45 - 13:45

Lunch



# EFL 28

Content: General English + 5 specialised afternoon options

Lessons: 28 lessons per week (21 hours)

Start dates: Every week (classes start on Mondays)

Duration: 2 to 50 weeks

Classes: International, with average 13 per class. Maximum 16 per class

Ages: 16+

**Typical timetable for one week of the EFL 28 course with Option Five (Studio Level 5)**

## EFL 28 Levels 1 2 3 4 5 6

Time	Subject	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
09:15 - 10:45	Skills focus:	Speaking and reading	Speaking and listening	Speaking and writing	Speaking and reading	Weekly review	<b>FREE DAY</b> OR <b>Optional full-day excursion to London visiting:</b> Buckingham Palace Houses of Parliament River Thames Trafalgar Square Covent Garden Tower of London
	Lexical focus:	Being rich	Regrets	Making decisions	'Tall' stories	Progress test	
	Grammar focus:	Third and mixed conditionals	Expressing regret	Modals for advice	The past	Recycling grammar	
10:45 - 11:15	<b>BREAK</b>						
11:15 - 12:45	Skills focus:	Speaking and listening	Speaking and reading	Speaking and listening	Speaking and writing	Speaking	
	Lexical focus:	Honesty	The lottery	Making money	Character	Telling anecdotes	
	Grammar focus:	Gerunds vs Infinitives	Past perfect continuous	Future tenses	Modals for speculation	Narrative tenses	
12:45 - 13:45	<b>LUNCH</b>						
13:45 - 15:15	Exam focus:	Writing	Listening	Reading	Speaking	<b>FREE AFTERNOON</b>	
	Exam task:	Describing charts	Academic dialogue	Summary completion	Two-way discussion		
	Exam skills:	Identifying trends	Identifying distractors	Analysing meaning	Speculating		
<b>AFTERNOON and evening</b>	Optional Activities (selection)	Sports: indoor football, basketball, volleyball, badminton, ultimate frisbee Arts and crafts: charcoal sketching, T-shirt design, mask making, clay modelling Culture: Punting on River Cam, Fitzwilliam museum visit, ten-pin bowling, film night					
<b>Evening</b>	Homework:	Grammar exercise on conditionals	Write a discursive essay: You can't buy happiness	Vocabulary exercise on economics	Revise this week's grammar and vocabulary	This weekend: Write an email about an anecdote	

### Study longer for less

The EFL 20 and EFL 28 courses cost less per week the longer you study. See our Dates and Fees list for information. If you are staying for 6 weeks or more, you can move from the EFL 28 course to our examination courses as you progress in your studies and at no additional cost.



Ages:  
16+

## English + 5 specialised afternoon options

The EFL 28 course is the most effective way to improve your English in the shortest possible time.

### 1. Intensive

The course includes

- ✓ 28 lessons (21 hours of 60 minutes) of teacher-led instruction in the classroom
- ✓ homework and out-of-class assignments
- ✓ optional study in the Learning Centre
- ✓ private meetings with your teacher (tutorials)
- ✓ optional conversation club practice each week

In addition to your formal lessons, you will be taking part in social activities with fellow students from around the world – and speaking English with them – and you will be living in a homestay or residence where the only means of communication will be English. Who knows? Soon you might be dreaming in English!

### 2. Demanding

The lessons are dynamic: they require you to be involved and to use your fast-developing mastery of the language in the classroom. You will not just sit quietly taking notes.

The English being taught will be at your level, and classes are small: a maximum of 16 students and an average of 13 in each class. Personal attention is assured. Weekly progress tests and regular tutorials will ensure that you are challenged to do your personal best.

### 3. Specialised

With the assistance of your teacher or the Director of Studies, you can choose the afternoon option / specialisation which is most useful for you and relevant to your needs and interests (see pages 15 and 16).

**For example:**

**Option 2** – Cultural and Linguistic Studies – if you want to learn more about media, British history or work more on your grammar

**Option 3** – English for Business – if you will be using English in a working environment

**Option 5** – IELTS Preparation – if you are planning to take the IELTS exam or wish to improve your study skills

#### Tutorials

A tutorial is a private meeting with your teacher, in which you can discuss the progress you have made and what you need to do next to reach your goals.

#### Progress tests

At the end of each week your teacher will administer a test on the study areas for that week. This test will help you measure your progress. At the end of your course you can take an exit test. This will measure your level of English at the end of your course and, by comparing the results with those of your placement test, your overall progress.



## EFL 28 AFTERNOON OPTIONS

### EFL 28 Option 1 - Language Skills

**Start Dates:** Every week  
**Duration:** 2 to 50 weeks

Levels 1 2 3 4 5 6

This option builds on your morning lessons. Each lesson focuses on one of the four main language skills: speaking, listening, reading and writing.

Exciting, practical materials and techniques are used, such as radio interviews, magazine articles, songs and film clips, followed by a discussion of their content. There is additional emphasis on vocabulary and pronunciation.

### EFL 28 Option 2 - Cultural and Linguistic Studies

**Start Dates:** Every week  
(subject to availability)  
**Duration:** 2 to 12 weeks

Levels 4 5 6

This option covers a range of cultural and linguistic areas. The course includes:

#### Creative Social Media

Learn how to use social media, such as Facebook, Twitter & Instagram, to attract followers to your interest or business. This is a practical course in which you will be setting up the pages and posting content, all in English.

#### Pronunciation clinic

Emphasis on accent, stress, and difficult sounds, with personalised help from your teacher.

#### English literature

You will examine extracts from some of the English language's greatest authors, poets and dramatists.

#### Grammar workshop

To help build on the grammar studied during your morning lessons.



## EFL 28 Option 3 - English for Business

**Start Dates:** Every week  
(subject to availability)

**Duration:** 2 to 12 weeks

Levels 4 | 5 | 6



This option develops your fluency in English in the environment of international business and the English speaking workplace.

The course specialises in communication and looks at areas such as:

- ✓ Business correspondence and e-mail
- ✓ Contracts and formal writing
- ✓ Using social media to attract customers
- ✓ Verbal presentations for conferences and meetings
- ✓ Preparing and analysing reports
- ✓ Interviews – giving and taking
- ✓ Telephone skills
- ✓ Sales negotiation

Your teachers will, of course, be qualified professionals in the teaching of English as a Foreign Language (TEFL). However, many of them also have experience in the world of business, finance and law. Similarly, your classmates will be from countries all over the world and it is fascinating to compare business practices from one country to another.

## EFL 28 Option 4 - IELTS Foundation (with a focus on reading and writing)

**Start Dates:** Every week  
**Duration:** 2 to 12 weeks

Levels 3 | 4



This option can be taken on its own or before taking Option 5 (IELTS Preparation) or our IELTS Examination Course – IELTS 28 (see pages 17 and 18). It focuses on the Reading and Writing sections of the IELTS exam.

The aim of the course is to bring your reading and writing skills up from IELTS bands 3.0 and 4.0 to band 5.0.

It will be useful if you are planning to study on a foundation course at an English-speaking university. It is of particular benefit if your native language does not use the Roman alphabet.

### Topics include:

- ✓ Syntax and word order
- ✓ Formal language and the passive voice
- ✓ Linking words – adverbs and conjunctions
- ✓ Spelling and punctuation
- ✓ Organising paragraphs
- ✓ Writing reports and essays

## EFL 28 Option 5 - IELTS Preparation (with a focus on study skills)

**Start Dates:** Every week  
**Duration:** 2 to 12 weeks

Levels 4 | 5 | 6



This option can be taken on its own or as preparation for our IELTS Examination Course – IELTS 28 (see pages 17 & 18).

The aim of the course is to bring your skills up to IELTS bands 5.5 – 8.0. It offers the perfect preparation if you plan to study on a Bachelor's or Master's degree course at an English-speaking university or if you intend to take our IELTS Examination Course.

### Topics include:

- ✓ The formal lexis and structures used in academic writing
- ✓ Writing reports on graphs, charts and diagrams
- ✓ Taking notes from lectures
- ✓ Delivering a short monologue
- ✓ Identifying the writer's claims in scientific texts
- ✓ Reacting to a difference in opinion during discussion
- ✓ Planning, organising and writing formal essays
- ✓ Independent study skills



## IELTS 28

Content: Specialised preparation for the IELTS examination

Lessons: 28 lessons per week (21 hours)

Start dates: Please see the table below

Duration: 4 or 6 weeks

Classes: International, with average 13 per class. Maximum 16 per class

Ages: 16+

## IELTS 28 Levels 4 5 6

Time	Subject	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
09:15 - 10:45	Academic skill:	Expressing disagreement	Meaning and paraphrase	Fact versus opinion	Note-taking	Exam practice
	Relevance to exam:	Writing task 2 and speaking part 3	Reading Yes/No/Not given task	Reading parts 3 and 4	Listening part 3	Writing parts 1 and 2
10:45 - 11:15	<b>BREAK</b>					
11:15 - 12:45	Academic skill:	Distractors, opinions and attitudes	Dealing with unknown vocabulary	Comparing and contrasting	Vocabulary of the environment	Describing personal interests
	Relevance to exam:	Listening parts 2 & 4 and speaking part 4	Reading, all parts	Speaking part 2 and writing part 1	Reading all parts and listening parts 2 and 4	Speaking part 1
12:45 - 13:45	<b>LUNCH</b>					
13:45 - 15:15	Academic skill:	Describing trends	Labelling diagrams and tables	Analysing questions, providing arguments	Statistics, tables and the presentation of data	<b>FREE AFTERNOON</b>
	Relevance to exam:	Writing task 1	Listening parts 1 & 3	Writing task 2	Writing task 1	

### Course dates

Course starts	No. of weeks	Course ends	Exam dates	Course starts	No. of weeks	Course ends	Exam dates
January 2	6	February 10	February 11	May 29	4	June 23	June 24
January 16	4			July 3	4	July 28	July 29
February 13	6	March 24	March 25	July 31	4	August 25	August 26
February 27	4			September 4	6	October 13	October 14
April 3	6	May 12	May 13	September 18	4		
April 17	4			October 16	6	November 24	November 25
May 15	6	June 23	4				



**Ages:**  
**16+**

### **IELTS Examination course (IELTS 28)**

The examination offered by the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) leads to an internationally-recognised qualification for entry to universities and colleges throughout the English-speaking world.

Our IELTS Examination Course is ideal preparation and has proven to be highly effective. All lessons (4 or 6 weeks of 28 lessons per week) concentrate exclusively on the examination.

### **IELTS Scores**

The course is designed to ensure that you achieve at least the minimum score for entry to a degree course at a British university, usually 6.0. However, it is also suitable for students aiming for 7.0 or higher. You will need to be at least at the Upper Intermediate level (IELTS 5.0) to start this course.

If your level of English is well below your target score, you should start your studies on the EFL 28 course (see pages 13 - 16) with Option Four (IELTS Foundation) or Option Five (IELTS Preparation) and transfer to this course towards the end of your studies.

### **Special features of the course**

#### **Specialised English skills**

This course is successful because it gives you the academic skills you need to achieve your best possible score in IELTS. The skills you need to do well in the IELTS exam are the same as those you would need at an English-speaking university. See the typical timetable.

### **Vocabulary for typical IELTS topics**

We will teach you the words that typically appear in IELTS exams, including topics such as the environment, technology and geography. Later in the course we will check again to make sure that you have not forgotten them.

### **Examination practice and training**

As the exam date approaches, the course intensifies. You will receive exam practice, including speaking tests, with detailed feedback on your performance and the areas you need to improve.

### **Experienced teaching**

Studio Cambridge has helped thousands of students achieve their dreams and gain the IELTS scores they have needed to enter the university of their choice. Our teachers have received specialist training in teaching IELTS and have years of experience in helping students to achieve their maximum possible scores.

### **Additional information and costs**

The cost of the examination (which is optional) is not included in the course fees. It is estimated at £150.

The course uses specialised course books at an additional cost of approximately £45 per course.

The examination fees and course books can be paid in advance or at school.



## CAM 28/32

### First Certificate of English (FCE)

Levels 4 5

### Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)

Levels 5 6

#### University of Cambridge Examination course (CAM 28 and CAM 32)

Cambridge English qualifications are accepted by over 15,000 universities, employers and governments around the world. CAE is accepted for entrance to most British universities. Success in these exams can open doors to higher education and improve employment and career opportunities.

We have two Examination courses which run at the same time:

1. For the FCE (First Certificate of English); and
2. For the CAE (Certificate in Advanced English)

#### Special features

##### Motivating

Students often need a Cambridge English qualification for a job or for entrance to university. However, many students also want the qualification for their own

## CAM 28/32

Content: Specialised preparation for Cambridge examinations

Lessons: 28 lessons per week (21 hours) or 32 lessons per week (24 hours)

Start dates:

Please see the table below

Duration: 6 and 10 weeks

Classes: International, with average 13 per class. Maximum 16 per class

Ages: 16+

satisfaction, knowing they will have achieved a level of English respected around the world.

#### Wide coverage of English skills

All the main English language skills are covered: Use of English (grammar and vocabulary), reading, listening, writing and speaking (including pronunciation).

#### Examination practice and training

As the exam date approaches, the course intensifies. You will receive exam practice, including speaking tests, with detailed feedback on your performance.

#### Experienced teaching

Our teachers have received specialist training and have years of experience in helping students to achieve the best possible grades.

#### Course information:

##### Course numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7:

With these courses, some exams take place on Saturdays. If you are staying in a homestay we will extend your accommodation for an extra night at

no additional cost. This will allow you to leave Cambridge on the Sunday immediately after the exam.

#### Course numbers 4 and 6:

The FCE is a computer-based exam on these dates. Computer skills for the examination are included as part of the course. (The CAE exams listed below are not computer-based).

#### Course numbers 5 and 6:

These are super-intensive courses of 32 lessons per week.

#### Additional costs

The cost of the examination is not included in the course fees. It is estimated at £150. However, it is optional and many students take the course without taking the examination.

The course uses specialised course books at an additional cost of approximately £45 per course.

The examination fees and course books can be paid in advance or at school.

#### Examination course dates

Course number	Starts (Monday)	Ends (Friday)	Duration (weeks)	Examination dates	
				FCE	CAE
1	January 2	March 10	10	March 10	March 11
2	January 16		8		
3	March 20	May 12	8	May 13	May 13
4	May 15	July 7	8	July 8	July 8
5*	July 17	August 25	6	August 24	August 25
6*	September 4	October 13	6	October 14	October 14
7	October 16	December 8	8	December 9	December 9



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Authorised Centre

\* This is a super intensive course of 32 lessons per week



## WELFARE AT STUDIO CAMBRIDGE

Your welfare – your well-being, comfort and safety – is our most important responsibility and we take it seriously.

### For all students:

1. We have experienced and trained welfare staff.
2. You will be given a 24-hour emergency telephone number to contact Studio Cambridge staff at any time.
3. You will have – at no additional cost – an insurance policy which provides the following cover (subject to change):
  - ✓ Medical expenses: unlimited
  - ✓ Repatriation: unlimited
  - ✓ Personal liability: up to £2 million
  - ✓ Personal belongings up to £2,000
  - ✓ Up to £250 for money, credit card and emergency passport replacement

Please note: this policy is underwritten by ACE European Group Ltd and is subject to change without notice

*"Students' welfare, including health and safety, is excellent. Management of this area is outstanding and highly effective. Student safety is achieved through well maintained and safe premises, a thorough induction process and well trained staff."*

*"The school's café is excellent offering healthy and interesting meal options."*

*"There is a wide range of varied and interesting activities organised within the local community."*

*"Accommodation is well managed and highly responsive to students' wishes."*

**From the report of the Independent Schools Inspectorate following their visit in 2015**

Because of these additional measures for students aged under 18, the Registration Fee is higher than it is for adult students aged 18+. Please see our "Dates and Fees" list.

### For students under 18 years of age: on our intensive English courses

We pay particular attention to the welfare of students aged 16 and 17 years attending our intensive English courses.

1. You have a dedicated Welfare Officer who is concerned specifically with your well-being.
2. Your transfer arrangements, from or to the airport, must be made in communication with us. We will arrange these transfers for you at an additional cost unless we have written assurance from your parents to say that suitable alternative arrangements have been made.
3. You must be home at your homestay no later than 23:00 hours. Please note that host families help to ensure that this rule is followed.
4. You must be in school to attend your first lesson each morning.
5. You can only take our most intensive courses (EFL 28, CAM 28/32 or IELTS 28). EFL 20 (morning-only classes) are not available to under 18s. This ensures that you are in school and taking classes four afternoons per week.



## EXCURSIONS

Full-day and half-day excursions may include:

- ✓ London
- ✓ Oxford - including Christ Church College
- ✓ Cambridge - including punting
- ✓ Brighton
- ✓ Warwick Castle
- ✓ Windsor Castle
- ✓ Stratford-upon-Avon
- ✓ Leeds Castle
- ✓ Harry Potter Studio Tour

### Internationally acclaimed

Our camps are vacation courses for young people. Each of the programmes is designed for a specific age group and includes every aspect of your stay with us in England.

The camps are held at our own school and at famous schools, colleges and universities. We have been running our camps for almost 50 years.

### Welfare and supervision

Your welfare and safety are our primary concern and most important responsibility. Our camps offer:

- ✓ Host schools and colleges of proven quality and reputation
- ✓ Pleasant and safe surroundings
- ✓ Accommodation, activities, teaching, and adult supervision appropriate to the specific age group
- ✓ A high staff-to-student ratio at all schools – and particularly at residential centres
- ✓ Very careful selection of homestay hosts at non-residential centres
- ✓ Studio Cambridge Welfare Officer at each centre
- ✓ 24-hour emergency telephone number
- ✓ Medical insurance included in the fees

### Teaching

The academic content of these programmes is just as carefully structured as that of our intensive English courses for older students. The teaching concentrates on speaking and listening and, in this way, builds on the English you may have already studied in your home country.

You will be tested on your first day and placed at the appropriate level, from beginner to advanced. Your classes will be dynamic, interactive, appropriate for your age and effective. You will be in a class of no more than 16 students and will be taught by a team of two teachers.

### Lesson topics

Our lessons include a variety of interesting topics for lively discussion in class. These topics keep you interested – and talking English.

For 2017 there are at least 16 topics arranged in eight pairs as follows:

1. Adventure / our environment
2. What's new? / shopping and fashion
3. Fame / the media
4. Family / friends
5. Food / health
6. British sports / free time
7. Going away / staying at home
8. Investigation / fact or fiction

*Students' welfare, including health and safety, is excellent." "Pastoral care is a strength of the school."*  
*"The care of students under 18 years is highly successful." ISI Report 2015*



### Accommodation and meals

Accommodation and all meals are included in the course fees. Depending on the programme you choose, you will live:

- ✓ with a local family (homestay); or
- ✓ in a students' residence on or near the campus

### Insurance

Insurance is included in the course fees. It covers:

- ✓ Medical expenses: Unlimited
- ✓ Repatriation: Unlimited
- ✓ Personal liability: Up to £2 million
- ✓ Personal belongings: Up to £2,000
- ✓ Up to £250 for money, credit card and emergency passport replacement

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### Airport transfers

Your summer camp transfers to and from the airport to your accommodation are included in the course fees if you travel to and from the London airports on a Sunday. This service is available to and from Heathrow, Gatwick and Stansted airports. We can arrange transfers for you if you travel on different days, and to or from any other airport, seaport or railway station, but additional fees apply.

When you arrive in the UK on a Sunday, at Heathrow, Gatwick or Stansted airport, you will be met at the airport by our transfers team and taken by taxi or coach to your accommodation, where you will be met by your host or your residential wardens. You should plan to arrive on the Sunday before your course begins. You should plan to leave on the Sunday immediately after your course ends.

### Accessibility

Our summer camps are held at seven different schools or university colleges, with differing levels of accessibility for students with disabilities. If you have a physical, mental or learning impairment or special educational need please inform us prior to enrolment. We will be pleased to advise on the suitability of each of our camps, educational programmes, activities and accommodation to you as an individual.

### Activities

All our camps feature a variety of activities, in addition to the English language lessons.

The programme is busy - ensuring that there is always something happening, and always under the supervision of responsible adults.

Activities include sports, arts and crafts, local visits, language games, and parties. Students are expected to participate in all scheduled activities.

### Sport and fitness

Volleyball, swimming, tennis, basketball, badminton, aerobics, dance

### Language & Cultural Activities

Drama games, museum visits, town visits, karaoke, bingo, disco, parties

### Arts & Crafts

T-shirt design, friendship bracelet making, mask making, clay modelling bag design, charcoal sketching, origami, cake decoration

### Camp Themes

Many of our camps have special themes that run throughout the course. (See Page 27 & 28 for details). These include:

**HARRY POTTER** – at Sir Edward, Sir Henry & Sir Richard

**UNIVERSITY DISCOVERY** – at Sir Laurence and Sir Christopher

**LONDON DISCOVERY** – at Sir William

**DANCE** – at Sir Richard



Advance booking options		Camp activity themes				Excursions per week		Camp capacity	Notes	Pages
IELTS exam	Weekly dance course	Sport, art & culture	Harry Potter	Cambridge University Discovery	London Discovery	Full-day	Half-day			
		✓				 **		70	1 week course option available	29-30
		✓	✓			 *		200	Residential on campus in a traditional boarding school	31-32
		✓	✓			 *		220	Residential on campus in a traditional boarding school	33-34
		✓	✓			 *		220	Residential on campus in a traditional boarding school. Weekly dance course must be booked in advance	35-36
		✓	✓			 *				
		✓		✓				80	Residential in a Cambridge University college. No large groups allowed. Only individuals and small groups can book	37-38
		✓						360	Homestays are a maximum 30 minutes bus, cycle or walk from school	39-42
		✓							Residences between 3 and 15 minutes easy walk away	
		✓							For students with intermediate level English or above. Programmes run on a 3 weekly cycle	
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		✓			✓	 *		200	Residential on campus in a university environment	43-44
		✓			✓	 *			1 week course option available IELTS can be booked at extra cost. Exams must be booked in advance	
		✓		✓				250	Residential in a Cambridge University college	45-46
		✓		✓					1 week course option available IELTS exam can be booked at extra cost. Exams must be booked in advance	

### Included in the fees for all camps

1. Arrival transfers on Sundays: meeting at London's Heathrow, Gatwick or Stansted airport and transfer to the camp
2. 20 or 28 lessons per week (15 or 21 hours) as specified
3. Accommodation in a homestay or student residence
4. All meals
5. Daily activities as specified
6. Full-day and half-day excursions each week, as specified
7. Choice of specialised courses
8. A high staff-to-student ratio appropriate for the age
9. Medical insurance
10. Return transfers on Sundays to London's Heathrow, Gatwick or Stansted airport at the end of the programme

## 1. Standard English programmes in Cambridge

**Sir Michael**  
**Sir Christopher (standard programme)**



20 lessons per week



1 full-day excursion per week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09:00 - 10:30	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2		<b>Free morning</b>
10:30 - 11:00	Break						
11:00 - 12:30	English communication lessons 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4	British culture lessons 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4	Excursion lessons 3 & 4		
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch						
13:45 - 15:15	Badminton City tour Swimming	Colleges tour Football Drama games	Punting Volleyball Language games	<b>Free afternoon</b>	Basketball Museum visit Cream tea	<b>Full-day excursion to London</b>	Walk to Grantchester
<b>Dinner and free time in residence or with host family</b>							
Between 19:00 - 22:00*	Disco evening	Cinema visit	Sports night	Punting on the River Cam	Karaoke evening	Games evening	Themed party

\*Only 3 evening activities per week for students in homestay accommodation.

## 2. Intensive English programmes in Cambridge

**Sir Laurence**  
**Sir Christopher (intensive programme)**  
**Sir Michael Global Leaders**  
**Sir Michael Creative Social Media**



28 Lessons per week



1 full-day excursion per week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09:00 - 10:30	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2		<b>Free morning</b>
10:30 - 11:00	Break						
11:00 - 12:30	English communication lessons 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4	British culture lessons 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4	Excursion lessons 3 & 4		
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch						
13:45 - 15:15	Specialised lessons according to each programme			<b>Free afternoon or local visit</b>	Specialised lessons	<b>Full-day excursion to Warwick Castle</b>	Local visits and sports
<b>Dinner and free time in residence</b>							
Between 19:00 - 22:00	Disco evening	Punting on the River Cam	Games and sports	Arts and crafts	Karaoke evening	Movie night	Themed party

\*Optional activities are available at Sir Laurence instead of free time on Thursday afternoons.

### 3. Standard English programmes in UK boarding schools

Sir Edward  
Sir Henry  
Sir Richard



20 lessons per week



1 half-day excursion per week



2 full-day excursions per week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09:15 - 10:50	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2		English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	
10:50 - 11:20	Break			Break			
11:20 - 12:55	English communication lessons 3 & 4	Excursion lessons 3 & 4		British culture lesson 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4	Excursion lessons 3 & 4	
12:55 - 13:45	Lunch			Lunch			
13:45 - 14:45	Language activity: Language games	<b>14:00 - 18:00</b> Visit to town centre	<b>Full-day excursion to London</b>	Language activity: Creative writing	Language activity: Photo story	Language activity: Magazine making	<b>Full-day excursion to Warwick Castle</b>
14:45 - 17:15	Afternoon activities			Afternoon activities	Afternoon activities	Afternoon activities	
<b>Dinner and free time in residence</b>							
Between 19:30 - 21:30	Treasure hunt	Arts and crafts	Movie night in residence	Karaoke party	Swimming	Talent show	Sports & games

### 4. Standard or Intensive English programmes in London

Sir William



20 or 28 Lessons per week



1 half-day excursion per week



2 full-day excursions per week

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09:15 - 10:45	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2		English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	English topic lessons 1 & 2	
10:45 - 11:15	Break			Break			
11:15 - 12:45	English communication lessons 3 & 4	English communication lessons 3 & 4		Excursion lessons 3 & 4	British culture lessons 3 & 4	Excursion lessons 3 & 4	
12:45 - 14:00	Lunch			Lunch			
14:00 - 15:30	Afternoon lessons or activities	Afternoon lessons or activities	<b>Full-day excursion to London</b>	Afternoon lessons or activities	<b>13:30</b> Central London visit	Afternoon lessons or activities	<b>Full-day excursion to Oxford</b>
<b>Dinner and free time in residence</b>							
Between 19:30 - 21:30	Disco evening	Sports or arts and crafts	Games night	Cinema visit	Karaoke evening	Sports or arts and crafts	Themed party

These timetables are examples only, and are subject to change without notice. Some excursion days may vary depending on the specific centre. Please visit our website for up-to-date information.

## 2017 OPTIONS

All Studio's camps combine dynamic, effective English language classes with a varied and active social programme. Some camps also offer special course options or themes that run throughout the programme.

### English class options on intensive courses - Global Leaders

#### Global Leaders

**Camp:** Sir Michael  
**Location:** Cambridge  
**Ages** 14 – 17  
**English level:** Intermediate to Advanced

This course will help you develop your personal, organisational and life skills in an international setting. It focuses on building your linguistic and social confidence, both in and out of the classroom. It encourages understanding and empathy between young people of different countries and cultures. After theoretical discussions on topics such as what makes a good team player, cultural awareness, decision making, presentation skills and interview techniques, you will be challenged in practical and enjoyable group activities to find creative solutions, to influence others and to build your confidence.

#### The course includes:

- ✓ Leadership and teamwork skills
- ✓ Cultural awareness
- ✓ International understanding and respect
- ✓ Interview skills
- ✓ Building confidence
- ✓ Decision making
- ✓ Creative solutions
- ✓ Mini-UN debates
- ✓ Preparing and giving presentations
- ✓ Negotiating and persuading

### English class options on intensive courses - Creative Social Media

**Camp:** Sir Michael  
**Location:** Cambridge  
**Ages** 14 – 17  
**English level:** Intermediate to Advanced

This course will help you to use social media to promote your ideas, interests and even your own business. It is a practical course which shows you how to produce creative and attractive content on the most popular global forums - such as Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. You will produce a weekly project whilst being taught how to script content (in English, of course!) and select eye-catching pictures and video. The course successfully combines social media and English language skills to benefit you both personally and professionally.

#### The course includes:

- ✓ Combining social media and English language skills
- ✓ Engaging with the online global community
- ✓ Studying online English language trends
- ✓ Producing a weekly project through social media channels
- ✓ Using authentic, digitally sourced-materials
- ✓ Producing your own digital content
- ✓ Examining effective ways to build an online presence

### English class options on intensive courses - Academic Skills with IELTS option

**Camp:** Sir William, Sir Christopher, Sir George  
**Location:** London & Cambridge  
**Ages** 14 – 17 or 16-19  
**English level:** Intermediate to Advanced

This course will help you get the most out of your studies when you return to school or head to university. It teaches you the skills you need to be confident in classes and lectures. It focuses on helping you to succeed in your English exams and you will have the opportunity to take the IELTS exam in Cambridge or London.

#### The course includes:

- ✓ Preparing Power Point slides and giving presentations
- ✓ Academic research on the Internet
- ✓ Debating current issues
- ✓ Team-building tasks
- ✓ Watching and analysing talks, documentaries and seminars
- ✓ Reading between the lines
- ✓ How to write an essay
- ✓ Techniques for school and university exams

### Activity course options - English and Dance

**Camp:** Sir Richard  
**Location:** Reading  
**Ages** 10 – 16  
**Dance skill level:** Elementary to Advanced

This course is open to dancers of all levels, and both male and female students are welcome. The courses run on a weekly basis throughout the summer camp, with 8 hours of dance classes per week (instead of afternoon mixed activities), and a performance finale on Saturday evenings. With the help and advice of our dance teachers, you will focus on your technique and fitness and be encouraged to develop your own choreography. The main focus is on modern jazz dance, but classes are supplemented by workshops in a variety of styles from around the world. These

vary from week to week and help to inspire experienced dancers with creative ideas and to introduce less experienced dancers to different styles. Workshops range from street dance to salsa.

Weekly afternoon dance classes include a focus on jazz dance classes, with workshops on street dance; musical theatre; Bollywood; cheerleading or salsa – followed by a Saturday evening performance.

## Summer camp themes - Harry Potter

**Camp:** Sir Edward, Sir Henry, Sir Richard

**Location:** Ely, Bishop's Stortford, Reading

**Ages** 9 – 13 or 10 – 16

**English level:** Beginner to Advanced

If you choose to study at a Studio camp in a boarding school you will be following in the footsteps of those famous "Harry Potter" wizards. Each week, English lessons help you make the most of your stay by adding a flavour of Hogwarts school to the classroom. This helps you build vocabulary, highlight grammar and practise your conversation skills. During activities there will be "Harry Potter" theme-based activities to choose from as well as the usual popular Studio options.

"Harry Potter" themed lesson topics include from "muggles to

"mudblood" - the English language of Hogwarts; from child stars to celebrities - the lives of the film actors and where are they now?; Dragons and goblins - the legends behind J.K. Rowling's fantastical creatures; Harry or Hermione? - role-playing the characters.

"Harry Potter" activities may include potion making; "marauders map" treasure hunt; spell books; a tri-wizard tournament; wand making; "quidditch" games and a trip to the Warner Brother Studios where the film series was made.

## Summer camp themes - Cambridge University Discovery

**Camp:** Sir Laurence, Sir Christopher

**Location:** Cambridge

**Ages** 13 – 16 or 16 – 19

**English level:** Elementary to Advanced

If you choose to study at a Studio camp located in a prestigious Cambridge University college, this may be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to experience life as a student at one of the top 5 universities in the world. Each week, English lessons help you make the most of your stay by adding a flavour of the university to the classroom. This helps you build vocabulary, highlight grammar and practise your conversation skills. During evening activities there will be University theme-based activities to choose from as well as the usual popular Studio options. You will meet and talk with Cambridge University students and you will have the chance to visit areas of the University that tourists usually miss.

University discovery themed lesson topics include famous Cambridge students, sporting traditions, scientific discoveries, Union Society debates, the university's unique history, and comparing Cambridge with universities around the world.

University discovery activities include guided tours of "hidden" Cambridge, a Cambridge University student presentation about life as a student, debating club, mythbusting - true and false myths about Cambridge, creating your own university society, and Cambridge University alumni treasure hunt.

## Summer camp themes - London Discovery

**Camp:** Sir William

**Location:** London

**Ages** 14 – 17

**English level:** Elementary to Advanced

If you choose the Studio Sir William programme you will study in one of the greatest cities in the world and the most visited city on the planet. The programme encourages you to make the most of your stay in the capital by learning all about the city through class topics and activity options. Each week, English lessons help you make the most of your stay by adding a taste of London to the classroom. This helps you build vocabulary, highlight grammar and practise your conversation skills. During activities there will be London theme-based activities to choose from as well as the usual popular Studio options.

There is so much to see and learn about London, there is a

danger that you will miss it, so we will help you enjoy your stay in Richmond-upon-Thames to the full.

London Discovery themed lesson topics include Richmond's rich and famous, the fashion and culture scene, the English Premier League football - Manchester or London? London's invaders - Romans, Normans, Vikings and tourists, hidden London, literary greats - Sherlock Holmes to James Bond. London Discovery activities include regular trips into central London visiting royal sights, famous landmarks and some of the world's best museums, rowing on the Thames, Richmond Park visit, James Bond theme nights and Sherlock Holmes murder mysteries.





### THE TOWN

Cambridge is one of the most famous, and most instantly recognised, city names in the world. It has been a centre of learning for 800 years and is the international symbol of academic excellence.

With 20,000 university students, virtually the only "business" of Cambridge is education and, despite its age, the whole city is designed for young people.

It is the ideal place for the international English language student - international in outlook but very English in character, steeped in history but looking to the future, big enough to spend weeks exploring but small enough to be relaxed and friendly. It is a city of more than 100,000 people, but with the atmosphere and warm welcome of a small town.

### THE CAMP

Our Sir George Camp is intensive, with 28 lessons (21 hours) of teaching each week. It is designed for students aged 14 to 17 years who wish to combine effective intensive English study with a programme of interesting afternoon activities.

It is popular among our Language and Activity Camps because:

- ✓ It is available outside the summer months - in the winter, spring and autumn.
- ✓ It can be taken for as short as one week (to a maximum of 4 weeks)
- ✓ During the summer, students can enrol on the Sir Michael summer camp, also at our main school. This makes year-round study possible for students as young as 14 years of age

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Impressive Victorian buildings
- ✓ Large Studio Café (for lunch from Monday to Friday, included in the fees)
- ✓ Learning centre access with free Internet access.
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available in school
- ✓ Garden
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Indoor and outdoor sports facilities, including swimming pool, 10 minutes' walk away

## WHY CHOOSE SIR GEORGE?

- ✓ Intensive English language programme
- ✓ At our main school with full facilities
- ✓ Accommodation with host families
- ✓ Great student atmosphere year-round

**Ages:**  
**14 to 17**



Studio Main School,  
Cambridge, Cambridgeshire



28 lessons per week  
Timetable (see example  
opposite)

### COURSE DATES 2017

#### Availability from:

January 1 to June 18 and  
August 27 to December 17

#### Duration:

1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks



**CLASSES**

- ✓ 28 lessons (21 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All levels from elementary to advanced
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>09:15–10:45</b>	Intensive study lessons 1 & 2				
<b>10:45–11:15</b>	Break				
<b>11:15–12:45</b>	Intensive study lessons 3 & 4				
<b>12:45–13:45</b>	Lunch				
<b>13:45–15:15</b>	Academic skills	Academic skills	Academic skills	Academic skills	<b>Free Afternoon</b>
<b>Afternoon activities</b>	Chauffeured punting	Ten-pin bowling	Museum visit	T-shirt design	

**THIS IS AN INTENSIVE PROGRAMME WITH:**

1. 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language instruction each week PLUS
2. 8 lessons (6 hours) of Academic skills or English language skills, (depending on level of English).

**Levels 2 - 3:** English skills lessons which will help to further improve general English skills.

**Levels 4 - 6:** Academic skills lessons, (see page 27 for more details) which include:

- ✓ Preparing and delivering mini-presentations
- ✓ Debating
- ✓ Creative solutions
- ✓ Teamwork & leadership
- ✓ Independent study skills

**ACTIVITIES**

As a complement to the 21 hours per week of study, we offer a programme of activities which will still leave you with free time to spend with your homestay hosts:

- ✓ 4 afternoon activities after lessons each week.
- ✓ Excursions are usually available as an option each weekend, at additional cost. A full-day excursion to London, for example, costs approximately £20 to £30.

**ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS**

Sir George offers homestay accommodation:

- ✓ You have a single room or share a bedroom with another Studio student of the same sex who does not speak the same language
- ✓ A shared bathroom
- ✓ All meals
- ✓ Laundry and a change of bed linen once per week

**IELTS (optional)**

Students can choose to take the IELTS examination on specific dates. Please contact us at the time of enrolling for full availability. This examination is at an additional cost, estimated at £150.



## WHY CHOOSE SIR EDWARD?

- ✓ Small, friendly city
- ✓ "Harry Potter" style school, steeped in history
- ✓ Excellent sports facilities and swimming pool
- ✓ Good food (very popular with all our students)

**Ages:  
9 to 13**

### THE TOWN

Ely (pronounced to rhyme with "freely") is a beautiful, peaceful city in the heart of the Cambridgeshire countryside: the ideal setting for children. It is 25 kilometres north of Cambridge and 120 kilometres from London.

Its magnificent cathedral, established in 1083, dominates the city and makes this one of the finest and most unspoilt mediaeval cities in Britain. Many of the ancient buildings are part of King's teaching centres and student residences.

The city centre has a traditional English feeling, with shops and a market square. With a population of only 20,000 people Ely feels more like a village than a city - everything is close-by and the atmosphere is friendly.



King's Ely,  
Ely, Cambridgeshire, CB7 4DB



20 lessons per week  
Timetable number 3  
(page 26)



Up to 220 students at  
any one time

### THE SCHOOL

Founded in the year 970, King's is one of the oldest schools in the world. King Edward the Confessor, who died in 1066, was educated in the magnificent buildings around Ely Cathedral which are still used by the school today.

You will live on-campus in one of the wonderful, old residences (perhaps even in School House – the oldest inhabited residential building in Europe). Your time here will be something to remember for the rest of your life.

We have been running the Sir Edward summer camp at King's Ely every summer since 2008.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Bedrooms and all facilities on-campus
- ✓ A mix of multi-bed, twin or single bedrooms
- ✓ Magnificent mediaeval dining hall
- ✓ Computers with free internet access
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Heated outdoor swimming pool
- ✓ Tennis courts
- ✓ Extensive playing fields
- ✓ Sports hall
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)

### COURSE DATES 2017

#### Courses start on Sunday

July 9, July 16, July 23

**Course Duration:**  
between 2 and 4 weeks

**Camp closes on  
Sunday August 6**



## CLASSES

- ✓ 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

## ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

- ✓ Residential accommodation, on campus, at the school
- ✓ Rooms are single or shared by two or more students of the same sex and similar age
- ✓ Shared bathrooms and toilets
- ✓ Bed linen changed weekly
- ✓ Laundry washed weekly
- ✓ All meals on campus served in the magnificent mediaeval dining hall
- ✓ Packed lunches on excursion days
- ✓ Drinks and snacks before bed time

## ACTIVITIES

There is a full programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost.

All students participate in language activities after lunch on non-excursion days. After these activities, students are offered a choice from a mixed programme of sport, cultural and art activities in the afternoons on non-excursion days (see page 22 for examples).

All students participate in evening activities after dinner.

## EXCURSIONS

There are two full-day excursions\* and one half-day excursion each week to historic and famous towns, including Cambridge and London

\* There is only one full-day excursion during your last week, to allow for your departure.

## "HARRY POTTER" THEMED ACTIVITIES

The summer camp runs popular "Harry Potter" themed classes and activities, throughout the programme (see page 28 for details). English lessons help you make the most of your stay in a traditional boarding school by adding a flavour of Hogwarts to the classroom and Potter-themed activities are available to choose several times each week.





### THE TOWN

Founded more than 1,500 years ago, in Roman times, Bishop's Stortford is a market town with a traditional English atmosphere. It is small – fewer than 40,000 residents – and enjoys a good standard of living.

Its location halfway between Cambridge and London makes it ideal for sightseeing in the capital and the local area. It is also the nearest town to London's Stansted airport (just 6 kilometres away).

### THE SCHOOL

Hockerill Anglo-European College (HAEC) was established as a teacher training school in the 1850s. Today it is one of Britain's most prestigious academies, with Language College and Music College status. It has a strong international focus, offering the International Baccalaureate and attracting students from countries around the world.

The campus is self-contained with comfortable boarding houses, a modern dining room, very good food and excellent facilities.

We are proud to have been running our Sir Henry summer camp at HAEC every summer since 1997.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Bedrooms and all facilities on campus
- ✓ A mix of multi-bed, twin or single bedrooms
- ✓ Shared bathrooms
- ✓ Large hall for plays, musical events and social gatherings
- ✓ Large modern dining hall
- ✓ Computers with free Internet access
- ✓ Arts and crafts room
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Sports fields
- ✓ Indoor basketball court
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)

## WHY CHOOSE SIR HENRY?

- ✓ Excellent location
- ✓ Green and spacious campus
- ✓ Students from many different countries
- ✓ Great facilities and food

**Ages:**  
**10 to 16**



Hockerill Anglo-European College, Bishop's Stortford, Hertfordshire, CM23 5HX



20 lessons per week  
Timetable number 3  
(page 26)



Up to 220 students at any one time

### COURSE DATES 2017

**Courses start on Sunday**

July 9, July 16, July 23

**Course Duration:**

between 2 and 4 weeks

**Camp closes on Sunday August 6**



**CLASSES**

- ✓ 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

**ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS**

- ✓ Residential accommodation, on campus, at the school
- ✓ Rooms are single or shared by two or more students of the same sex and similar age
- ✓ Shared bathrooms and toilets
- ✓ Bed linen changed weekly
- ✓ Laundry washed weekly
- ✓ All meals on campus served in the modern dining room
- ✓ Packed lunches on excursion days
- ✓ Drinks and snacks before bed time

**ACTIVITIES**

There is a full programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost.

All students participate in evening activities after dinner and in language activities after lunch on non-excursion days.

After these activities, students are offered a choice from a mixed programme of sport, cultural and art activities in the afternoons on non-excursion days (see page 22 for examples).

**EXCURSIONS**

There are two full-day excursions\* and one half-day excursion each week to historic and famous towns, including Cambridge and London

\* There is only one full-day excursion during your last week, to allow for your departure.

**“HARRY POTTER” THEMED ACTIVITIES**

The summer camp runs popular “Harry Potter” themed classes and activities, throughout the programme (see page 28 for details). English lessons help you make the most of your stay in a traditional boarding school by adding a flavour of Hogwarts to the classroom and Potter-themed activities are available to choose several times each week.





## WHY CHOOSE SIR RICHARD?

- ✓ Beautiful school in lovely parkland
- ✓ Excellent location and proximity to London
- ✓ Great sports facilities and swimming pool
- ✓ Choice of dance or mixed activities

**Ages:**  
**10 to 16**

### THE TOWN

Dating from the eighth century, the town of Reading (pronounced to rhyme with "bedding") is in the Royal County of Berkshire and situated on the River Thames. It is only 65 kilometres from central London (25 minutes by train), and 45 kilometres from London's Heathrow airport.

Reading is a vibrant and prosperous town and is considered one of Britain's top 10 shopping cities, with several shopping areas including the riverside Oracle Centre.

Reading is located in some of southern England's loveliest countryside and is close to famous sights such as the River Thames, Windsor Castle, and Eton College.

### THE SCHOOL

Founded in 1890, Leighton Park School is set in 24 hectares of beautiful parkland just 3 kilometres from the centre of Reading.

It has a heated indoor swimming pool, excellent tennis courts, an indoor sports hall and outdoor football pitches, all on campus.

It is the ideal location for students wishing to combine English language study with mixed activities or dance.

We have been running the Sir Richard summer camp at Leighton Park every summer since 2010.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Bedrooms and all facilities on-campus
- ✓ A mix of multi-bed, twin or single rooms
- ✓ Shared bathrooms
- ✓ Excellent modern dining hall
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Computers with free internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)
- ✓ Parkland, gardens and tennis courts
- ✓ Common rooms in all residences
- ✓ Swimming pool, sports pitches and sports hall



Leighton Park School, Reading, Berkshire, RG2 7ED



20 lessons per week  
Timetable number 3  
(page 26)



Up to 220 students at any one time

### COURSE DATES 2017

**Courses start on Sunday**

July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30

**Course Duration:**

between 2 and 5 weeks

**Camp closes on Sunday August 13**



## CLASSES

- ✓ 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

## ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

- ✓ Residential accommodation, on campus, at the school
- ✓ Rooms are single or shared by two or more students of the same sex and similar age
- ✓ Shared bathrooms and toilets
- ✓ Bed linen changed weekly
- ✓ Laundry washed weekly
- ✓ All meals on campus served in the modern dining room
- ✓ Packed lunches on excursion days
- ✓ Drinks and snacks before bed time

## ACTIVITIES

There is a full programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost.

All students participate in evening activities after dinner and all students participate in language activities after lunch on non-excursion days.

After these activities, students are offered a choice of:

### 1. DANCE CLASSES

Dance classes run weekly and must be booked in advance. All dancing levels are catered for and both boys and girls are welcome. Dance classes take place in the afternoons on non-excursion days and/or some evenings after excursions. They are run by dance teachers, and the classes cover modern jazz dance and other dance styles from around the world.

Dance students showcase what they have learned in the camp performance at the end of each week (see page 27 for details).

### 2. MIXED ACTIVITIES

For students not taking dance classes there is a mixed programme of sport, cultural and art activities in the afternoons on non-excursion days (see page 22 for examples).

## EXCURSIONS

There are two weekly full-day excursions\* to historic and famous places (including London) and one half-day town visit each week.

\* There is only one full-day excursion during your last week, to allow for your departure

### “HARRY POTTER” THEMED ACTIVITIES

The summer camp runs popular “Harry Potter” themed classes and activities, throughout the programme (see page 28 for details). English lessons help you make the most of your stay in a traditional boarding school by adding a flavour of Hogwarts to the classroom and Potter-themed activities are available to choose several times each week.





### THE TOWN

Cambridge is one of the most famous, and most instantly recognised, city names in the world. It has been a centre of learning for 800 years and is the international symbol of academic excellence.

With 20,000 university students, virtually the only "business" of Cambridge is education and, despite its age, the whole city is designed for young people.

It is the ideal place for the international English language student - international in outlook but very English in character, steeped in history but looking to the future, big enough to spend weeks exploring but small enough to be relaxed and friendly. It is a city of more than 100,000 people, but with the atmosphere and warm welcome of a small town.

### THE COLLEGE

Cambridge University dates from the 13th century – one of the oldest universities in the world.

Lucy Cavendish College is one of the University's 31 colleges. It is a modern college, with good teaching and social facilities, very high quality residential accommodation and excellent food. It is just 10 minutes' walk from the centre of Cambridge.

We have been running the Sir Laurence summer camp at Lucy Cavendish College every year since 2009.

It is ideal for mature young people (ages 13 – 16 years) who are visiting as individual students or small groups and who want an intensive English language programme.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Secluded campus with spacious gardens
- ✓ Modern and well-equipped classrooms
- ✓ Dining hall, with good hot and cold food
- ✓ Computers with free Internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)
- ✓ Dining room
- ✓ Lecture theatre
- ✓ Student lounge
- ✓ Activities and Welfare office
- ✓ High level of safety and security
- ✓ Common rooms in all residences
- ✓ Swimming pool, sports pitches and sports hall

## WHY CHOOSE SIR LAURENCE?

- ✓ A studious and friendly atmosphere
- ✓ Individuals or small groups only
- ✓ The prestige of Cambridge University
- ✓ High quality facilities

**Ages:**  
**13 to 16**



Lucy Cavendish College,  
University of Cambridge,  
Cambridge, CB3 0BU



28 lessons per week  
Timetable number 2  
(page 25)



Up to only 80 students  
at any one time

### COURSE DATES 2017

**Courses start on Sunday**  
July 2, July 16, July 23, July 30

**Course Duration:**  
between 2 and 6 weeks

**Camp closes on Sunday**  
**August 13**



**CLASSES**

- ✓ 28 lessons (21 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

**ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS**

Residential accommodation, on campus at the college (or nearby in university residences close to the campus)

Single rooms or twin rooms shared by two or more students of the same sex and similar age

Shared bathrooms and toilets

Bed linen changed weekly

Free laundry facilities (but students do their own washing)

All meals on campus – hot meals with an excellent choice

Packed lunches on excursion days

**ACTIVITIES**

There is a varied programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost. As well as activities each evening, there are optional activities or local visits on Sundays.

Activities include social, cultural, art and sport options. Some free time is available between class and dinner time on weekdays, when there is the opportunity to relax in the spacious grounds of the College or walk just 10 minutes to the centre of Cambridge.

**EXCURSIONS**

For all Sir Laurence students there is one full-day excursion per week to historic and famous locations, including London.

**UNIVERSITY DISCOVERY THEMED ACTIVITIES**

The Sir Laurence summer camp runs popular University Discovery themed classes and activities throughout the programme (see page 28). These are designed to give a feel for what life is like as a Cambridge University student. English lessons add a flavour of the university to the classroom, while activity options help you make the most of your stay in college. You will meet and talk with Cambridge University students and you will have the chance to visit areas of the University that tourists usually miss.

**Theme topics include:**

A day-in-the-life of a Cambridge student

Walking in the footsteps of the famous – from Newton to Hawking

“Hidden” Cambridge

Sporting traditions

Scientific discoveries



## WHY CHOOSE SIR MICHAEL?

- ✓ Our most popular summer camp
- ✓ The world's greatest student city
- ✓ Central location of school and residences
- ✓ Choice of residential or homestay accommodation
- ✓ Afternoon course options available

### THE TOWN

Cambridge is one of the most famous, and most instantly recognised, city names in the world. It has been a centre of learning for 800 years and is the international symbol of academic excellence.

But it is also fun! With 20,000 university students, virtually the only "business" of Cambridge is education and, despite its age, the whole city is designed for young people.

It is the ideal place for the international English language student: international in outlook but very English in character, steeped in history but looking to the future, big enough to spend weeks exploring but small enough to be relaxed and friendly. It is a city of more than 100,000 people, but with the atmosphere and warm welcome of a small town.

### THE SCHOOL

The Sir Michael summer camp is held at our main school at 6 Salisbury Villas, Cambridge. Studio Cambridge is the oldest language school in Cambridge, established in 1954.

The school is housed in lovely 19th Century buildings, belonging to Cambridge University. The location is excellent – surrounded by the hi-tech, chic area of "CB1" and just 15 minutes' walk to the historic Cambridge city centre.

We have been running the Sir Michael summer camp every year since 1968.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Impressive Victorian buildings
- ✓ Studio Cafeteria providing hot lunches
- ✓ Learning Centre with free Internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)
- ✓ Garden
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Indoor and outdoor sports facilities, including swimming pool, 10 minutes' walk away



Studio Cambridge Main School, Cambridge



20 lessons per week  
Timetable number 1 (page 25)



Up to 360 students at any one time

### COURSE DATES 2017

#### Courses start on Sunday

June 25, July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23,  
July 30, August 6, August 13

#### Course duration:

between 2 and 9 weeks

#### Camp closes on Sunday August 27



## CLASSES

- ✓ 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

## ACTIVITIES

There is a varied programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost. As well as evening activities, there is a daytime choice from a mixed programme of sport, cultural and art activities during the week.

Classes may be in the morning or the afternoon. Some free time is available (see timetable 1) and the course is suitable for teenagers who can travel independently between the school and their accommodation.

## EXCURSIONS

For all Sir Michael students there is one full-day excursion per week to historic and famous locations, including London.

## ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

You can choose to live with a local family (homestay) or in a student residence, off-campus.

### Residential

In centrally located student residences most within 5 minutes' walk of the school (maximum 15 minutes' walk away)

Usually a single room with ensuite private bathroom (some single and twin rooms with shared bathrooms also available)

Twin rooms will be shared by two students of the same sex who do not speak the same language (unless requested).

Free laundry facilities (students do their own washing)

A change of bed linen once per week

All meals - at the residence or at school

Packed lunches on excursion days

Drinks and snacks before bed time.

### Homestay

Rooms usually shared by two students of the same sex who do not speak the same language (unless requested)

Shared bathroom and toilet

Accommodation up to 30 minutes' away, travelling by bus, bike and/or on foot.

Laundry and change of bed linen once per week

All meals - at the homestay or at school

Packed lunches on excursion days

### For students living in a residence there are:

- ✓ Four morning or afternoon activities each week
- ✓ Activities every evening

### For students living in a homestay there are:

- ✓ Four morning or afternoon activities each week.
- ✓ Three evening activities each week

## WHY SIR MICHAEL GLOBAL LEADERS?

- ✓ The world's most prestigious university city
- ✓ Excellent location of school and residences
- ✓ English plus international leadership skills
- ✓ Residential accommodation



**Ages:  
14 to 17**



Studio Cambridge Main School, Cambridge



28 lessons per week comprising: 20 lessons of English language  
8 lessons of Global Leaders  
Timetable number 2 (page 25)



Up to 80 students on the course at any one time

### ENGLISH LEVEL

Intermediate to advanced

### CLASSES

- ✓ Intermediate to advanced levels
- ✓ Course runs in 3 week cycles (so students should book for 2 or 3 weeks)
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

### This is an intensive programme and comprises:

20 lessons (15 hours) of English language instruction each week PLUS

8 lessons (6 hours) of Global Leaders studies each week covering topics such as:

- ✓ Leadership and teamwork skills
- ✓ Cultural awareness
- ✓ International understanding and respect
- ✓ Interview skills
- ✓ Building confidence
- ✓ Decision making and creative solutions
- ✓ Mini-UN debates
- ✓ Preparing and giving presentations
- ✓ Negotiating and persuading

The aim of this course is to develop personal skills in an international setting and to encourage understanding and empathy between young people of different countries and cultures. (see page 27 for more details)

### CERTIFICATES

Students receive a certificate stating which aspects of the Global Leaders course they have participated in.

### ACCOMMODATION, ACTIVITIES AND EXCURSIONS

Accommodation with other Sir Michael residential students in centrally located student residences (see p40 for details).

- ✓ Activities with other Sir Michael students 6 times a week, including Sunday afternoons
- ✓ For all Sir Michael students there is one full-day excursion per week to historic and famous locations, including London

## COURSE DATES 2017

### Courses start on Sunday

July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30

### Course duration:

between 2 and 3 weeks

### Camp closes on Sunday

August 13

# WHY SIR MICHAEL CREATIVE SOCIAL MEDIA?

- ✓ The world's most prestigious university city
- ✓ Excellent location of school and residences
- ✓ English plus Creative Social Media skills
- ✓ Residential accommodation



Studio Cambridge Main School, Cambridge



28 lessons per week comprising: 20 lessons of English language  
8 lessons of Creative Social Media Timetable number 2 (page 25)



Up to 80 students on the course at any one time

**ENGLISH LEVEL**  
Intermediate to advanced

## COURSE DATES 2017

### Courses start on Sunday

July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30

### Course duration:

between 2 and 3 weeks

### Camp closes on Sunday

August 13

## CLASSES

- ✓ Classes run in 3 week cycles
- ✓ Intermediate to advanced levels
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

### This is an intensive programme and comprises:

20 lessons (15 hours) of English language instruction each week PLUS

8 lessons (6 hours) of Social Media studies each week covering topics such as:

- ✓ Combining social media and English language skills
- ✓ Engaging with the online global community
- ✓ Producing a weekly project through social media channels
- ✓ Using authentic, digitally-sourced materials
- ✓ Studying online English language trends
- ✓ Producing your own digital content
- ✓ Examining effective ways to build an online presence

The aim of this course is to develop language and creative skills through social media. In an international setting, it teaches useful IT and life-

skills, while promoting cross-cultural communication (see page 27 for more details).

## CERTIFICATES

Students receive a certificate stating which aspects of the Creative Social Media course they have participated in.

## ACCOMMODATION, ACTIVITIES AND EXCURSIONS

Accommodation with other Sir Michael residential students in centrally located student residences (see page 40 for details).

- ✓ Activities with other Sir Michael students 6 times a week, including Sunday afternoons
- ✓ For all Sir Michael students there is one full-day excursion per week to historic and famous locations, including London



**Ages:  
14 to 17**

## WHY CHOOSE SIR WILLIAM?

- ✓ Beautiful, prestigious area of London
- ✓ Classic university campus setting
- ✓ Easy access to central London
- ✓ Standard and intensive programmes
- ✓ IELTS option

### THE TOWN

Richmond-upon-Thames is considered by many people to be the most attractive area of London. It has been a popular place to live with royalty, the rich and the famous for hundreds of years. Lots of famous stars of TV, film, music and sport still have houses in the area including Sir David Attenborough, Keira Knightley, Mick Jagger, Angelina Joile and Mo Farah.

With its royal parks and historic houses, the beautiful Thames river front, a very high standard of living and a lively town centre, this is the best location for young people in London.

In and around Richmond are several very famous places including Hampton Court Palace, home of Henry VIII, the Royal Botanic Gardens at Kew, Wimbledon the home of tennis and Twickenham, the home of rugby.



Richmond the American International University  
Richmond-upon-Thames,  
London, TW10 6JP



20 or 28 lessons per week  
Timetable number 4  
(page 26)



Up to 200 students at any one time

### THE UNIVERSITY

Richmond the American International University in London was established in 1843 and was originally an independent college.

Today it is an international university, which is accredited in both the US and the UK.

The impressive 19th century buildings are set in a beautiful, leafy campus of 5 acres on the top of Richmond Hill, with most of the school's facilities, including bedrooms, classrooms and dining halls, in one main building.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Beautiful historic buildings set in green campus
- ✓ Modern facilities
- ✓ Computer room with free Internet access
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)
- ✓ Dining hall, with good hot and cold food
- ✓ Lecture theatre
- ✓ Student lounges
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Only 15 km from central London and next to a royal park

## COURSE DATES 2017

### Courses start on Sunday

June 11, June 18, June 25  
July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30,

**Course Duration:**  
between 2 and 9 weeks

**Camp closes on Sunday  
August 13**



## CLASSES

- ✓ 28 lessons (21 hours) or 20 Lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ All levels from beginner to advanced
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

### Standard programme:

20 lessons (15 hours) each week of English lessons, typically in the mornings, with additional sports and social activities during the afternoons.

### Intensive programme with Academic skills:

1. 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language instruction each week PLUS
2. 8 lessons (6 hours) of Academic skills or English language skills, (depending on level of English).

**Levels 2 - 3:** English skills lessons which will help to further improve general English skills.

**Levels 4 - 6:** Academic skills lessons (see page 27), including the opportunity to take the IELTS exam.

## IELTS (optional)

Students can choose to take the IELTS examination on specific dates. Please contact us at the time of enrolling for full availability. This examination is at an additional cost, estimated at £150.

## ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

- ✓ Residential accommodation, at the University
- ✓ Rooms are single or shared by two students of the same sex and similar age who do not speak the same language. (Some triple rooms are also available)
- ✓ Shared bathrooms and toilets
- ✓ Bed linen changed weekly
- ✓ Laundry washed weekly
- ✓ All meals on campus served in the modern dining room
- ✓ Packed lunches on excursion days
- ✓ Drinks and snacks before bed time

## ACTIVITIES

There is a varied programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost.

On the standard programme (20 lessons per week), students have activities every afternoon (except on excursion days) and every evening. On the intensive programme (28 lessons per week), students have extra lessons in the afternoons, with activities every evening.

## EXCURSIONS

All students have two full-day excursions\* and one half-day excursion each week

\*There will only be one excursion during your last week, to allow for your departure.

## LONDON DISCOVERY THEMED ACTIVITIES

The Sir William summer camp runs popular London Discovery themed classes and activities, throughout the programme (see page 28).

These are designed to give you a real feel for life in one of the great cities of the world. English lessons add a flavour of the city to the classroom, while activity options help you make the most of your stay in the capital. You will see the famous sights and you will have the chance to visit areas of the city that tourists often miss.

### Theme highlights include:

Regular trips into central London visiting royal sights, famous landmarks and some of the world's best museums

Rowing on the river Thames

James Bond theme nights

Sherlock Holmes murder mystery evenings



**Ages:  
16 to 19**

## WHY CHOOSE SIR CHRISTOPHER?

- ✓ Award winning course
- ✓ World's best known university city
- ✓ Superb location of school and residence in Cambridge University colleges
- ✓ Standard and intensive programmes
- ✓ IELTS option

### THE TOWN

Cambridge is one of the most famous, and most instantly recognised, city names in the world. It has been a centre of learning for 800 years and is the international symbol of academic excellence.

With 20,000 university students, virtually the only "business" of Cambridge is education and, despite its age, the whole city is designed for young people.

It is the ideal place for the international English language student - international in outlook but very English in character, steeped in history but looking to the future, big enough to spend weeks exploring but small enough to be relaxed and friendly. It is a city of more than 100,000 people, but with the atmosphere and warm welcome of a small town.

### THE CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY COLLEGES

Ridley Hall College, established in 1881, is an independent college affiliated with Cambridge University. Newnham College is one of the 31 University of Cambridge colleges and was founded in 1871.

Both colleges look and feel like the perfect Cambridge campus: the traditional buildings and impressive dining halls are surrounded by green lawns and private gardens.

The campuses are ideally located next to each other in the centre of Cambridge, just 5 minutes' walk to all the main attractions of this wonderful city. There is a traditional student atmosphere both at Ridley Hall and at Newnham College, which makes the Sir Christopher programme the perfect choice for older teenagers aged 16 - 19 years.

The Sir Christopher programme has an international reputation and is one of our most popular programmes.

### FACILITIES

- ✓ Lovely enclosed gardens
- ✓ Large central lawns for activities
- ✓ Dining halls, with good hot and cold food
- ✓ Lecture hall
- ✓ Activities and Welfare offices
- ✓ Nearby indoor and outdoor sports facilities
- ✓ Free Wi-Fi available (in certain areas)



Ridley Hall College and Newnham College, Cambridge, CB3 9HU



20 or 28 lessons per week  
Timetable (page 25)  
number 1 - Standard programme  
number 2 - Intensive programme



Up to 250 students at any one time

**COURSE DATES 2017**

**Courses start on Sunday**  
July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30, August 6, August 13

**Course Duration:**  
between 2 and 8 weeks

**Camp closes on Sunday August 27**



## CLASSES

- ✓ 28 lessons (21 hours) or 20 Lessons (15 hours) of English language teaching per week
- ✓ Levels from elementary to advanced
- ✓ International classes
- ✓ All educational materials
- ✓ Placement test
- ✓ Certificate of Studies
- ✓ Academic Report

### Standard programme:

20 lessons (15 hours) each week of English lessons, typically in the mornings, with additional sports and social activities during the afternoons.

### Intensive programme with Academic skills:

1. 20 lessons (15 hours) of English language instruction each week PLUS
2. 8 lessons (6 hours) of Academic skills or English language skills, (depending on level of English).

**Levels 2 - 3:** English skills lessons which will help to further improve general English skills.

**Levels 4 - 6:** Academic skills lessons (see page 27), including the opportunity to take the IELTS exam.

## IELTS (optional)

Students can choose to take the IELTS examination on specific dates. Please contact us at the time of enrolling for full availability. This examination is at an additional cost, estimated at £150.

## ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

- ✓ Residential accommodation, in Cambridge University rooms
- ✓ A single bedroom (a small number of twin rooms is available on request)
- ✓ A shared bathroom
- ✓ Free laundry facilities (students do their own washing)
- ✓ A change of bed linen once per week
- ✓ All meals at the residence – hot and cold meal available
- ✓ Packed lunches on excursion days

## ACTIVITIES

There is a varied programme of on- and off-campus activities at no additional cost. There is a range of sport, cultural and art activities during the week. Classes may be in the morning or the afternoon. Some free time is available (see timetables 1 and 2 on page 25) and the course is suitable for mature older teenagers.

On the standard programme (20 lessons per week), students have activities every day (except on excursion days) and every evening. On the intensive programme (28 lessons per week), students have extra lessons in the afternoons, with activities every evening.

## EXCURSIONS

All students have one full-day excursion each week.

## UNIVERSITY DISCOVERY THEMED ACTIVITIES

The Sir Christopher summer camp runs popular University Discovery themed classes and activities throughout the programme (see page 28). These are designed to give a feel for what life is like as a Cambridge University student. English lessons add a flavour of the university to the classroom, while activity options help you make the most of your stay in college. You will meet and talk with Cambridge University students and you will have the chance to visit areas of the University that tourists usually miss.

### Theme topics include:

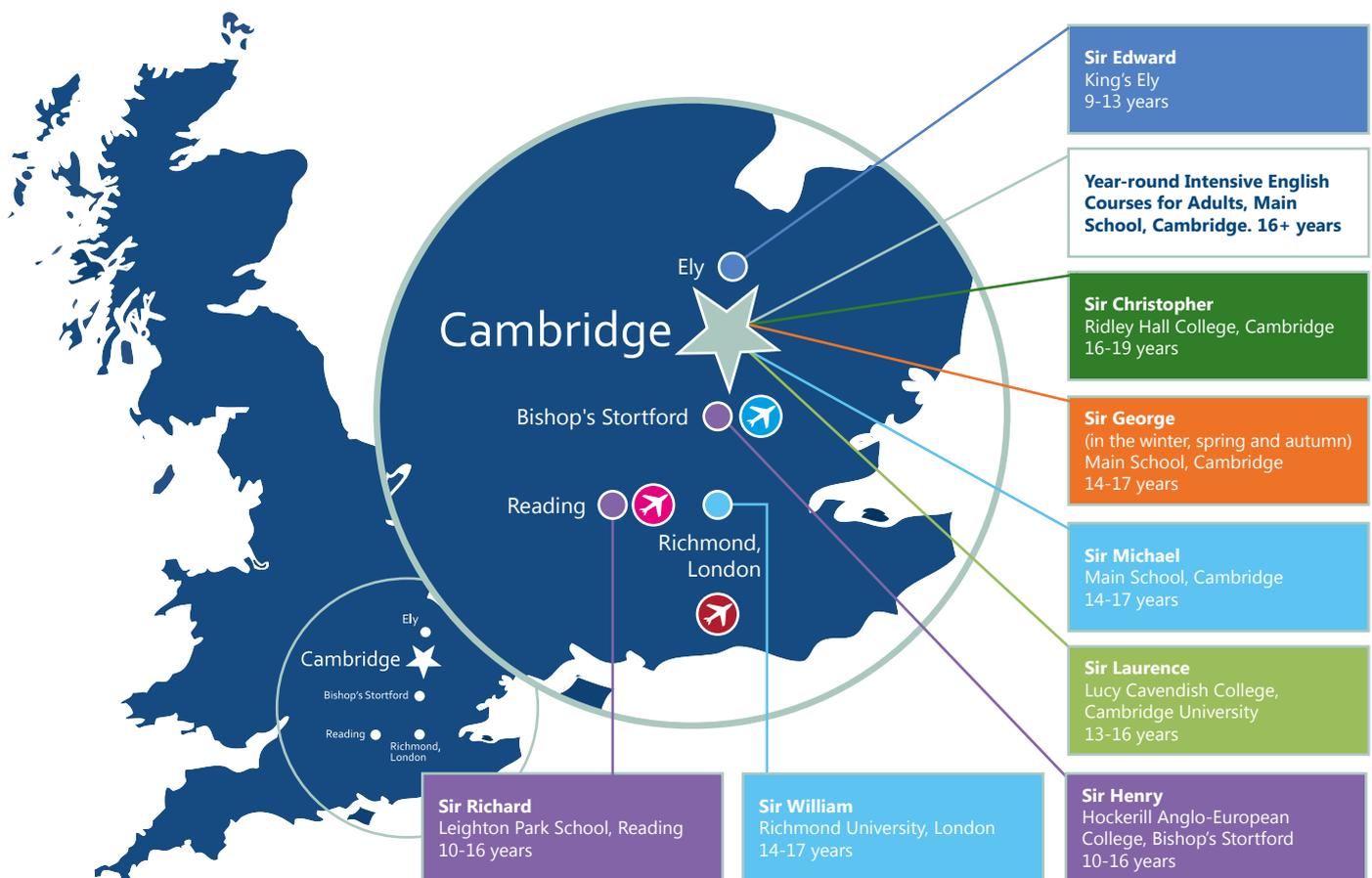
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