



**ABBAY COLLEGE
IN MALVERN**

SUMMER SCHOOL



40+
years

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Welcome to

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At Abbey College in Malvern you can enjoy fully residential courses in the summer, packed with adventure. The idea is to learn, explore, make international friends, try new things and above all, have fun!

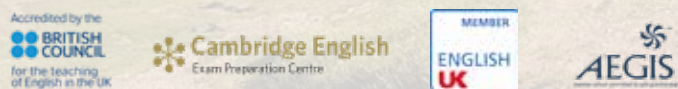
We offer a fantastic 70 acre campus in central England. It has everything you need in one place, without even needing to cross a road. Our small, beautiful town, Malvern, is one of the safest locations in the country.

We've been running these courses at Abbey College since 1979, welcoming students from all over the world. All that experience and continuous feedback has allowed us to develop a full programme that works really well. You will have something to do from when you wake up to when you go to bed. It's a great balance between lessons, sporting and social activities and fascinating excursions.

We are innovating too. Let us know if you'd like to take up a number of different options, such as additional 1:1 class packages, IELTS exam preparation and Sunday excursions.

We are proud to be celebrating more than 40 years of providing specialised English language courses and the expertise we have gained over the years makes us an ideal choice for your visit to the UK.

If you would like to know more or are interested in visiting us we would love to hear from you.



Why join us?

Welfare support available **24 hours** a day

Fully residential

A diverse **full day** programme

A **supervised** campus in one of the **safest** towns in the **UK**

Excursions to **fascinating** places

More than **30** different **sports** and **activities**

Learning options: take **special extra lessons**

140 years old British boarding school setting

More than **40 years'** experience in **summer** schools

The standard course includes

- **Group tuition** (minimum 16 hours per week, maximum 16 students per class)
- **Standard accommodation in shared rooms** (up to four students)
- **All meals, except lunch on full day excursions**
- **Two full-day excursions per week**
- **Weekly laundry**
- **All course materials**
- **Wi-Fi and library**
- **A variety of activities and social events**
- **End-of-course certificate and report**

Also available at an extra cost:

- Airport transfers
- Room upgrades
- Private lessons
- Additional excursions

A **classical, elegant English town** known for its **beauty**





Our Location

Our site is beautiful, safe and central. We are on the lower slopes of the famous Malvern Hills in Central England. The college itself is within a government-recognised "Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty".

Our town of Malvern, with a population of around 35 000, is a cultural centre and is considered an elegant, prosperous town, which is very typically English.

The historic cathedral cities of Worcester, Hereford and Gloucester are around half an hour's drive, with Cheltenham, Stratford-Upon-Avon, Birmingham, Bath and Oxford also close by. London is 2½ hours away by car or direct train.

We offer group transfers to/from London Heathrow every Sunday for a set cost, as well as individual taxi transfers and other UK airports with costs varying according to distance.



Closest Airports:
Birmingham
Bristol
London - Heathrow
London - Gatwick
London - Stansted



Residential Care

Abbey College is a year-round boarding school hosting students from around the world so we are well-equipped to deal with all students' welfare needs.

We have a Student Services department, run by experienced staff, who are responsible for your health and well-being. They also help with your accommodation and transport.

You will be individually checked into your bedroom at night and woken up for breakfast in the morning. There is always at least one house parent in residence in every house, and you can go to see them to get help at any time that you need to.

We welcome students from all religions and can make special arrangements for your faith, respecting the wishes of parents.



Meals

When you're on campus all meals are included. However, when you are away on our excellent excursions, we give you the opportunity to try local food and cuisine.

We provide meals that suit international tastes in general. There's a self-service salad bar, where you can help yourself to as much as you want, for lunch and dinner.

If you are a vegetarian, or have other dietary requirements, we'll be pleased to serve you with appropriate food throughout your stay.

We also have a school tuck shop where you can buy snacks, drinks and some other essentials outside of meal times.





Accommodation

Our residential boarding houses are all in the grounds of our beautiful historic campus.

Shared bedrooms are the most popular choice. They are normally two to four bedded rooms. You will typically share your room with students of a different nationality, which is good for your English practice and helps you make friends. We also provide a weekly laundry service.

Single and en-suite rooms are available for an extra charge.



Lessons



On your first day in lessons you'll take a Level Placement Test so you can be placed in the correct class according to your age and English language ability.

Abbey College Summer School teachers are all qualified to teach English to international students. We select them for their friendliness, professionalism and enthusiasm. They teach general English, involving the key skills of reading, writing, listening and speaking.

Lessons focus on communication skills. We introduce a new topic and grammar points each week, so you can start fresh from the week you arrive. Teachers make the classes interactive and exciting, so you'll have a rewarding and fun experience.

Optional Extras

We also offer one to one classes for you to focus on specific English language skills or develop a particular area. This includes IELTS preparation classes and other academic subjects.



16 hours per week



Maximum 16 students per class, average of 12

End-of-course certificate and report



Sample Timetable

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
08:00-08:30	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
08:40-08:55	Assembly	Assembly	Assemble & Sort
09:00-10:30	Lessons	Lessons	Full Day Excursion
10:30-11:00	Break	Break	
11:00-12:30	Lessons	Lessons	
12:30-13:30	Lunch	Lunch	
13:30-14:30	Lessons	Lessons	
14:45-15:00	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort	
15:00-16:15	Activities	Activities	
16:15-16:30	Break	Break	
16:30-16:45	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort	
16:45-18:00	Activities	Activities	
18:30-19:30	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
19:30-20:00	Room Checks	Room Checks	Room Checks
20:00-20:15	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort
20:15-22:00	Evening Activities	Evening Activities	Evening Activities
22:15	Bed Check	Bed Check	Bed Check

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
Assembly	Assembly	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort
Lessons	Lessons	Full Day Excursion	Activities
Break	Break		
Lessons	Lessons		
Lunch	Lunch		Lunch
Lessons	Lessons		
Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort		
Activities	Activities		
Break	Break		
Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort		
Activities	Activities		
Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
Room Checks	Room Checks	Room Checks	Room Checks
Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort	Assemble & Sort
Evening Activities	Evening Activities	Evening Activities	Evening Activities
Bed Check	Bed Check	Bed Check	Bed Check

Activities

One of the greatest advantages of Abbey College is our campus. In our 70 acres of private grounds we offer you a library, computer room, 15 classrooms, games/common rooms, a sports hall, swimming pool, tennis courts, fitness centre, assembly hall and cinema, as well as our other dedicated sports facilities.

The following supervised sports, activities and social events are available on the college campus, free of charge:

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|  Tennis |  Drama |  Tai Chi |
|  Basketball |  Discos |  Bracelet Making |
|  Football |  Karaoke |  Dodgeball |
|  Badminton |  Gym |  Tag Rugby |
|  Volleyball |  Unihoc |  Photo Challenge |
|  Archery |  Softball |  Shows |
|  Fencing |  Ultimate Frisbee |  Campfires |
|  Croquet |  Bouncy Castle |  Themed Parties |
|  Table Tennis |  Zumba |  Quick Cricket |
|  Table Football |  Dance |  Swimming |
|  Art |  Yoga | |
|  Music | | |

Some activities, and the type of supervision we provide, will depend on age. For example, younger students may be participating in a treasure hunt whilst older teens enjoy archery and fencing. Whatever your age, you'll improve your English language skills, experience life in Britain and participate in fun social activities with international friends.

We can also offer you other activities off campus, for an additional charge. These include horse riding, golf, hill walking (no charge), squash, climbing, canoeing, bowling, go-karting and paintball. These will always depend on demand, weather and student age.





Excursions

Excursions offered may include:

- London
- Oxford
- Cardiff
- Birmingham
- Stratford-Upon-Avon
- Worcester
- Gloucester
- Bristol
- Bath
- Tewkesbury Medieval Festival
- Warwick Castle
- Stonehenge
- West Midlands Safari Park
- Cadbury World
- Alton Towers
- Harry Potter Studios

Please ask for further information as well as prices for optional excursions.



Find Out More

How to Apply

To apply please complete our application form (available on our website) and email it to us. We'll be happy to advise and support you, for example, if you need a visa. We also have authorised representatives around the world who can help you.

Interested in an Academic Course?

Abbey College in Malvern offers Pre-IGCSE, International GCSEs, A Levels, Foundation courses and High School Experience short courses; visit our website or request a brochure to find out more.



Age Range

The age range for Summer School is 8 to 17* for individuals and groups.
*We may be able to offer places to older students on request.

Courses for Groups

We welcome groups throughout our summer school and during the academic year. Please contact us for further details.

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- 1 Administration Block
- 2 Library & Computer Rooms
- 3 Assembly Hall
- 4 Classrooms & Science Laboratories
- 5 Art Studio
- 6 Residential Houses
- 7 Dining Room
- 8 Sports Pitches
- 9 Tennis & Basketball Courts
- 10 Sports Hall
- 11 Student Services
- 12 Gym
- 13 Common Areas
- 14 Swimming Pool
- 15 Football Field



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