

# EASY LANGUAGES

## *Study Abroad at Chichester College*

### *Why choose Chichester College?*

- Ages 16 - 18
- 1, 2 or 3 terms abroad
- Combine English & academic courses
- Friendly, welcoming atmosphere
- Experience British student life
- Historic city location
- Recognised centre for excellence
- Homestay or residence accommodation

### **Programme**

This programme is aimed at young, motivated students aged **16 - 18\* years old** who wish to study from **1 term - 1 academic year** in a British college while taking English classes.

\*Students aged 19 - 20 can also be accepted on request: in this case an extra charge is applicable and will vary depending on the type of programme you choose.

### *Destination*

**Chichester** is a small, friendly city in southern England located in a stunning natural setting, nestled between the **south coast of England** and the rolling green hills of **South Downs National Park**. Its rich cultural and historical heritage, gorgeously preserved Georgian architecture and 11th-century cathedral make it a tourist destination of choice. With around 115,000 inhabitants, Chichester boasts an **excellent quality of life** and a **safe environment**, ideal for

students. London is just 90 minutes away by train.

### **Chichester College**

Chichester college is located in vast grounds with a breathtaking view of Chichester Cathedral, only ten minutes on foot from the city centre, as well as an array of shops and the town's tourist attractions. The college has 15,000 students and offers a wide range of academic and vocational courses. In addition, the college enjoys an excellent reputation due to its Ofsted-certified 'Outstanding' success rate at A Level exams.

Chichester offers state-of-the-art facilities:

- Classrooms equipped with SmartBoards
- Multimedia centre with over 150 computers
- Library
- Music room
- Drama room
- Sports centre with large multi-purpose sports hall and a wide range of activities (basketball, football, badminton, trampoline, climbing wall, and much more)
- Fully equipped fitness centre and gym
- Sports grounds (football, hockey, rugby, tennis)
- Beauty Spa
- Student Union
- Cafeteria
- Shops
- Travel agency

### **Courses on offer**

The programme combines **10 - 15 hours of English classes with other international students** and **9 hours of academic courses with British students**.

The number of English classes varies depending on the timetable of other

subjects that you have chosen.

There are 2 options to choose from:

- **The academic sector levels "AS-Levels & A-Levels"** which are exams essential for those wishing to attend a British university. Examinations only take place after a course of 2 years.

Programme **AS-Levels & A-Levels**: 2 subjects of your choosing from the subjects in blue (please see table below).

**Minimum level of English**: B2 or IELTS 5.5

**Duration**: 1 academic year

- **The vocational track: "Vocational Courses"** are practical training courses oriented towards the professional world and prepare for a specific trade. The diploma is awarded after two years of study.

Program **Vocational Courses (1 subject choice)** from the subjects in green (please see table below)

\*\* Minimum level of English required \*\*: B1 or IELTS 5

**Duration**: 1 term, 2 terms or 1 academic year

*(1) Uniforms and course material are not included in the price*

*(2) Interview and/or portfolio required*

*(3) High level of maths required*

### ***Extracurricular activities during your stay***

You will be able to use the ultra-modern state-of-the-art sports facilities for your favourite sport or workout: tennis, football, badminton, basketball, dance classes, climbing, and many more.

With over 25 activities on offer, you can also get involved in Chichester College's Student Union or one of its many Student Clubs - from film screenings and cookery classes to sports, business events and more. What better way to make friends with the locals?

There is also a whole host of activities on offer for international students, such as:

- Trips to London or Brighton
- International get-togethers
- Sports meetings
- Theatre outings

## Accommodation

### **Accommodation with host family (Ages 16+)**

*Single room, shared bathroom, half-board during weekdays and full board during weekends.*

#### **Travel time to the college:**

**Zone 1:** 30 minutes approx. from the campus by bus Accommodation with host families living around Chichester

#### **Option with additional fees:**

**Zone 2:** Accommodation with host families approx. 20 minutes from the campus on foot.

#### **Practical information**

- Bed linen provided
- One laundry load per week is included in the price of accommodation. For any additional laundry loads, requests should be made to the host family.

### **On-Campus Residence accommodation (Ages 18+)**

Westgate Hall houses around 160 students and is located on campus.

### **Features**

- Single room
- Private bathroom
- Self-catering

### **Equipment and Services**

- 1 shared kitchen per shared 6-bedroom flat
- Common room with TV and DVD player
- Vending machines with snacks and drinks
- Secured badge access to single rooms, flats and buildings
- Open access to the campus gym

Common areas and kitchens are cleaned daily. However, students are responsible for cleaning their rooms and bathrooms.

Bed linen, towels, pillows and duvets are not provided.

### **Optional Extra:**

Bedding packages including a duvet, pillow and sheets are available for purchase on arrival at the Hall, but must be pre-ordered.

### ***On-campus residence accommodation (ages 16 - 17)***

Woodlands Hall only houses students aged under 18. It accommodates roughly 90 students and is located right on campus.

### **Features:**

- Single or shared room, full-board
- Shared bathrooms and toilets on each floor.

### **Equipment and services:**

- 1 reception

- 2 common rooms
- Large-screen TV
- Pool and ping-pong tables
- Xbox
- Karaoke Wii
- Wi-Fi in common areas
- Open access to the campus gym
- Coin laundromat
- 24-hour supervision
- CCTV in all corridors
- Weekly study sessions

## Dates & Prices 2019 - 2020

### *Dates 2019 - 2020*

The school year is split into 3 terms. You can choose to stay for **1, 2 or 3 terms** if you **start in September**, or **1 or 2 terms** if you **start in January**.

We recommend a September start for a true British student experience. You'll be starting the school year on the same foot as your peers - with a lot to learn and friends to make.

#### **Term dates:**

**Autumn Term:** 02/09/19 - 20/12/19 (holidays from 28/10 - 01/11)

**Spring Term:** 06/01/20 - 03/04/20 (holidays from 17 - 21/02)

**Summer Term:** 20/04/20 - 19/06/20 (holidays from 26 - 29/05)

**The school is closed on the following dates: 2019 :** 2 & 3/01, 06/03, 19/04, 22/04, 06/05, 27/05, 04/06, 07/06, 21/06, 26/08, 01/10 ; Christmas holidays: 21/12/19 to 05/01/20 ; **2020 :** 04/03, 10/04, 13/04, 04/05, 25/05

### *Prices 2019 - 2020*

## Prices valid for EU students only

Programme prices - AUD - Australian Dollar  
BRL - Brazilian Real  
CAD - Canadian Dollar  
CHF - Swiss Franc  
EUR - Euro  
GBP - British Pound  
JPY - Japanese Yen  
KRW - Korean Won  
NZD - New Zealand Dollar  
PLN - Polish Zloty  
USD - US Dollar

Including taxes and enrollment fees, course, accommodation and meals

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<b>Course fees + zone 1 homestay - single room, half board</b>			
<b>Session start dates</b>	<b>1 term</b>	<b>2 terms</b>	<b>1 academic year</b>
September 2019	5,990 €	10,890 €	14,450 €
January 2020	5,990 €	9,850 €	-

<b>Additional fees for homestay accommodation</b>	
Zone 2 homestay	25 €
Zone 1 homestay - holidays	185 €
Zone 2 homestay - holidays	210 €
<b>Holidays ('Retainer fee' for retaining the room)</b>	<b>25% of the accommodation cost</b>

<b>Course fees &amp; residence accommodation (ages 18+) - single room, self-catering</b>			
<b>Session start dates</b>	<b>1 term</b>	<b>2 term</b>	<b>1 academic year</b>
September 2019	5,990 €	10,890 €	14,450 €
January 2020	5,990 €	9,850 €	-

<b>Course fees &amp; residence accommodation (ages 16 - 17) - shared room, full board</b>			
<b>Session start dates</b>	<b>1 term</b>	<b>2 terms</b>	<b>1 academic year</b>
September 2019	7,480 €	13,565 €	17,975 €
January 2020	6,635 €	11,875 €	-

<b>Course fees &amp; residence accommodation ( ages 16 - 17) - single room, full board</b>			
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Session start dates	1 term	2 terms	1 academic year
September 2019	7,930 €	14,375 €	19,055 €
January 2020	6,995 €	12,505 €	-

Additional fees: residence accommodation (per week)	
Residence: holidays (ages 18+)	185 €
Residence: holidays (ages 16-17), shared room	285 €
Residence: holidays (ages 16-17), single room	315 €
<b>Holidays ('Retainer fee' for keeping the room for the student)</b>	<b>25% of the accommodation cost</b>

Transfers (per journey)	
London Gatwick	110 €
London Heathrow	130 €
London Stansted	185 €
Southampton	90 €

#### Prices include:

- English placement test and pre-enrolment interview
- Your chosen course
- Accommodation depending on the type chosen (school holidays not included)
- Access to all the school's facilities and services
- Access to the school's medical services
- Guidance from a personal tutor at the college
- Assistance from the Easy Languages offices before, during and after your stay
  - All taxes and enrollment fees

#### Prices do not include:



- Travel to and from Chichester
- Airport and/or railway station pick-up
- Transportation in and around Chichester
- Course materials, textbooks
- Accommodation during school holidays or the 'retainer fee' to keep your room if you return home
- Bedding package for residence accommodation (18+)

## Practical information

### closing dates for enrolment :

- 15/07 if you are applying for september
- 15/11 if you are applying for january Enrolment after deadline will be examined according to openings. Extra fees for the delay may applied.

### *Enrolment procedures*

Do you fit the criteria for participation? Think this high school abroad program is for you?

Send us a registration form as soon as possible.

You will then receive a pre-confirmation form and an application form to be completed. We will invite you to pay €90 in order to take a proficiency test and to provide us with your school results for the past 3 years. The interview fee is non-refundable and is deductible from the final cost if enrolment is confirmed.

We will then invite you to come to our office in Brussels or Paris for the full interview. You must come to our office with the first part of the application form filled in.

If the interview is successful, we will ask you to pay a deposit (25% of the total amount, minimum €1,500) and to send us the relevant documents completed. This includes recommendation letters from your teachers, your medical history and other information needed to process your booking. As soon as we receive all the documents and the deposit, we will send the application file to our partner.

The final decision belongs to the college after examination of your application form and an interview by phone. You will be accepted to your chosen courses according to the availabilities, your level of English, your previous academic background (the College requires good marks in the desired subjects) and the enrolment dates.

Your application is officially confirmed as soon as you receive the letter of acceptance from the College

### ***Getting to Chichester***

**Arrivals: Sunday**

**Departures: Saturday**

**Nearby airports** : - London airports (Heathrow, Gatwick, Stansted, Southampton)

**Airport transfers available on request** (additional fees apply, see price list)

**Please note:** Do not make travel arrangements until we have confirmed your enrolment in your chosen course.

### ***Visa Information***

**Brexit** : no visa needed for EU-citizens until the 31/12/2020

You might need a visa for this course. For more information please visit our [Visa Information](#) page.

Do not hesitate to contact us by phone or email if you require any additional information.