

WHITGIFT

SUMMER SCHOOL PRE-IB COURSE

The ultimate course to prepare students for the International Baccalaureate

Why prepare for the IB at Whitgift?

- > Whitgift is in the Top 20 schools for IB in the world
- > The 2020 average points score at Whitgift was 40/45
- > Study with Whitgift students
- > Course designed by Whitgift's Director of IB
- > Lessons taught by experienced IB teachers
- > Our course prepares you for your first year as an IB student



Course structure – an overview

On our three-week course, students study a different IB subject each week. The afternoon lesson is project based and linked to the learner attributes valued by IB World Schools: students work collaboratively on creative and entrepreneurial tasks and present their findings to the rest of the school on Friday afternoons.

Timings	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3
Morning 9:00 – 12:30	English Literature & Language Acquisition	Maths & Statistics	Integrated Science
Afternoon 13:30 – 15:45	Progressive Skills in Action	Progressive Skills in Action	Progressive Skills in Action

KEY FACTS – 2021

- > Residential and non-residential spaces available to boys and girls aged 15-16 years old
- > Study English Literature & Language Acquisition, Maths & Stats and Integrated Science
- > Minimum B2 level of English required
- > Candidates interviewed before being offered a place on the course
- > CAS and TOK integrated in all aspects of course
- > Weekly reports on students' progress
- > 30 minutes from Central London
- > 45 minutes from London Gatwick, 1 hour from London Heathrow
- > Full and varied activities and excursions programme
- > World class sport facilities



Type of Stay	Length of Stay	Dates Summer 2021	Price
Residential	3 weeks	Sunday 11 July – Sunday 1 August	£5000
		Sunday 1 August – Sunday 22 August	
Non-Residential	3 weeks	Sunday 11 July – Sunday 1 August	£4000
		Sunday 1 August – Sunday 22 August	

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TYPICAL WEEK

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:20 – 9:00	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
9:00 – 12:30	IB lessons	IB lessons	IB lessons	IB lessons	IB lessons
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
13:30 – 15:45	Progressive Skills in Action	Progressive Skills in Action	Half-day excursion <i>e.g. London Eye, West End Musical, Buckingham Palace</i>	Progressive Skills in Action	Progressive Skills in Action
16:15 – 17:45	Academies/ Activities	Academies/ Activities		Academies/ Activities	Academies/ Activities
18:45 – 19:30	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Graduation Ceremony & Prize-giving (18:30 – 19:15)
19:30 – 21:30	Evening options <i>e.g. Mini Olympics, Fashion Show, Yoga</i>	Evening options <i>e.g. Basketball tournament, T-shirt design, Orienteering</i>	Chill evening options <i>e.g. Quiz, Table Tennis, Film, Pamper night</i>	Whole School Event <i>e.g. Laser Tag</i>	BBQ (19:15 – 20:00) Disco (20:00 – 21:30)
	Saturday			Sunday (arrival/departure day)	
8:20 – 9:00	Breakfast			Quiet morning	
9:00 – 18:45	Full-day excursion <i>e.g. Harry Potter Studios, Thorpe Park</i>		10:30 – 11:30	Brunch	
			12:00 – 17:45	British Garden Party/Shopping Trip	
18:45 – 19:30	Dinner		18:30 – 19:30	Dinner	
19:30 – 21:00	House Night		19:30 – 21:30	Induction/Team-building games	
21:00 – 22:00	Farewells and Packing				

