

# Language Course Prospectus -Jan. 1 - Dec. 31, 2022



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# Schools and Courses Guide

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For the most up to date course information, levels and dates please visit www.lsi.edu

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Only option available to younger juniors (6-11 years) at some centres. Check junior centre pages.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Tuition, lunch, weekday activities and a full day excursion at the weekend.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Tuition, weekday activities, full day excursion at the weekend and full board accommodation.

# Our Worldwide Accreditations

LSI is committed to maintaining the highest industry standards and actively participates in national industry accreditation schemes. Our schools also maintain memberships with organisations that provide educational research and support development. LSI schools are accredited by and are members of the following organisations:



"Knowledgeable teachers plan well to challenge and meet the needs of all students. Activities are varied and engaging, delivery is well paced and students participate actively."

CURRENT LSI EDUCATION ISI INSPECTION REPORT

# Learn and live the language

#### International atmosphere

You will meet students from all over the world and share the experience of learning a foreign language.

#### **Central locations**

With centrally located schools in some of the most desirable cities in the world, LSI students have access to a wide variety of social and cultural activities.

### We will find the right level for you

On your first day, we will establish your level and needs with a written test and an interview, and place you in the best class for your level.

#### **Interactive classrooms**

At LSI, languages are taught in a dynamic and energetic way. We believe active communication in the classroom is the most effective way of learning – by speaking you will achieve fluency.

#### Language competence certificate

You receive a certificate on your last day, stating the course attended and the level attained, as proof of your language competence. A report is available if required.

#### **Quality inspected homestays**

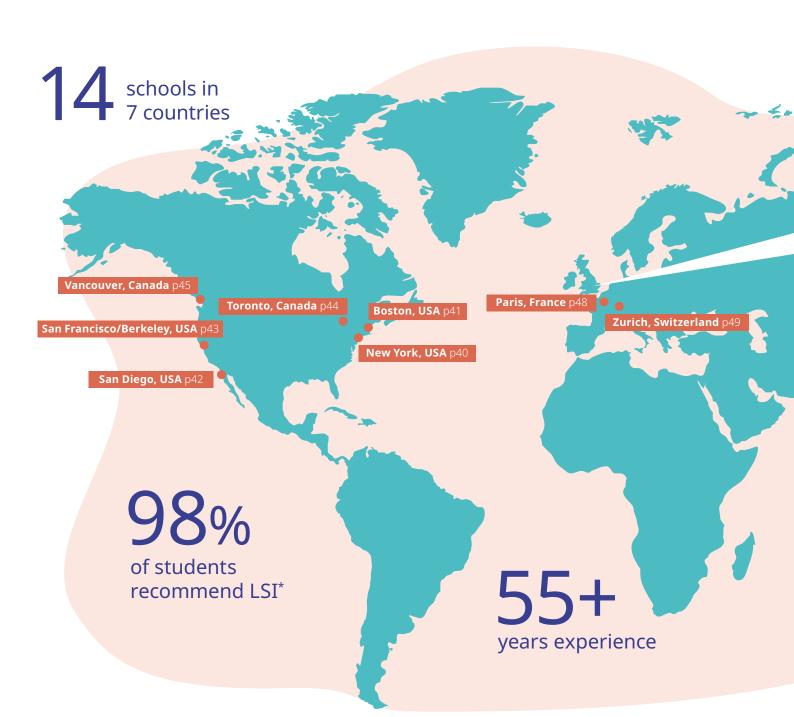
Contact with other students and local people makes sure you practise these skills outside the classroom.

#### **Multicentre courses**

Multicentre courses allow you to learn and live the language in more than one LSI location. For more information see page 29.

#### Small classes, excellent teachers

Regular individual counselling and effective course design ensure that you make rapid progress in key communication skills. Our teachers are carefully selected, friendly, helpful, and ready to listen.



#### **Fully equipped language centres**

LSI Language Centres are fully equipped with up-to-date materials and resources in comfortable surroundings. Computer rooms are readily available for use during lessons or for self-study. Programmes range from intonation practice to grammar and vocabulary development.

#### Free WiFi

LSI students receive FREE WiFi internet access in school.

127
different student nationalities

# Excellent mix of nationalities

### Our students in 2018

Brazil	20%
Italy	9%
Japan	
Turkey	5%
France	4%
Germany	4%
Saudi Arabia	4%
Colombia	3%
Switzerland	3%
Spain	3%
Austria	3%
China	3%
Mexico	3%
Korea	3%
Thailand	2%
UK	
Taiwan	2%
Russia	2%
Chile	20%
Argentina	1%
Others	15%

### Welcome

At Language Studies International our experience ensures your success.

We have a record of over 55 years of successful language training, with many thousands of satisfied students worldwide. LSI centres provide the perfect environmen for learning.

Whether you want to improve your language skills for professional, academic or personal reasons, LSI has the right course for you. The social programmes, quality accommodation and the support we provide during your stay will help you feel at home and ensure that you make maximum use of your time abroad. Our reputation is your quarantee.





### On Arrival at LSI

Moving to an unfamiliar country, embarking on a fresh course of studies and meeting a multitude of new faces can be a confusing even daunting experience for many newly arrived students. At LSI we gently guide you through the process by providing all the necessary information and support you'll require to make your stay with us happy and productive.

#### What to expect on your first day

As soon as you step into an LSI school, you'll experience a warm welcome. Our friendly administration team and academic staff work together to settle you in.

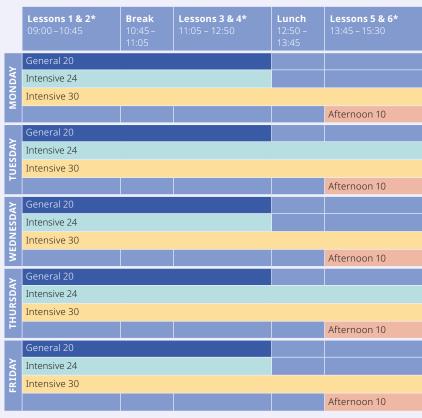
Your first day and orientation talk will include:

- · Student ID card and handbook
- In-depth placement level test
- Personal interview with a member of our academic team
- Introduction to school policies, syllabus and timetables
- Information about our social programmes, accommodation options and local transport
- Advice on the practicalities of living in your host country
- Presentation/tour of the school and facilities
- · Presentation or walk around the local area
- Your first lesson(s) for Intensive courses
- · Student Q & A

In addition, in some schools, you may receive:

- · LSI branded merchandise
- · City and transport maps

#### **Example schedule**



<sup>\*</sup>During busy periods the General English classes may be run at different times of the day. Please check with individual schools when booking. An additional 5 minutes mini break is taken between 50 minute sessions.

# **Student Progress**

Throughout the LSI programme, we monitor the academic development and well-being of each and every student carefully. We ensure that every student progresses as quickly as possible and achieves their full potential.

The level reached after studying at LSI depends on a variety of factors:

- Duration of the course the longer the course, the better the results
- Number of lessons a more intensive course helps you progress faster
- The language level of the student at entry

Active participation in afternoon social activities, making new friends from all over the world, immersing yourself in the local culture, as well as speaking the target language as much as possible, will greatly affect your achievements.

"When I arrived at LSI, I started in the Pre-Intermediate class. I have moved up three levels and I feel more confident in speaking – and my progress is not over yet!"

NICOLAS POILVERT, FRANCE





#### Your level and what you can achieve

#### **Advanced**

You communicate very well using most structures accurately.

• TOEFL iBT 110-120 • TOEIC\* L/R 945+,

S/W 400+ · C1 & C2

· Cambridge English: C1 Advanced & C2

Proficiency Progress varies

Entry to postgraduate degree courses or work in your host country.

#### **Upper Intermediate**

You use a wide range of structures with a fair degree of accuracy.

• IELTS 5-6.5 • TOEFL iBT 87-109 • TOEIC\* L/R 785-

· Cambridge English:

B2 First

944, S/W 310-399

· 8-12 weeks study

Entry to university degree and diploma courses, internships, or paid work in your host country.

#### **Intermediate**

You have better control of grammar and vocabulary. Errors still frequent but good understanding of the language.

• IELTS 4-5

• TOEFL iBT 57-86 • TOEIC\* L/R 550-

• 8–12 weeks study

784, S/W 240-309

• Cambridge English: B1 Preliminary

Entry to vocational or academic preparation courses.

#### **Pre-Intermediate**

You take part in conversations using basic grammar and vocabulary with acceptable accuracy.

• IELTS 3-4

• TOEFL iBT 9-56

• TOEIC\* L/R 225-549, S/W 160-239

• A2 • 8–12 weeks study • Cambridge English: A2 Key

#### **Elementary**

You can communicate using very simple grammar and vocabulary.

• IELTS 2-3

• TOEFL iBT 0-8

• 4-6 weeks study

• TOEIC\* L/R 120-224, S/W 80-159

#### **Beginner**

You only know a few words and phrases.

- IELTS 1
- 4-6 weeks study

Subject to student numbers, and ensuring the learning outcomes of every student in the class, LSI may operate bridge classes where two LSI levels are taught together.

<sup>\*</sup> TOEIC has two scores for Listening/Reading and Speaking/Writing

# LSI Language Learning System

We're passionate about language learning. That's why we're constantly reviewing the latest trends and methodology in the field.

Academic staff from every LSI school participate in the research and development of our programmes. We ensure that the latest theories of language learning are considered and evaluated throughout our centres. That's why every one of our schools is a healthy environment for learning. The following points are fundamental to our language learning system:

#### **Language Immersion**

At LSI we believe that the best way to learn a language is to study in the country where the language is spoken. We want you to immerse yourself in the culture and truly 'live the language'.

#### **LSI Levels**

Upon arrival at any LSI school, we'll give you a comprehensive language level test so we ensure you go straight into the right class for you. LSI levels have been closely matched to the Common European Framework, TOEFL iBT, TOEIC, IELTS and Cambridge English language assessment examinations. To move up to the next LSI level you need to master our specific 'level objectives', which you can demonstrate by test scores and class participation.

At LSI we understand that some students learn faster than others, so our course is tailored for you as the individual. There are regular opportunities to discuss your progress with your teacher.

Through systematic testing, monitoring your class performance and constant teacher appraisal, the school academic director will track your progress and identify exactly when you have mastered the level objectives and are ready to move up to the next level. This monitoring and testing allows us to grade between and within levels, allowing you to spend more time studying with the students and materials at the level which is right for you.

#### **Latest Materials**

We're constantly reviewing the latest materials available for language learning. We provide you with what our academic team have identified as being the very best materials currently available for your level. We are also committed to providing the latest technology, utilising the most cutting edge audio, video and web based resources to bring modern, real world language into the classroom.

#### **Cultural Exchange**

As you 'learn and live the language' you will gain a greater understanding of the country in which you are studying. And as our students come from all over the world, our centres are not just places to learn languages, but are also places to meet and share experiences with people from a huge range of backgrounds and cultures.

#### **Quality Teachers**

We understand that our students' single most identifiable measure of programme quality is the teacher. That's why at LSI we only work with dedicated, highly motivated teachers, qualified with country specific teaching credentials.

As such we have a systematic programme of teacher development and performance evaluation. All of our students are regularly invited to provide feedback so that we can ensure that your teacher meets your expectations.

#### **Vacation & Leave of Absence Policy**

To qualify for an AUTHORIZED VACATION, you must meet the following requirements:

- · You have completed 26 weeks of study
- $\cdot$  You have a minimum of four weeks course remaining after your vacation.
- · You have a minimum 80% attendance.
- · You have a minimum 70% test average.

#### ALL OTHER DAYS OFF ARE UNAUTHORIZED.

- · You will need to know the exact dates you wish to take off.
- · Inform Administration at least 2 weeks in advance.
- · Vacations must be scheduled on a weekly basis, Monday-Friday. You cannot begin or end vacations mid-week.
- · You will have the option of moving your vacation time to the end of your course.
- · Vacations within the USA cannot exceed 4 weeks total. Vacations outside the USA cannot exceed 5 months total.

If the vacation policy is not met, a student may take a Leave of Absence (for travel emergencies) instead. US: In this case the student's I-20 will be terminated under "Authorized Early Withdrawal" and must be submitted for correction and reapproval in order for the student to return-



# E-LSI (E-Learning from LSI)

Our custom built on line learning system works alongside our classes to help you maximise your time with us. Through your unique log in, you can access your test scores, prepare for and record your 1-2-1 tutorials with your teacher, and access a wealth of further learning resources to supplement and extend your in class learning.†

Your test results can also be analysed to provide unique learning objectives for you, giving you the chance to study exactly what you need in order to progress.

# Courses





#### **General 20**

During the lessons you rapidly improve your communication skills in a variety of everyday situations. Classes cover grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, speaking, listening, reading and writing. You use a text book in conjunction with a wide variety of materials and exercises including role-plays, authentic materials, newspapers, magazines, YouTube and other internet content.

	General 20	Intensive 24	Intensive 25	Intensive 30	Afternoon 10	Evening Courses	Plus 5	Plus 10	One- to-One
Locations	All schools	UK, Auckland, Brisbane	US and Canada	All schools	All schools	London Central, Auckland, Paris	All schools	All schools	All schools
Lessons per week	20	24	25	30	10	Varies	5	10	Varies
Hours per week	16.67* (15 in Zurich)	20	20.83	25 (22.5 in Zurich)	8.33 (7.5 in Zurich)	Varies	3.75 (4.16 in US & Canada)	7.5 (8.33 in US & Canada)	Varies
Minutes per lesson	50 (45 in Zurich)	50	50	50 (45 in Zurich)	50 (45 in Zurich)	Varies	45 (50 in US & Canada)	45 (50 in US & Canada)	45 (50 in US & Canada)
Minimum level	All	All	All	All#	Intermediate	Varies	All	All	All
Maximum class size	16†	16†	16	16†	16†	16†	1	1	1
Minimum length	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week
Minimum age	16	16	16	16	16	18 (16 in Paris)	16	16	Varies

<sup>\*</sup> In the US equates to 20 clock hrs/wk. A clock hour is defined as a 60-minute span of time, with no less than 50 minutes of actual class instruction

#### **Intensive Courses**

LSI offers 24, 25 or 30 lesson options per week on our Intensive courses. All our intensive courses consist of the General 20 course (4 lessons per day) and a range of electives to suit all levels, needs and interests (2 lessons per day).

Elective lessons are run twice a week on the Intensive 24 and 25, and every day on the Intensive 30 course. Please check the relevant school page to see which electives are offered at that school. Some electives run on specific dates. Contact schools for details.

#### Electives\*

English /French/German for Communication

**English for Business** 

English for Law

Medical English

TEF

DELF CCIP

Goethe-Zertifikat

TOEFL

TOEIC

IELTS

Cambridge English (B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency, B2 Business Vantage)

#### **Afternoon 10**

For those who are short of time or may be working, Afternoon 10 gives you the perfect opportunity to brush up on your conversation skills, Business English or prepare for a range of examinations.

#### **Evening Courses**

LSI's evening courses have been designed to cater for students who, due to work or study commitments, are unable to enrol on one of our daytime courses. All evening courses offer structured language classes that cover grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation, as well as developing the four key skills (reading, writing, speaking and listening).

The focus and intensity of the evening courses varies depending on location. Contact our schools directly or visit our website for full course details and dates.

#### **Plus Courses**

The combination of group and One-to-One learning is ideal when you want extra help with general skills or more specialised topics. Plus courses are 5 or 10 individual lessons. Our teachers work with you to develop your study plan. This course can supplement a General 20 or Intensive courses.

#### One-to-One

The fastest way to improve your language skills is through individual lessons. Individual lessons are ideal if you prefer a very personal focus on your own aims (see page 28).





<sup>† 12</sup> in Zurich, 15 in the UK

<sup>#</sup> In Zurich, from elementary level and upwards

<sup>\*</sup> In order to ensure all electives are available year round, subject to student numbers and ensuring the learning outcomes of every student in the class, courses may sometimes be combined.

# **English for Specific Purposes**

#### **English for Business**

English is the international language of business. We have therefore developed a special, flexible, 12 module course designed to rapidly improve your business communication skills.

Every 12 weeks, we recycle the modules with a fresh syllabus. This means students who wish to study longer and consolidate and expand their knowledge of a particular area, can do so without repeating any material.

- Intermediate to Advanced levels
- 10 lessons per week
- · Option on our LSI Intensive 30 course
- · Module dates: contact school
- · Age 16+
- · Students can join every Monday

In each module, through a combination of written exercises, presentations, dialogues and role-plays in realistic business situations, you will practice and improve your skills in: business vocabulary and "buzz words", email, memo and letter writing, negotiating, interviewing and telephoning in English.

Module 1	International Trade  Developing Leadership Skills &
Module 2	Teambuilding
Module 3	Effective Communication in Presentations
Module 4	Decision Making, Motivation & Delegation, Effective Communication in Meetings
Module 5	Marketing & Advertising
Module 6	E-Commerce, Viral Marketing & Social Media
Module 7	Banking, Stockmarkets, Mergers & Acquisitions
Module 8	Relationship Building & Networking
Module 9	Recruitment Interviewing
Module 10	Business Law, Ethics & Environmental Issues
Module 11	Effective Communication in Selling & Negotiations
Module 12	Management Styles in International Companies

Specific modules can be provided on request

#### **English for Law**

English is the language of communication in the modern legal community. LSI provides an English for Law course which will not only improve your general level of English, but will also improve your knowledge in the field of civil, corporate and contract law, formal report writing and much more.

- · 20 lessons per week general English
- 10 lessons per week legal English
- · Intermediate to Advanced levels
- Option on our LSI Intensive 30 course
- · Age 16+
- 8 weekly modules covering a different aspect of law
- · Course duration: 1-8 weeks

Modules covered: Company Law, Contractual Law, Employment Law and Human Resources, Human Rights, Immigration and Civil Liberty, Competition/ Monopolies Law, Acquisition and Mergers, Copyright, Criminal Law and Constitutional Law. Other modules may be available on demand

**Language Centres:** London Central, Cambridge, Toronto and Auckland.

#### **Medical English**

English is the language of the international medical community. LSI provides a medical English course which will not only improve your general level of English, but will also improve your knowledge in the field of human biology, medical science, nursing, formal report writing and much more.

- 20 lessons per week general English
- 10 lessons per week Medical English
- Intermediate to Advanced levels
- Option on our LSI Intensive 30 course
- Age 16+
- 8 weekly modules covering a different aspect of medicine and medical service
- · Course duration: 1-8 weeks

Modules covered: General Practice, Primary Care, Family Health, Instructions and Giving Directions, Medication and Pharmacology, Acute Care and Terminal Illness, Mental Health and Listening to the Patient, Medicine in a Modern World.

**Language Centres:** London Central, Cambridge, Toronto and Auckland.



#### **English for Teaching**

Aimed at speakers of other languages, this course equips students with the basic tools required to teach English as a Foreign Language.

#### **Option 1:** For Individuals

- General 20 (16.7 hours) plus 5 or 10 individual lessons per week
- Individual lesson: 45 minutes (in the USA 50 minutes)
- Intermediate to Advanced levels
- · Tailored to the individual

#### Option 2: Closed Group tuition

- · Afternoon option on LSI Intensive 30 course
- · Intermediate to Advanced levels
- · Minimum class size: check with school
- TKT† (Teaching Knowledge Test) exam preparation offered covering 3 TKT modules over 4 weeks

**Subjects covered:** CLIL, Language analysis; lesson planning; teaching the skills of reading, writing, listening, speaking; classroom activities; using resources and materials; looking at learners' needs; dealing with learners' mistakes.

**TKT modules:** Language and Background to Language Learning and Teaching, Lesson Planning and Use of Resources for Language Teaching, Managing the Teaching and Learning Process.

Students will be required to keep a portfolio.

**Language Centres:** LSI schools in the USA, Cambridge, London Hampstead and Auckland.

† TKT test not available in New York

#### **English for Aviation**

This course covers all the ground theory required to gain a private or commercial pilot's licence. Practical flying sessions can also be arranged with a partner flying school at extra cost.

- General 20 plus 5 or 10 individual lessons n/wk
- · Intermediate to Advanced levels
- ICAO compliant

**Subjects covered:** Aviation Law, Licensing for Flight/Radio/Telephone Operators, Human Factors, Navigation, Meteorology and Aircraft Technology.

Language Centres: Auckland

LSI can also offer English for Specific Purposes topics as private 1:1 lessons added to our General English courses.

General 20

Intensive 24, 25 or 30

1:1 Teaching
1:1 Aviation
1:1 Law
1:1 Business
1:1 Medical

Please contact the schools directly for more information.

"The goals set with my LSI teacher have been entirely achieved: a tailor-made individual course with emphasis on speaking and pronunciation and useful business vocabulary and idioms."

OLIVIER KAESER, UBS BUSINESS BANKING, SWISS-FRENCH



# **Academic Courses & Pathways**

#### **Academic Term Abroad (ATA) & Academic Year Abroad (AYA)**

12-48 week general and academic language programmes ATA: 12-23 weeks AYA: 24-48 weeks

Spend up to a year abroad, achieve a high level of fluency in your chosen language and make new friends from all over the world. ATA and AYA programmes differ from shorter courses at LSI because students receive a greater level of academic support and management, including two additional weekly sessions with a teacher. ATA and AYA programmes are also better value than shorter courses.

#### Key Features of ATA and AYA

- 20, 24, 25 or 30 lessons per week
- Course length 12+ weeks
- Recommended start dates: First Monday of January, April and September\*
- 2 additional weekly sessions with an LSI teacher
- · Minimum age: 16+
- Beginner to Upper Intermediate levels#
- Lesson: 50 minutes (45 minutes in Zurich)
- Max class size: 16 students (12 in Zurich, 15 in the UK)
- Afternoon academic options
- Regular testing, academic counselling and assistance with university placement

An individual study plan is designed for you to suit your level, individual aims and the duration of your course.

We continue to check your progress with regular meetings to make sure you achieve your aims. Your study plan options can include: general language classes (see page 9), examination courses, fluency practice, study skills classes, Academic English and English for Business.



The 30 lessons option for ATA or AYA courses are offered at all LSI language centres but please note that other lesson options may vary between schools.

#### Accommodation

All options are available. However, we recommend our carefully chosen homestays to ATA and AYA students, at least for the first month of your course – the friendly welcome you receive helps you settle quickly into life in a new country.

#### Sample AYA Study Plan

SCHOOL: LSI London Central LESSONS P/WK: 30 + 2 workshop sessions DURATION: 36 weeks					
Week 1-12	Week 13-24	Week 25-36			
General English	IELTS Preparation & Study Skills	Cambridge English C1 Advanced exam preparation			
Academic Counselling	Academic Counselling	Academic Counselling			



# Additional Academic Support and Management

Long term students studying on courses of 12 weeks or more benefit from extra academic support tailored to the students' needs and goals.

### Academic Term Abroad and Pathways Additional Sessions

Each student receives personal supervision and extra support from our academic team in conjunction with the school's Pathways counsellor to ensure that their academic goals are met.

In addition to their regular classes, each student receives 2 x 50 minute sessions per week:

- 1 x 50 minute language review and support
- 1 x 50 minute session on professional development and college/university application support

In these sessions, students choose which topics to focus on. Support is available in a wide range of areas, including but not limited to: employment skills, academic English and college or university application information.

These additional sessions are provided in groups. Sizes may vary between LSI schools.

All LSI students also receive personal academic supervision through regular tutorials and progress testing.

#### **LSI Progress Testing**

Regular testing and multi-skill evaluations track exactly how far you have progressed and ensure that our academic team keeps you on track to meet your goals.



"LSI was much more than just a school. I made such good friends and improved my English. It gave me the confidence I needed for my TOEFL test."

EMANUELLE CUNHA, BRAZIL



#### **Exam Preparation**

LSI students have a very high success rate in examinations. We will be delighted to help you decide which of the many examination courses we offer is right for you.



Well structured programmes and advice on exam strategies ensure that you are fully prepared when you take your exam. Please remember to check with us that the examination of your choice is available during your planned stay at LSI.

Overview of Examinations	KEY TO LEVEL: Pre-Intermediate (A2)	<ul> <li>Intermediate (R1)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Unner Intermediate (B2)</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Advanced (C1/C2)</li></ul>

Examination		Level	Examination Dates	Description	
ENG	LISH				
IGLISH	B2 First	First Certificate in English	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Accepted and highly regarded around the world as proof of competence in English
	C1 Advanced	Certificate of Advanced English	••	Frequently throughout the year	
CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH	C2 Proficiency	Certificate of Proficiency in English	•	March, June, December	
CAMBR	B2 Business Vantage	Business English Certificate	•••	March, May, June, November, December	
	TKT	Teaching Knowledge Test	•••	Contact schools for dates	Focuses on the core teaching knowledge needed to teach English
IELT	S	International English Language Testing System	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Requirement for enrolment at universities and colleges in the UK, Ireland, Australia and New Zealand
TOE	FL	Test of English as a Foreign Language	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Requirement for admission to universities and colleges in the USA and Canada
TOE	IC	Test of English for International Communication	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Business English exam for international students and professionals
GMA	ΑT	Graduate Management Admission Test	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Recognised by graduate programmes at Universities around the world
SAT		Scholastic Assessment Test	•••	Frequently throughout the year	Recognised by Universities around the world
FRE	NCH				
DEL	F	Diplôme d'Etudes en Langue Français 1er Degré	•••	May, October	Recognised by the French Ministry of Education
TEF		Test d'Evaluation de Français	•••	Frequently throughout the year x	Recognised by French speaking universities and companies
CCIP		Diplôme de Français Professionnel (DFP)	•••	June, December	Recognised by the French Ministry of Education
GERMAN					
ZD		Goethe-Zertifikat B1	•••	April, June, August, November	Universally accepted as proof of intermediate proficiency in German
GZ		Goethe-Zertifikat B2	••	April, June, August, November	Set as an official entrance requirement by many universities and colleges

<sup>\*</sup>In order to ensure these options are available year round, courses may sometimes be combined.

\*Subject to student numbers and ensuring the learning outcomes of every student in the class, Cambridge 30 lessons per week programmes may be combined with LSI's Intensive English programme and/or electives.

### Cambridge English Language Assessment#

- B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency, B2 Business Vantage and TKT preparation courses available
- · 20/24/30 lessons per week
- · Lesson: 50 minutes
- 4–12 week programmes
- · Minimum age 16+
- Pre-Intermediate level and above
- Locations see individual LSI language centre pages.

The course focuses on:

- Accurate use of everyday grammar and language structures
- · General reading, writing and listening skills
- Extensive development and practice of vocabulary
- Improving the comprehension and communicative ability

Plus, the exam skills needed to obtain a high Cambridge English Language Assessment grade. We offer the Cambridge TKT exam at some centres where we run the English for Teaching course. For more details please refer to English for Teaching on page 11.

#### **IELTS, TOEFL iBT & TOEIC Courses\***

- · 24/25/30 lessons per week
- · Lesson: 50 minutes
- 1–24 week programmes
- · Minimum age 16+
- · Intermediate level and above
- Locations see individual LSI language centre pages.

Up to 20 lessons per week which concentrate on grammar input and language skills and 10 lessons per week which focus on study skills and exam practice. In this course you will study:

- Accuracy with grammatical structures
- · Communicative skills and ability
- Functional structures
- Vocabulary extension
- Active study skills
- Exam skills needed to obtain a high IELTS, TOEFL iBT or TOEIC score.

#### **Mini Group Exam Preparation**

- · 20, 30 or 40 lessons per week
- 4-12 week programmes
- · Participants: Maximum 5
- IELTS/TOEFL//Cambridge English (A2 Key, B1 Preliminary, B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency)
- 1 lesson: 45 minutes (50 minutes USA & Canada)

100% exam focused preparation working intensively on the grammar, vocabulary, reading, writing, listening and speaking skills necessary for the exam of your choice. This complete focus on your exam, taught in a small group, provides a fast route to success in the chosen exam

#### **GMAT & SAT preparation (USA)**

With LSI's GMAT & SAT preparation options, you'll work with a qualified and experienced instructor who will focus exclusively on your needs ensuring you achieve a higher score in a shorter time.

#### **Option 1: For Individuals**

General 20 (English lessons) Plus 5 or Plus 10 (minimum 3 wks)

or

One-to-One 5, 10, 20 or 30 lessons p/wk

#### **Option 2: Closed Groups**

- Afternoon option on LSI Intensive 30 course (minimum 3 wks)
- Intermediate to Advanced levels
- Minimum class size: 10
- Option to sit exam at a local test centre upon completion of course (exam fees charged separately)

All programmes include: tuition, LSI GMAT/ SAT course materials, online GMAT/SAT practice tests and other resources, and MBA admissions guide.

Please note that a minimum of 4 weeks is required between booking and the course start date.



"Very good individual education plans are devised in discussion with students and shared with academic staff to enable effective support."

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#### **About LSI's Pathway Programme**

Start your journey to an undergraduate or postgraduate qualification from a university or college in the UK, Canada, USA, New Zealand or Australia. LSI's Pathway Programme supports you from the moment you register.

We'll help you find the right programme for you and provide you with the support you need to meet the entry requirements. We'll help you through the application and enrolment process and ensure that you meet the academic standards of English required.





Simple and guided transfer from LSI's Pathway programme into one of our trusted partner institutions



Conditional letters of acceptance from chosen institutions



Academic support to help you reach the academic English standards required



Receive an introduction to your chosen institution from the local LSI school, including guest lectures and campus tours





#### LSI Pathways In France

LSI offers the Pathways Programme in our school in Paris. The programme focuses on helping students reach the academic French level required for entrance to French-speaking universities and colleges. LSI will guide you through the application and enrolment process ensuring you select the right course for you.



### Is LSI's Pathway Programme appropriate for you?

LSI's University Pathway Programme is designed for recent high school graduates or university or college graduates interested in enrolling in undergraduate or postgraduate programmes in the UK, USA, Canada, New Zealand or Australia. The LSI Pathway programme is appropriate for all students who want to reach the academic standards of English required to participate and thrive in a university or college based in an English speaking country.

#### Why Choose LSI's Pathways Programme?

LSI has been preparing international students for university and college admission in the UK, Canada, USA, New Zealand, Australia and France since 1965.





- LSI has partner agreements with reputable institutions around the world.
- Many of LSI's partner institutions accept LSI's own levels as proof of language level in place of external tests; TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS etc.
- LSI provides complimentary counselling services to all Pathway students, helping to find the right programmes and supporting students through the application process.
- In London, LSI Independent Sixth Form College's experienced academic staff has helped students reach the most prestigious institutions in the UK.
- Every LSI Pathway graduate is prepared academically and culturally to attend and thrive in their chosen university or college programme.

#### **Academic Excellence**

- LSI is committed to academic excellence.
   Our Academic Directors and teaching staff are continuously working to provide the very latest in teaching methodology, materials and resources.
- All Pathway students get individual monitoring to assess and support progress.
- LSI's e-learning system helps our students practice their English and organise their studies
- LSI organises partner institution tours and arranges for LSI students to attend guest lectures at LSI's partner institutions\*.
- \* Additional fees may apply



#### **Programme Information**

LSI's Pathways programme prepares students for the academic challenges facing them on English speaking programmes at top colleges and universities in the UK, USA, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

#### Course length

#### 12-48 weeks

Students will learn general language skills and academic skills necessary to thrive on English speaking undergraduate and post graduate programmes. The LSI Pathways programme also prepares students for the challenges faced in an English speaking workplace.

By the end of the course, students are expected to reach LSI's Advanced level, equivalent to TOEFL iBT 110 or IELTS 6.5+.

#### **Start dates**

LSI's Pathways programme starts on the first Monday of January, April and September. Students may start in the General English programme on any Monday and later transfer into the Pathways programme.

#### Academic English

LSI's Pathways programme includes the Academic English course\*. This course is built by the counsellor, student and academic manager to give the student the best chance of reaching their chosen institution's academic targets.

The course is a combination of general English, Cambridge Assessment Exam Preparation and Academic Exam (IELTS/ TOEFL) preparation, depending on the needs of the students and their chosen institution. Regular focussed grammar and vocabulary reviews allow students to target their individual language needs whilst developing their academic reading and writing skills.

In addition, two further Pathways classes per week allow time to discuss progress, work on applications and tackle any language issues.

This combination, tailored for each student, meets individual hopes and needs. This is all supported by specialised, targeted, online resources through our online learning system, E-LSI.

#### What skills do we teach?

- · University research and presentation skills
- Effective communication in academic situations
- · Exam skills and techniques
- · Note taking and organising
- Essay writing skills, including critical thinking and developing and presenting arguments
- Optional classes include: Cambridge English Exam courses (B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency, B2 Business Vantage), IELTS, TOEFL iBT, TOEIC - Business English

#### **Academic English Key Facts**

- Duration: 30 x 50 minutes (25 hours)
- 16 students max. per class
- Intermediate\* to Advanced levels
- · Course length: 4-48 weeks
- Age 16+



### Programme Information for Pathways in France

The Pathways Programme in Paris will prepare students for the DELF and DALF examinations, both of which are accepted as proof of French language level by French-speaking universities and colleges. In addition the programme helps students to develop the academic skills needed to thrive in a university setting.

Course length and dates are the same as the English-speaking Pathways programmes.

"Lessons were well organized; the activities and topics were interesting. I liked the simulated TOEFL tests in the computer lab."

FRANCISCO FUENTES MELLA, SPAIN



\* Academic English is also offered as an elective on short-term courses (4 weeks +). Students intending to take Academic English but do not yet have a strong Intermediate level of English, are recommended to join our general English programme until they reach the necessary level.

#### **Pathways Admission**

Candidates interested in applying for the Pathways programme will need to fulfill certain requirements. LSI has a step by step guide to the application process.

#### **Application Process**



- 1 Complete our free online test of English: www.lsi.edu/en/english-level-test\*
- 2 Complete our pre-study evaluation form
- Contact one of our local representatives or LSI Pathways counsellor to discuss your goals. After submitting a pre-study evaluation form, an LSI Pathways counsellor will be in touch with you to discuss your options and the application process.
- 4 Complete an LSI enrolment form and register on a Pathways programme
- 5 Email a copy of your high school &/or university transcripts to your LSI Pathways counsellor

#### **Admission Requirements**

Students need to complete LSI's preliminary language level tests, submit a pre-study evaluation form and submit copies of their high school &/or university transcripts.

#### Language level requirements

LSI's Pathways programme is designed for students who need to meet language requirements to enter an English or Frenchspeaking university, college or further education programme, or simply wish to expand their ability to use the language in an academic setting. The Pathways programme is appropriate for students who have at minimum language level sufficient to study in LSI's Intermediate level. Students who have not yet reached the minimum language level to start the Pathways programme may join the general language programme until they reach the necessary level. This is an excellent way to reach your goals as quickly as possible from a lower starting point.

Programme entry requirements for preferred university and college programmes vary, but students may register at LSI with any level of English or French.



#### **Partner Colleges and Universities**

Enrol on an LSI Pathway course and seamlessly transition into one of our partner institution's programmes upon reaching the required level of English.

### Direct Transfers and Conditional Offers

Many of LSI's partner institutions accept LSI's own levels in place of an external test of English, such as TOEFLIBT, TOEIC, IELTS etc.

LSI's Pathways counsellors can apply on behalf of the student, making the application process simple.

Direct Transfers and conditional offers services may vary in different countries.

## Partner Institution Programmes USA

Institution	Location	English Requirement		
Adelphi University	Garden City, NY	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>		
American International College	Springfield, MA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
American University	Washington, D.C.	TOEFL/IELTS waived†		
Arkansas State University	Jonesboro, AR	Completion of level 3 for direct undergraduate admission; completion of level 4 for direct graduate admission		
Auburn University	Auburn, AL	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>		
Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology	Boston, MA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
California International Business University (CIBU)	San Diego, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Cambridge College	Springfield, MA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
College of Idaho	Caldwell, ID	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
College of the Desert	Palm Desert, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Community Colleges of Spokane	Spokane, WA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 3		
Fisher College	Boston, MA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 4		
Florida International University	Miami, FL	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>		
Golden Gate University	San Francisco, CA	TOEFL/IELTS not waived		
Grossmont Community College	San Diego, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 4		
Humboldt State University	Arcata, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Los Angeles Film School	Los Angeles, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Louisiana State University	Baton Rouge, LA	TOEFL/IELTS waived†		
Maryville University	St. Louis, MO	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Metropolitan College of New York	New York, NY	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
National University	California & Nevada	No TOEFL/IELTS, completion of level 5 and then student takes National's ELP 820 for one month		
New York Film Academy	New York, NY	Admission to diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/ IELTS waived)		
Notre Dame de Namur University	Belmont, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived for undergraduate upon completion of level 4, for graduate upon completion of level 5		
Platt College	San Diego, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Prince William Sound Community College	Valdez, AK	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 3		
Rocky Mountain College of Art & Design	Lakewood (Denver), CO	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 4		
Saint Michael's College	Colchester, VT	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
San Francisco State University	San Francisco, CA	TOEFL/IELTS score of 61 or IELTS score of 6.0 required		
Schiller International University	Largo, FL	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5		
Seattle Central Community College	Seattle, WA	TOEFL/IELTS waived upon completion of level 5, students must take English and math placement exams and may be placed in the College Bridge Programme		
Southwestern Oregon Community College	Coos Bay, OR	IELTS or TOEFL iBT 45 required		



#### USA continued...

Institution	Location	English Requirement
UC Berkeley Extension	Berkeley, CA	Will issue conditional acceptance but must submit test score
University of Central Florida	Orlando, FL	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>
University of Illinois at Chicago	Chicago, IL	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>
University of Kansas	Lawrence, KS	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>
University of the Pacific	Stockton, CA	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>
University of South Carolina	Columbia, SC	TOEFL/IELTS waived <sup>†</sup>
William Jessop	Sacramento, CA	Admission to BA programmes on completion of level 4, and to MA programmes on completion of level 5

 $\verb|To meet| the English language requirement the student can take the Pearson/Versant test at their LSI school |$ 

#### Canada

Institution	Location	English Requirement
Acadia University	Wolfville, NS	Admission to the EAP Bridging program requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level. For direct entry to undergraduate degree programmes LSI's Advanced level required.
Bishops University	Sherbrooke, QC	Admission to the undergraduate degree programmes requires completion of LSI's Advanced level with a minimum score of 80% on tests and assignments completed during the last 3 weeks of the course.
Canadian Tourism College	ВС	Admission to certificate and diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Evergreen College	Ontario	Admission to diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
JRS College of Business and Healthcare	Toronto, ON	Admission to certificate and diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Lambton College	Ontario	Admission to certificate and diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Niagara College	St. Catherine's, ON	Admission to certificate, diploma, and advanced diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived). Admission to degree programmes requires completion of LSI's Advanced level (TOEFL/IELTS waived).
RED Academy	BC & ON	Admission to certificate, diploma and post graduate programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Royal Crown College	Toronto, ON	Admission to diploma programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
St. Clair College	ON	Admission to certificate, diploma and degree programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Sterling College	BC	Admission to diploma, advanced diploma and post graduate certificate programmes requires completion of LSI's Upper Intermediate level except for the Post-Graduate Certificate in Nursing which requires completion of LSI's Advanced level
Wilfrid Laurier University	Waterloo, ON	Admission to degree programmes requires completion of LSI's Advanced level and Laurier's LEAF programme. (TOEFL/IELTS waived)
Yorkville University	Toronto, ON & Vancouver, BC	Diploma and degree programmes. Completion of LSI Upper Intermediate (CEFR Level B2) required (TOEFL/ IELTS waived) .

#### **New Zealand**

Institution	Location	English Requirement
International Travel College	Auckland	Admission to range of certificate and diploma courses with a minimum IELTS score of between 5.0 to 5.5 depending on course
Whitecliffe School of Design	Parnell, Auckland	Admission to range of certificate and degree courses with a minimum IELTS score of between 5.5 to 7.0 depending on course
UNITEC	Mt. Albert, Auckland	Admission to range of degree and diploma courses. Course-specific and country-specific entry requirements
Auckland Institute of Studies	Mt. Albert, Auckland	Admission to range of degree and diploma courses with a minimum IELTS score of 6.0
Ardmore Flying School	Papakura, Auckland	Admission to diploma and licensing courses with a minimum IELTS score of 6.0

"Good class organization, I really learned new things in my class and I like the English-only zone – that's rarely found in other schools."

HATTAN KHEDIR DAMANHOURI, SAUDI ARABIA



#### **Pathways in Australia**



#### Why Study in Australia?

- · World-class institutions
- Convenient locations in major cities
- Safe and friendly student environment
- · Work rights and work visas available

#### **Pathways in New Zealand**



#### Why Study in New Zealand?

- World-class institutions
- Convenient locations in major cities on both islands
- Safe and friendly student environment
- Work rights and work visas available

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathway programme (12-48 weeks)

Develop the language and academic skills required when applying for entry to Australian colleges and universities

College, TAFE or University Programme (6 months - 3 years)

#### Working in Australia

Permission to work - Temporary Graduate visa, subclass 485

Depending on qualifications, students may be able to work in Australia after completion of their studies for up to four years from the date the visa is granted\*.

\*Information subject to change. For up-to-date information, please visit the Department of Immigration and Border Protection website: www.homeaffairs.gov.au/

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathways programme (12-48 weeks)

Gain the language skills you need to meet entry requirements of colleges and universities and succeed in your studies. All LSI Auckland students receive National Student Numbers to track academic progress throughout their stay in NZ.

College or university programmes (6 months – 4 years)

#### Working in New Zealand

LSI, college or university students can work up to 20 hours per week if enrolled in courses of 14 weeks or longer\*

Post-Graduate work visas are available:

- 12 months (Open)
- + 2 3 years (Employer Assisted)\*

 ${\bf *Information \, subject \, to \, change. \, For \, up-to-date \, information, \, please \, visit: \, www.newzealandnow.govt.nz/$ 

#### LSI Campus in Australia

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#### LSI Campus in New Zealand

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#### Pathways in the USA



#### Why Study in the USA?

- LSI's Pathway programme offers guaranteed transfers to partner institutions across the USA
- World-class institutions
- The cultural and economic centre of the English speaking world
- · A growing economy with employment opportunities
- Post-graduate work permits

#### **Pathways in Canada**



#### Why Study in Canada?

- World-class institutions
- Inexpensive tuition fees and living expenses
- A growing economy with employment opportunities
- Post-graduate work permits (1-3 years)

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathway programme (12-48 weeks)

Seamless transition to LSI partner institution

University or college programme (1-4 years)

#### Working in the USA

University & college students can work up to 20 hours per week\*

OPT – Optional Practical Training Students may be able to work for one year after their university programme finishes

\*Information subject to change. For up-to-date information, please visit the Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) website: www.ice.gov/sevis/students

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathway programme (12-48 weeks)

College or university programmes (1-4 years)

#### **Working in Canada**

College and university students are able to work during and after their programmes

Post-Graduate work permits are available for 1-3 years depending on the length of study

Students are eligible to apply for Permanent Residence after one year of postgraduate work experience. If successful, permanent residence can usually be achieved with 3-12 months.\*

\* Information subject to change and may vary among provinces. For up-to-date information, please visit the Citizenship & Immigration Canada (CIC) website: www.cic.gc.ca/english/study/index.asp

#### LSI Campuses in the USA

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#### LSI Campuses in Canada

Toronto p44 Vancouver p45

#### **LSI Independent Sixth Form College**

LSI Independent Sixth Form College provides high quality, fully accredited, A level and university preparation programmes. We prepare students from all over the world to gain entry into some of the UK's most prestigious universities.

#### The Campus

All courses at LSI Independent Sixth Form College are based in our beautiful and spacious Victorian building in the leafy borough of Hampstead. The college has excellent transport links and is only 20 minutes from the heart of London, by tube or by bus.

Classrooms are fully equipped with technology including internet, computers, large screen TVs and interactive whiteboards. We also have a specially designed laboratory for our science programme. The campus has a dedicated student lounge and a beautiful garden that can host college events in the summer, providing the perfect environment to foster a strong student community.



"A level students make excellent progress in lessons, demonstrating high levels of subject knowledge and academic skills."

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#### A level Courses in the UK

A levels are the standard qualifications required for admission to most UK universities. LSI offers one-year, 18 months and two-year A level programmes depending on the student's prior knowledge and qualifications. Generally, A levels are studied over two years with students selecting three subjects.

LSI Independent Sixth Form College mainly offers the following subjects at A level but other subjects can be catered for on request:

- Art
- History
- Biology
- Mathematics

Further Mathematics

- BusinessChemistry
- Physics
- Computer Science
- Politics
- Economics
- Psychology
- English Literature
- Spanish
- French

#### **Pre-sessional English Programmes**

A minimum of Band 5.5 IELTS is required for our A level courses. For students who do not meet the requirement, LSI runs pre-sessional English programmes prior to the start of the A level programme.



#### Pathways in the UK



#### Why Study in the UK?

- World-class institutions steeped in tradition
- The historic centre of the English speaking world
- · Rich and diverse cultural heritage

#### **Pathways in France**



#### Why Study in France?

- · World class institutions
- · Convenient location in central Paris
- · Safe and friendly student environment
- · Cultural and economic centre

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathway programme (12-48 weeks) A level programmes at LSI Independent Sixth Form College (12-24 months)

Application to UK universities & colleges through UCAS

OR

University or college programme (1-4 years)

#### Working in the UK

- University & college students can work up to 20 hours per week during term time\*
- Students may be able to work for one year after their programme finishes
  - \*Information subject to change. For up-to-date information, please visit www.gov.uk

#### **Pathways**

LSI's Pathways programme (12-48 weeks)

Gain the language skills on our DELF and DALF examinations courses needed to meet language entry requirements at French colleges and universities.

- Assistance in applying to up to 3 French universities. Additional fees apply.
- College or university programmes

Licenses (L1, L2, L3) are undergraduate degrees courses requiring 3 years of study. Master's (M1, M2) are graduate degree courses requiring 2 years of study.

#### **Working in France**

LSI, college or university students can work up to 20 hours per week with a French student visa

\* Information subject to change. For up-to-date information please visit www.campusfrance.org/en/

#### LSI Campuses in the UK

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#### LSI Campus in France

Paris p48

#### **LSI Pathway Counsellors**

Every LSI school has a trained counsellor on site to provide advice and support throughout the university application process.

#### Meet LSI's Pathway Counsellors



Mark Lane London Central



**Lucy Rumack** New York



Rob Petrie Boston



**Dr. Michael McGrath** London Hampstead



**Lauren Macdonald** San Diego



**Greg Wickline** San Francisco/Berkeley



**Anthony Drury** Brighton



**Lisa Kilmartin** Toronto



**Kevin Keeler** Vancouver



**Agnes Gulczynska** Cambridge



**Brad Roberts**Auckland



**Tina Vaka** Brisbane



**Emmanuel Viret** Paris



LSI Counsellors help our students in the following ways:

Find the right programmes for each student by understanding their specific goals and skills

Introduce students to a wide variety of programmes of which they may not have been aware

Guide students through the application process

Provide conditional letters of acceptance (LOA) from LSI partner universities & colleges\*

Organise guest lectures and tours of partner institution campuses

Provide UCAS support in the UK

Along with the LSI academic staff, ensure students are prepared to thrive in the college or university of their choice

#### **Multicentre Courses**

Multicentre courses are perfect for students wishing to combine language studies with international travel.

Providing students with the opportunity to study their selected course at two or more LSI centres, the Multicentre Course can enrich the learning experience by allowing a deeper insight into one culture or, if choosing centres in different countries, the opportunity to compare different cultures.

- Available in the UK\*, USA, Canada, France, Switzerland, New Zealand and Australia
- · Student chooses number of weeks at each location
- Progress records transferred between the selected centres

This unique opportunity will allow you to learn and live the language locally while travelling the world at the same time.

#### **Sample Multicentre Courses**

COURSE: Intensive 24 DURATION: 10	
School	Weeks
London Hampstead, UK	6
Brighton, UK	4

COURSE: General 20 DURATION: 20 weeks					
School	Weeks				
Berkeley/San Francisco, USA	12				
Toronto, Canada	8				

<b>DURATION:</b> 36 weeks		
Weeks		
12		
12		
12		

"I've never been outside my country before, so the opportunity to come here and meet people from different countries with different cultures is amazing."

JULIA PIETROBELI, BRAZIL



### **Premium Courses**

LSI has over 55 years' experience in professional training and specialised language courses. We offer a wide range of courses for individuals and small groups. We will design a programme to meet your needs, whatever they are. Our language trainers use the latest teaching methods and are skilled at assessing your needs. They will establish a detailed course plan with you to help you achieve your objectives.

#### One-to-One

- · 20, 30, 40, or 50 individual lessons per week
- · Beginner to Advanced levels
- 1 lesson: 45 minutes (in the USA and Canada 50 minutes)
- · Courses begin: every Monday

Individual tuition is the fastest way to learn a language. Whether you need general or specialised language, each course is designed for your needs and adapted to your rate of progress. It is the perfect option if you have specific targets or limited time. It is particularly convenient for professionals and executives preparing for a trip abroad, or negotiations and presentations in a foreign language.

Our reputation for adaptability and flexibility means that your trainers respond to any further requirements you may have.

#### **9 Day Compact**

- · 82 or 92 individual lessons
- 1 lesson: 45 minutes (in the USA and Canada 50 minutes)
- 9 consecutive days
- · Courses begin: every Saturday

For people with special aims which must be met in a short space of time. Requiring just one week away from the office, this course is ideal for busy professionals and executives who need to prepare for presentations and meetings in a foreign language. The course includes lunch with your teacher, giving you the opportunity to work on your social language – also vital in a business situation.

### Mini Group + One-to-One

Designed to complement the Mini Group, Plus courses are individual lessons flexibly arranged when you need extra help on a specific area or want to increase your rate of progress.

Sample course plans:

- 40 Mini Group lessons + 5 One-to-One lessons per week
- 30 Mini Group lessons + 10 One-to-One lessons per week
- 20 Mini Group lessons + 20 One-to-One lessons per week
- 2 weeks Mini Group (40 lessons per week) +
  1 week One-to-One (40 lessons per week)

#### Professional Centre at LSI London Central

Located in the very heart of London, the centre is situated on the top floor of our central London school.

A dedicated area is provided for professional clients to study and socialise in a calm and quiet environment. The centre is equipped with computers for client use, and complimentary tea, coffee and daily newspapers are provided. On arrival all clients receive a portfolio folder containing key business vocabulary and information on local attractions, amenities and leisure activities.

An exciting programme of social activities is organised especially for our professional clients, including theatre trips, restaurant evenings, guided walks, museum visits, and a weekly cheese and wine party. These activities help our clients to make the most of their time in London, and provide an excellent opportunity to practise English and meet likeminded professionals.



#### **Mini Group**

- · 20, 30 or 40 lessons per week
- Participants: maximum 5
- Minimum age: 19 years
- Intermediate to Advanced levels\*
- 1 lesson: 45 minutes (in the USA and Canada 50 minutes)
- Course content: Business English
   (For Exam preparation Mini Group courses, see page 15)
- Courses begin: every Monday

This course combines general grammar and skills development with an in-depth focus on the language of business.

The small, intensive group provides the ideal opportunity to practise negotiation, presentation and meeting skills in a realistic situation.

Intercultural awareness is important in global business and communication. The international mix of our courses and experience of our teachers provides the perfect forum in which to gain this valuable knowledge.

\* Course also available for Pre-Intermediate level. Contact individual schools for details.







LSI language schools offering Premium Courses	One-to-one	9 Day Compact	Mini Group	Mini Group Plus
SCHOOLS p35				
London Central, UK p36	•	•	•	•
London Hampstead, UK p37	•	•		
Brighton, UK p38	•	•		
Cambridge, UK p39	•	•	•	•
New York, USA p40	•		•	•
Boston, USA p41	•	•	•	•
San Diego, USA p42	•	•	•	•
San Francisco/Berkeley, USA p43	•	•	•	•
Toronto, Canada p44	•	•	•	•
Vancouver, Canada p45	•	•	•	•
Auckland, New Zealand p46	•		•	•
Brisbane, Australia p47	•			
Paris, France p48	•	•		
Zurich, Switzerland p49	•	•		

"The combination of the Mini Group and One-to-One course to improve my English was very useful. We also had a very good atmosphere and the teachers were very flexible."

#### Clients

#### **FINANCIAL**

American Express Credit Suisse Deutsche Bank Goldman Sachs JP Morgan Chase Lloyds TSB Merril Lynch

#### **CONSULTANCY**

Cap Gemini Ernst & Young **KPMG** 

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

Bosch Casio Dell Ericsson Hewlett-Packard Logica Samsung Siemens SMEG

#### **TELECOMS**

British Telecom Cable and Wireless Nortel Networks Orange Communications

#### **MEDIA**

**BBCTV EMI Records** Reuters

#### **ENTERTAINMENT**

The Walt Disney Company

#### **AUTOMOTIVE -ENGINEERING**

Daimler Chrysler Mercedes Benz Mitsubishi Toyota

#### **PHARMS AND HEALTHCARE**

Aventis Pfizer Johnson & Johnson Bayer

#### **TRANSPORT**

Deutsche Bahn Lufthansa Cargo

#### OIL Shell

#### **FOODS**

Schweppes Cadbury Trebor Bassett Coca Cola Danone Heineken Nestlé Unilever

#### **RETAIL**

H&M - Hennes & Mauritz Gucci Kookaï

# Study and Work Experience

LSI Study and Work Experience Programmes are an excellent opportunity to practise and develop your language skills in a business environment while gaining valuable work experience.

LSI offers both unpaid work experience placements and paid positions. These programmes are ideal for university-aged students or young professionals with limited experience.





#### UK

#### **Unpaid Work Experience**

- Available to students with the right to work in the UK
- Minimum 8 weeks of General 20, Intensive 24 or Intensive 30 prior to work experience
- Work experience placement for 1–6 months
- You select 3 industries or professional areas in which you would like to work; we then search for a suitable placement for you
- Applications must be received at least 12 weeks in advance
- · Minimum age: 18+

#### Canada

#### **Working Holiday**

- Work anywhere in Canada on an open work permit
- Live and work In Canada for up to 12 or 24 months, depending on your country of citizenship
- Work in any job sector in voluntary or paid employment
- · Study for up to 6 months

#### **Australia**

#### **Unpaid Internships**

- Available in a range of areas including Marketing, Events, HR, Business Administration, Hospitality and Aged Care
- Placement length: 6–26 weeks (depending on the programme)
- Minimum level: Upper Intermediate (equivalent to IELTS 6.0)
- Prerequisite: 12 weeks Intensive 24 or Intensive 30
- Applications must be made 4 months in advance
- Candidate must be enrolled on a tertiary course, or a recent graduate (within 18 months of course completion)
- Internship must be directly related to educational background
- Ages: 18-30

#### **Working Holiday**

- Working holiday visas are available to students from a number of countries
- · Live and work in Australia for up to 1 year
- Assistance in preparing CVs, cover letters and interview techniques for job applications

#### Demi Pair

- Minimum level of English required: Upper Intermediate
- Minimum course length: 10 weeks of General 20 or Intensive 24
- Course and placement are taken simultaneously
- · Driving license required
- Visa type: Working Holiday, Work and Holiday
- · Ages: 18-27
- 12-24 weeks unpaid Demi Pair placement with vetted families
- Demi pair duties: 15-20 hours of childcare and light household work
- Au Pair placement available on completion of a 12 week Demi Pair programme

#### Au Pair

- Minimum level of English: Intermediate
- Minimum course length: 10 weeks of either General 20 or Intensive 24
- · Drivers licence required
- Visa type: Working Holiday, Work and Holiday
- Ages: 18 30
- 6 months paid Au Pair placement, starting at the end of the English course
- Au pair duties: Up to 38 hours of childcare and light household work
- Earn around AU\$200 per week during the Au Pair placement
- Various accommodation options are available for the study period
- Prerequisite: minimum of 100 hours of child care experience (includes babysitting)

#### **Working Holiday**

- Working holiday visas are available to students from a number of countries
- Students can study up to 6 months on this visa depending on their country of origin
- Live and work in New Zealand for 1 year
- Assistance in preparing CVs, cover letters and interview techniques for job applications

#### Demi au Pair

- Available to male and female students, aged 18-30 years old
- Minimum level of English required: Intermediate
- Minimum course length: 12 weeks of Intensive 24 or Intensive 30 for Working Holiday Visa holders; 14 weeks of Intensive 24/Intensive 30 for Student Visa holders
- Demi au pair placements: Ideally 6-12 months but well-suited candidates also accepted for a minimum of 4 months
- · Driving licence required
- Experience with children preferable but not essential
- First-Aid Certificate for Children required. A first aid course can be arranged by LSI Auckland at an additional cost.
- Police Clearance/Check from country of origin required
- Visa type: Working holiday Visa or Student Visa with permission to work up to 20 hours per week
- Student Visa holders can only work for the duration of the LSI student visa
- Working Holiday Visa students: Time allowed to work in one family is subject to country regulations

"It wasn't a problem for me to coordinate the childcare and study, especially because my host mother supported me and gave me less jobs to do when I said that I needed more time to study. In fact as you only work between 15 to 20 hours per week, there's always time to study."

DEMI-PAIR MICHELLE SEIGIES, GERMANY

#### **New Zealand**

#### **Unpaid Internships**

- LSI Intensive 24 or 30 course for 6 -12 weeks, depending on start level, prior to work experience
- Placements are for 3–6 months and are located mainly in Auckland but some may be based in other cities
- · Ages: 18-30
- Minimum English level: Upper Intermediate
- Internships offered in various areas such as Administration, Advertising, Marketing and Sales, Media & PR, Web development and more
- Available to Working Holiday Visa holders
- Also available to Trainee Visa holders where the internship forms part of the holder's University study requirements



# **Experiences**

Our 'Experiences' courses combine language tuition with a range of exciting activities. These courses offer amazing experiences and new friendships that you'll never forget.





"I'd recommend LSI NY to anybody looking for new experiences no matter how old they are. Because at my age (41), a lot of people don't want to try anything new...but I had a great time here!"

ANJA CZER WINSKI, GERMANY

#### Club 40+

At LSI we welcome young-at-heart mature students on all our courses throughout the year. In addition, at certain locations we organise social activities which suit the more mature student's interests.

- · General 20 in mixed age classes
- Afternoon activities: 3 p/wk (in Auckland, 5 p/wk)
- Course duration: 1–4 wks (in Auckland 1–2 wks)
- · Minimum age: 40
- Elementary to Advanced levels depending on school

Example activities include: winery visits, rain forest excursions, Maori weaving, boat trips, theatre visits, Kensington Palace.

#### Language centres

All LSI schools in the UK, USA, Canada, Auckland and Zurich. For starting dates please consult the relevant school page in the Prices Brochure.

#### **Combined Courses**

All courses combine language tuition with themed activities. Contact specific schools for details about the courses.

#### French with History of Art

Learn all about the history of art in one of the world's greatest and most interesting cities. Combine your French classes with art workshops and excursions to some of the world's top museums.

- French tuition: 20 lessons p/wk (16.67 hours p/wk)
- 2 afternoon activities p/wk: art workshops and excursions (6 hours p/wk)
- · Course duration: 2 wks
- Minimum Language Level: Intermediate

#### Language centres

Paris

#### **English with Barista Training**

Combine your English classes with barista training and gain the knowledge and practical skills needed to find work in the popular coffee shop sector. To apply for barista jobs you must be eligible to work while you study.

- English tuition: 20 lessons per week\*
- Recognised certificates of barista training issued at end of the course
- Barista training: 15 hours over 2 weeks in Auckland; 3 or 5 hours taken over 1 day in Brisbane
- Course duration: 2 weeks in Auckland; minimum 1 week General English + 1 training day in Brisbane
- Minimum language level: intermediate
- Minimum age: 17

#### Language centres

Auckland and Brisbane

\* 24 lesson option for student visa holders

#### French with Cooking

Learn the art of French cooking in LSI Paris. This course will provide an insight to French culture and culinary traditions and enhance your cooking skills.

- French tuition: 20 lessons p/wk (16.67 hours p/wk)
- 3 afternoon cooking lessons p/wk (6 hrs/wk)
- · Course duration: 2 wks
- Minimum Language Level: Pre-intermediate

#### Language centres

Paris



# Social Programme

All our schools offer a fun and varied social programme that allows you to make the most of your time abroad while practising your language skills in a natural environment and making new friends from around the world.











#### **LSI Social Programme**

Whatever your interests or lifestyle, we will find an appropriate and enjoyable activity for you. Day trips, museum and gallery visits, theatre and cinema outings, restaurants and pubs, international events and sports fixtures are all regular features of our programme. Many activities are free and many others are offered at discounted prices. In addition, arrangements can be made in all locations for most sporting activities – just ask our staff.



Indulge your passion for sports with one of LSI's Leisure and Language Programmes. We offer many combinations including surfing in San Diego, forest hiking in Vancouver, tennis in Toronto, or extreme sports in Auckland. Please contact us for more details about these and other programmes.







### Accommodation

All LSI language centres offer a choice of accommodation including homestays with our carefully selected hosts, college residential accommodation or hotels.





#### **LSI Homestays**

Our carefully selected homestays offer friendly, comfortable surroundings in which you can experience what life is really like in your host country. Many of our students stay in touch with their hosts for years afterwards.

## LSI Student Residences / Hostels

Single and twin study bedrooms are available in student halls of residence where you can meet students from all around the world. This option includes private or shared bathroom facilities depending on the location, season and residence option. Rooms are cleaned regularly and bed linen is changed once a week. Catering arrangements differ, but most locations offer breakfast.

#### **Residence Hotels**

More economical than hotels, residence hotels offer a more limited service. Weekly maid service is provided, and some residence hotels have kitchen facilities.

#### Hotels

We are happy to advise you on many different types of hotel close to our schools and make bookings at the hotel of your choice.

#### Self-Catering Apartment/ Flatshare in London

Apartments are located across London and accommodate between 4 and 6 people. Single, double and twin rooms are available. Apartments offer all essential facilities to the independent student.





For further information on accommodation options, please view our accommodation brochures available on our website:

www.lsi.edu/ accommodation

"I don't have words to describe and thank my hosts. They're awesome, friendly, kind fellows, and all the good adjectives that could exist. I had a great time with them, and I'll miss them a lot. It was not what I was expecting from an American family, and I just loved it."

CECILIA MORALES LEIVA DALEFFE, BRAZIL

# Schools



# **London Central**

# The Location

London is a world-class city of great diversity, offering unrivalled attractions. From culture, history and pageantry to some of the best nightlife to be found anywhere on earth, London has something for everybody.

LSI London Central is located in the heart of the city, close to universities and the fashionable entertainment district of Soho, in an area full of cafes, bars and pubs catering to the lively student population.

# The Lifestyle

A full and varied leisure programme allows students to experience the very best of London and the rest of England, with activities including visits to pubs and restaurants, theatre outings and trips to Oxford, Edinburgh and Stonehenge.

# Courses

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Evening Courses | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Law | Medical English

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First, C1 Advanced & C2 Proficiency; IELTS; TOEFL iBT;

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

WORK & STUDY p30-31

Work Experience (unpaid)

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+





# **Key Features**



15 classrooms



Maximum class size 15



Central location



Student lounge



Projectors/flat screens



Free WIFI



"I'm very happy about my decision to choose My teachers were really, really excellent. I will be coming back again."

ISABEL TOBIA, MARKETING, VENEZUELA









LSI as my English school.

# London Hampstead





# **The Location**

The leafy and picturesque neighbourhood of Hampstead is one of London's best-kept secrets. It's home to many artists, writers and celebrities and is located just 3 miles from the very centre of London. Hampstead village is brimming with charming restaurants, cafes and boutiques.

LSI London Hampstead's excellent location means students benefit from both nearby accommodation options and easy access to London's famous sites.

# The Lifestyle

Barbecue parties and sports take place in the large garden. Other activities include pubs, clubs, musicals and weekend excursions. Located nearby is one of London's finest markets, trendy Camden Lock Market.

### Courses

# **GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC | A level

# PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact

# WORK & STUDY p30-31

Work Experience (unpaid)

# **EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

# **JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | Family Programme





# **Key Features**



12 classrooms



Maximum class size 15



Projectors/flat screens



Garden

Student lounge













# **Brighton**



"I love LSI Brighton! The people are so friendly and I am learning so much. Brighton is now my second home and my homestay hosts are so friendly and helpful. I will miss everything!"

MARIA CAMILA OVIEDO, COLOMBIA

# **The Location**

Brighton is a vibrant city situated between the sea and the beautiful Sussex Downs. Often referred to as London-by-Sea, Brighton boasts two universities and amongst the largest arts and comedy festivals in the UK. Brighton is only 50 minutes from London by train.

Our Brighton school consists of two campuses, just a ten minute walk from each other. Shops, coffee houses, pubs, restaurants and a leisure centre are all nearby.

# The Lifestyle

The social programme includes parties and barbecues, quiz and games nights, nightclubs and discos, day and weekend trips to London and other parts of Britain and Europe. Activities such as golf and horse riding can also be arranged.

# **Courses**

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

**English for Business** 

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC

# PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact

# WORK & STUDY p30-31

Work Experience (unpaid)

# **EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

# JUNIOR COURSES p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | Family Programme

# **Key Features**



29 classrooms



Maximum class size 15



Wheel chair access



Student lounge Garden















# Cambridge





# **The Location**

Best known for its university, Cambridge is also a lively and bustling town with plenty to offer international students. Rich with museums, art galleries and independent shops, Cambridge makes the ideal place to study. The city also has a dynamic and vibrant nightlife, full of pubs, top-class restaurants, nightclubs, theatres and live comedy.

The school is ideally located in a guiet residential area, convenient for both the train station and the city centre.

# The Lifestyle

The social programme includes barbecues, nightclubs and sports. There are popular day and weekend excursions to places such as London, Stonehenge and Stratford-upon-Avon (Shakespeare's birthplace). Trips as far afield as Scotland or France can also be arranged.

# **Courses**

# **GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Law | Medical English | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC

# **PREMIUM COURSES** p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

# WORK & STUDY p30-31

Work Experience (unpaid)

# **EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

# **JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | **Family Programme** 

# **Key Features**



12 classrooms



Maximum class size 15



Central location



Projectors/flat screens



Student lounge















# New York



"I like studying at LSI New York because I can make friends from all over the world and I get a lot of English practice. I think the teachers and methodology are very good."

TAMMY CAMPOS DI CALAFIORI FILM ACTRESS, BRAZIL



# The Location

As the major business and cultural centre of the United States, New York is rightly proud of its leading role and long tradition in American history. From commerce to politics, ballet to sporting events, the "Big Apple" has

Located in a newly renovated Renaissance Revival building designed by the architects who created Grand Central Terminal, LSI New York is in the heart of the historic Financial District, only blocks from Wall Street, New York Stock Exchange, the National September 11 Memorial and One World Trade Center.

# The Lifestyle

With its 24-hour buzz, excellent restaurants, museums and famous landmarks such as the Statue of Liberty and the Empire State Building, New York's cultural and entertainment possibilities are limitless, and this is reflected in our busy and varied social programme.

# **Courses**

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Teaching

**ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; TOEFL iBT; GMAT; SAT

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | Mini Group

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

JUNIOR COURSES p50-72

Full Package

# **Key Features**



12 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Wheel chair access



Lunch room

















# Boston





# **The Location**

Boston is scenically located along the waters of the Charles River and Boston Harbour, on the Massachusetts coast. It combines a rich history with a modern outlook, making it one of the truly great American cities. Renowned as an educational and cultural centre, it is also a place of great natural beauty - the colours of the New England fall are breathtaking.

LSI Boston is situated in a commercial brownstone building on the borders of Chinatown and the Theatre and Financial Districts.

# The Lifestyle

Social activities include museum trips, historical walking tours, baseball games and weekend trips to New York.

# **Courses**

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; TOEFL iBT; GMAT; SAT

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

JUNIOR COURSES p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | Family Programme



# **Key Features**



9 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Good transport links



Student lounge













# San Diego



"I like the teachers and I really enjoy the class. Also the staff are very friendly. I made a lot of friends from different countries. I recommend this school. I am sure you will love LSI San Diego." NOE CALDERON, MEXICO



# The Location

Often called "America's Finest City", San Diego lies at the southernmost point of California on a beautiful natural harbour along the 70 miles of Pacific coastline between Los Angeles and Mexico.

LSI San Diego is located in a modern building in the heart of the city, close to all amenities and within easy walking distance of such attractions as San Diego Zoo, the Gaslamp District, Balboa Park and the San Diego Bay.

# The Lifestyle

Fantastic weather and the city's proximity to beaches, islands, mountains and deserts mean that recreational opportunities abound in the San Diego region. Social activities include beach parties, surfing, sailing and even snow skiing, and organised trips to Los Angeles, Las Vegas and Mexico.

### Courses

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First, C1 Advanced & C2 Proficiency; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; **GMAT**; SAT

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

**JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | **Family Programme** 



# **Key Features**



18 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Wheel chair access



Student lounge



Lunch room















# San Francisco/Berkeley

# **The Location**

Located just across the bay from San Francisco, the city of Berkeley is a vibrant student town, centred around the University of California campus and brimming with diverse cafes, shops, restaurants and nightlife.

A relaxed and charming town, Berkeley offers visitors easy access to all the attractions of San Francisco. The school occupies a two-storey building in downtown Berkeley just moments from the station and the UC Berkeley university campus.

# The Lifestyle

LSI Berkeley runs a busy and varied social programme that allows you to take advantage of all that Berkeley, San Francisco and the rest of northern California have to offer. The Bay Area affords a wealth of famous attractions, such as the Golden Gate Bridge, Fisherman's Wharf and Alcatraz, and visits to places such as the Wine Country and the Monterey Peninsula are easily arranged.

### Courses

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; TOEFL iBT; GMAT; SAT

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

**JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | Family Programme





# **Key Features**



12 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Interactive lessons



Student lounge















# **Toronto**

# The Location

Toronto is Canada's largest city as well as its major business and cultural centre and so whether you are a sports enthusiast, a hip hop fan or an opera lover, Toronto has countless exciting opportunities for you to enjoy.

Located in Rosedale, one of the most beautiful residential neighbourhoods in Canada's largest city, LSI Toronto is well placed for exploring all that the area has to offer.

# The Lifestyle

Social activities at LSI Toronto include picnics in summer, ice-skating in winter, and yearround trips to Niagara Falls, historic sites and beautiful natural parks.

# **Courses**

# **GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Law | Medical English

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC

# PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

WORK & STUDY p30-31

**Working Holiday** 

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

**JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | **Family Programme** 





# **Key Features**



17 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Wheel chair access



Student lounge



Lunch room













# Vancouver







"My 5 months at LSI were really worthwhile. I particularly liked the style of teaching and the topics that we talked about during class. I will never forget my friends and my experience at LSI."

MAELYS VESIR, NEW CALEDONIA

# The Location

The harbour city of Vancouver has long been regarded simply as one of the most spectacular cities in the world. Nestled between the snow-capped coastal mountains and the Pacific Ocean, Vancouver is a city of stunning natural beauty.

The school is conveniently located for bus, Seabus and Skytrain transportation links and the city's main attractions.

# The Lifestyle

As well as outings to the many affordable restaurants and coffee shops for which Vancouver is famous, the social programme includes days at the beach, major sporting events with Vancouver's world-class professional teams, and weekend trips to Victoria, the Rocky Mountains and Whistler.

# Courses

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 25 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One | 9 Day Compact | Mini Group

WORK & STUDY p30-31

**Working Holiday** 

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

**JUNIOR COURSES** p50-72

Tuition Only | Day Camp | Full Package | Family Programme



# **Key Features**



12 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Wheel chair access



Student lounge













# **Auckland**



# Courses

### **GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Evening Courses | Plus Courses

# **ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

English for Business | English for Law | Medical English | English for Aviation | English for Teaching

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency & B2 Business Vantage; IELTS; TOEFL iBT; TOEIC

# **PREMIUM COURSES** p28-29

One-to-One | Mini Group

# **WORK & STUDY** p30-31

Unpaid Internship | Working Holiday | Demi pair/au pair

# **EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+ | English with Barista Training



# Herne Bay Sky University of Auckland Ponsonby Auckland Auckland Domain Newmarket

# The Location

Nicknamed the "City of Sails" after it's two harbours, Auckland is the gateway to New Zealand. With its multicultural mix of people, spectacular views and breathtaking scenery, Auckland is one of the world's most pleasant and exciting cities.

LSI Auckland is located right in the centre of the city close to cafes and restaurants, and features bright and airy classrooms overlooking the palm trees in Myers Park. There are excellent public transport links and amenities within a few minutes' walk.

# The Lifestyle

As the financial and cultural heart of New Zealand, Auckland has much to offer the visitor – from attractive shopping amenities to exhibitions of Maori and Polynesian art. The social programme is second to none, with an unbeaten LSI football team and endless recreational possibilities, from skydiving to skiing, from wine-tasting to walks in the New Zealand bush.

# **Key Features**



20 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location
Lunch room



Wheel chair access













# Brisbane

"This is my second time at LSI Brisbane. I came back because it is a very good school. Both the teachers and the support staff are wonderful people."

OLGA LUCIA MORENO RAMOS, COLOMBIA



With its breathtaking landscapes, fantastic food, relaxed way of life and rich cultural diversity, Australia is one of the most exciting countries in the world. Brisbane, the capital of Queensland, has a wonderful climate all year round.

LSI Brisbane is located in a heritage building in the heart of the city next to the Brisbane River, close to shops, restaurants and public transport links.

# The Lifestyle

The social programme encompasses all that is best about Australia's 'Sunshine State'. There are beaches, rainforests, wildlife parks and scenic tours all within an hour's travel from Brisbane.

Close to the school, students can stroll to the Queen Street Mall or Botanical Gardens, or explore the South Bank cultural precinct with its museums and galleries.

### Courses

**Please note:** Minors under 18 years can take Intensive 30 only unless they are part of a supervised group.

**GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

General 20 | Intensive 24\* | Intensive 30\* | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

**ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES** p10-11

**English for Business** 

# **ACADEMIC COURSES & PATHWAYS** p12-29

Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Pathways | Academic English | Exam Preparation: Cambridge English B2 First & C1 Advanced\*; IELTS\*; TOEFL iBT

PREMIUM COURSES p28-29

One-to-One

WORK & STUDY p30-31

Unpaid Internship | Working Holiday | Demi pair/au pair

**EXPERIENCES** p32

**English with Barista Training** 

\* The following courses are offered to student visa holders as part of their main course of study





# **Key Features**



7 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Interactive lessons



TV room
Free WIFI









# **Paris**

# The Location

Paris, the romantic capital of France, has been the country's political and economic centre for over 1000 years. The city offers countless attractions, from the religious splendour of Notre Dame to the architectural wonders of the Eiffel Tower.

Situated in the historical heart of the city, LSI Paris is right by the Centre Pompidou and close to Notre Dame de Paris, and the sophisticated yet bohemian Marais and Les Halles districts. The school is easily accessible by Metro.

# The Lifestyle

The social programme takes advantage of all the myriad attractions that Paris has to offer. Excursions to nearby Versailles and further afield to other parts of France are also possible.

# **Courses**

# **GENERAL COURSES** p8-9

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# **Key Features**



7 classrooms



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Student lounge



Wheel chair access



















# Zurich



"Besides competent and enriching lessons, LSI Zurich organises a great leisure programme. The teachers are really cool and put across how fresh German can be!"

JAN BAJER, STUDENT, CZECH REPUBLIC

# The Location

Zurich offers a wide choice of museums, theatres, and a highly acclaimed opera house. Sport enthusiasts don't miss out on anything either, with hiking, river rafting, skiing, snowboarding and mountain biking all easily arranged.

Zurich is ideally situated at the heart of Europe. The city's picturesque historic centre is situated on the banks of the river Limmat. Over 500 bars and nightclubs as well as outdoor cafés provide ideal meeting places for visitors and residents. Located in the popular Seefeld district, just 5 minutes from the lake and close to the city centre. LSI Zurich is a perfect departure point for exploring this most varied and refined of cities.

# The Lifestyle

Our varied activities include scenic boat trips, school BBQs, cheese fondue nights, opera visits, excursions to other Swiss cities and the Alps, as well as sports activities and weekend trips to the surrounding countries of Austria, France, Germany and Italy.

# **Courses**

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General 20 | Intensive 30 | Afternoon 10 | Plus Courses

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Academic Term Abroad | Academic Year Abroad | Exam Preparation: Goethe-Zertifikat B1 (ZD) & B2 (GZ)

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One-to-One | 9 Day Compact

**EXPERIENCES** p32

Club 40+

# **Key Features**



9 classrooms



Maximum class size 12



Interactive lessons
Student lounge



TV room













# Juniors

"Students' welfare, including health and safety, is excellent."
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# **Junior Courses**

Our language courses for juniors are ideal for all young people eager to develop their language skills while benefiting from an exciting variety of cultural and social activities. We offer these courses for groups at every LSI school year-round. We accept individual students in our schools in the UK, USA, Canada and France in the summer and winter.

# Why LSI?

- Exciting city locations with much for students to learn about and enjoy both in and out of class
- Friendly and enthusiastic teachers, with country specific teaching qualifications
- Communicative teaching methods involving lively, real life situations
- Varied social activity programmes including sports and cultural excursions giving children a fantastic opportunity to mix with other nationalities and learn about the host country and its customs while having fun and making new friends
- Trained and friendly activity leaders responsible for organising and accompanying all activities and excursions
- Full day weekend excursions
- Extensive supervision and welfare providing individual care and attention to each student. Throughout the programme, all students are supervised by qualified teachers and staff



"My teacher besides being competent and friendly, helped me practice and improve my English. I really felt at home. I had happy days and it was an experience that I won't forget. I really recommend it to everyone!"

MAITE ATAIDE ADAM



# Courses for Kids and Teenagers

Our language classes feature engaging activities that emphasise communication and the core skills (Speaking, Writing, Reading and Listening) whilst building knowledge of key grammar and vocabulary.

Materials are designed specifically for kids and teenagers and offer interesting project based activities via a topic based syllabus. For language students aged 16-17 we also offer exam preparation in some centres (see our Young Achievers Exam Course).

Classes are held in our modern school buildings. We also use the local city as a classroom. Many lessons are linked to activities where students interact with local people and learn about the history and culture of the location whilst they develop their communication skills.

The scheduling of lessons and activities may vary. For an up-to-date schedule check with the school when booking. Full supervision provided during scheduled activities, class time and in accommodation. Students will travel to and from school unsupervised, often in pairs or small groups.

# Course details

- Selection of course options: tuition only; tuition plus activities; or tuition, activities and accommodation\*
- · Class maximum: 16 (18 in San Diego)
- 20 language lessons per week (15 in New York)
- Lesson duration: 50 minutes (45 in London Ealing)
- Homestay accommodation offered in twin /shared rooms and residential accommodation in shared or single rooms depending on location
- 5 weekday activities and full day excursion per week. Residential programmes include additional evening activities.
- Meals included on all course options except tuition only
- · 24/7 support
- Available as part of the Family Programme



# **Young Achievers Exam Course**

In addition to our regular junior programmes, our centres in Brighton and Toronto run our Young Achievers Exam course for organised groups all year round.

Twice a week you can exchange two activities for exam focus workshops. Here, the teacher will introduce a wide range of English Language exams allowing students to gain key insights, practice and improve their exam techniques and their chances of achieving the highest grades.

With three afternoons and a full day at the weekend for activities and excursions, there is still a great balance and plenty of time for fun, getting out and about and exploring.

Our school in Toronto is an approved testing centre for the TOEFL Junior English tests and students from the age of 11 upwards can take the test. Contact the school directly for available test dates.

"I found the school really good, LSI teachers are brilliant. I'll miss everybody and I think I'll come here again!"

JULIA DAWIDOWSKA, POLAND

# **Group Only Junior Centres**

All our LSI language centres offer year-round language courses for juniors to closed groups. Study German in Zurich or English in Auckland, the choice is yours.



# Zurich

Junior courses are run in a renovated period building located in the trendy Seefeld area of Zurich. We offer residential accommodation at the youth hostel across the lake. LSI Zurich requires a minimum of 6 students per group and early booking is advisable to reserve the accommodation.

We have a selection of activities to choose from but popular excursions include trips to the Uetliberg, Masoala Rain Forest and Rheinfall or exploring the city by bike. A day trip to Europa Park can be organised at the weekend.



# **London Central**

This school is the sister centre to London Ealing and offers group only courses to juniors outside the peak summer months when the London Ealing school is no longer running. The centre accepts bookings from groups of 10 or more students and can arrange homestay accommodation.

Usual activities on our juniors course include trips to the zoo, boat trips and museum visits, but the school is also able to custom make programmes for groups.



# **Auckland**

Situated right in the heart of the city and next to Myers Park, our centre is a bright and welcoming place to study. The school accepts group bookings of 10 or more students. Homestay accommodation is provided with a minimum of two students being placed with each homestay host.

Sample activities and excursions include surfing at Muriwai, horse riding, ferry trips, ten pin bowling and a trip up Auckland's iconic Sky Tower.



# **Brisbane**

Based in the centre of Brisbane, our school provides a cosy, friendly environment for our young learners. The centre accepts bookings from groups of 15 or more students and can arrange both homestay and residential accommodation.

Usual activities on our juniors course include trips to the zoo, boat trips and museum visits, but the school is also able to custom make programmes for groups.



# **New York**

The New York junior courses take place on our campus located to the north of the city just 45 minutes from midtown Manhattan. The courses run during the summer months only. For more information see page 64.



# **Paris**

Our Junior courses are run from our modern, state of the art school premises located in the historic and cultural centre of Paris. We offer residential accommodation close to the school. For more information see page 70.



# Student Welfare

The safety and well-being of students in our care is our top priority. All LSI centres work with local and national agencies to ensure that we maintain the highest industry standards in safeguarding and child safety.

Students are supervised both in the classroom and on social activities. School staff are available to both students and parents at all times. LSI also provides trained welfare officers in all our schools to offer any additional support required by the students.

Security is also a priority when selecting the right kind of accommodation for our Junior students. LSI homestays are carefully selected and regularly visited by a trained member of staff, while our student residences provide 24 hour supervision.

In Canada, for students under the age of 18 travelling without a parent or guardian and coming from countries requiring visas to enter Canada, Canadian embassies may require custodianship forms. LSI offers custodianship services.

To ensure student welfare there is a 10pm\* curfew, unless students are on a supervised LSI activity. Valuables such as passports and airline tickets may be left with the centre manager on the student's first morning, to be kept securely locked in the school.







# Student Welfare & Safeguarding

- School Student Welfare & Safeguarding policies and procedures are evaluated by local accreditation agencies
- Each school has dedicated Student Welfare & Safeguarding Officers
- LSI homestays and staff are subject to background checks
- Students have strict curfew times
- The school has a 24 hour emergency telephone number
- Students must sign a code of conduct.
   This ensures safety, enjoyment of the course for all participants and protects against bullying, both in school and on-line

Please note, students are not supervised by LSI staff on journeys to and from school and on journeys home from activities.

# Social and Cultural Programmes

To compliment our language programme for kids and teenagers, we offer an exciting mixture of fun social activities to make sure your child gets the most from their stay.







These fun, educational activities ensure that our young learners develop their language skills both inside and outside the classroom. They will discover more about their host country, the culture and people. They will mix with their peers from around the world, making new friends and practicing the language in a natural environment.

Our structured activities are fully supervised allowing parents and guardians to have complete peace of mind. Social programme leaders are selected for their enthusiasm, energy and caring attitudes and crucially enjoy working with kids of all ages. In some locations, students on the residential and non-residential programmes take classes and activities together. All residential programmes include additional evening activities.

Please see example schedule opposite:

# Example schedule for the Residential Programme in Cambridge\*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills/	Project work			Departure day or day trip to
	Break Time					London
	Integrated skills/					
	Lunch					
	Historical walking tour	Punting on the river	Trip to Fitzwilliam Museum	Bowling	Cambridge Safari Trail	
	Supervised even	ing activities				

"The classes were very varied and very funny. I learned a lot. The excursions in the afternoon were interesting."

ANDREA AURORA WURSTEN, SWITZERLAND



# **Homestay Accommodation**

Our students stay with carefully selected homestay hosts in the neighbourhoods around the language school. Some hosts are further away, but commutes are generally simple and will be explained on the first day by homestay hosts. Meals are provided every day and laundry, towels and bed linen will be changed weekly.

Students stay in twin rooms and are matched by age and gender. When possible, we match students from countries where different native languages are spoken. If we have an odd number of students booking twin rooms, it is possible that a student may stay in a single room for no added cost. If you would like to book a single room, this may be available at some centres. Please contact the school for further details.



# Residential Accommodation

LSI operates residence based summer camps for kids and teenagers in a number of locations around the world. All our residences are modern, comfortable and safe, conveniently located in and around city centres. Students stay in fully furnished, single or shared rooms. Most bedrooms are singles with private, ensuite bathrooms.

LSI staff also live in the residences, providing 24-hour care. The staff-to-student ratio is high and we are always available if you have any questions or need help. Activities are organised for students staying in residential accommodation on most evenings.

Lessons may take place at the residence or at a nearby year-round LSI school. Residential accommodation is recommended only to independent students who are mature and responsible. Please add a note to your enrolment if you prefer a certain room type.

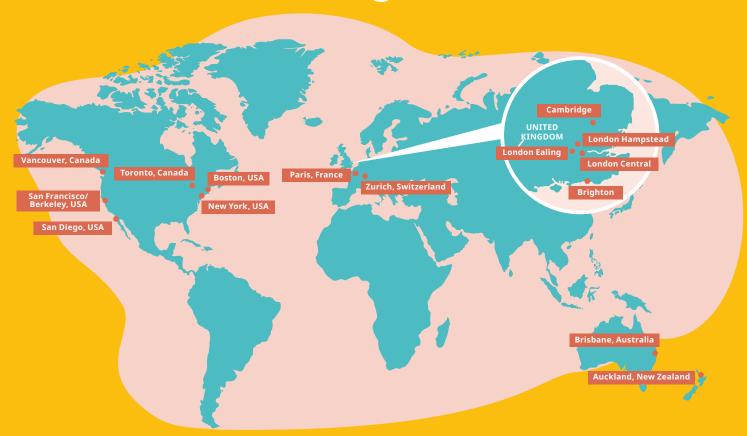
- Central accommodation in comfortable and secure buildings
- LSI staff living on-campus, providing 24-hour supervision
- Mainly single bedrooms with some twin bedrooms available on request
- Private ensuite bathroom and showers a few are shared with 3 or 4 others
- All meals included at the residences, at the school or in a convenient location nearby
- Laundry facilities on site you must do your own washing and additional fees may apply
- · A change of bed linen once per week







# LSI Centres Offering Junior Courses



# **Course Options**

# **Tuition Only**

This course is available to all juniors and in some centres is the only option open to our youngest students (6-11 years). Lunch is not included and students under 12 must be dropped off and picked up at the start and end of classes by a parent or nominated guardian.

# **Day Camp**

This option includes tuition, lunch, weekday activities and a full day excursion at the weekend.

# **Full Package**

This option includes tuition, weekday activities and a full day weekend excursion. All meals are included and accommodation is provided in a homestay or student residence. Students staying in a student residence also participate in additional supervised evening activities. Accommodation starts on the Sunday prior to the course start date and ends on the Saturday after the course finishes.

# **Young Achievers Exam Course**

This course is available for organised groups only and can be taken on a Day Camp on Full Package basis.

	Brighton (6-17 years)	Cambridge (9-17 years)	London Central	London Hampstead (6-17 years)	London Ealing (12-17 years)	New York (12-17 years)	Boston (12-17 years)	San Diego (6-17 years)	San Francisco/ Berkeley (12-17 yea	Toronto (6-17 years)	Vancouver (12-17 years)	Auckland	Brisbane	Paris (12-17 years)	Zurich
Tuition only	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•			•	
Day camp	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•			•	
Full package - homestay	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•				
Full package - residence		•				•				•				•	
Young Achievers Exam Course	•									•					
Family Programme	•	•		•			•	•	•	•	•			•	
Organised groups	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Individuals	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•				



# **Brighton**



# **Accommodation**

# Homestay

Twin room homestay accommodation is available with one of our warm and welcoming hosts around the city. All of the rooms offer a desk, chair and free laundry service.

Please note that in accordance with UK law, 12–15 year olds can only stay in a homestay for a maximum of 4 weeks (27 nights).

# Facilities include:

- Breakfast and evening meals provided in homestay
- Lunch vouchers provided for local cafes
- · Towels and bed linen provided

# **Ages**

6-11 years (summer only) and 12-17 years (winter and summer). The programme for ages 6-11 includes tuition only. The winter programme is for organised groups only.

# **The Location**

A magnet for young people from around the world, the lively seaside town of Brighton with it beaches, pier, fun fairs and many local festivals is the perfect choice for our junior programme. Brighton is ideally located for exploring the best of the UK with London just a 50 minute train journey away.

# **The School**

Our school buildings are located in the Hove area of the city close to shops, cafes, leisure centre and the beach. For older juniors (12 -17 years), the course combines English tuition with a fun and varied programme of activities and excursions, allowing students to improve their English both in and out of the classroom.

In addition, during the summer, we offer mixed level, English classes to our youngest students (6-11 years). For children under 12, a parent or nominated guardian will be required to drop off and pick up their children from the school.

# Course

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week (16.7 hours)
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- 5 morning or afternoon activities and 4 evening activities (ages 12-17 years)
- Full day excursions on Saturday (ages 12-17 years)
- Full board accommodation in single or twin room homestay (ages 12-17 years)
- Max. 16 students per class
- Option to take the Young Achievers Exam

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Projectors/flat screens



Garden

Student lounge



Table tennis



Free WIFI



# Sample week on the luniors Programme at LSI Brighton

				3		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills/	Departure Day or Full Day Trip			
	Break Time					to London
	Integrated skills					
	Lunch - lunch vo					
	Orientation Tour	Beach Volley	Bowling	Sports Afternoon	Trip to Seven Sisters (chalk cliffs)	
	Welcome Party	Karaoke Party	Free Evening	Film Night	Quiz & Games Evening	









# Cambridge

# Ages

9-11 years (summer only) and 12-17 years (winter and summer). The winter programme is for organised groups only.

During the summer students will generally be classed in groups aged 9-12 and 13-17. Classes may occasionally cross these age ranges if of academic benefit. Ages 9-11 are only accepted if accompanied by an elder sibling, guardian or group leader.

# **The Location**

Cambridge is the perfect place for young people to study, combining a fun and vibrant atmosphere with a tradition for learning and study. Cambridge itself is ideally placed for exploring the best that the UK has to offer, with London only 50 minutes away by train and the beautiful Norfolk coastline only one hour in the other direction.

# **The School**

The LSI Cambridge Course for juniors is situated in a central area within walking distance of the train station and both the historic and commercial city centre. During the summer classes and activities are taken with the young learners on the Cambridge Residence Programme. The social programme takes full advantage of all the city has to offer, from the world famous museums and botanical gardens of Cambridge University to laser quest and cinema.

# Course

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week (16.7 hours)
- · Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/Saturday excursions (all ages)
- Full board accommodation in twin room homestay (ages 12-17 years)
- · Max. 16 students per class

# Accommodation

### Homestay

Twin room homestay accommodation is available with one of our warm and welcoming hosts around the city. All of the rooms offer a desk, chair and free laundry service. Breakfast and evening meals are included and a packed lunch will be provided

Please note that in accordance with UK law, 12–15 year olds can only stay in a homestay for a maximum of 4 weeks (27 nights).

### Facilities include:

- Breakfast and evening meals provided
- · Packed lunches provided for full day
- Towels and bed linen provided







# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Projectors/flat screens

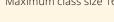




Garden



Free WIFI











# Sample week on the Day Camp or Homestay Programme at LSI Cambridge

	Monday			Thursday	Friday						
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	3,									
	Break Time										
	Integrated skills	/Project Work									
	Lunch										
	Historical walking tour	Punting on the river	Trip to Fitzwilliam Museum	Bowling	Cambridge Safari Trail						
	Dinner in Homes	stay									









# Cambridge Residence







# Ages

9-12 years and 13-17 years (summer only)

Students will generally be classed in groups aged 9-12 and 13-17. Classes may occasionally cross these age ranges if of academic benefit. Ages 9-11 are only accepted if accompanied by an elder sibling, guardian or group leader.

# **The Location**

Our summer residential programme is based on the Abbey College campus located on the southern edge of Cambridge's city centre and only a 25 minute walk from the city's historic heart. The train station and leisure park are both within a 10 minute walk.

# **The Campus**

The centre is situated on an attractive, purpose-built modern campus. The bright classrooms are fully equipped with the latest interactive technology and an on-site dining hall provides a range of freshly cooked meals. The fully enclosed accommodation block is located just across the road from the main campus building making this residential course the ideal option for our younger students who will flourish in this highly protective environment.

# **Course**

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week (16.7 hours)
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Weekday activities/Saturday excursions (all ages)
- Full board accommodation in single rooms with private bathroom (all ages)
- Max. 16 students per class
- Summer only residential programme

# Sample week on the Residential Juniors Programme at LSI Cambridge

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Departure day or trip to London						
	Break Time							
	Integrated skills/							
	Lunch							
	Historical walking tour	Punting on the river	Trip to Fitzwilliam Museum	Bowling	Cambridge Safari Trail			
	Supervised even							

# **Accommodation**

# Residence

The halls of residence offer a safe and secure environment for our students. The residence is modern and comfortable.

Facilities include:

- Self-service canteen
- Separate male and female accommodation
- Provision of towels and bed linen
- Bedrooms cleaned weekly
- · Weekly linen change
- On-site laundry
- Safe in every room
- WiF
- 24 hour security

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16

Residence and classroom on one



Interactive lessons



Site

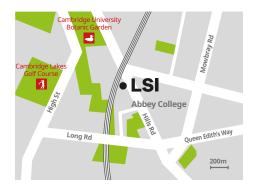


Free WIFI

On-site café



Fully supervised



# London Hampstead

# **Ages**

6-11 and 12-17.

The programme for ages 6-11 includes tuition only.

# **The Location**

LSI London Hampstead is located in the heart of Hampstead Village, a leafy and prosperous suburb close to central London. Our school is situated on a picturesque residential street providing a quiet, safe place to study, yet we are just 20 minutes from Oxford St and the city centre by Underground, perfectly placed to enjoy all the attractions of London.

# **The School**

For older juniors (12–17 years), the course combines English tuition with a fun and varied programme of activities and excursions, allowing students to improve their English both in and out of the classroom.

For younger juniors (6–11 years) we offer morning, mixed ability, English classes only and a parent or nominated guardian will be required to drop off and pick up their children at the start and end of morning classes.

Our beautiful school building also houses some of our adult classes (ages 16+), so juniors who come with a parent or older sibling can study in the same building as part of our Family Programme.

# **Course**

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week (16.7 hours)
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/Saturday excursions (ages 12-17 years)
- Full board accommodation in twin room homestay (ages 12-17 years)
- Max. 16 students per class



# **Accommodation**

# Homestay for ages 12-17 years

Our homestays hosts are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about British culture while they study English. Under-16s may be placed with students who speak the same language as them so they can travel to and from school together more easily and feel more at home.

Please note that in accordance with UK law, 12–15 year olds can only stay in a homestay for a maximum of 4 weeks (27 nights).

# Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- · Good, reliable transport links

# Accommodation for ages 6–11 years

For our younger juniors, we can point you in the direction of accommodation options.



# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Projectors/flat screens



Student lounge



Garden



Table tennis



Free WIFI

# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI London Hampstead

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Departure Day or Full Day Trip				
	Break Time	to Greenwich / River Thames				
	Integrated skills/	Cruise				
	Packed Lunch					
	Shopping at Camden Market	The National Gallery	West End Musical	Shakespeare's Globe Theatre	Madame Tussauds	
	Dinner in Homes	tay				













# **London Ealing**

# **Ages**

12-17 years. Summer programmes only.

# **The Location**

Ealing is a pretty, family-oriented, residential area in west London, full of cafes, shops and parks. Located in Zone 3, and with excellent transport links, it takes just 20 minutes to reach central London by tube.

# **The School**

This summer programme will take place at Ealing Green College just 10 minutes walk from Ealing Broadway Station. The College overlooks Ealing's main park, Walpole Park. The course combines English tuition with fun activities and excursions enjoying all that the London has to offer.

# Course

- 20 x 45 minute lessons per week (15 hours)
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/Saturday excursions
- Full board accommodation in twin room homestay
- · Max. 16 students per class

# **Accommodation**

# Homestay

LSI homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about British culture while they study English. Under-16s may be placed with students who speak the same language as them so they can travel to and from school together more easily and feel more at home.

Please note that in accordance with UK law, 12–15 year olds can only stay in a homestay for a maximum of 4 weeks (27 nights).

# Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- · Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- · Good, reliable transport links

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Homestays in Ealing



Free WIFI



On-site café





"The teacher is very good and the class is funny. I loved studying here! My host parents are friendly, and the house is very good."

MATEUS MORAIS, BRAZIL

# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI London Ealing

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Departure Day or Full Day Trip						
	Break Time					to Hampton		
	Integrated skills/	Court Palace						
	Packed Lunch							
	Trafalgar Square & National Gallery	Sports Afternoon	Afternoon Quiz	Madame Tussauds	Covent Garden Shopping Trip			
	Dinner in Homes	tay						



# **New York**

# **Ages**

12-17 years.

# **The Location**

New York is truly one of the world's great cities. World-famous attractions including Times Square, the Statue of Liberty, Central Park and the Metropolitan Museum of Art are just the beginning of what is guaranteed to be an amazing experience in this exciting and inspiring metropolis.

# **The School**

The programme is based on the campus of a private college just north of the city, just 45 minutes from midtown Manhattan. The course combines English tuition with fun activities and excursions taking in the best of the Big Apple.

# **Course**

- 15 lessons per week
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/weekend excursions
- Full board residential accommodation in shared room
- Max. 16 students per class

# **GROUPS ONLY**

# **Accommodation**

### Residence

The halls of residence offer a safe and secure environment for our students. The residence is modern and comfortable. Students will be placed in shared suites, consisting of two or three rooms each accommodating two or three students with a shared bathroom in each suite.

Facilities include:

- · Self-service cafeteria
- Vending machines
- Provision of towels and bed linen
- Bedrooms cleaned weekly and communal areas cleaned daily
- Public telephone facilities
- Coin-operated laundry
- · Common room on each floor
- 24 hour security

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Good transport links

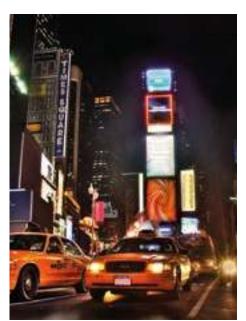


Free WIFI



# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI New York

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday			
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills.	Integrated skills/Project Work						
	Break Time	Liberty and Ellis Island							
	Induction and first lesson	Integrated skills.	ISIANU						
	Lunch								
	Downtown Tour	Museum of Natural History	Shopping 5th Avenue, Soho, Macy's	Empire State Building	Metropolitan Museum & Hard Rock				
	Circle Line cruise	Film night	Dinner out	Gym	Disco				















# Boston



"The teachers respect differences in cultures and are open to all kinds of conversation topics."

ELMA CAUSEVIC, BOSNIA



# **Ages**

12-17 years.

# **The Location**

One of America's oldest cities, Boston is located on the Atlantic coast along the Charles River and Boston Harbour. This cultural, and educational centre of the East Coast features attractions such as the Freedom Trail and Quincy Marketplace. Boston Public Garden, Newbury Street, Harvard Square and Fenway Park are just a few of the other famous sites you'll find in this beautiful and historic city.

# **The School**

Our school in Boston is situated in a commercial brownstone building on the borders of Chinatown and the Theatre and Financial Districts. The course combines English tuition with fun activities and excursions enjoying all that the Boston area has to offer.

# Course

- 20 lessons per week
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/weekend excursions
- Full board homestay accommodation in shared room
- 12 year olds are only accepted in a chaperoned group or if accompanied by their parents
- Max. 16 students per class

# **Accommodation**

# Homestay

LSI Homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about American culture while they study English.

Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- · Good, reliable transport links

# Residence

Subject to availability, LSI Boston offers residence accommodation to chaperoned groups only. Students must have a minimum age of 13 years old.

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Interactive lessons
Student lounge



Good transport links



Free WIFI



# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI Boston

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills/	Full day guided walking tour:					
	Break Time		The Freedom Trail					
	Induction and first lesson	Integrated skills/	ntegrated skills/Project Work					
	Lunch							
	Harvard University Tour	Boston Tea Party Ships and Museum	Games and sports afternoon	Shopping on Newbury Street	Quincy Market / Faneuil Hall			
	Dinner with Hom	estays Hosts						









# San Diego

# Ages

6-11 and 12-17. Please enquire about options for children under 6.

The published programme for ages 6-11 years includes tuition only but the school can arrange tuition and activities programme on request.

# The Location

San Diego is a beautiful coastal town in Southern California. Year-round perfect weather, miles of beaches, breathtaking mountains and spectacular deserts within easy reach of the city all combine to make San Diego one of the USA's best vacation destinations. This easy-going city is packed with things to see and do, making it one of the friendliest and most fun places for kids and teenagers to study English in the USA.

# **The School**

The programme is based at our central LSI school. For older juniors (12–17 years), the course includes English tuition and a variety of activities and excursions. For younger juniors (6–11 years) we offer morning English classes in mixed ability classes.

### Course

- · 20 lessons per week
- · Elementary to Advanced levels
- · Morning or afternoon activities/weekly excursions (ages 12-17 years)
- Full board homestay accommodation in shared room (ages 12-17 years)
- · 12 year olds are only accepted in a chaperoned group or if accompanied by their parents
- Students aged 6-11 can only study with parents or guardians as part of the Family Programme
- · Max. 18 students per class

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# **Accommodation**

# Homestay

LSI Homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about American culture while they study English.

Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- · Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- · Good, reliable transport links

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 18



Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Lunch room



Student computers



Free WIFI

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# DOMINGO CHANG, TAIWAN Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI San Diego

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills	/Project Work		
	Break Time				
	Induction and first lesson	Integrated skills	/Project Work		
	Lunch				
	City tour	San Diego Zoo	Games and sports afternoon	Old Town Mexican village	Beach volleyball

journey on the LSI San Diego English for Juniors











# San Francisco/Berkeley

# Ages

12-17 years.

# **The Location**

Berkeley is a friendly and vibrant college town in the East Bay, just half an hour by public transport from all the major attractions of San Francisco and the rest of the Bay Area. The city is known for its lively arts community, a thriving cultural scene and its many green spaces, as well as being home to UC Berkeley, America's premier public university.

# **The School**

The programme is based at our friendly and well-equipped school in the heart of downtown, just one block from the university campus and close to the eclectic shops and cafes of Telegraph Avenue. The course combines English tuition with fun activities and excursions.

# **Accommodation**

### Homestay

LSI Homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about American culture while they study English.

# Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- · Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- · Good, reliable transport links

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Central location



Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Table tennis



Free WIFI

# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI San Francisco/Berkeley

Sunday				Thursday		Saturday		
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills	Alcatraz Tour					
	Break Time							
	Induction and Integrated skills/Project work first lesson							
	Lunch							
	San Francisco city tour	Giants or A's baseball game	Games and sports afternoon	Shopping on Telegraph Avenue	BBQ in the park			



# **Course**

- 20 lessons per week
- Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/weekly excursions
- Full board homestay accommodation in shared room
- 12 year olds are only accepted in a chaperoned group or if accompanied by their parents
- Max. 16 students per class

















# **Toronto**

# Ages

6-11 years (summer only) and 12-17 years (winter programmes for organised groups and summer programmes for individuals and groups). The programme for ages 6-11 includes tuition only.

# The Location

Toronto is Canada's largest city and one of its most vibrant and dynamic. It boasts many attractions offering a rich learning experience to young students, while also remaining an exceptionally safe city with excellent public transport facilities and worldclass shopping, restaurants and cafes.

# **The School**

Our Junior programme is based at our fun, friendly and caring school in the charming residential neighbourhood of Rosedale, close to the city centre. For older juniors (12 -17 years), the course combines English tuition with a fun and varied programme of activities and excursions, allowing students to improve their English both in and out of the classroom. In addition, during the summer, we offer mixed level, English classes to our youngest students (6-11 years). For children under 12, a parent or nominated guardian will be required to drop off and pick up their children from the school. As the centre also runs adult classes, LSI Toronto is perfect for families wishing to study together on our Family programme.

# Course

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week
- · Elementary to Advanced levels
- Day camp available offering classes (all ages) or classes with daily activities and weekend excursions (ages 12-17 years)
- For students aged 13 -17 years, full board accommodation provided in twin room homestay OR single room residential accommodation. Residence option only available to groups during summer.
- · Option to take the Young Achievers Exam course



- For students aged 12 or under, homestay accommodation only available when accompanied by guardian/parent in the homestay
- Max. 16 students per class

# **Accommodation**

### Homestay

LSI Homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about Canadian culture while they study English.

# Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- Bed linen and towels provided
- Free laundry facilities
- Good, reliable transport links

# Residence (summer only)

Accommodation is provided in Pitman Hall, Ryerson University, a comfortable, modern residence located in the heart of downtown Toronto. The residence is only 4 subway stops or 20 minutes away door-to-door from the LSI Toronto campus. Students must be aged 13 or older and be part of an organised group.

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Lunch room



Good transport links



Free WIFI



# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI Toronto

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday			
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Grammar, vocab	Grammar, vocabulary skills						
	Break Time								
	Induction and first lesson	Project Work							
	Lunch								
	CN Tower	Games and sports afternoon	Casa Loma visit	Toronto Zoo	Games and sports afternoon				



# Vancouver





# **Ages**

12-17 years (winter programmes for organised groups and summer programmes for individuals and groups).

# The Location

Vancouver is located on the west coast of Canada. It is Canada's third largest city and is one of the world's most beautiful and safe cities. Vancouver is very multi-cultural, with people living happy lives with others from all over the world. Located between the Pacific Ocean and the beautiful Coast Mountains this modern, clean city offers a rich variety of attractions for people of all ages. The transportation system is very efficient and the international restaurants are excellent.

# **The School**

LSI Vancouver is a smaller, caring school that has been welcoming students from around the world since 1993. We are located in the heart of downtown just minutes away from great shopping and restaurants. Our English for Juniors programme combines English tuition with a variety of fun activities and excursions.

# Course

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week
- · Elementary to Advanced levels
- Morning or afternoon activities/weekend excursions
- For students aged 13-17 years, full board accommodation provided in a twin room homestay

- For 12 year olds, homestay accommodation only available when accompanied by quardian/parent in the homestay
- · Max. 16 students per class

# **Accommodation**

# Homestay

LSI Homestays are carefully selected, monitored and visited regularly by our accommodation officer. Homestays offer students the opportunity to learn more about Canadian culture while they study English.

# Facilities include:

- Friendly and welcoming atmosphere
- · Bed linen and towels provided
- $\bullet \ \mathsf{Free} \ \mathsf{laundry} \ \mathsf{facilities}$
- · Good, reliable transport links

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Central location

Interactive lessons



Student lounge



Good transport links



Free WIFI



# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI Vancouver

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Arrival or free day	Welcome and placement test	Integrated skills/	Project work			Day trip to Whistler
	Break Time					
	Project Work					
	Lunch					
	Visit to Lighthouse Park	Lazer Tag	Aquarium	Whitecaps Game	Science World	
Dinner in Homes	stay					











# **Paris**

# **GROUPS ONLY**

# Ages

12-17 years.

# **The Location**

Our centre is located in the historic heart of Paris right by the Pompidou centre and within easy reach of famous Paris landmarks such as Notre-Dame and the elegant bohemian districts of Marais and Les Halles. Hôtel de Ville and Rambuteau metro stations are a 5 minute walk from the school.

# The School

All classes take place in our modern, state of the art school building close to the Pompidou centre. As adults study in the same building, the day camp is ideal for families wishing to study on the Family Programme. Our residential programme is open to 13 to 17 year olds. Students are accommodated in a comfortable residence just a short ten minute walk away from the school in the Marais district.

# Course

- 20 x 50 minute lessons per week (16.7 hours)
- · Elementary to Advanced levels
- Weekday activities/Saturday excursions
- Day camp available offering classes only or classes with activities
- Full board in residential accommodation in shared rooms (13 -17 years)
- Max. 16 students per class

# **Accommodation**

### Residence

The halls of residence offer a safe and secure environment for our students. The residence is set in pretty 17th Century building typical of the Marais district. Students sleep in singlesex dormitories and are fully supervised.

# Facilities include:

- Shared rooms for up to 10 people
- · Provision of bed linen (towels not supplied)
- Vending machines
- Student common room
- Self-service restaurant
- · Safety deposit boxes available
- 24 hour security
- Public telephone facilities
- Coin-operated laundry
- · Common room on each floor

# **Key Features**



Maximum class size 16



Interactive lessons



Residence and school within walking distance



Central location



Free WIFI



Student lounge



# Sample week on the Juniors Programme at LSI Paris

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
Arrival or free day	Welcome, testing and first lesson	Grammar, vocabulary skills d first						
	Break Time							
	Project work	Project work						
	Lunch							
	Parc Floral	River Cruise on the Bateaux Mouches	Centre Pompidou	Cité des Sciences	Montmartre			
	Supervised evening activities							



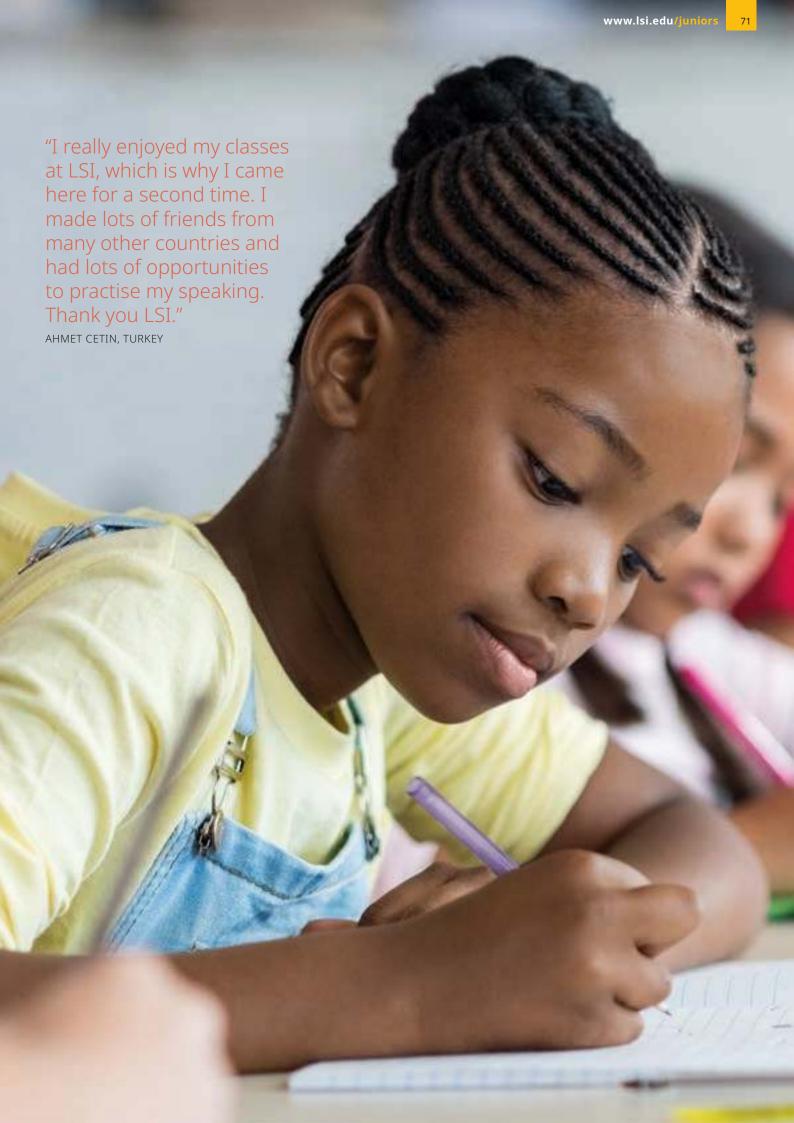












# Family Programme

# **LSI Family Programme**

Designed for parents who wish to combine a family holiday with their language studies, the LSI Family Programme allows parents to choose from a wide selection of adult courses while their children follow one of LSI's specialised language programmes for juniors. Classroom activities and teaching methods are specially adapted to suit both adults and children, ensuring that the whole family will have fun while learning.

The family programme is offered in all LSI schools where the Juniors programme is run.

# LSI Family Programme for Younger Juniors (6–11 years)

For our youngest students (6 -11 years), LSI runs a summer family programme at San Diego, Toronto, Brighton, Cambridge (9-11 years) and London Hampstead. A winter programme is also available at London Hampstead and San Diego. In most locations, the programme is offered on a course only basis except for Cambridge where it is offered with optional activities. Our school in San Diego can also organise an activity package on request.

Depending on the family size and availability, LSI can organise accommodation in a homestay or in apartments. Our centre in San Diego also offers an on-site child care option for children under 6 years of age with qualified teachers who will provide ageappropriate lessons, activities, and crafts in a fun and nurturing environment. The younger children may also accompany their siblings and parents on activities and excursions, such as the San Diego Children's Museum, Balboa Park, and San Diego Zoo.

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