



ST JOSEPH'S



RECOMMENDED AGES: 11-17 years

RECOMMENDED AIRPORTS:

Heathrow, Luton, Stansted

ADDRESS: St Joseph's College,
Belstead Road, Ipswich, IP2 9DR





LOCATION & CAMPUS

St Joseph's College was founded in 1937, beginning its journey as a Catholic boys' school before developing into the diverse co-educational day and boarding school it is today.

Set within a beautiful 65-acre campus in Ipswich, Suffolk, the College offers a safe and spacious environment where students can learn, relax, make friends and enjoy a wide range of activities.

Ideally located in East Anglia, the College is approximately one hour from London and just 30 minutes from the Suffolk coast, with convenient access to both Stansted and Heathrow airports.



FACILITIES & ACCOMMODATION

Students have access to a wide range of excellent facilities, including a sports hall, an all weather sports pitch, modern classrooms, art and creative studios, music rooms and extensive outdoor grounds and green spaces.

Accommodation is within 2 boarding houses with a mixture of single and shared rooms. Both houses have welcoming communal spaces.

A bespoke laundry service is provided by the school once a week. On arrival, a damage deposit of £30 will be collected. This will be returned to students at the end of the course should they not be responsible for any damage.



ENGLISH CLASSES

On the day following arrival, there will be an English Placement Test to place the students into a suitable class. The students have 15 hours of English lessons per week, with an emphasis on interaction and conversation. At the end of the course, a certificate is awarded to each student.

ENGLISH PLUS OPTIONS

Climbing, Sailing, Tennis and Paddleboarding.

Students can specialise in one of the above activities and receive professionally qualified tuition in this field (for a supplement). Further details of each option can be obtained from Project International Head Office.

A TYPICAL TEACHING DAY

09:00-10:00: The teacher introduces a new grammatical structure or language function to the class, which is then reinforced either through a written or spoken activity. This may include role-play situations.

10:00-10:10: Break

10:10-11:10: The focus here is to get students to work together on a project. By setting an interesting task, we encourage students to communicate in a fun and enjoyable way.

11:10-11:20: Break

11:20-12:20: In the final hour, students are often encouraged to prepare a short play in groups or get involved in a class discussion on a topic of interest.



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SAMPLE TWO-WEEK PROGRAMME

		09:00-12:30		14:15-16:15	16:30-17:30		19:15-21.30
Sat		Arrival in UK		Transfer to St Joseph's	Orientation Tour & Welcome Talk		Evening Activity Session
Sun	B	English Tests		Afternoon Activity Session: Students have a choice of activities (see below) or take their chosen English Plus Option			Evening Activity Session
Mon	R	English Lessons					Evening Activity Session
Tue	A	English Lessons	L	Half day excursion (Options include: Ipswich, Bury St. Edmunds, Colchester, Southwold)			Evening Activity Session
Wed	K	English Lessons	U	Afternoon Activity Session: Students have a choice of activities (see below) or take their chosen English Plus Option			Evening Activity Session
Thu	F	English Lessons	N				Evening Activity Session
Fri	A	English Lessons	C	(Options include: London, Cambridge, Oxford, Norwich)			Evening Activity Session
Sat	S	Full Day Excursion	H	Groups have a choice of informal activities at school OR an extra supplementary excursion arranged by prior enquiry to head office.			Evening Activity Session
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Sat	S	Full Day Excursion	H				
	T	Departure					

EXCURSIONS

Half Day: Ipswich, Bury St. Edmunds, Colchester, Southwold

Full Day: London, Cambridge, Oxford, Norwich

Students are taken on escorted coach excursions twice a week. However, groups can request supplemental excursions on changeover days.

Please bear in mind that excursions listed above are excursion OPTIONS and exact locations will only be confirmed shortly before arrival. If groups want to go further afield, an extra charge is made which is dependent on group size and distance. Please, be aware that if a different entrance is required (and can be accommodated) then a supplement may be payable.

Please also bear in mind that we have to maximise the occupancy of the coaches on excursions and therefore we CANNOT always send everyone where they wish. However we always try to meet requests and encourage groups to make requests as early as possible.

MEALS

Amixture of English and Continental breakfasts are served. At lunch and dinner, there is always a salad bar with choice of hot meal (including a vegetarian option) and fruit. If you have any food allergies, please let us know in advance.

ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

There is a wide range of activities on offer for maximum participation and enjoyment.

Afternoon activities: We offer a varied programme with numerous, changing sports options (e.g. badminton, basketball, frisbee, football, hockey, table tennis, tennis, volleyball) and a carefully selected range of non-sports options (e.g. arts & crafts, drama, singing, video creation, origami, jewellery making) as well as visits to local attractions.

Evening activities: In the evening, there is a choice of activities including Discos, Karaoke, Blind Date, Talent Shows, Fashion Shows, Films, Man Hunt and many more to enjoy.



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