

## Summer Teenage Course Berlin Westend Campus



### Course Timetable

Monday to Friday:

**08:15 and 09:15** - Breakfast on campus.

**09:15 to 12:30** - 4 lessons of language with a mid-morning break in the cafeteria from 10.45 to 11.00.

**12:30 to 13:15** - Lunch on campus.

**14:00** - Afternoon activity.

**18:00 to 19:00** - Dinner on campus.

After dinner there will be evening activities.

Weekend:

Saturday: Full day excursion with group leaders

Sunday: Free day (Arrival/Departure)

There are up to 60 students present each week, divided into different language level classes. Tutors are all native speakers who are also professional teachers of German as a foreign language.

A placement test will be taken on Sunday PM

### Language School

The Westend Campus course is housed in a school with guest houses behind it, near the Olympic Stadium, with easy access to the city by public transport.

The residence offers spacious classrooms, a cafeteria with a terrace, a sports field, high rope course and indoor sports hall. It caters for a max. of 60 students a week and the school staff live on site. There are 30, 2 bedded) rooms. Each room has its own shower and wc. Bed linen is provided and changed once a week. Towels can be provided but may not be used for swimming, so please bring your own.

Meals: Full-board accommodation is included in the course fees. All meals are taken at the residence.

Age group: 14 / 17yrs

2024

### Is this the course for you?

Yes. If you're looking for fun & total immersion in German. This dedicated teenager course attracts students of many nationalities. It's so popular places always run out well before the start dates.

Berlin is a dynamic, fast developing capital city with endless sights to see and things to do. A great city destination for summer courses, with wonderful parks to explore and plenty of sunshine.

### German Course Content:

Group lessons in AM: **20/25 lessons**

Minutes per lesson: **45**

Ages accepted: **14 to 17yrs**

Timetable: **09.15 to 12.30hrs**

*Lessons on the first Monday*

Class size: **Up to 12 students**

Levels offered: **Beginner, Elementary, Intermediate & Advanced**

Duration: **One to four weeks**

### Language skills covered:

Classes are held Monday to Friday and homework is assigned. Only German is spoken in the classroom and the teachers are demanding. The students study and practice German across four key areas: 1/ Grammar, 2/ Composition, 3/ Vocabulary & 4/ Conversation – in total for three hours of structured study per day. Students successfully meeting course objectives will receive a course certificate at the end of the course.

In total there are 40 lessons over 2 weeks (unless a day is lost to a public holiday). This is equal to a term of contact lessons at your school in the UK. Small classes, native speakers, interesting material and a pleasant learning atmosphere all contribute to the learning process. The emphasis is on the active use of language in real situations.



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### Sample Schedule

Sunday	Arrival prior to 17.00hrs Introduction and language test, welcome evening
Monday	4 German lessons Boat trip around Museum island Evening: BBQ
Tuesday	4 German lessons Berlin Tiergarten & relaxing at Lake Neuer See Evening: Games Evening
Wednesday	4 German lessons Badminton or cycling tour Evening: Video evening
Thursday	4 German lessons Berlin Wall & walk along the River Spree Evening: Show time
Friday	4 German lessons Trip into Berlin: the wall & Checkpoint Charlie museum Evening: Show time
Saturday	Full-day excursion to Potsdam, Sanssouci Palace Evening: Cinema trip
Sunday	Departure or swimming Evening: Party

### Course Fees:

CESA admin. Fee/pr wk	€ 60.00 per person	
20 lessons	25 lessons	
1 wk	€ 1,340.00	€ 1,410.00
2 wks	€ 2,395.00	€ 2,485.00
3 wks	€ 3,495.00	€ 3,685.00

Fees quoted include: group tuition, accommodation with full board, shared room, social programme & one full day excursion each week.

**Transfer (Sunday): € 80.00** per person/ one way  
**Transfer (if not on a Sunday): € 130.00** per person  
**Public transport: € 80/100.00** per fortnight  
**Extra night: € 110.00** per person  
**Unaccompanied Minor fee: € 40.00** per person

### Campus Accommodation:

The college offers full-board accommodation, with staff on site (24hrs a day) providing a self-contained centre in the west of Berlin. Students attend their classes and live on site.

### Travel directions:

**Arrive: Sunday** (pre 5pm)

**Depart: Sunday** (am)

Fly to Berlin and we recommend a two way transfer service from Berlin's Brandenburg airport, the Hauptbahnhof or main bus station. Students should be in Berlin, at their accommodation, by 17.00hrs for the introductory talk.

### Excursions:

A range of activities are offered as an inclusive part of this programme including:

- 1) two planned activities per day e.g. Berlin Wall, Checkpoint Charlie, rowing in Tiergarten Park, New Reichstag, Potsdamer Platz, a night out, barbecues, bowling, dancing or a cinema trip,
- 2) one excursion per week i.e. Potsdam, Pfaueninsel, Sachsenhausen Island, and
- 3) On-campus activities based on music, games and sports, and creative activities such as making a newspaper or staging a play.

### Course Dates: 2024

Arrival: Sunday  
Course runs: Monday / Friday  
Excursion: Saturday  
Departure: Sunday

**22 July 29 July 05 Aug**

Last day of class: 09 August. Closing: 11 August 2024



### Curfew Rules:

Teenagers aged 14/17 years old are not allowed out after 22.00hrs. Students can go out locally, around the Summer camp (go to the local shops, supermarket or swimming in the lake) but students are not allowed to go into Berlin city centre unsupervised. If you want greater freedom, please consider the City programme. NB: Going out in Berlin - the group leaders will accompany you and show you many of the sights of Berlin. Some weekends the students may be out until gone midnight with the leaders. Parents have to indicate whether or not their child is allowed to go swimming, cycling, horse riding, sailing or hiking with a college leader or qualified trainer (depending on the activity).

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If you wish to discuss the programme please call us on **01209 211800** or email us to check course availability.