



Haileybury  
International Summer School



# Our campus



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# Welcome

## to Haileybury

### International Summer School

Haileybury is a leading co-educational school established in 1862 which has educated a Prime Minister, writers, actors, leading military figures and sports stars.

The historic buildings and top quality facilities are situated on a beautiful 500-acre campus just 20 miles north of London.

Here at Haileybury International Summer School, we are serious about learning and very serious about having fun!

We provide stimulating language and subject classes, a huge variety of fun and challenging activities, and exciting study tours with hands-on museum workshops in some of England's most vibrant, historic cities.

We are also serious about wellbeing and ensure we have the highest levels of pupil care.





# Learning at Haileybury

At Haileybury International Summer School, we believe that young people learn best when they are fully immersed in the target language and engaged in activities which naturally promote communication, confidence, exploration and discovery – inside and outside the classroom. This is why we create a language rich environment.







# Design

## your own course

### English+ (11-16)

**A2** (minimum) level of English

#### Topic-based EFL\* class 13.5 hrs p/w

You will develop your English grammar and vocabulary through engaging lessons based on a variety of topics.

*\*English as a Foreign Language*

#### Project-based EFL class 7 hrs p/w

You will work in groups to create a project using Project-Based Methodology. There will be language input from the teacher and lots of natural language output from pupils.

#### Focus Activity 8 hrs p/w

Choose an activity to focus on over each week.  
See page 8 for details.

#### Evening activity

On some evenings you will join a whole-school activity, but on other evenings you can choose from a variety of sports and craft activities.

### Academic English+ (12-17)

**B1** (minimum) level of English

#### Topic-based EFL\* class 13.5 hrs p/w

Choose your Pathway: ————  
 ———— STEM (Science, Technology,  
 ———— Engineering and Mathematics  
 ———— Arts, Business and Humanities

You will learn and develop your English skills through the subjects of your chosen pathway.

#### Project-based EFL class 7 hrs p/w

Choose an afternoon Expert Class to work on a specific project. You will develop the ability to use English effectively and confidently for the purpose of practical communication in your chosen subject area. See next page for details.

#### Focus Activity 8 hrs p/w

Choose an activity to focus on over each week.  
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#### Evening activity

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# International Study Preparation course

## International Study Preparation (15-17)

**B2** (minimum) level of English

### Academic reading, writing, listening and research skills.

You will become familiar with different types of academic texts and the process of researching and referencing. You will also develop your understanding and use of academic vocabulary and improve your academic writing skills.

### Academic debating and presentation skills.

You will actively engage in academic discussions to develop your spoken English skills, strategies and confidence in preparation for academic seminars and presentations.

### Focus Activity 8 hrs p/w

Choose an activity to focus on over each week.  
See page 8 for details.

### Evening activity

On some evenings you will join a whole-school activity, but on other evenings you can choose from a variety of sports and craft activities.

This academic English language and study skills course aims to prepare you linguistically and culturally for your future studies in an English speaking school, college or university. You will learn how to study effectively and become an independent learner. The two-week course consists of 41 hours of classes, 6 hours of supervised self-study and tutorials, and study tours to further enhance academic and cultural knowledge.

### Classes will cover:

- **Research Skills**
- **Academic Writing**
- **Presentation Skills**
- **Listening and Note-taking**
- **Seminar Skills**
- **Grammar and Vocabulary Development**

There will still be time to develop English and cultural skills with focus activities and relax during a range of fun evening events.

# Expert project classes

## Dragons' Den (business challenge)

Pupils learn about elements of the business world, then work in teams to develop a business idea and pitch it to a group of experts.

## Design and Manufacturing Light (Course 1) or Time (Course 2)

*Light:* the design and manufacture of a decorative table light, involving computer-aided design and manufacture and simple electronics.

*Time:* the design and manufacture of an analogue desk clock, involving traditional workshop skills and a combination of natural and man-made materials.

## International relations and debating

Mini MUN – pupils learn about international relations, and create their own mock MUN to debate past and present global issues

## IELTS Preparation course

Pupils will learn more about the structure of the exam and the marking criteria. They will learn skills and strategies for the four parts of the exam and take an end of course practice test. *N.B. exam not included.*

## Science

Pupils work in groups to solve science problems using The Scientific Method: an organised procedure scientists use to answer questions and begin to solve problems in seven major steps.



- *Dragons' Den* (business challenge)
- Design and Manufacturing
- IELTS Preparation course



- Science
- International relations and debating











# Focus activities

Choose one per week



**Glee Club** *Singing and Movement.* These classes consist of vocal warm-ups and harmonies before pupils learn and practise two songs (pop and musical theatre) with movement. The songs will be performed at the end of the week to showcase group achievements.

**Krav Maga**  
Krav Maga is a practical self-defence system that helps participants to keep fit and improve social interaction, focus and concentration. During this introduction to Krav Maga, pupils will learn the basics of the sport while working on overall strength and fitness.

**Football**  
Pupils will work on skills and strategies, develop teamwork and communication skills and will, depending on level, learn and practise the key techniques. Practice matches will be held on one of our full-sized pitches and we have smaller, five-a-side pitches for practising specific skills.

**Hockey** (beginners and experienced players)  
Depending on their level, pupils will learn the rules of field hockey and develop teamwork and communication skills. They will practise skills and techniques such as dribbling and shooting. They will also work on match play and be able to play practice matches on our AstroTurf pitches.



**Street Dance**  
These classes consist of limbering and cardio warm-ups, followed by a series of technical sequences. The pupils will then create a street-style group routine showcasing styles and skills to perform at the end of the week.

**Stage and Screen Acting**  
Pupils will develop confidence and communication skills as they gain experience of working behind and in front of a professional digital camera. As well as using improvisation techniques, short scripts will be chosen and rehearsed to produce group scenes to film.



**Tennis** (beginners and experienced players)  
Pupils will learn the rules and etiquette of the game and develop the skills and techniques of tennis according to their level. After working on serving, returning, court positioning and ball control, pupils will engage in practice matches and receive feedback from the coach.



**Arts and Crafts**  
Pupils will learn about and gain hands-on experience of a variety of artistic styles and mediums that might include; sculpture, block- printing, watercolours, batik and clay crafts. Using known artists as inspiration and learning to develop their own ideas, their creations will be displayed at the end of the week.





# Excursions

We don't just see, we do!

We provide a range of study tours and excursions to beautiful places such as London, Greenwich, Oxford or Cambridge. Not just museums, but engaging and interactive workshops that bring learning to life and enhance language acquisition and cultural understanding.

You may also see the sights from the London Eye, or speed along the River Thames in a boat, or relax at a famous theme park such as *Harry Potter World*.









# Evening activities

## Relax and have fun!

In the evenings we have a huge variety of fun activities for you to try. Some are relaxing, some active and others will bring out your creativity. They are all social and give you the chance to speak English with new friends.

On some days, there will be a whole-school event such as outdoor cinema, silent disco or fashion show.

On other days you will have a choice of activities; sports (for example swimming, tennis, badminton, squash, rugby, football, cricket), yoga, crafts, cooking or something a bit different such as zorbing or circus skills.



# Living at Haileybury

Haileybury is renowned for its beautiful architecture, grounds and facilities. Our Houses provide a high-quality, comfortable and secure environment on campus with wonderful meals and dedicated pastoral care.







# Why us?















# Course details

## Course components

### Topic-based lessons

We teach English through subjects using **CLIL** (Content & Language Integrated Learning) which makes learning more meaningful, builds intercultural knowledge and understanding, and increases pupil motivation and confidence. Pupils aged 11–13 with A2 English study **English and Global Culture**. Pupils aged 12–17 with B1 minimum English can **choose a pathway; STEM** (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics), or **Arts, Humanities & Business** and also benefit from 3 hours of subject lessons per week with guest Haileybury teachers.



### Project-based lessons

In a **project-based** approach, learners **learn by doing**. It allows pupils to develop creative and communication skills, and **use language naturally** while **collaborating** to achieve a task in their chosen subject. Teachers will guide and develop naturally-occurring language.



### Focus activities

Pupils **choose two activities** during the course. Following CLIL methodology, pupils will develop skills, abilities and knowledge in their chosen field while using and improving their English skills.



### Cultural excursions

These excursions are an integral part of summer school and really **bring the language to life**. Some excursion tasks are incorporated into lessons to maximise learning opportunities. During the full-day in London and some of the two half-day trips, pupils will **visit a museum** related to their chosen pathway and enjoy **interactive workshops** with museum professionals, as well as enjoying a **cultural experience** such as the London Eye, a boat trip, walking tour or Cambridge punting.



### General activities

In the evenings and on Sundays, pupils engage in **a wide range of activities and fun trips** which lead to natural and relaxed communications in English. The varied activities are a great way for pupils to make new friends and integrate.



### English

The English language is everywhere **in our community**. Pupils use English in the dining room, during House time and when relaxing at break time. The **Pupil Mentors** are always available for a chat and support. This develops fluency and confidence in a relaxed and natural way.





## Course outcomes

During the course pupils will:

- Improve subject knowledge and understanding, learn new skills and become a confident, independent learner who is prepared for studying in an English-speaking environment
- Develop transferable academic and life skills such as: researching, planning, developing projects and ideas, comparing, evaluating, presenting, collaborating, discussing and debating
- Extend these (21st century skills) outside the classroom during activities, excursions and daily routines
- Take part in many exciting activities with new friends
- Enjoy inspiring cultural excursions to famous destinations
- Reflect on progress with CEFR mapped 'can-do statements' for academic and activity programmes
- Gain an internationally-recognised certificate (Trinity GESE)
- Receive an end of course certificate and report with recommendations for future study

### English+

Pupils aged 11-16 with an A2 level of English study English language and global culture topics and with related projects. They enjoy a range of exciting study tours and choose their focus activities.

### Academic English+

Pupils aged 12-17 with a B1 minimum level of English can choose either STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) or Arts, Humanities and Business as their pathway for their morning CLIL class. They will enjoy a range of study tours related to their pathway and they will then choose an afternoon project class for two weeks according to their interests.



# The Common European Framework for Languages (CEFR)

We map our courses to the Common European Framework for Languages, which describes your competency in a language. You will be tested when you enrol so that we know your level. You can then choose your course.

During the course, you will use a **learner journal** for lessons and focus activities. Your teacher will help you reflect on what you have learnt, what you have achieved and what you can do in English.

There are **supported self-study sessions** in our beautiful library when a teacher will be available to help you with any questions you may have.

## A2

Pupils at this level can:

- Understand straightforward information about familiar topics, i.e. very basic personal/family information (shopping, local area etc.)
- Write short simple postcards/emails about personal information, fill in basic forms, express simple requests/needs in a familiar situation.

## B1

Pupils at this level can:

- Understand main points about work, school or leisure-related topics
- Write letters/make notes on familiar topics, describe experiences, opinions or plans in a limited way.

## B2

Pupils at this level can:

- Understand the main idea of a complicated text (i.e. academic writing on a familiar topic)
- Converse on quite a wide range of topics, exchange opinions using a variety of grammar and lexis
- Make notes in a live lesson/lecture, write detailed, structured essays on a wide range of subjects.

## C1

Pupils at this level can:

- Understand a wide range of longer, more complex texts/conversations on unfamiliar topics
- Effectively use language for varied social, professional and academic situations
- Create well-structured and detailed texts on a range of complicated subjects.

## C2

Pupils at this level can:

- Easily understand practically everything heard/read, confidently/appropriately; flexibly understand/use idiomatic expressions/colloquialisms
- Summarise information/arguments from different spoken/written sources, and present them coherently/concisely
- Can express a range of opinions spontaneously, very fluently and accurately, differentiating subtle shades of meaning even in complex situations.



# Sample timetable

	7.30–8.15	8.20–8.35	8.45–10.15	10.15–10.45 <sup>1</sup>	10.45–12.15	12.15–13.00	13.00–14.45	14.45–15.00	15.00–17.15	17.15–18.00	18.00–19.00	19.00–21.30	21.30–22.00	22.00 pm
Sunday	Arrivals/on-site activities Circus Skills/Swimming/Tennis/English Afternoon Tea										Dinner	Scavenger hunt	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Monday	Breakfast	Assembly	Lesson	Break	Lesson	Lunch	Expert class	Break	Focus activity	R&R Self-study	Dinner	Swimming, Chess & chat, Cricket, Yoga/Gym	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Tuesday	Breakfast	Assembly	Lesson	Break	Lesson	Lunch	Expert class	Break	Focus activity	R&R Self-study	Dinner	Fashion show	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Wednesday	Breakfast	Assembly	Lesson	Half-day cultural trip Cambridge (museum + punting)							Dinner	Swimming, Film, Badminton, Henna art	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Thursday	Breakfast	Assembly	Lesson	Break	Lesson	Lunch	Expert class	Break	Focus activity	R&R Self-study	Dinner	Zorbing, Axe throwing, Archery, Swimming	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Friday	Breakfast	Assembly	Lesson	Break	Lesson	Lunch	Expert class	Break	Focus activity	R&R Self-study	Dinner	Outdoor cooking, and silent disco	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Saturday	Breakfast	Full day study tour – cultural trip. London (museum, walk + London Eye/Thames Speed boat)									Dinner	Outdoor film night	House time/meeting	Bedtime
Sunday	Breakfast	Full day excursion – Theme Park (Harry Potter World/Thorpe Park) Arrivals/on-site activities – Circus Skills/Swimming/Tennis/English Afternoon Tea									Dinner	Chill out night	House time/meeting-	Bedtime
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Sunday	Breakfast	Sunday - Departures or half-day trip if staying on									Dinner	Chill out night	House time/meeting-	Bedtime

## Pastoral care, Accommodation and Healthy eating

### Pastoral care

We take welfare and pastoral care extremely seriously at Haileybury in both the main and summer schools. We have a 1:3 pupil-staff ratio and there is always help and support for pupils. Summer School has its own dedicated Pupil Services Manager, responsible for the welfare of pupil experience. House Parents living in the Houses supervise all matters outside of teaching hours. Registers are taken regularly and there are daily meetings to ensure all staff are aware of any issues.

There is a 24hr emergency number should parents need to contact their children, and pupils are always able to call home if necessary.

### Accommodation

Pupils will stay in Haileybury's single-sex boarding houses where the overall staff to pupil ratios are 1:3 and each boarding house is led by a House Parent. Pupils will also have access to a School Nurse and we have an excellent team of local doctors located in close proximity to the School, as well as local hospitals.

Most bedrooms have two beds (some have one bed and some have more) and you will usually share with someone from another country. We can take, but not guarantee, requests.

Boarding houses have small kitchens where pupils over 13 years can make a hot drink. There are common rooms where you can watch TV, play some table tennis or just chat and relax with friends.

Houses are securely protected with on-site 24-hour security patrols. All Houses have secure wifi which is turned off between 10.00 pm and 7.00 am to ensure a good sleep. There is a laundry service once a week.



### Healthy eating

Our pupils dine in our breathtaking Dining Hall, where they enjoy the delicious meals and snacks prepared by our catering team. They have three meals a day — a mix of British and international dishes. There is always a range of choices for pupils with vegetarian, vegan, or other particular dietary needs. Our catering staff provide packed lunches on excursion days. Water is always available around the school, and snacks such as fruit and biscuits are available at break times.

#### *Example Lunch:*

**Shaved British Cured Meats**  
with Baby Onions, Pickles, Capers,  
Pesto, Piccalilli, Baby Watercress.

**Smoked Haddock Scotch Egg, Beetroot Cured Salmon, Smoked Peppered Mackerel**  
Served with Beetroot and Apple Relish, Kohlrabi  
and Rainbow Radish Slaw and Dill Oil

**Hasselback Heritage Tomato Caprese** (vegetarian)  
with Balsamic Reduction and Sweet Basil Pesto  
Garden, New Potato (with honey & pickled mustard  
seeds) or Lemon & Coriander Couscous **Salads**

#### *Hot Lunch:*

**Katsu Chicken** or **Katsu Aubergine Curry**  
with Fragrant Rice & Pickled Slaw

#### **Pasta Bar**

with a selection of homemade  
sauces and garnish.





# Sustainability

Haileybury recognises that our activities may have both a positive and negative environmental and social impact, however we work to raise awareness of how we can all act in order to minimise harmful consequences of our actions, playing our part in looking after our planet, our campus and each other.

Our campus sits in 500 acres of land containing ponds, an arboretum, large areas of managed and natural woodland and sports fields (as well as our teaching and accommodation buildings). All are maintained by our own grounds and maintenance teams and we are constantly improving the stewardship of our natural resources. Our woodland areas are an opportunity for pupils to understand the value of the environment, food science and bushcraft skills. Our wormery (right) composts food waste for our herb garden, the produce from which then appears on our menus and in our meals.

To fulfill our sustainability policy, we:

## Recycle

- We use the recycling bins which are all over the site in order to minimise rubbish going to landfill
- We compost food waste.

## Reuse

- Wherever possible, we buy and use items made from recycled materials
- We actively seek imaginative ways to reuse materials from classes and activities.

## Reduce

- We minimise energy and water used by turning off electricity and water when not needed
- We reduce plastic use by providing every pupil with a refillable water bottle and water stations on campus
- We try to eliminate waste by, where possible, using compostable materials.

## Respect

- We do not drop litter
- We respect other people, wildlife, buildings, materials and spaces.



## Dates

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### 1. English + (11–16)

Course A 9.7.23–22.7.23

Course B 23.7.23–5.8.23

Course C 6.8.23–19.8.23

### 2. Academic English + (12–17)

Course A 9.7.23–22.7.23

Course B 23.7.23–5.8.23

Course C 6.8.23–19.8.23

### 3. International study preparation (15–17)

Course C only 6.8.23–19.8.23

## How to apply

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For further information and availability, please contact +44(0)1992 706 413 or email [summerschooladmissions@haileybury.com](mailto:summerschooladmissions@haileybury.com)

## Airport transfers

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London Luton  
40 minutes



Heathrow and Stansted transfers are included in the price. Transfers from London City, London Luton, London Gatwick and Ebbsfleet will cost extra. All airports are served by rail links to central London. Journey times by road are shown below. Pupils are greeted on arrival at the airport by a friendly member of Haileybury staff with drinks and snacks.



London Heathrow  
50 minutes



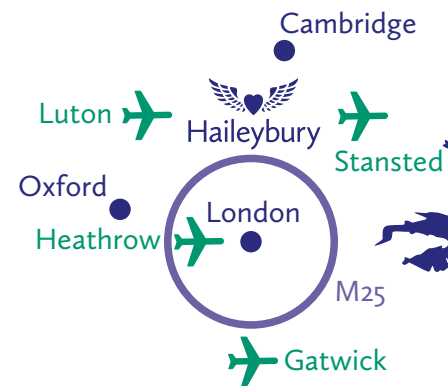
London Stansted  
30 minutes




London Gatwick  
75 minutes



# Where is Haileybury?



*The information in this brochure has been prepared carefully in good faith. However, our courses are flexible and we reserve the right to make changes to them at any time. We reserve the right to alter our trip destinations due to weather, traffic or safety concerns. This information does not therefore, constitute in whole or in part, any contract between Haileybury and pupils' parents, agents or guardians.*

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