

### OXBRIDGE PREPARATION PROGRAMME

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL, CAMBRIDGE

### 16-18 YEARS, SAMPLE TIMETABLE

WEEK 1

**Morning** Afternoon **Evening** 

Sunday 28 July





Cambridge and British History & Culture Quiz



Test your Knowledge

Arts & Crafts

Monday 29 July





Visit to Cambridge's Natural History Museum



Make your own creative Masterpiece from the Materials



Opening Presentation by **Programme Director** 



Student Mentors Visit famous Colleges and historic Sights

Walking Tour with your



provided **Outdoor Sports** Football, Rugby, Cricket,

**Tuesday** 30 July



Personal Statement Writing

more powerful

Make your Personal Statement



**Problem Solving Workshop** Edward de Bono's 'Six Thinking Hats'

Sports Leadership Award Part 1

Understand Leadership Styles

and develop Initiative and

Communication Skills



Subject Supervision

Oxbridge-style Discussion Class led by your Mentor

Lacrosse





Wednesday 31 July

Subject-Specific Oxbridge Preparation Start working on Projects and Case Studies

Personal Development Plan

Continue working on your PDP



Work Visit or Guest Speaker for your Subject Learn from the Real-World Experience of Professionals and



Scottish/Irish Ceilidh Traditional Music and Dance

Experts

**Keynote Lecture** 



**Personal Statement Writing** 



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Critical Thinking Workshop

and build strong arguments

Learn how to reason effectively



**Essay-Writing Workshop** Plan and write an academic Essay. Avoid Plagiarism



A lively Evening of Singing and Dancing



**Outdoor Sports** 

Karaoke



Football, Rugby, Cricket, Lacrosse



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Public Speaking and



**Public Speaking and Presenting** Workshop Part 2

Cambridge University Lecturer



Subject Supervision Oxbridge-style Discussion Class led by your Mentor



Deliver a Team Presentation and share Peer Feedback



**London Visit Preparation** 

Presenting Workshop Part 1 Plan a Team Presentation on a topical Issue

Sports Leadership Award Part 2 Develop Organisational Skills and Lead your own Activities

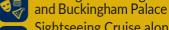


College Garden Party & BBQ



Saturday

Full Day in London, including the London Eye or London Aquarium or London Dungeon or the British Museum Walking tour of Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, the Houses of Parliament



Sightseeing Cruise along the River Thames Option to visit a London University



Enjoy a traditional Cambridge Summer Activity

Classic British Film Night

# Key Skills & Knowledge Developed:























University Communication Leadership Preparation & Teamwork

**Thinking** Skills

Creativity

Study & Work Śkills

Confidence & Resilience

Academic Subject Extension **English** 

Cultural Awareness

Personal Development



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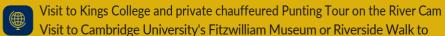
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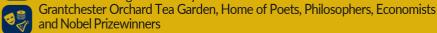
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WEEK 2

**Morning** Afternoon **Evening** 

Sunday





Free Time for Shopping in Cambridge



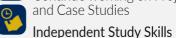
#### **British Board Games**

Try your hand at Monopoly, Chess or Scrabble



Monday 5 Aug

Subject-Specific Oxbridge Preparation Continue working on Projects



Workshop Learn to manage Time, maintain Focus, do Research and take Notes effectively



Make your Personal Statement more powerful

Personal Statement Writing



Gender Pay Gap

Mock Interviews & Feedback Interview Techniques, 1-to-1 mock Interview and individual Feedback



Team Project

Research the Topic and Country you represent for the Model United Nations Debate

Tuesday

Subject-Specific Oxbridge Preparation Continue working on Projects and Case Studies



Learn from the Real-World Experience of Professionals and **Experts** 



Persuasive Speaking and Debating Workshop Model United Nations Debate on topical Resolutions such as Reducing Pollution or the



Subject Supervision

Oxbridge-style Discussion Class led by your Mentor



Treasure Hunt Challenge Solve Clues in Teams to win Prizes

Wednesday

Subject-Specific Oxbridge Preparation Continue working on Projects



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Keynote Lecture An inspirational Talk by a Cambridge University Lecturer



**Admissions Test Practice** Answer timed Questions for your Subject



Shakespeare Outdoor Play Watch a Magical Performance



in a Private College Garden



Thursday 8 Aug

Full day in Oxford

Attend an Oxbridge Admissions Talk

Visit one Oxford College and the Bodleian Library See where Harry Potter was filmed Walk around the traditional local Market Free Time for Sightseeing and Shopping



**Evening Performance** Show off your Talents in Music,



Drama, Dance or Comedy

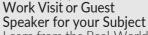
**Friday** 9 Aug

Subject-Specific Oxbridge Preparation Present the Results of your Project or Case Study





**Subject Supervision** Oxbridge-style Discussion Class led by your Mentor



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Formal Hall, Graduation & Awards Ceremony



Silver Service' formal Dinner followed by the Presentation of Certificates, Personal Reports and Awards



Transfer to Airport

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