

SMALL COUNTRY

Big Summer



Summer in Switzerland
at Leysin American School

2024 : 24 June - 12 July & 15 July - 03 August

DAILY SCHEDULE

7:00 - 8:45 Breakfast

9:00 - 12:00 Morning Program

Choose ONE Track per summer session prior to arrival.

Language Acquisition
English or French

Enrichment
Choose 3: Creative Writing; Da Vinci Lab; Environmental Science & Sustainability; Film & Literature; Math Class; Model UN

Leadership
Alpine Leadership or ICE (Innovation, Creativity & Entrepreneurship)

12:15 - 13:30 Lunch

14:00 - 15:45 Afternoon Clubs

Choose ONE club per summer session prior to arrival.

Team Sports • Visual Arts • Robotics & Programming
Performing Arts • Hiking & Climbing • Cooking & Baking

16:15 - 17:45 Afternoon Activities

Sign up for activities weekly while on campus.

18:00 - 19:00 Dinner

19:30 - 21:30 Evening Socials

All students participate in Dorm Nights & campus-wide social events.

Morning Program Tracks

Language Acquisition:

Students select either **English** or **French** to study, which are available at the beginner, intermediate, and advanced study levels.

Leadership:

Alpine Leadership: Students challenge themselves physically and mentally by participating in a robust outdoor experience while learning orienteering, first aid, survival skills, and rock-climbing.

Innovation, Creativity, & Entrepreneurship (ICE): Students explore what it takes to be a successful social innovator, how to define problems, devise solutions for impact, and turn ideas into action.

(Additional CHF 500 Fee)

Enrichment (select 3):

Creative Writing: Exploring the world through the art of the written word.

Da Vinci Lab: Students will build things and take things apart to pursue their interests in an environment dedicated to STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, & Math).

Environmental Science & Sustainability: Gain scientific knowledge of the natural world, the organisms that inhabit it, and social sciences central to sustainability.

Film & Literature: Examine the interactions between film & literary texts and the qualities of each.

Mathematics: Statistics; Discrete Logic; Geometry.

Model United Nations: Refine your research skills, public speaking, and collaborate while studying public events.



Afternoon Clubs

After lunch, students attend a club of their choice (selected before arrival):

Performing Arts • Hiking & Climbing
Team Sports • Robotics & Programming
Cooking & Baking • Visual Arts

Afternoon Activities and Evening Socials

Before dinner, students will select an activity, changing daily (including but not limited to): ukulele, painting, baking, hiking, ice skating, sports, climbing, dirt biking, swimming, horseback riding, ping pong, arts & crafts, and guitar. During the evenings, students enjoy dormitory socials, including movie nights, fashion shows, sports nights, game nights, and so much more.

The Faculty Family Program is a hallmark of LAS and Summer in Switzerland. Each family includes two or three staff “parents” who oversee a group of similarly-aged students during the summer session. Families have meals, attend events, and enjoy various activities together.

Weekends at LAS

Weekends include a delicious brunch, followed by activities out of town and a late return to Leysin. We end the day with a fun family dinner and an evening activity. Weekend evenings include talent shows, karaoke parties, dances, and social events in the dormitories.

Campus Life

Students are divided into two age groups (9-12 & 13-16) and reside in doubles, triples, and quads on campus, with roommates from around the world! Each room has ensuite facilities, a safe, desk, a chair, a wardrobe, and incredible views of the Swiss Alps!

Our dormitories have amenities that make them feel like home—a fully functional kitchen space, common areas and lounges, and laundry facilities. Every dormitory is staffed by a Dorm Head and team of Dorm Parents who reside in the building and are available at any time, day or night. Our Health Center is also open seven days a week.



75 YEARS OF *Summer*

Celebrating our summer family, 75 years in the making in 2024! Join LAS Summer in Switzerland this coming summer for the experience of a lifetime. Our program combines all the elements of an incredible summer of living and learning in an international community.

When our students talk about what brings them back year after year, we hear about the friendships they have forged, the adventures taken, and the memories created.

2024 Dates & Fees

Session 1: 24 June - 12 July
Session 2: 15 July - 03 August

LAS Summer Fee:
8,800 CHF (one session)
or 15,800 CHF (both sessions)

For more details, application and contact information, visit: las.ch/summer or scan the QR code below:

