







*"Welcome to BLC International in the heart of our city. BLC's lively, modern, inclusive and vibrant approach to language learning gives you the best platform to build your confidence and ability in English. I look forward to meeting you here in Brighton."*

Gary Charles Farmer  
Centre Director BLC International

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# brighton

## our exciting city by the sea

Ever since royal party animal George IV (The Prince Regent) fell in love with Brighton back in the 18th Century, the city has been a magnet for visitors in search of fun and fresh sea air.

Brighton is a regency period city which has its majestic Regency squares and crescents and the most famous building – The Royal Pavilion. Brighton is also famous for its Pier which is full of attractions and entertainment.

Today, Brighton’s reputation is a welcoming city with a passion for culture, creativity, bohemian lifestyle and alternative people. Brighton combines the charm of a coastal resort with the energy of a cosmopolitan city.

Known for its free spirit , artistic community, and progressive values, Brighton is one of the UK’s most diverse and culturally rich cities in the UK and is sometimes referred to as “London by the sea”.

There is so much to do and so many events in this colourful and vibrant city.

### 2026 events calendar



January	BrighTEN Seafront Run
February	Brighton Half Marathon Youth Race
March	Sussex Beer & Cider Festival, Vegetarian Festival
April	Brighton Marathon, Brighton Food and Drink Festival
May	Brighton Arts Festival, The Great Escape Music Festival
June	World Naked Bike Ride, London to Brighton Bike Ride
August	Brighton Food and Drink Festival, Pride Festival
September	Boundary Festival, Football season starts, Colour Run
October	Brighton Comedy Festival
November	Lewes Bonfire Night, Royal Pavilion Ice Rink (Nov/Dec)
December	Christmas Markets, Burning of the Clocks



seven sisters



burning of the clocks



lewes bonfire night

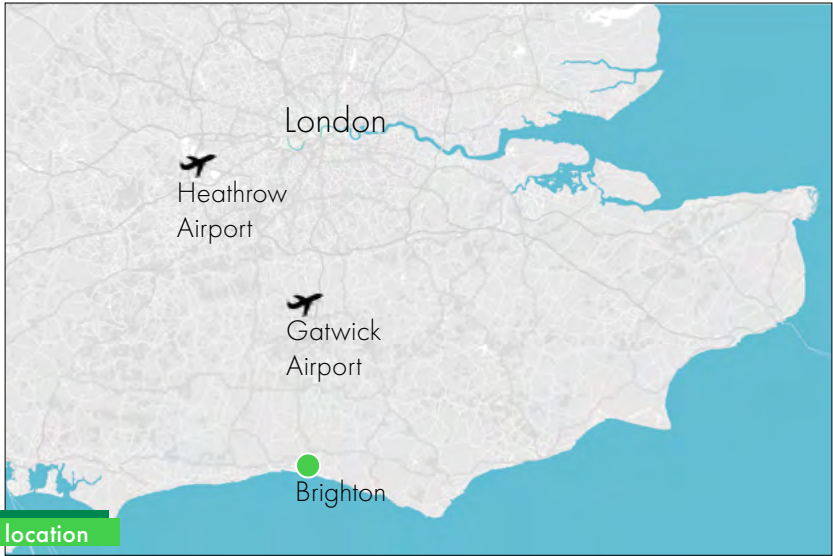


premier League football



Key Information

BLCI facts & figures

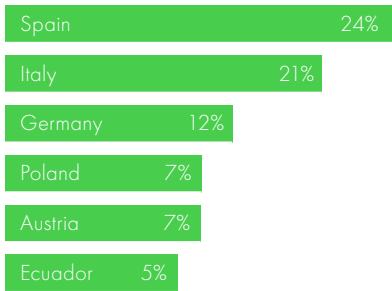


teenage classes

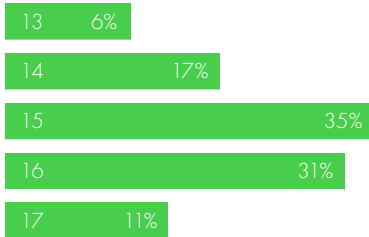


Maximum Class Sizes:		Minimum Ages:		Lesson Length:	
Teenage Vacation	18	Teenage Vacation	13	1 lesson	45 minutes
Football + English / Football + Activities	18	Football + English / Football + Activities	13	20 lessons	15 hours
Summer Vacation Intensive	18	Summer Vacation Intensive	13	35 lessons	26.25 hours
Junior English 20	18	Junior English 20	13		

nationalities



age mix



student services

helping all our students

homestay accommodation



Live in an English-speaking household and learn as you live together, a unique opportunity to improve fluency and experience our culture first hand.

BLC International homestays are 25–50 minutes away from our city centre school by public transport.

Each homestay provides a different experience of British life where you are welcomed as part of the family. All our homestays are carefully checked by our Accommodation Officers who are available at all times if you need any help while you are with BLC International.

- Teenage courses - Homestay
- Shared rooms (other shared options available)
- Full board

airport transfer service



During spring, summer and autumn we run a regular Sunday Coach Transfer Service for our Junior Vacation courses which takes the students to the school where host families collect on arrival and deliver to on departure.

BLC International can arrange private taxi transfers for our junior students. These will take students directly to their accommodation on arrival and back to the airport on their departure.



Oscar, our dog

student welfare



At BLC International we provide a complete welfare package for our junior students so you have everything you require for a successful and memorable period of study. Our Welfare Officer ensures a safe and enjoyable experience in Brighton and will provide all the information needed to maximise your stay here with us.

Please see the links below:

- [Safeguarding Policy](#)
- [Supervision Policy](#)
- [Emergency & Critical Incident Plan](#)
- [U18 Parental Consent Form](#)
- [Pre-Arrival Guide](#)

Teenage courses - Day 1

- A warm welcome, induction and orientation
- Placement test (if no on-line test submitted)
- Your initial free study materials
- An introduction to our team and students
- Information on Brighton, the college, areas of interest and our facilities
- Free Super Fast Wi-Fi (90 Mbps) access
- Out of hours emergency phone number
- An introduction to your activity programme
- Student ID card

public holidays



**Public Holidays**  
BLC International is closed on all UK Public Holidays except Easter (03.04.26 - 06.04.26). In such cases new students will start on the Tuesday if the Public Holiday is a Monday.

School Closure Dates 2026

- » 22.12.25 - 02.01.26
- » 04.05.26
- » 25.05.26
- » 31.08.26
- » 21.12.26 - 01.01.27

activity programme



Teenage course students participate in our activity programme as part of their course where it is included.





facilities

school & environment

background

Brighton Language College International was established in 1995 and relocated in 2015 with a school covering 6 colour coded floors and over 1000m². The school is situated in the city centre opposite the Royal Pavilion and only 2 minutes walk from the beach and Brighton Palace Pier & Sea Life Centre.

You are in the heart of the city each day of your studies, meaning you have all the benefits of Brighton's superb restaurants, beaches, night life, shops, entertainment and unique lifestyle in the UK's trendiest resort city.

BLC International operates from 2 buildings, 7 and 12 Old Steine. In the summer we also use the facilities of Brighton University City Centre Campus for our canteen lunch service.

school floor guide

- 6 4th Floor: one to one classrooms / large group classrooms / small group classrooms
- 5 3rd Floor: large group classrooms / small group classrooms
- 4 2nd Floor: large group classrooms / small group classrooms
- 3 1st Floor: Offices / teaching resource centre / large group classrooms
- 2 Ground Floor: Reception / large group classrooms / small group classrooms / patio
- 1 Underground: Student lounge / Coffee shop



BLC International video

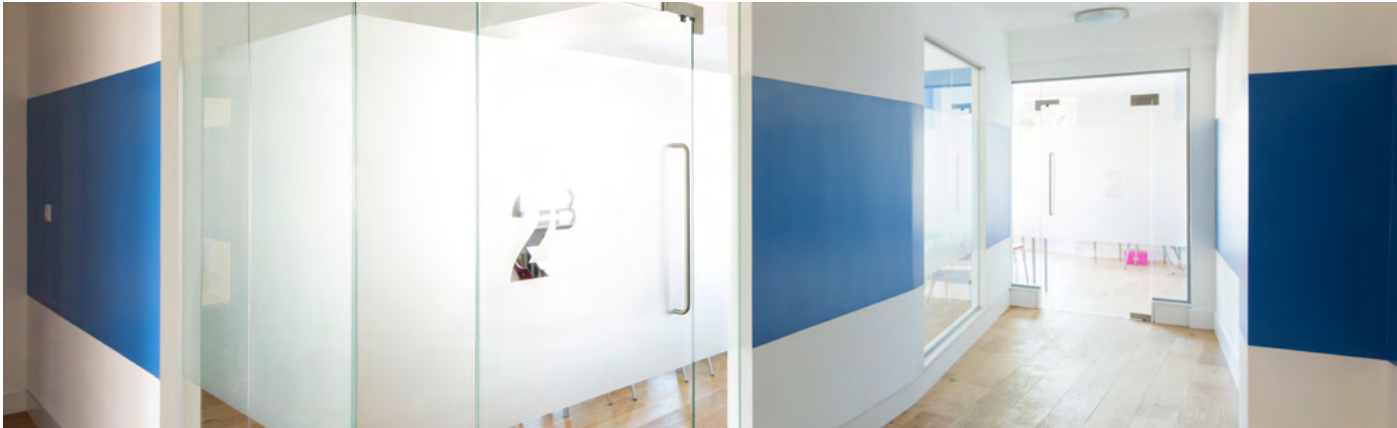


Scan the QR code with your phone or click the link to our YouTube channel [here](#)

features



- Free Super Fast Wi-Fi (70 Mbps)
- City centre school
- Reception / information desk
- Student lounge & patio
- Welfare service
- Airport Transfer service
- Accommodation service
- Royal Pavilion views
- 35 Classrooms
- Coffee shop







# teenage courses (13-17)

## teenage overview

Courses for teenagers are a complete package combining English classes, accommodation, activity programme and excursions for students from all over the world. In summer, BLC International uses the city centre facilities of the University of Brighton City Centre

Campus for hot lunches which are served on site Monday to Friday. All courses for teenagers run 7 nights, Sunday to Sunday, for arrival and departure.

Course Dates	Course Levels	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
See below	A2 - C1	18 (14 average)	1 - 4 weeks	13 - 17 (14 average)

### activities and excursions



BLC International provides a weekly schedule of activities and excursions which are in the morning or afternoon. Students are shown the activity meeting point on their first day at BLC International and this is where they meet at set times with their activity leader. All activities are compulsory. After the activity, students must return to their homestay before their curfew.

#### Curfew times

Students aged 13 - 15	21:00
Students aged 16 - 17	22:00

### accommodation



Students live with one of our experienced homestays who are within a 25 - 50 minute bus ride from the school.

Teenage vacation students are housed in a shared bedroom. Homestay accommodation encourages students to speak more English outside of the classroom and make new friends from around the world.

On the day of arrival the homestay provides information about the local buses and how to travel to and from school so they are prepared for their first day at BLC International. Homestays serve breakfast, lunch and dinner in the week. Hot lunches are provided by Brighton University for our Summer courses.

### included in the course



Course materials
Entry test
Shared room homestay
Weekly bus pass (Monday - Sunday)
Saturday full day excursion (1 per week)
Breakfast, lunch and dinner
7 night accommodation/week
Certificate of Completion
Activities and excursions

### football



Working with Brighton & Hove Albion Foundation this course offers a unique, high-quality football and English language or Activity course at the American Express Elite Football Performance Centre. Please read our dedicated course guide.



FOUNDATION

### airport transfers



#### private transfers

For students not arriving or departing within our coach transfer times or from another UK airport a private taxi must be booked with BLCI to and from the accommodation. All airport arrivals must be no later than the times below for all transfer services.

20:00	Gatwick
19:00	Heathrow
19:00	Stansted
19:00	Luton

Please note that students below the age of 16 travelling on their own must book a transfer from the airport or UK immigration may not allow them through arrivals.

#### Sunday Coach Transfer Service

BLC International provides transfers at the times below for students arriving and departing from Heathrow or Gatwick Airport on Sundays (please check the website for updates).

A BLC International representative will be waiting for students in the arrivals hall at the airport. Once the BLCI representative has collected students from the arrivals area, they are taken to a coach that is ready to go to our main school in Brighton.

Upon arrival at the school, a weekly Brighton bus pass is given to all teenage course junior students, who are then collected by their host and taken to their new home.

In 2026 we are also using a chaperoned Gatwick Express train service for some Gatwick departures.

### sunday transfer schedules



#### Gatwick - Arrivals

Scheduled arrival at Gatwick Airport  
Students using this service must book flights that land between 09:00 and 17:30.

Coach	Transfer leaves Gatwick	Transfer arrives at BLC International
G1	12:00	13:00
G2	15:00	16:00
G3	18:30	19:30

#### Gatwick - Departures

Scheduled departure from BLC International  
Students must book flights to depart from 11:00.

Coach	Transfer leaves BLC International	Transfer arrives at Gatwick
GA	08:00	09:00
GB	11:00	12:00

#### Heathrow - Arrivals

Scheduled arrival at Heathrow Airport  
Students must book flights to land at the airport between 09:00 and 17:30.

Coach	Transfer leaves Heathrow	Transfer arrives at BLC International
H1	12:00	13:45
H2	15:00	16:45
H3	18:30	20:15

#### Heathrow - Departures

Scheduled departure from BLC International  
Students must book flights to depart from 12:00.

Coach	Coach departure from BLC International	Transfer arrives at Heathrow
HA	08:00	09:45
HB	11:00	12:45

Transfers are organised to coincide with student's departure time (2 hours before flight departure). Students wishing to leave on an earlier coach must notify the school in advance. BLC International is not liable for any missed flights. It is advisable to arrive as early as possible at the airport. Students leaving on late flights are welcome to take the last coach to the airport with the expectation of a longer waiting time.



teenage courses (13-17)

winter vacation

Enjoy unforgettable seasonal activities like ice skating in front of the stunning Royal Pavilion. Join an international group for 20 engaging lessons per week, and take part in 5 exciting activities plus one full-day weekend excursion—perfect for exploring and making new friends.

Course Dates:	11.01.26 - 01.02.26
Maximum Class Size:	18 (14 average)
Lessons per week:	20 (15 hours)
Daily Schedule:	AM Tuition / PM Activities
Course Materials:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 – 17
Course Code:	W20



Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45– 10:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals / Departures Free Day
10:15 - 10:30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break		
10:30– 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
Activity	Indoor Climbing	Ice Skating	Excursion - Lewes	Brighton Pier	Theatre Visit		
Evening	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay		

Activities are an example only, schedules are confirmed each week and published on site

teenage courses (13-17)

spring vacation

Course Dates	Course Levels	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
See below	A2 - C1	18 (14 average)	1 – 4 weeks	13 – 17 (15 average)

Immerse yourself in a vibrant international learning experience. Study 20 lessons per week in a diverse group of students from around the world, and enjoy 8 engaging activities plus one full-day weekend excursion to explore and connect. Please note: Brighton Language College International remains open over the Easter weekend.

Students alternate between Schedule A and B each week for a varied and enriching experience.

Course Dates:	22.03.26 - 19.04.26
Maximum Class Size:	18 (14 average)
Lessons per week:	20 (15 hours)
Daily Schedule A:	AM Tution / PM Activities
Daily Schedule B:	AM Activities / PM Tuition
Course Materials:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 – 17
Course Code:	S20



Schedule A	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45 – 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
Activity 1	Marina Boat Trip	Sports	Excursion - 7 Sisters	Brighton Palace Pier	Cream tea		
Activity 2	-	i360	Lazer Zone	Fish & Chips	-		

Schedule B	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Activity 1	Marina Boat Trip	Sports	Excursion - 7 Sisters	Brighton Palace Pier	Cream tea	Arundel Castle and Town	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
13:00 – 16:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
Activity 2	-	i360	Lazer Zone	Fish & Chips	-		

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summer vacation

Enjoy a dynamic summer experience with 20 lessons per week, 8 exciting activities, and 1 full-day excursion each week, perfect for learning, exploring, and making lifelong memories.

Each day, students are treated to hot buffet lunches, served at the University of Brighton City Campus, just a short walk from our main school in the heart of the city.

To keep things fresh and flexible, students alternate between Schedule A and B each week—with morning lessons in Week 1, followed by afternoon lessons in Week 2, and so on.

Summer Dates	14.06.26 - 30.08.26
Maximum Class Size:	18 (15 average)
Lessons per week:	20 (15 hours)
Daily Schedule A:	AM Tuition / PM Activities
Daily Schedule B:	AM Activities / PM Tuition
Course Materials:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 – 17
Course Code:	V20



Schedule A	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45 – 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
Activity 1	Sports	Royal Pavilion Visit	Beach Volleyball	Excursion - Lewes	Sea Kayaking		
Activity 2	-	Bowling	Student Party	Fish & Chips	-		
Schedule B	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Activity 1	Sports	Royal Pavilion Visit	Beach Volleyball	Excursion - Lewes	Sea Kayaking	Arundel Castle and Town	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
13:00 – 16:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
Activity 2	-	Bowling	Student Party	Fish & Chips	-		







# teenage courses (13-17)

## summer vacation intensive

Course Dates	Minimum Course Level	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
See below	A2	18 (14 average)	1 - 4 weeks	14 - 17 (15 average)

Make the most of your summer with our action-packed Intensive English programme designed just for teens!

Join students from around the world for 35 fun and focused lessons per week in the mornign and afternoon helping you boost your confidence and improve your English quickly.

Outside the classroom, enjoy a schedule of cool activities and exciting excursions, giving you the chance to make new friends, and practise your English in real-life situations.

It's the perfect mix of learning and adventure in a safe, friendly, and vibrant seaside city!

Dates:	14.06.26 - 30.08.26
Maximum Class Size:	18 (14 average)
Lessons per week:	35 (26.25 hours)
Daily Schedule A:	AM Tution / PM Intensive tuition
Daily Schedule B:	AM Intensive tuition / PM Tutition
Course Materials:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 - 17
Course Code:	V35



Schedule A	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45 – 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
13:00 – 15:15	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English		
Activity 2	-	Laser Zone	Student Party	Fish & Chips	-		

Schedule B	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09:30 – 12:00	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English	Intensive English	Arundel Castle and Town	Arrivals Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
13:00 – 16:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
Activity 2	-	Lazer Zone	Student Party	Fish & Chips	-		

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# teenage courses (13-17)

## autumn vacation

Course Dates	Course Levels	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
See below	A2 - C1	18 (14 average)	1 - 4 weeks	13 - 17 (15 average)

Spend your autumn improving your English in a fun and friendly international environment.

Join teens from around the world for 20 interactive lessons per week, designed to boost your confidence and communication skills.

Outside the classroom, enjoy 5 exciting activities and one full-day weekend excursion, giving you the chance to explore, make new friends, and practise your English in real-life situations.

Autumn Dates:	04.10.26 - 01.11.26
Maximum Class Size:	18 (14 average)
Lessons per week:	20 (15 hours)
Daily Schedule A:	AM Tuition / PM Activities
Daily Schedule B:	AM Activities / PM Tuition
Course Materials:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 - 17
Course Code:	A20



Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45– 10:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals / Departures Free Day
10:15- 10:30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break		
10:30– 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
Activity	Indoor Climbing	Laser Zone	Excursion - Lewes	Brighton Pier	Cinema		
Evening	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay	Homestay		

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football & english

football & activity



Course Dates	Minimum Level of English	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
28.06.26 - 26.07.26	A2	18 (14 average)	1 - 4 weeks	13 – 17 (15 average)

Train with Brighton & Hove Albion Foundation coaches at the American Express Elite Performance Centre. The program focuses on a wide range of skills, drills, and tactics while the aim is to challenge the techniques essential to a player’s development.

Football + English follows a half day football training and a half day English study schedule. Football + Activities follows a half day football training and a half day activity/excursion schedule.

Read our dedicated Football Course Guide here.

Contents

- » Full board homestay accommodation
- » Weekly bus pass (Monday - Sunday)
- » On-line entry test
- » Saturday full day excursion
- » 7 night accommodation/week
- » Certificate of Completion
- » English tuition or activities every afternoon
- » Lunch served at University of Brighton
- » Football training with Brighton’s Premier coaches
- » Training kit provided\*

Course Dates:	28.06.26 - 26.07.26
Football Training	10 hours/week
Maximum Group Size:	15 (12 average)
English lessons:	15 hours/week
Maximum Class Size:	18 (14 average)
AM Schedule:	Football training
PM Schedule:	General English or Activities
Course Materials:	Included
Training Kit:	Included
Bus Pass:	Included
Full Board Homestay Accommodation:	Included
Age:	13 – 17
Course Code:	BHA20 / BHA00



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Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:00 – 12:00	Football Training	Football Training	Football Training	Football Training	Football Training	London Sightseeing Tour	Arrivals / Departures Free Day
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch		
English +	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
Vacation +	City tour	Foot-golf	Sea kayaking	Hastings Excursion	Indoor climbing		
Evening	Homestay	Bowling	Student Party	Beach BBQ	Homestay		

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## junior english 20

Teenage students accompanied to the UK with their parents/guardians may take lessons only as an option. Students participate in classes with other vacation students for 3 hours a day

Monday to Friday allowing them to spend time with their families for the rest of the day and at weekends. BLC International cannot accept unaccompanied juniors on these courses.

Course Dates	Course Levels	Maximum Class Size	Course Length	Age Range
See Below	A2 - C1	18 (14 average)	1 - 4 weeks	13 - 17 (14 average)

### spring

Course Dates:	23.03.26 - 17.04.26	AM Schedule:	08:45 - 12:00
Lessons per week:	20	AM Content:	General English
Hours per week:	15	Course Materials:	Included
Accommodation:	Not included	Course Code:	VL20

### summer

Course Dates:	15.06.26 - 28.08.26	AM Schedule:	08:45 - 12:00
Lessons per week:	20	AM Content:	General English
Hours per week:	15	Course Materials:	Included
Accommodation:	Not included	Course Code:	VL20

### autumn

Course Dates:	05.10.26 - 30.10.26	AM Schedule:	08:45 - 12:00
Lessons per week:	20	AM Content:	General English
Hours per week:	15	Course Materials:	Included
Accommodation:	Not included	Course Code:	VL20



Schedule	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
08:45– 10:15	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		-
10:15 - 10:30	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break		
10:30– 12:00	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English	Junior English		
12:00 – 13:00	-	-	-	-	-		
Afternoon	-	-	-	-	-		
Evening	-	-	-	-	-		

Courses run Monday to Friday / 1 lesson = 60 minutes





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