

A COURSE PROGRAMME PREPARING FOR THE
INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA

OxBridge
TUTORIAL COLLEGE

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You can also download this information as well as the registration forms
from our website <http://service.saes.info>

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SEMINAR FOR ADVANCED
ENGLISH STUDIES

I. LESSONS, COURSE INTENSITY & FEES

In our *Oxbridge Tutorial College* we offer courses for students who are choosing to take the International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB) as an alternative to more traditional qualifications.

NB: All our lessons are 45 minutes long.

COURSE OVERVIEW:

IB Study Programme:

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| 1. IB Language Based | 2. IB Science Based |
| 3. IB Revision | 4. IB Private Course |

IB Study Programme

(30 lessons per week incl. 14 private lessons)

16 group lessons are spread over 4 days of the week. Wednesday is reserved for a mock exam. The group lessons are complemented by 14 private lessons. We offer three different study programmes that all take place in Oxford. These programmes are also available as private courses.

1. IB Language Based

The *IB Study Programme Language Based* is designed for students who are already enrolled on an IB programme and whose priority is the English language. Focus is on the optimisation of written and verbal skills.

2. IB Science Based

The *IB Study Programme Science Based* is intended for students who are confident in their language skills and whose priority is deepening their knowledge of the various IB subjects. The focus of this course is primarily on the sciences.

3. IB Revision

The *s-a-e-s IB Revision Programme* has been specifically designed by us to provide the best possible preparation for the IB exams in May. In 16 group lessons and 14 private lessons we enable students to revise all relevant exam topics.

4. IB Private Course

For tailor-made individual support we also offer the possibility to book all courses as *private courses* with either 20 or 30 lessons per week. The content of the course will be agreed in discussions with the student or their parents during the application process.

Additional Private Lessons

Additional private lessons can be booked for **75€ per lesson** either before or during your stay.

FEES IB STUDY PROGRAMME

Accommodation	30 lessons per week incl. 14 private lessons
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Executive Host family / single room / full board	2.450,00 €
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College / single room / half board	2.710,00 €
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FEES IB STUDY PROGRAMME - PRIVATE

Accommodation	20 lessons per week
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Executive Host family / single room / full board	2.750,00 €
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College / single room / half board	3.020,00 €
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FEES IB STUDY PROGRAMME - PRIVATE

Accommodation	30 lessons per week
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Executive Host family / single room / full board	3.550,00 €
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College / single room / half board	3.820,00 €
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II. COURSE DATES 2019

Easter

13 APRIL – 27 APRIL 2019

Accommodation in host families

Additional Dates for IB Revision possible on request

Summer

29 JUNE – 07 SEPT 2019

Accommodation in host families or College

Autumn

28 SEPT – 26 OCT 2019

Accommodation in host families

III. ACCOMMODATION

IN COLLEGE (HALF BOARD)

In Oxford our guests have the opportunity to stay in St Hilda's College, one of the universities renowned colleges. The standard of accommodation in college is typical of the standard generally found in university accommodation. Rooms have a wonderful view of the surrounding park and there are various common rooms and small cooking areas.

PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION / HOST FAMILIES (FULL BOARD)

As well as accommodation in College we can also arrange private accommodation for you. Our host families have been personally selected and we have known most of our host families for many years. Whereas College accommodation is half board, host families will offer you full board.

V. ADDITIONAL COURSES

These can be taken within the framework of the *IB Study Programme*.

TOEFL / IELTS / Cambridge Certificate

Students who wish to apply for a British / American or private German university will often require an additional English language qualification such as TOEFL, IELTS or Cambridge Proficiency / Advanced Certificate.

Our preparation courses for these exams consist of ten 45 minute lessons as well as supervised mock exams.

Course Fee: 600€ per week

Weekend Workshop – Studying at a British University

This workshop is designed for anyone who is considering applying to a British university. During the workshop we will go through everything you need to know about studying for a British degree. The workshop takes place on a Saturday from 9am to 3pm with a one hour break for lunch (minimum of two participants).

Workshop topics include: The university application process in the UK, entry requirements, advantages and disadvantages of university life in Britain, a comparison between a British degree and university qualifications in other countries, international recognition of a British degree and the benefits and drawbacks of a British university qualification.

Course Fee: 240€

IV. BOARD

IN COLLEGE

Breakfast and a warm lunch are served in St Hilda's large dining room. For your evening meal there are many local restaurants to choose from. Alternatively, you can buy food in the nearby supermarket and use one of the College's kitchen facilities.

PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION

Students who choose to stay in a host family will have breakfast, lunch (at weekends only) and evening meals with their families. On week days the host family will provide a packed lunch.

Personal Development

This course is about *personal training*. We will show students which signals they send out to others, who they are and how they can achieve their goals by making the most of their potential.

The course includes the following topics:

- Personal development
- Studying abroad
- Telephone techniques
- Career progression
- Time management
- Social graces
- Body language
- Rhetoric
- Setting personal goals
- Interview techniques

15 lessons spread over a weekend (minimum of two participants)

Course Fee: 500€

VI. ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES / TRANSFERS

▲ Our students arrive and depart on Saturdays and have the option of being picked up at the airport by an saes representative.

Airport Pick-ups

Most of our guests arrive at *London Heathrow* airport. For a fee you can book a pick up service by one of our selected taxi firms. Different fees apply depending on whether the student is arriving during or outside of regular daytime hours (10am to 5pm). Arrival and departure from London Heathrow is always on a Saturday.

Please note that there may be waiting times at the airport. Should waiting times be longer we will make sure that a saes representative is there to look after any students who are waiting for their pick up.

FEES TABLE:

Return Journey	Pick up by minibus or taxi
London Heathrow – Oxford <i>between 10am and 5pm</i>	195,00 €
<i>Outside of these times:</i>	245,00 €
London Luton – Oxford	230,00 €
London Stansted – Oxford	250,00 €
London Gatwick – Oxford	230,00 €

Making your own way to Oxford

LONDON HEATHROW TO OXFORD (COSTS CA £30)

Most flights from continental Europe arrive at either Terminal 2 or 5. If arriving at Terminal 2 follow signs to the *Central Bus Station*. At the ticket desk you should purchase a period return ticket to / from Oxford. You should then take a bus operated by the *Oxford Bus Company* (Airline Bus) from bus stop 14A. Buses start running at 6:30am and the journey time to Oxford is approximately 90 minutes.

If arriving at Terminal 5 follow the signs to the bus stops. Once you have stepped out of the arrivals building turn right and walk along the bus stops until you get to the last one where the bus to Oxford leaves from. Your period return ticket is available from the bus driver on the bus, so make sure that you have some cash in your pocket. Whether you join the bus to Oxford at Terminal 2 or Terminal 5 you should get off at the stop *Oxford, St Clement's*.

LONDON GATWICK TO OXFORD (COSTS CA £35)

Most flights from continental Europe arrive at South Terminal. Follow the signs from the terminal to the *upper forecourt*. At the ticket desk you should purchase a period return to / from Oxford. There are buses to Oxford every hour from 7:15am onwards. Journey time is approximately 120 minutes. You should leave the bus at *Oxford, St Clements*.

LONDON STANSTED TO OXFORD (COSTS CA £36)

Buy a period return ticket to / from Oxford at the National Express ticket desk in the arrivals hall. There is a direct bus to Oxford (bus no JL737) which departs from one of the bus stops in front of the airport building. For bus departure times go to www.nationalexpress.com. Journey time to Oxford is approximately 3 ½ hours. Leave the bus at the *Gloucester Green bus terminal* in Oxford. We recommend you take a taxi from there to *St Hilda's College* (ca £7).

Alternatively, you can take *bus no ABA6* from Stansted to London Victoria Station. Change at Victoria Station and take the *bus no Ox X90* to *Oxford, St Clements*. Buses start running at 4am and go every half hour. Journey time from Stansted to Oxford is approximately 4 hours and 10 minutes.

BIRMINGHAM TO OXFORD (COSTS AROUND £36)

Trains to Oxford depart from Birmingham International Airport at 14 minutes past the hour. The walk between the arrivals hall and the train station is about 7 minutes and the journey time from Birmingham airport to Oxford is approximately 1 hour. You can book your train ticket in advance on www.nationalrail.co.uk or buy it from the ticket desk at Birmingham Airport train station. From Oxford train station we recommend you take a taxi to *St Hilda's College* (ca £7).

Please note that this information was up to date at the time of publishing but please do check for changes and updates before you travel.

Should any problems or concerns arise on the day of travel you will be able to contact us on our designated emergency hotline. During office hours you will also be able to call us in Potsdam under 0331 713789.