



St Mary's School Ascot, UK

Our Ascot Residential Summer Centre is based at St Mary's School. This traditional English boarding school was built in the 19th century and has grown into one of the finest boarding schools in the country. Set in 55 acres of beautiful grounds in the heart of Berkshire, with excellent boarding facilities, sports and performing arts facilities, the school is conveniently located in the little town of Ascot, a short journey away from Heathrow airport, Windsor Castle and 25 miles west of London.

Course offered

Summer Course (SC)

This course is specially designed for juniors and teenagers and offers a perfect balance of lessons, sports, activities and excursions.

Key information

Course length: 1 – 4 weeks

Start dates: 12, 19, 26 July, 2 & 9 Aug
Wednesday arrive/Wednesday depart

Course ends: 16 August

Lessons: 15 hours of English lessons per week

Minimum age – maximum age:
12 – 17 (10+ as part of a group)

Maximum class size: 15

Minimum entry level: Beginner

Included in the price of all courses

- 15 hours of English lessons per week
- Full-board residential accommodation
- Day-time sports and activities programme
- Full programme of evening activities
- Full-day excursions every Tuesday and Wednesday
- One half-day excursion per week
- One extended half-day excursion per week
- At least one excursion entrance fee per week
- Placement test
- Wi-fi in most parts of the campus
- End-of-course certificate
- 24-hour supervision
- Weekly laundry service
- School bank service

SC Plus Sports Academy

Your traditional Summer Course + 9 hours of professional coaching in football & tennis as well as cardio fitness to make you feel your best self!

Key information

Course length: 1 – 4 weeks

Start dates: 12, 19, 26 July & 2 August
Wednesday arrive/Wednesday depart

Course ends: 9 August

Lessons: 15 hours of English lessons per week

Minimum age – maximum age:
12 – 17 (10+ as part of a group)

Maximum class size: 15

Minimum entry level: Beginner

Included in the price of Sports Academy

9 hours of professional coaching and fitness

Centre facilities

- State of the art outdoor fields and pitches
- Tennis courts
- Large sports hall
- Indoor heated swimming pool (25 metre)
- Modern performing arts centre
- Student shop
- Bright and modern refectory

Leaders of Tomorrow (LoT)

This course is designed to offer students a variety of EAP, Social Skills and Vocational development classes for a total of 20 hours of classroom time a week, in addition to a local visit connected to a case study and a guest speaker.

Key information

Course length: 2 weeks

Start dates: 12 & 26 July
Wednesday arrive/Wednesday depart

Course ends: 26 July & 9 August

Lessons: 20 hours of EAP, Social Skills & Vocational development

Minimum age – maximum age: 13 – 17

Maximum class size: 15

Minimum entry level: Intermediate
(Pre-test required)

Minimum course number: 6

Included in the price of LoT

- 20 weekly hours of classroom time consisting of EAP, Social Skills and Vocational development
- 1 local visit connected to a case study & 1 guest speaker

Accommodation

On-campus residential accommodation

Mainly twin rooms (few singles) with modern communal bathrooms and multi-bedded rooms. Traditional, well kept boarding school accommodation.

The student:bathroom ratio is between 4:1 & 6:1 and each room has a sink; boys and girls are housed in different accommodation areas and each area is supervised by Kings residential staff.

Please note a deposit of £50 per student is required on arrival, in case of damages. Towels are not included.

Meal plan

Breakfast, lunch and dinner every day. Lunch and dinner are usually hot (with packed lunches on excursion days) and there is usually a choice of at least two main courses. We can cater for vegetarian and other dietary requirements on request.



Airports and distances

Heathrow	12 Miles / 19 Km
Gatwick	42 Miles / 68 Km
Luton	44 Miles / 71 Km
London City	55 Miles / 88 Km

Provisional Excursions 2023

Week 1

London inc. River Cruise & Shopping	Extended Half-day
Windsor & Eton	Half-day
London inc. Westminster area walking tour & SOHO	Full-day

Week 2

Oxford inc. walking tour	Full-day
London inc. National Gallery & Covent Garden	Extended Half-day
Bracknell Shopping	Half-day
London inc. Madame Tussauds & Regent's Park	Full-day

Week 3

Brighton inc. walking tour	Full-day
London inc. London Eye & Shopping	Extended Half-day
Windsor & Eton	Half-day
London inc. Riverbank, Borough Market & Tower Bridge	Full-day

Provisional Excursions 2023

Week 4

Salisbury inc. walking tour	Full-day
London inc. Natural History Museum & Harrods	Extended Half-day
Bracknell Shopping	Half-day
London inc. St. Paul's Cathedral	Full-day

Week 5

Oxford inc. walking tour	Full-day
London inc. River Cruise & Shopping	Extended Half-day
Windsor & Eton	Half-day
London inc. Westminster area walking tour & SOHO	Full-day

All excursions include a tour segment and some allocated shopping time. Excursion entrances are included where shown on the timetable above. All excursions are led by Kings members of staff. Alternative excursions and entrances may be available upon request — contact Kings Young Learners for details.

Leaders of Tomorrow Sample Timetable

	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Morning	Arrivals/ Departures or Brighton	EAP - Listening Communication Styles Case Study	EAP - Reading Communication Platforms Research Strategies	EAP - Writing Challenging Conversations Vocational skills	EAP - Speaking Wellbeing & Resilience Social Media Campaign	EAP - Grammar & Vocabulary Self-Confidence Social Media Campaign	Team Building Day
Afternoon		Local Speaker Communication Styles Dinner	London inc. London Eye & Shopping	Visit to Local Business	Communication Platforms	Challenging Conversations Activities	
Evening	Games night	Fancy dress night	Late dinner	Scavenger Hunt	Talent Show	Disco	Movie Night

Summer Course Sample Timetable

	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
Morning	Arrivals/ Departures or Brighton	Book-based / Project-based lessons	Book-based / Project-based lessons	Book-based / Project-based lessons	Book-based / Project-based lessons	Book-based / Project-based lessons	London inc. Riverbank, Borough Market & Tower Bridge
Afternoon		Basketball Dance Swimming * Sports Academy	London inc. London Eye & Shopping	Dodgeball Swimming Arts & Crafts * Sports Academy	Windsor & Eton	Badminton Touch Rugby Swimming * Sports Academy	
Evening	Games night	Fancy dress night	Late dinner	Scavenger Hunt	Talent Show	Disco	Movie night

*These activities are only available to Summer Course + students and must be pre-booked for a supplement. The above are SAMPLE timetables and Kings reserves the right to make alterations to it as/when necessary. Please note lessons may be in the morning or afternoon.