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Leicester International Summer School

Discover British culture and develop your English skills



The Leicester International Summer School is ideal for those who would like to improve their English and awareness of British culture in an academic environment with other students from around the world.

This exciting three-week course combines developing English language skills with learning about the many aspects of British culture, offering students an educational, rewarding and fun experience. It is also an excellent way to add to a CV and to prepare for future study abroad.

Ranked among the top 25 universities in the UK, the University of Leicester has many years of experience of delivering summer courses for international students.



Why join the Leicester International Summer School?

- Improve your English skills in an academic and friendly environment.
- Discover more about British culture, featuring films, literature, history and museums.
- Find out what it is like to live and study at a renowned British university.
- Make friends with other students from around the world.
- Experience living in a vibrant and student friendly city situated in the heart of England.

The course contains:

- A comprehensive induction programme
- 32 hours of learning English, with particular focus on speaking and listening skills.
- Classes on British culture, focusing on film studies, museum studies and English literature, with particular emphasis on Shakespeare.
- Three themed weekend excursions, including trips to London and Stratford-upon-Avon, aimed at developing knowledge and skills gained in the classroom.
- Fun evening social activities.
- An end-of-course presentation ceremony and tutor feedback.

More about the course:

- Small class sizes – learn through interaction with your fellow classmates and teachers.
- Classes streamed by ability – learn with students the same level as you.
- Qualified teachers with extensive experience.
- Dedicated support throughout, including help with visas.
- Access to university facilities including the award winning library, Students' Union and sports centres.



Key facts about the Leicester International Summer School

Dates

8 August to 27 August 2016

Entry requirements

Participants are expected to have a minimum English requirement of IELTS 4.5 or equivalent.

Students must be aged 18 or over.

Accommodation

Accommodation will be in self-catered accommodation within walking distance of the campus and the city centre.

Participants will be housed in a single

study bedroom with a washbasin and will share kitchen and bathroom facilities. All bills and wi-fi access are included.

Cost

£1,750

£1,600 for participants from University of Leicester partner institutions.

What's included

- Tuition fees for all classes
- Self-catered accommodation
- All excursions and social events
- All study materials

- A certificate of attendance
- T-shirt and farewell gift
- Access to University of Leicester facilities

What's not included

- Airport transfers
- Meals and beverages, unless specified in the itinerary
- Visa costs
- Medical and travel insurance

How to find out more

Visit www.le.ac.uk/liss

Email eltu@le.ac.uk



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About the University of Leicester

Established in 1921 and granted its royal charter in 1957, the University of Leicester is ranked among the top 25 universities in the UK and the top 200 in the world by the Times Higher Education newspaper. It has gained worldwide recognition for pioneering work in establishing genetic fingerprinting in 1986 and for the recent discovery and identification of the remains of King Richard III. The university is situated on a compact campus twenty minutes' walk from the city centre and has a range of excellent facilities and services which are available to participants of the Leicester International Summer School.

About the City of Leicester

Leicester is one of the liveliest and diverse cities in the UK, known for its multi-cultural society and friendly and safe atmosphere. Based in the centre of England, Leicester is well connected by road, rail and air and is only just over an hour by train from London. As well as a wide range of modern shopping and leisure facilities, Leicester has a rich history dating back 2000 years. The city hosts a wide array of cultural events, including the City Festival which takes place in August over ten packed days. Leicester is also a renowned sporting city with Leicester City playing Premiership football and Leicester Tigers being one of England's most famous rugby clubs.



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