

# International Summer School

RESIDENTIAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSE FOR 8-17 YEAR OLDS



Manor Courses, Hurst College, near Brighton, UK



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for the teaching  
of English in the UK



In 1970 our Italian grandmother started her first summer school with a vision that remains at our core today.



“Language through friendship,  
friendship through language.”

As children and teenagers we, the directors, spent our summer holidays in the engaging international community that Manor Courses created.

These experiences ensure that every aspect of our summer school is successfully organised.

Ultimately this gives our agents and parents confidence in our professional and personal service.



# We invite your young students to experience Manor Courses and...



## Improve...

...all their English language skills and develop their confidence in English communication.



## Participate...

...in the extensive and stimulating activity programme using our exciting range of leisure facilities.



## Discover...

...the rich cultural, historical and leisure destinations of our region.



## Make...

...friends for life with other young international students using English.

# High Customer Satisfaction.

Here's what they say...

We spent two wonderful weeks in Hurst and everything went really well with the experienced academic staff in terms of language education. MC was well organised in creating extensive and fun activities every day and able to make my students' days more colourful with the energetic and friendly activity leaders.

Güneş – Group Leader from Turkey



What I like about MC is the reliability of the family and staff, ready to help us with any kind of problem. A group leader can't be worried or stressed if working with MC. Hurst is a wonderful place in the middle of the countryside, but not far from important cities so that the programme is rich in cultural visits.

Daniella - Group Leader from Italy



I wanted to say thank you to everyone that I met at the school, because I had a great time this two weeks and I have never met so many nice people at the same time.

Eduardo - Student from Portugal



Thanks MC for all my new friends and for improving my English skills. I'm in love with MC.

Rada - Student from Russia







The course is of an excellent quality, staff is very friendly.

All days are very well planned, excursions are interesting. Good summary of my daughter's feeling about the course is what she said while still there and just before coming back home - 'not sure what you are planning for the next year, but I am coming here...'! Her English has definitely improved!

Emilia Bieniek - Parent from Poland



My school has sent our students almost every year since 1989. I like MC because they take good care of us. All the students who took part in MC say that they had a wonderful experience there.

The staff always care about the students' safety. I think it is a warm and comfortable atmosphere to experience summer courses.

Noriko – Group Leader from Japan



I meant to thank you for the great time Maximilien spent with you this summer. He was extremely happy, and told us he had a wonderful time and everything was very well organised, the courses were very good, the trips were interesting and the food was delicious!

The only regret he has is that he is too old to go again next summer! On behalf of Maximilien, and myself of course, many many thanks.

Claudia Di Cancro - Von Sprecher  
Parent from Switzerland





# How do we do it?

We offer a high quality Residential English Language Course at Hurst College combining English study with activities, excursions and high standards of pastoral care and student welfare in a safe environment.

## English

Our dedicated academic team provide a general English course of 18 hours per week. They deliver interactive lessons designed to capture students' interests and keep them motivated through a clear structured syllabus. Students learn in multi-lingual groups with a maximum of 15 students.



## Activities

Our dynamic activity team provide daily activity sessions. They help develop students' skills through a wide choice of sport, art, craft, drama, dance and music activities. Talent shows, cultural events and theme days encourage team work and personal expression and showcase students' skills.



## Excursions

We provide 2 coach trips per week (1 full-day and 1 half-day) to visit some of south east England's most famous towns, cities and tourist attractions. Some highlights include supervised castle, museum and seaside visits and ever-popular shopping trips. These excursions offer learning opportunities throughout the students' course.



## Welfare

Our helpful welfare team provide students, group leaders and carers with 24 hour support at Hurst College. Furthermore parents and agents have easy access to senior management because we, the directors, live on campus with our summer team. We create a friendly and safe home environment and offer various accommodation options with 3 healthy meals per day.

Our international summer school has always been family-run and we have proven that our friendly and personal approach brings success. We work throughout the year for our summer school so we have the time and expertise to meet everyone's expectations, including yours!

# Be a part of the Manor Courses experience this summer!

# Summer School Fees 2018

Arrival and departure days are Tuesdays.

Do you need different days or dates? Please check for availability and ask for a quote.

## Course weeks & prices:

|         |            |  |
|---------|------------|--|
| 1 week  | @ £975.00  | arrive July 10 or 24 or 31 or August 7 |
| 2 weeks | @ £1890.00 | arrive July 10 or 24 or 31             |
| 3 weeks | @ £2800.00 | arrive July 10 or 24                   |
| 4 weeks | @ £3730.00 | arrive July 10                         |
| 5 weeks | @ £4660.00 | arrive July 10                         |

## What's Included?

English Course of 18 hours per week... ✓

Activity programme with sport / art / drama / music / dance... ✓

Excursions twice per week... ✓

Accommodation and full board with 24 hour pastoral care... ✓

Travel & Medical Insurance... ✓

## Extra options:

- Return airport transfers:  
Gatwick @ £125.00  
Heathrow @ £190.00  
Luton / Stanstead @ £195.00  
For other ports and stations please ask for a quote
- Horse riding @ £55 per hour
- Tennis coaching @ £35 per hour
- English one-to-one private tuition:  
3 hours @ £120.00 / 6 hours @ £240.00 / 9 hours @ £340.00  
12 hours @ £420.00 / 15 hours @ £520.00
- Family course for parents and younger/older siblings of students enrolled.  
Includes accommodation and full board + 15 hours one-to-one private English tuition + 2 weekly excursions @ £1090 per week.

See our website for other options - [www.manorcourses.co.uk](http://www.manorcourses.co.uk)

## How to enrol:

- 1) Send a completed enrolment form or enrol online:-  
[www.manorcourses.co.uk/enrol-book/](http://www.manorcourses.co.uk/enrol-book/)
- 2) Send a deposit of £500 per student.  
Deposits are non-refundable.
- 3) Review our terms and conditions:  
[www.manorcourses.co.uk/terms-and-conditions/](http://www.manorcourses.co.uk/terms-and-conditions/)

## Sibling discount

Enrol two or more of your children to receive a discount.

## Cancellations

Cancellations are made in accordance with our Terms and Conditions. All deposits are non-refundable. However you have a 14 day cooling off period. If you cancel within 14 days of the deposit (being paid) you will get a full refund.



## Sample Daily Schedule

|              |                                 |              |  |              |  |
|--------------|---------------------------------|--------------|--|--------------|--|
| <b>07:45</b> | Wake up                         | <b>14:00</b> | Lesson 3 or House Meeting  | <b>19:00</b> | Dinner   |
| <b>08:15</b> | Breakfast                       | <b>15:00</b> | Activity Meeting + Register:<br>students choose their activities | <b>20:00</b> | Activity Meeting + Register:<br>students choose their activities |
| <b>09:30</b> | Lesson 1                        | <b>16:45</b> | Break - with juice and biscuits                                  | <b>22:00</b> | Activities finish  |
| <b>11:00</b> | Break - with juice and biscuits | <b>17:15</b> | Activity Meeting + Register:<br>students choose their activities | <b>22:10</b> | House Meeting + Register:<br>students get ready for bed          |
| <b>11:30</b> | Lesson 2                        |              |  | <b>23:30</b> | Lights out   |
| <b>13:00</b> | Lunch                           |              |  |              |  |

# Sample Weekly Schedule

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## Life on campus - Welfare

All accommodation and recreational facilities are on campus.

### Our accommodation has...

- Separate houses for girls and boys.
- Single/twin/triple bedrooms or dormitories with 4+ beds.
- Bathrooms & shower blocks on each floor of each boarding house.
- 2 laundry services per week.

### Our catering offers...

- 3 healthy and varied meals every day.
- 2 refreshment breaks every day (except for excursion days).
- Packed lunches for excursions.
- Special diets if you request it.

### Our welfare staff...

- Live on campus with the students and Directors.
- Offer 24 hour contact and support.
- Supervise facilities and boarding houses.
- Provide First Aid / Medical support and night security.

## Life off campus - Excursions

There are 2 excursions per week to see and experience local attractions.

### You will...

- Join guided tours and/or enter tourist attractions.
- Choose to walk round more cultural sights with our staff.
- Find exciting souvenirs to take home memories.
- Enjoy free-time for shopping and/or relaxing (with staff if you are aged under 13, without staff if you are aged 13+).

### Our staff...

- Organise all students into small groups before we leave campus, and give them ID to wear.
- Keep everyone in these groups until free-time, and wear MC uniforms that are easy to follow.
- Give all students maps to use, showing emergency meeting points where they can find staff if they have a problem.
- Prepare English lessons before excursions to learn about the visits, and after excursions to share information about students' experiences.

# Life in class - English

5 days a week students have a variety of lessons with 2 English teachers.

## **You will receive a General English course of 18 hours per week:**

- 5 Language lessons (90 minutes each)
- 5 Communication lessons (90 minutes each)
- 3 Excursion, Activity & Review lessons (60 minutes each)

## **Your course structure:**

### **Language lessons:**

- Focus on accuracy, developing grammar knowledge and usage.
- Include course book content and Review tests.

### **Communication lessons:**

- Focus on skills and fluency, improving communication techniques.
- About students' lives, contemporary topics, current issues.

### **Excursion and Activity lessons:**

- Focus on UK cultural destinations and summer school events.
- Integrate the English course with the excursion and activity programme.

## **Your ideal group and level:**

- Multi-lingual groups (3 or more nationalities per class).
- Small effective groups (maximum 15 per class).
- Placement at appropriate levels (beginners to advanced, CEFR levels A1 to C1).

## **Appropriate topics and materials for you:**

- Varied, interactive and communicative lessons.
- Keeping all learners interested and motivated.
- Teacher-created and learner-centred course.

## **Review and monitor your learning:**

- Weekly review tests.
- Certificate of attendance.
- Progress report.

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# Life after class - Activities

Students continue learning and making friends during the activity programme.

## **You will...**

- Choose from various sport/art/craft/drama/dance/music sessions.
- Join supervised games and competitions or creative and expressive activities.
- Children aged 13+ can choose free-time sessions once a day instead of a supervised activity. Staff patrol the campus while you enjoy free-time.

## **Our activity leaders provide...**

- 15 afternoon and evening sessions per week.
- A range of indoor and outdoor supervised activities.
- Awards and medals for achievements and participation.



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