

GERMAN FOR KIDS & TEENS

WHERE INTERESTING PEOPLE MEET
MORE THAN 1,200 JUNIORS ATTEND GLS PROGRAMS EVERY YEAR

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Intensive German courses, including lots of sightseeing and sports

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EDITORIAL

When my kids were young, we used to encourage them to spend part of their holidays in summer camps abroad in order to practice and enrich their language skills. These travels were of immense value to them and made them experience culture first hand. They prepared all three of my children to be citizens of the world.

Barbara Jaeschke
 Owner and managing director of
 GLS German Language School

GLS stands for German Language School and was founded in 1983 by Barbara Jaeschke, former teacher and passionate marathon runner. GLS operates summer camps for juniors in Berlin and Munich as well as its own campus for adult students in the heart of Berlin. Every year GLS sends over 1.800 German juniors abroad for student language travel while at the same time welcoming more than 1.200 international juniors in Germany.

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WHY JUNIOR COURSES WITH GLS?



GLS is one of Germany's foremost specialists for junior language programs, with 3 decades of experience. Every year GLS sends over 1.800 German juniors abroad while at the same time welcoming more than 1.200 international juniors in Germany. GLS offers:

- ★ summer camps in Berlin and Munich
- ★ very attractive and metropolitan regions
- ★ wide age range: from 7 to 19 years
- ★ residential and homestay options
- ★ premium sport add-ons like sailing, tennis or football
- ★ Possibility to learn German all year round:
 - Special Winter College in Berlin
 - High School programme in Germany all year round

GLS ONLINE COMMUNITY

Want to connect even before your summer camp adventure starts? Meet other students attending GLS Summer Camps in the GLS online community and make friends before you even get there. You can look up who is staying at the camp with you or check out pictures and photo reports from all the GLS summer camps in Berlin and Munich.



GLS programs offer an effective and fun approach to language learning. Every effort is made to create a fun and stimulating atmosphere with the topics of the lessons aligned with the interests of the students. Each destination is carefully selected based on the quality of the location, the comfort of the accommodation and the choice of activities close-by. This is the perfect opportunity to develop language skills and have an unforgettable experience.

All GLS teachers are experienced language teachers with university degrees. Their main goal is to ensure a friendly atmosphere in class and to include the needs of every individual student, making sure everyone gets the most out of their language experience.

The German courses take place in the morning (Exception: Berlin College summer school). Students can choose between a 20h German course or a 25h German course (intensive camps) per week depending on which camp they go to.

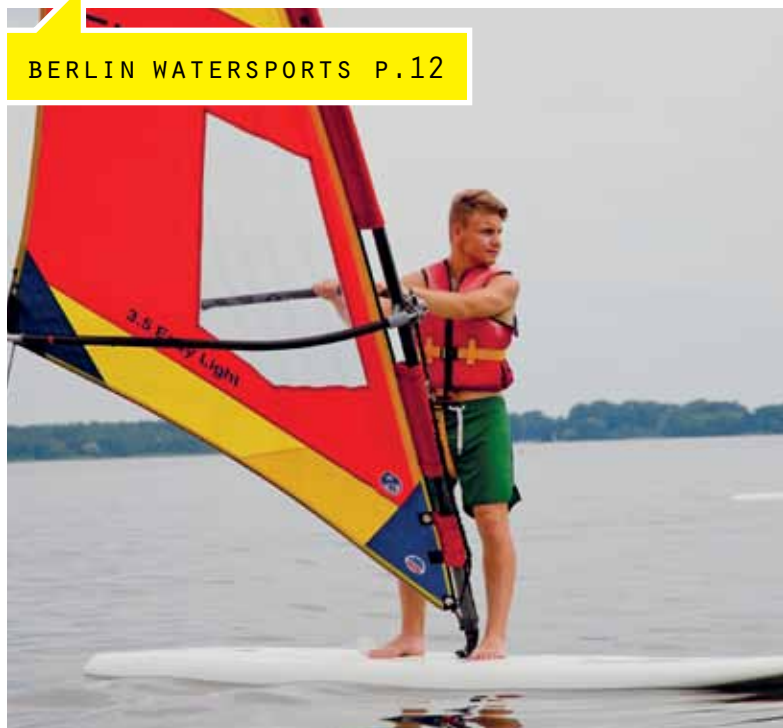
Classes focus on communication, using interactive and dynamic techniques to get the students to actively participate and improve their skills. Combined with a rich selection of daily activities and weekly excursions, students get ample opportunity to practice the language both inside the classroom and out.

SPORTS AT GLS SUMMER CAMPS

Lots of sports activities are included in the regular afternoon activities such as windsurfing, kayaking, swimming, volleyball and much more. For the ambitious athletes we have three add-on sport options: Tennis, Sailing and Football with 3 x 90 minute lessons per week, bookable at a surcharge.



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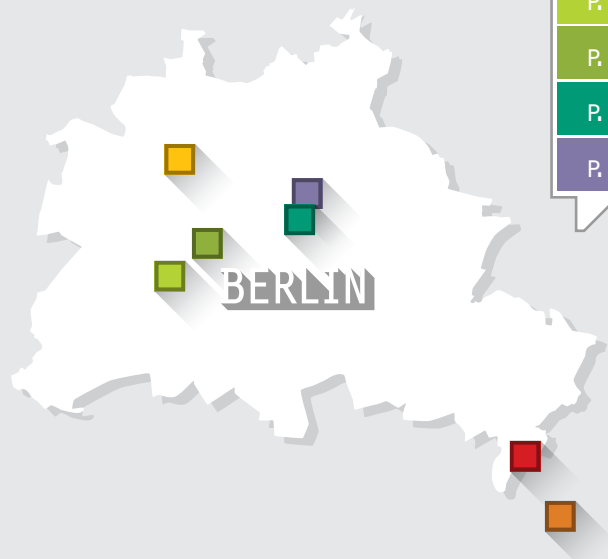
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NOT ONLY IN SUMMER

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JUNIOR PROGRAMS

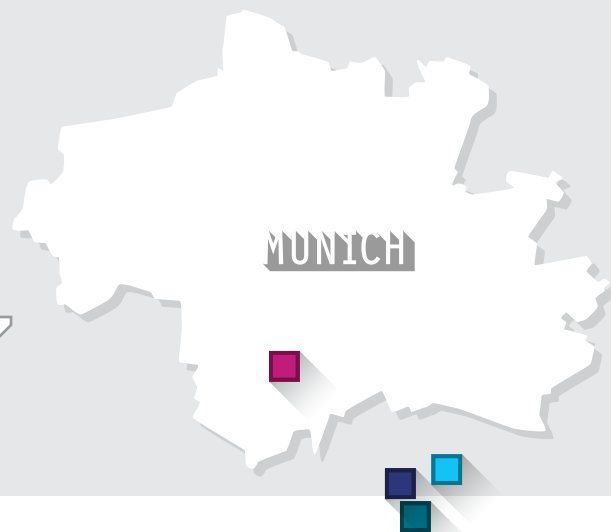
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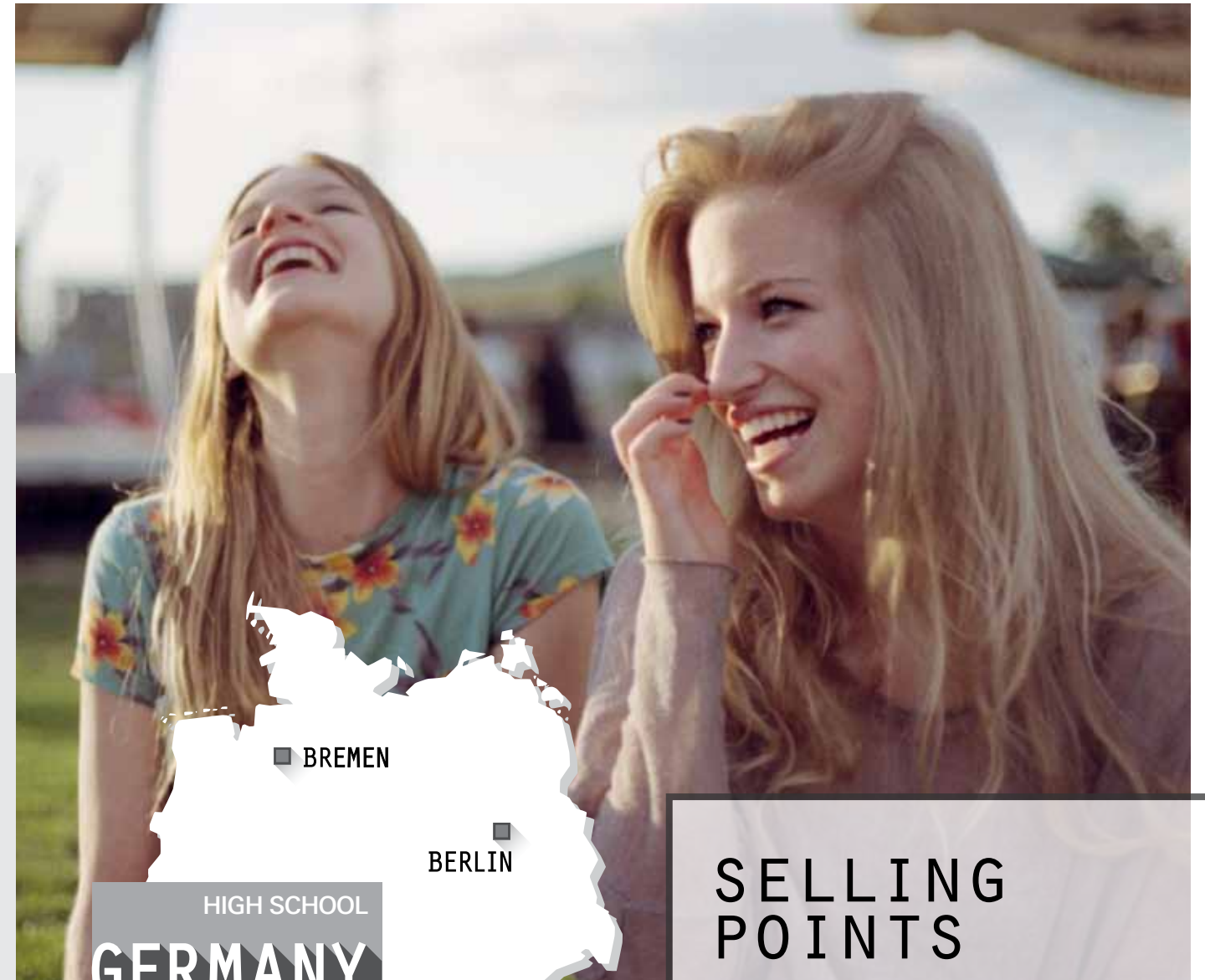
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JUNIOR PROGRAMS

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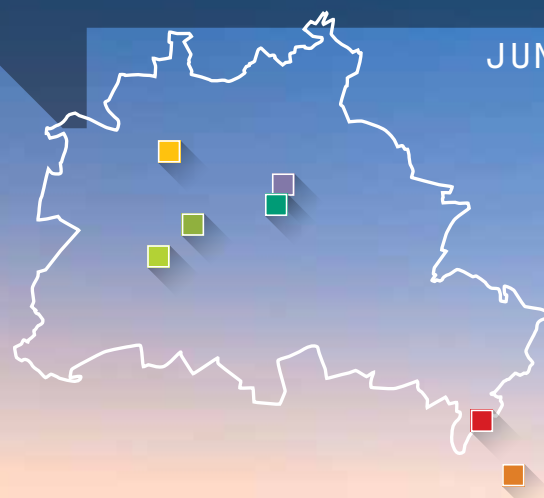
SELLING POINTS

1. summer programs in very attractive and metropolitan regions: Berlin & Munich
2. possibility to learn German all year round by attending a German high school—flexible starting dates for short stays of 2 or 3 months
3. wide age range: from 7 to 19 years
4. residential & homestay options

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JUNIOR PROGRAMS

AIRPORT CODE **BLN**
 CURRENCY **EURO**
 TIME ZONE **CET**



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GERMAN

368 METERS

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3,466,164

ON 891.82 KM²

52° 31' 12,025" N
 13° 24' 17,834" E

WINTER

-5 – 3°C
 23 – 37.4°F



AVERAGE
 TEMPERATURE



20 – 31°C
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SUMMER

175

MUSEUMS

BERLIN IS SAID TO HAVE MORE
 MUSEUMS THAN RAINY DAYS

1,700

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 BERLIN
 EASILY
 BEATING
 VENICE

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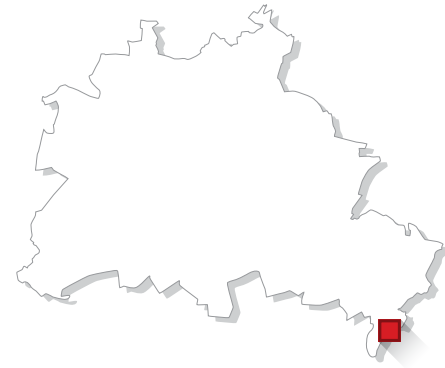
JOHN F. KENNEDY
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134,000 STUDENTS

BERLIN IS GERMANY'S BIGGEST UNIVERSITY
 CITY WITH 4 UNIVERSITIES, 4 ART SCHOOLS
 AND 10 TECHNICAL COLLEGES

BERLIN

YOUNG & FUN



AGES 7–14

2 EXCURSIONS TO BERLIN PER WEEK

This summer camp is ideal for a) younger students, as it is next to a lake, safe, calm and green, b) students who appreciate a high standard in accommodation and c) students, who want to make German friends: German kids take part in all after-class activities & excursions.



SUN

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON

Morning 3 German lessons
Afternoon A swimming, football or juggling
Afternoon B theater or multisport
Evening games

TUE

Morning 3 German lessons
Afternoon A basketball or dance
Afternoon B volleyball or multisport
Evening camp olympiad

WED

Morning 3 German lessons
Afternoon excursion to Berlin

THU

Morning 3 German lessons
Afternoon A batik or jazz dance
Afternoon B music or multisport
Evening lakeside barbecue

FRI

Morning 3 German lessons
Afternoon A boat trip
Afternoon B camp newspaper
Evening disco

SAT

Full-day excursion to Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle

SUN

Departure or bicycle ride around the lake

SAMPLE WEEK



LOCATION

on Lake Zeuthen in a suburban district of Berlin



CAPACITY

120 students at a time



FACILITIES

campus of a private university with on site residence, lakeside park, 15 classrooms, beautiful cafeteria, fitness studio, video room, limited access to PCs on site



GERMAN COURSE

15 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

3 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Berlin downtown or Potsdam (one full-day, one half-day)



ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2–3 bed-rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the campus cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)



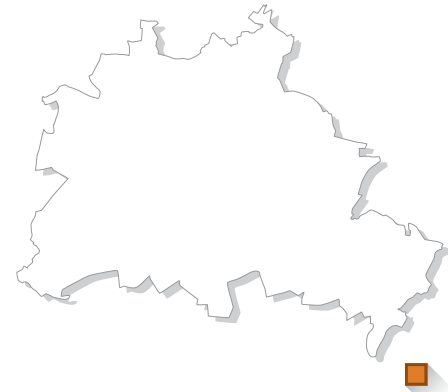
SPORT ADD-ONS

Tennis & Sailing: 3 x 90 minutes per week, bookable at a surcharge



BERLIN

WATER SPORTS



AGES 13–17

2 EXCURSIONS TO BERLIN PER WEEK

The summer camp on a lake near Berlin is a fantastic combination of water sports and metropolitan attractions: it has its own harbour and fantastic facilities for all kinds of water sports. A further plus factor: the camp is attended by German teenagers as well, who will often share evening activities like barbecues or disco nights.



LOCATION

Lake Wolzig, 30 km southeast of Berlin



CAPACITY

70 students at a time



FACILITIES

campus with on site accommodation, cafeteria, 10 classrooms, harbour with boats, surf boards, kayaks, canoes, sailing boats, beach, indoor gym, fitness studio, beach volleyball field, soccer field, basketball court, climbing wall



GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Berlin (one full-day, one half-day)



ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2 or 3-bed-rooms with own shower/ WC, full board in the campus cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)

SUN

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon canoeing or climbing
Evening barbecue

TUE

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon rowing or inline-skating
Evening camp breakdance

WED

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon half-day excursion to Berlin
Evening campfire

THU

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon surfing or football
Evening film

FRI

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon sailing or float building
Evening disco

SAT

Full-day excursion to Berlin
Evening party

SUN

Evening Departure or swimming
beach volleyball

SAMPLE WEEK

BERLIN

RIVERSIDE



AGES 14-17

4 ACTIVITIES PER WEEK IN BERLIN DOWNTOWN

Berlin Riverside is ideal for students who want to be in Berlin but still need green around them: Located on beautiful River Havel in a residential region of Berlin, this summer camp is the perfect place for a relaxing summer holiday – enriched by exciting trips to downtown Berlin.



LOCATION

North of Berlin city center, on River Havel



CAPACITY

45 students at a time



FACILITIES

residence with on site accommodation and own landing stage, garden, barbecue place, beach volleyball court, cafeteria, kicker, table tennis



GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 4 excursions per week to downtown Berlin, one full-day trip on Saturdays



ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2, 3 or 4-bed-rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the campus cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)



SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon sightseeing in Berlin
Evening barbecue

TUE **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon beach volleyball or cycling tour
Evening casino evening

WED **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon trip to Potsdamer Platz
Evening campfire

THU **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon walk along Berlin Wall
Evening show-time

FRI **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon rowing or arts & crafts
Evening disco

SAT **Full-day** excursion to Berlin or Potsdam
Evening cinema

SUN **Evening** Departure or swimming
karaoke

SAMPLE WEEK

BERLIN

VILLA



AGES 16–17

DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

The villa is the smaller and more familial of two GLS junior summer schools in Berlin. Even though famous Kurfürstendamm, one of Berlin's most elegant shopping streets, is just around the corner, the villa and its beautiful garden feel like a safe retreat – perfect for students who like it urban but appreciate a familial touch.



LOCATION
Berlin city center, near Kurfürstendamm, a famous shopping boulevard

CAPACITY
40 students at a time

FACILITIES
beautiful villa with garden and 40 beds, 5 classrooms, lounge, cafeteria, basketball court

GERMAN COURSE
20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced

ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS
2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays

ACCOMMODATION
on campus in 3-5 bed-rooms with shower/WC in the hall, full board in the campus cafeteria

TRANSFER
to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon walking tour on Kurfürstendamm
Evening video evening

TUE **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon New Reichstag & Potsdamer Platz
Evening games

WED **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon swimming in lake Wannsee
Evening beach volleyball

THU **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie
Evening barbecue

FRI **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon rowing on «Neuer See» in Tiergarten
Evening disco

SAT **Full-day** excursion Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle
Evening pub tour

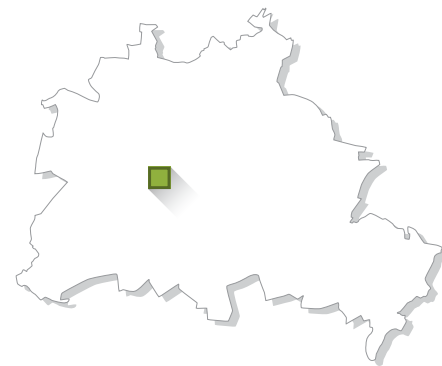
SUN **Evening** Departure or visit flea market on Str. des 17. Juni
garden party

SAMPLE WEEK



BERLIN

INTENSIVE










AGES 15-17

DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

This summer program in Berlin is the most intensive one – with 5 daily lessons of German instead of 4. It's perfect for students who are both ambitious and fun-loving: The school's location just north of the city center is a perfect base for outings in Berlin. The school has a familial feel to it, and you'll find it very easy to make new friends here.



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LOCATION
 In the northern city center of Berlin, right next to a park and a metro-station
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CAPACITY
 60 students at a time
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FACILITIES
 10 seminar rooms and a hotel in the same building (on the upper floors) where students are accommodated.
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GERMAN COURSE
 25 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced

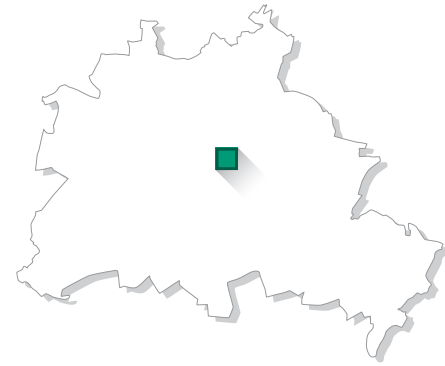
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ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS
 2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays
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ACCOMMODATION
 on site in 2 – 4 bed rooms with own shower and WC, full board in the cafeteria
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TRANSFER
 to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

SUN	Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening	THU	Morning	5 German lessons	
			Afternoon	Trip to Potsdam: Castle Sanssouci	
			Evening	showtime	
MON	Morning	5 German lessons	FRI	Morning	5 German lessons
	Afternoon	Boat trip around Museum Island		Afternoon	Berlin Wall and museum at
	Evening	barbecue			Checkpoint Charlie
TUE	Morning	5 German lessons		Evening	showtime
	Afternoon	Berlin Tiergarten & relaxing at	SAT	Full-day	full-day excursion to Berlin
		Lake Neuer See		Evening	cinema
	Evening	games	SUN		Departure or swimming
WED	Morning	5 German lessons			
	Afternoon	Badminton or cycling tour			
	Evening	video evening			

SAMPLE WEEK

BERLIN

COLLEGE



AGES 16–19

DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

The college is for independent and mature students: Located in the epicenter of Berlin's hippest district, the college offers a very trendy neighborhood with fancy clubs, cafes and designer fashion stores just down the street. GLS guides are around, but students are free to venture out on their own.



LOCATION

Berlin city center, in trendy Prenzlauer Berg



CAPACITY

160 students at a time



FACILITIES

GLS campus with 40 classrooms, restaurant, cafe, garden, bicycles



GERMAN COURSE (in the afternoon)

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays



ACCOMMODATION

OPTION A: residential; 4 – 5 bed rooms either on campus or in a stylish youth hostel 5 minutes walking distance (double room on request). Half board: Breakfast and dinner included, lunch available at surcharge at the GLS cafeteria.

OPTION B: homestay, double room, half board (breakfast at the homestay, dinner on campus), commuting time 30 – 50 minutes



TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** exploring the neighbourhood
Afternoon 4 German lessons
Evening salsa evening

TUE **Morning** shopping vintage Berlin fashion
Afternoon 4 German lessons
Evening clubbing

WED **Morning** swimming in lake Wannsee
Afternoon 4 German lessons
Evening volleyball in Mauerpark

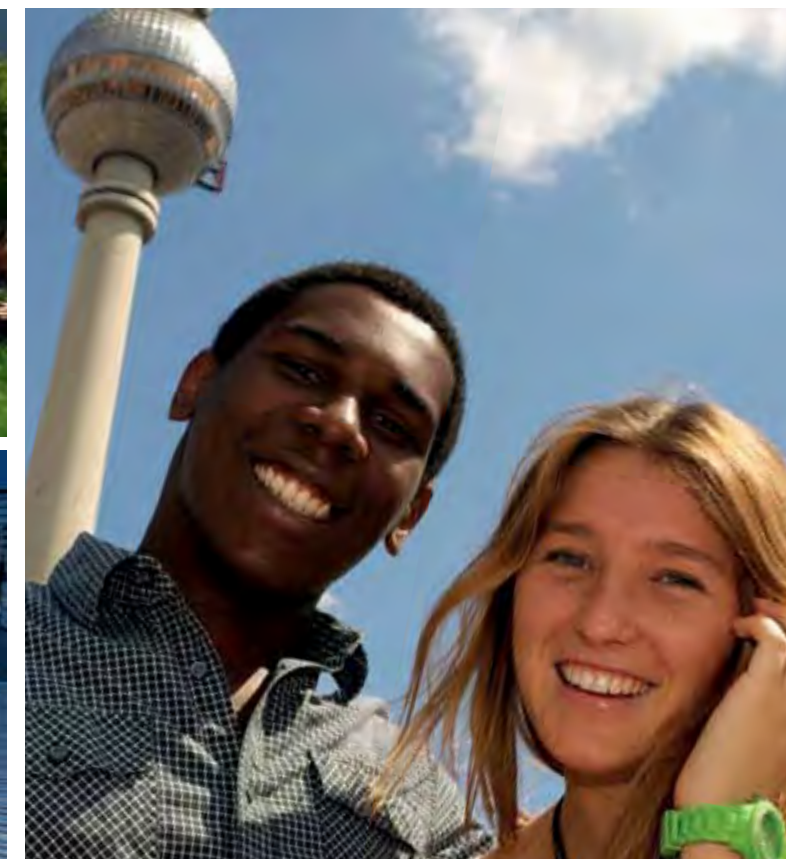
THU **Morning** Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie
Afternoon 4 German lessons
Evening video night

FRI **Morning** boat trip around Museum Island
Afternoon 4 German lessons
Evening Badeschiff on River Spree

SAT **Full-day** excursion to Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle
Evening pub tour

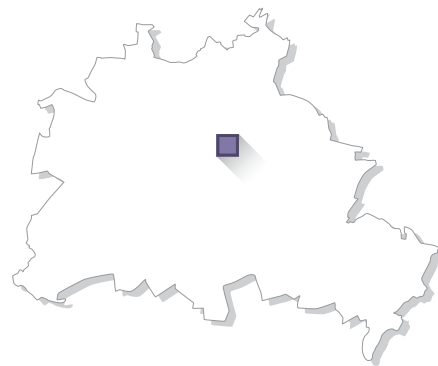
SUN Departure or visit flea market on Strasse des 17. Juni

SAMPLE WEEK



BERLIN

WINTER COLLEGE



AGES 15–19

DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

Berlin is cool all year round, in winter too! The Berlin Winter College is located in the very center of Berlin, on the GLS Campus in trendy Prenzlauer Berg. The program includes 20 weekly lessons of German and daily outings in Berlin. You'll have a great time together with teens from all over the world, and you'll get to see all the highlights: Berlin Wall, Museum Island, River Spree and plenty more.



LOCATION
Berlin city center, in trendy Prenzlauer Berg

CAPACITY
160 students at a time

FACILITIES
GLS campus with 40 classrooms, restaurant, cafe, garden, bicycles

GERMAN COURSE (in the afternoon)
20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced

ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS
2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays

ACCOMMODATION
OPTION A: on campus, 2–bed rooms or 3–5 bed rooms, half board (breakfast and dinner included, lunch available at surcharge at the GLS cafeteria).
OPTION B: homestay, double room, half board (breakfast at the homestay, dinner on campus), commuting time 30–50 minutes

TRANSFER
to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon exploring the neighbourhood
Evening night out in Prenzlauer Berg

TUE **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon shopping vintage Berlin fashion
Evening karaoke party

WED **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon ice skating on a berlin lake
Evening night out in Kreuzberg

THU **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie
Evening video night

FRI **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon boat trip around Museum Island
Evening bowling

SAT **Full-day** excursion to Dresden
Evening pub tour

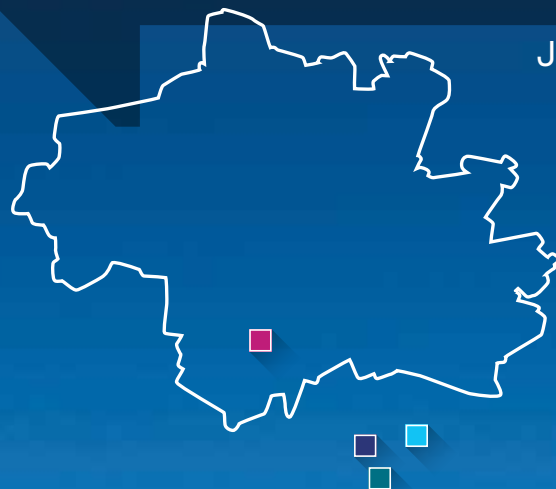
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MUNICH

JUNIOR PROGRAMS

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 CURRENCY **EURO**
 TIME ZONE **CET**



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3RD LARGEST CITY OF GERMANY

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SUMMER

1857

THE FAMOUS WHITE SAUSAGES ARE
 INVENTED – A MUNICH SPECIALITY.
 THESE ARE TRADITIONALLY EATEN WITH SWEET MUSTARD
 AND PRETZELS AND ARE ONLY SERVED BEFORE NOON

MUNICH'S ENGLISCHER
 GARTEN (ENGLISH
 GARDEN) IS AMONG
 EUROPE'S BIGGEST
 CITY PARKS, EVEN
 BEATING LONDON'S
 HYDE PARK – AND
 NEW YORK'S CENTRAL
 PARK, TOO.

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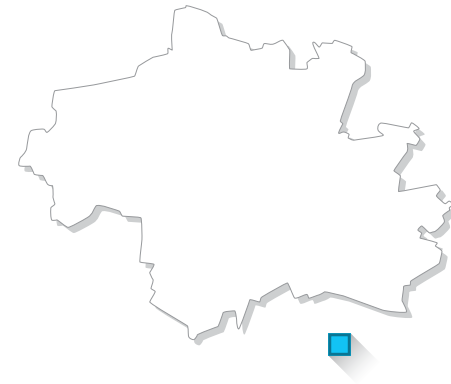
MUNICH
 LIKES YOU
 THE MOTTO
 OF THE CITY

OVER **20** BEER GARDENS

ARE LOCATED IN MUNICH. MUNICH IS HOME
 FOR THE ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST, A WORLD
 KNOWN BEER FESTIVAL GOING FOR TWO WEEKS

MUNICH

YOUNG & FUN



AGES 7-14

2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK

This summer camp is a picture book setting for younger students: Located in a traditional Bavarian village in the Alps, it is surrounded by beautiful nature. Munich is the destination for after-class excursions. Special plus: German kids take part in all activities and excursions.



LOCATION

a village in the Bavarian Alps, 2 km from Lake Schliersee and 50 km south of Munich



CAPACITY

70 students at a time



FACILITIES

campus with on site accommodation, fireplace, barbecue, volleyball court, table tennis, pool table, TV room



GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Munich (one full-day, two half-day)



ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2-4 bed-rooms with shower/WC on the hall, full board in the campus cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)



SPORT ADD-ONS

Tennis: 3 x 60 minutes per week
Soccer: 3 x 90 minutes per week
bookable at a surcharge

SUN

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon adventure tour
Evening barbecue

TUE

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon mountain climbing
Evening video evening

WED

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon half-day excursion to Munich
Evening campfire

THU

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon swimming or fun sport
Evening games evening

FRI

Morning 4 German lessons
Afternoon volleyball
Evening walk to the lake nearby

SAT

Full-day excursion to Munich
Evening disco

SUN

Departure or sports

SAMPLE WEEK



MUNICH

ADVENTURE



AGES 12–17

2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK

Munich Adventure is for students who want to explore Munich, but also love nature and being outdoors. The camp is located on a beautiful lake south of Munich, and after class activities focus on outdoor activities such as hiking, mountain biking and canyoning.



LOCATION

on Lake Spitzingsee 50 km south of Munich



CAPACITY

50 students at a time



FACILITIES

beautifully restored hotel with lake and mountain view, 7 spacious class rooms, garden, climbing wall, fitness room, sauna, TV room, table tennis



GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Munich (one full-day, one half-day)



ACCOMMODATION

on site in 3–4 bed rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the hotel cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)



SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon adventure hiking with GPS
Evening barbecue

TUE **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon constructing a float
Evening video evening

WED **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon half-day excursion, e.g. to Munich
Evening campfire

THU **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon swimming in waterfall
Evening games evening

FRI **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon bike parcours
Evening adventure hike at night

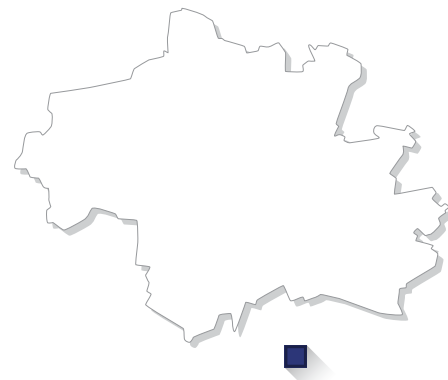
SAT **Full-day** excursion to Munich e.g. Evening disco

SUN Departure or sports

SAMPLE WEEK

MUNICH

INTENSIVE



AGES 15–17

2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK

This program is the most intensive one in Munich: it includes 25 lessons of German per week and takes place in a truly beautiful setting just south of Munich: Students live and learn in a family run hotel near Lake Schliersee, in the Alps. Munich is within easy reach by train, and the program includes at least 2 trips to Munich every week.



LOCATION

near Lake Schliersee south of Munich



CAPACITY

50 students at a time



FACILITIES

Mountain hotel with indoor pool, 8 seminar rooms, garden



GERMAN COURSE

25 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities, min. 2 afternoon excursions per week to Munich & one full-day trip on Saturdays



ACCOMMODATION

on site in 2–4 bed rooms with own shower and WC, full board in the cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)

SUN

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON

Morning 5 German lessons
Afternoon hiking around Lake Schliersee
Evening barbecue

TUE

Morning 5 German lessons
Afternoon half-day excursion to Munich
Evening games

WED

Morning 5 German lessons
Afternoon Badminton or mountain biking
Evening video evening

THU

Morning 5 German lessons
Afternoon half-day excursion to Munich
Evening showtime

FRI

Morning 5 German lessons
Afternoon volleyball
Evening showtime

SAT

Full-day excursion to Munich e.g.
Evening cinema

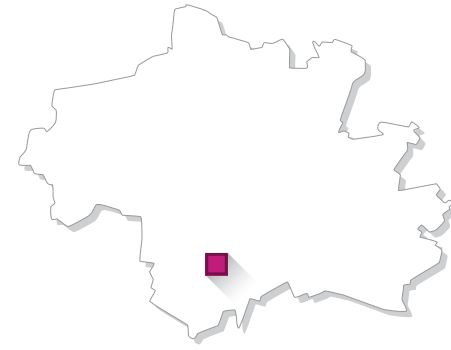
SUN

Departure or swimming

SAMPLE WEEK

MUNICH

CASTLE



AGES 14–17

2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK

This summer camp is the most metropolitan one among the Bavarian camps and has a truly spectacular location: a real castle overlooking River Isar in Munich. The neighbourhood is a residential district south of the city center, and all Munich highlights such as Hofbräuhaus, Bavaria Filmstudios or Frauenkirche are within easy reach.



LOCATION

the banks of River Isar in a wealthy residential district of Munich



CAPACITY

50 students at a time



FACILITIES

modernized medieval castle, 7 classrooms, cafeteria, knights' hall, lounge, internet cafe, bowling, billiard, playground in the park



GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities in or near the castle & 2 excursions per week to Munich city center (one full-day, one half-day)



ACCOMMODATION

on site in 4–5 bed rooms with own shower/WC; full board in the castle cafeteria



TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)



SUN Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

MON **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon academy of arts
Evening open air movie

TUE **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon shopping in Munich
Evening rallye in the park

WED **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon swimming in River Isar
Evening barbecue

THU **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon treasure hunt through city center of Munich
Evening cycling along river Isar

FRI **Morning** 4 German lessons
Afternoon sports or visit to Munich on your own
Evening visit to Bavarian Biergarten

SAT **Full-day** excursion to Bavaria Film Studios

SUN Departure or extra excursion, e.g. Lake Tegernsee

SAMPLE WEEK

HIGH SCHOOL GERMANY

Start your High School adventure in Berlin! Berlin is one of the coolest cities in Europe, and every February and August we organize a starter weeked for international High School students in Berlin. Included are workshops, accommodation on the campus of the GLS German Language School and – of course – lots of sightseeing in Berlin.



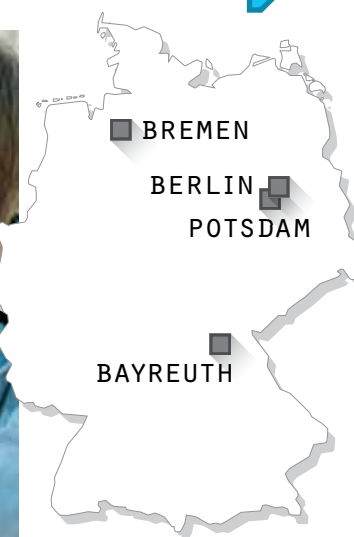
DAY & BOARDING SCHOOLS IN GERMANY

GLS won't place you just anywhere in Germany – with GLS you'll go to school in really cool and urban places such as Berlin, Potsdam, Bremen or Bayreuth. GLS cooperates with both day schools and boarding schools. The advantages of day schools: 1. They are less pricey than boarding schools and 2. You can also do short stays of 2 or 3 months. Boarding schools usually expect a minimum stay of one year. They nearly always offer you the possibility to do the *Abitur* and then go on to study at a German university. If you want to do the *Abitur*, plan to spend at least the final 2 years prior to *Abitur* exams in Germany.

SCHOOL LOCATIONS:
Berlin, Potsdam, Bremen, Bayreuth

AGES:
14 – 18 years (day schools),
11 – 18 years (boarding schools)

REQUIREMENT:
German on level A2 or preparatory
German course in Berlin



STARTERWEEKEND IN BERLIN (AUG & FEB)

FRI

Welcome dinner

SAT

Workshop I: High Schools in Germany
Workshop II: Dos and don'ts in Germany
Afternoon sightseeing in Berlin
Dinner
Night out in Berlin

SUN

Workshop III: Culture shock
Lunch
Pick up by host families or
boarding school

WHAT'S YOUR LEVEL OF GERMAN?

Most High Schools demand German on level A2 as a minimum, some expect B1 or even C1. No problem if you don't have the required level yet. Just do a preparatory course at the GLS German Language School in Berlin. Prep courses are taught in mini groups (max. 6 future high school students) and have 20 lessons per week. The price includes accommodation in a host family, single room, full board. Not included: public transport, insurance.

UNIVERSITY PATHWAY GERMANY

German universities offer excellent study opportunities to students from all over the world. The fees they charge are very low compared to those in many other countries. Getting access, however, can be a challenging process. And that's where the GLS pathway program comes in: GLS cooperates with German universities and offers:

1. a conditional acceptance letter for a BA degree program in Germany (prerequisite for a student visa).
2. preparatory German courses getting students to the German level they need.

STUDY FIELDS

Applicants can choose a BA Bachelor Program in one of the following study fields: Design, Engineering, Informatics, Business, Health Care and Social Work. Please note: only BA programs are available.

UNIVERSITIES

GLS cooperates with several universities in Germany that issue conditional acceptance letters for GLS applicants. Conditional acceptance letters are needed to apply for a student visa. The German university that has issued the conditional acceptance letter is not necessarily the one the student has to attend after having finished the pathway program. If a student prefers a different university, he or she is free to apply there – GLS will support up to 4 applications.

DURATION

If a student has zero knowledge of German, the university pathway program will last 10 months; if his/her level is already pre-advanced, only 2 months.

COSTS

GLS charges a university placement fee. Additional costs are tuition for the German course (the total amount depending on the number of months a student needs) and the exam fee for TestDaF.



HOW TO APPLY

Please send us the student's documents (a simple copy of high school diploma and, if existing, university certificates). We will check the documents for free and outline a personalized roadmap to university, detailing all necessary stations and the costs entailed. If that outline is accepted, we will register the student in our university pathway program.

SERVICES INCLUDE

- Free checking of a student's documents prior to arrival
- Free roadmap to university, customized to a student's academic background
- Conditional acceptance letter of a German University
- Pre-arrival assistance and visa support (e.g. blocked account, visa appointment)
- Tutor and weekly consultation hour during your German course at GLS
- TestAS Examination if applicable (3 times/year)
- Support for applications to 4 universities in Germany

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