

Shiplake College

FOR JUNIORS AND TEENAGERS FROM 9 YEARS UP TO 17 YEARS
SUITABLE FOR GROUPS AND INDIVIDUAL STUDENTS

COLLEGE
AND HOME STAY
ACCOMMODATION



24 miles
from Heathrow
60 miles
from Gatwick
80 miles
from Stansted



39 miles from
Central London
Full day London
excursion



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Shiplake College, Accommodation



Shiplake College was founded in 1959 as a school for 120 boys, the buildings date from the 18th and 19th Century with later additions. The school now has approximately 325 boys, both day and residential. The College is based on Shiplake Court with its estate buildings, including the boathouse, Tithe Barn and Stable Block. The well known Victorian architect, Ernest George, designed the main building. Shiplake College is approximately 3km from the centre of Henley-on-Thames, an attractive riverside town, famous for the Henley Royal Regatta held each year at the beginning of July. Following the Regatta there is a festival of music and literature which takes place in marquees along the banks of the river. A bus service runs between Reading and Henley on Thames passing the entrance of the College. There is a local railway station at Shiplake with connections via Twyford to both Reading and London Paddington.

ACCOMMODATION

RESIDENTIAL *Maximum number of beds: 270*

- Mainly two to four beds in each room, some larger rooms available. Shower and wc's in each house.
- Full board – Breakfast, lunch and evening meal. Packed lunch with full day excursions.

HOMESTAY

- Carefully selected hosts available in the local area on full board basis

FACILITIES

- Outdoor heated swimming pool
- Sports hall
- 4 tennis courts
- Playing fields
- Classrooms
- Indoor theatre
- Beautiful riverside location



Dining Hall



Swimming Pool



College House Accommodation



Henley



Sports Hall



Tennis Courts



Disco



Example of multi-bedded room

This is an example of a Summer programme at Shiplake College

Sample programme

POSSIBLE 2 WEEK PROGRAMME

*Lessons may be in the mornings or the afternoons

Day 1	Arrive at the Centre – Ice breaker – Welcome Games
Day 2	9.00-12.30 Lessons 14.00-17.30 Sports & Leisure Activities
Day 3	9.00-12.30 Lessons 14.00-17.30 Sports & Leisure Activities
Day 4	9.00-12.30 Lessons 14.00-17.30 HALF DAY EXCURSION TO WINDSOR & WINDSOR CASTLE
Day 5	9.00-12.30 Lessons 14.00-17.30 Sports & Leisure Activities
Day 6	9.00-12.30 Lessons 14.00-17.30 Sports & Leisure Activities
Day 7	9.00-6.00 FULL DAY EXCURSION TO OXFORD
Day 8	Sports & Leisure Activities on campus
Day 9	9.00-12.30 Sports & Leisure Activities 14.00-17.30 Lessons
Day 10	9.00-12.30 Sports & Leisure Activities 14.00-17.30 Lessons
Day 11	9.00-12.30 HALF DAY EXCURSION TO READING 14.00-17.30 Lessons
Day 12	9.00-12.30 Sports & Leisure Activities 14.00-17.30 Lessons
Day 13	9.00-12.30 Sports & Leisure Activities 14.00-17.30 Lessons
Day 14	9.00-6.00 FULL DAY EXCURSION TO LONDON & RIVER THAMES CRUISE
Day 15	Departure from the Centre

ENGLISH LESSONS

Our English Course is based on the communicative approach to learning English. Student's are able to practice fluency skills through a variety of fun and stimulating activities. Lessons are enjoyable, interactive and are designed to help improve not only knowledge of English but also confidence in using the language.

ARDMORE GENERAL ENGLISH PACKAGE INCLUDES (per week):

- 15 Hours of English Lessons per week (maximum of 15 students per class)
- One half day and one full day excursion per week (see programme)
- Full Multi Activity Programme, including; Football, Arts & Crafts, Aerobics, Badminton, Tennis, Volleyball, Basketball, Hockey, Dance, Swimming and more.....
- Evening Activity Programme which may include; Talent Show, Culture Show, Blind Date, Disco, Games Evening, Sports Tournaments.



Swimming Pool

STUDENT WELFARE & SUPERVISION:

- Lessons: 1 EFL teacher per 15 students
- Activities: 1 Ardmore Activity leader per 20 students
- Excursions: 1 Ardmore staff member per 20 students
- Residences: 12 years +, 1 adult per 20 students;
Under 12 years, 1 adult per 15 students

All students will also have Foreign Group Leaders and Centre Management staff supervising them during all aspects of the course. We have dedicated Welfare staff to ensure student's safety and supervision is our priority during their stay.

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