

2014 Oxford Summer Program Schedule

Week ONE	9.00 – 10.30am		11 – 12.30pm		2 – 4pm		Evening
First teaching day Monday	Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speaking practice Speaking activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> meet your teachers and find out more about your classmates 	B R E A K	The History of the University of Oxford and Oxford's Famous Faces	L U N C H	Welcome Tea at 3.30pm: Sample a delicious and traditional cream tea in the splendid surroundings of Hertford College's historic dining hall.	D I N E R	Orientation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accommodation Facilities Connecting your computers to the internet
Day 2 Tuesday	Academic Writing workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to summarise and paraphrase: techniques and exercises 	B R E A K	Language Focus <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced reading and listening activities Pronunciation workshop:	L U N C H	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Architecture in Oxford Out and about Tour of Discovery A self-guided exploration of the hidden corners of Oxford	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs
Day 3 Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physics and Maths Lecture 	B R E A K	Academic Writing workshop: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paragraph structure Unity and coherence 	L U N C H	British Society and Culture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shakespeare: his life and works 	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs
Day 4 Thursday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physics and Maths Lecture 	B R E A K	Introduction to student presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How to plan and deliver a presentation effectively 	L U N C H	British Society and Culture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to London 	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs
Day 5	Trip to London						

Friday	These trips are not included in the programme price						
Day 6	Weekend: At the weekend you have free time. If you wish to stay in Oxford, your RAs are available for Oxford activities, such as punting, walking tours, shopping, college and museum visits.						
Saturday	These trips are not included in the programme price Your RAs are available to offer advice and support about travel arrangements.						
Day 7	Weekend: Free time (as above)						
Sunday							
Week TWO	9.00 – 10.30am		11.00 – 12.30pm		2 – 4pm		Evening
Day 8 Monday	Weekly Test <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced reading activity Grammar session: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discourse markers, adverbs and adverbial expressions 	B R E A K	Workplace English - Job seeking skills: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applying for a job: Writing successful personal statements and CVs 	L U N C H	Student leadership and welfare: a comparison between Britain/China Presentation and discussion	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs Cultural activities with RAs
Day 9 Tuesday	Language Focus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advanced level listening activities Key idiomatic expressions 	B R E A K	Physics and Maths Lecture	L U N C H	British Culture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The British Education System: Primary and Secondary Education 	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs
Day 10 Wednesday	Pronunciation workshop: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connected speech in natural English: noticing and practicing assimilation and elision 	B R E A K	Advanced level presentation English: Fine tuning of presentations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Language check Body language and communicating with your audience 	L U N C H	British Culture: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contemporary social issues in Britain 	D I N E R	Cultural activities with RAs

Day 11 Thursday	End of Course Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students deliver presentations in small groups before an audience 	B R E A K	End of Course Presentations (cont)	L U N C H	Presentations feedback and end of programme review	D I N N E R	GALA DINNER <ul style="list-style-type: none">
Day 12 Friday	Free day						
Day 13 Saturday	Departure day: You will be accompanied by the RAs in a private coach to the airport.						
<u>Meals:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On class days and at weekends, you are offered breakfast, lunch and dinner. On trip days, you are offered breakfast, a packed lunch and dinner. 							