

# **ACADEMIC YEAR & TERMS**

# 2022







**DATES** September to July



AGE 11 - 17 years old

# THE PROGRAMME INCLUDES

FULL TIME EDUCATION AT AN ENGLISH SCHOOL

SCHOOL REPORTS EVERY TERM (12-14 WEEKS)

RETURN AIRPORT TRANSFERS EVERY TERM

FULL GUARDIANSHIP SUPPORT

FULL-BOARD HOST FAMILY ACCOMMODATION

24-HOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE

WEEKLY CONTACT WITH WELFARE OFFICER

## **NOT INCLUDED**

CHRISTMAS STAY

SCHOOL LUNCHES

UNIFORM

LOCAL TRANSPORT

**EXAMINATION FEES** 

We understand that sending your child to a school abroad is a big decision and this is the main reason why our state school programme includes full guardianship support. Our experienced guardians are always there to give a helping hand and look after your child.

The guardian remains responsible for the child throughout their whole stay in the UK and will be in constant touch with both, you and your child. The guardian will also inform you regularly of your child's progress in school by attending parents meetings and keeping track of their pupil's academic record.

We believe there is nothing more important than a safe and secure environment where students can fulfil their potentials achieve their goals. This is what this programme is all about: your child.





#### Location

The State School programme is developed in the United Kingdom, normally in the south coast but you can select another area if you wish.

## The Student

Students who have a good academic record, such as an adequate level of English (B1) and good personal motivation, can participate in this programme. The student lives with a British family throughout the school year, spending the Christmas holidays and Easter with their families in their home country.

## The British host family

Our host families are fundamental to the success of this programme. They are selected carefully and chosen for their hospitality and friendliness. We are always looking for openminded families who are interested in receiving a young person of a nationality with whom to share their language and culture.





## Validation

Studies carried out in the United Kingdom are validated according to the current regulations of the Ministry of Science and Education. The student must complete all the subjects that are chosen at the beginning of the course under our supervision, and successfully pass the subjects. Students attending years 11 and 12 must also pass their core and additional GCSE (General Certificate of Secondary Education). The validation will be managed by our Academic Year department in partnership with the school the student has been placed in.





# THE SCHOOL

The school year is divided into three terms:

Autumn: September - December Spring: January - March Summer: April - July

Schools participating in this programme are carefully selected according to their record of academic achievement and enthusiasm when welcoming international students. These schools understand how their English students can also benefit from the cultural exchange as much as the international students joining their classes.

Great care is taken to regulate the number of students of any one nationality within the same school to ensure maximum integration and to demand the use of English at all times. Schools are generally located in small communities in the BCP area (Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole) and not in large cities.

Students live with a carefully selected host family within easy reach of the school, and their local coordinator is available by telephone and email. We encourage students to become fully involved in the social life of the local community.







STUDENTS' WELFARE: 24 hours a day and 7 days a week. Included in all packages.





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