

# EDINBURGH

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## SCHOOL OF ENGLISH

### St. Andrews 2012: 9–13 years course

#### *Location*

*St. Leonards School*  
*St. Andrews*  
*Fife*  
*KY16 9QJ*

#### **9-13 years:**

2 week courses:

08.07.12–21.07.12

22.07.12–04.08.12

4 week course:

08.07.12–04.08.12



St. Leonards school is superbly located in the heart of the home of golf, set in safe seclusion within ancient abbey walls and in the vibrant university town of St. Andrews. The school is within easy reach of the cities of Perth, Edinburgh, Stirling and Glasgow while offering the opportunity to explore some of Scotland's best kept secrets.

The school occupies a prominent position in the Medieval centre of St. Andrews, with its castle and cathedral ruins, miles of sandy beaches and a long-established golf tradition.

#### *Accommodation*

St. Leonards offers modern residential accommodation on campus. Each residential block comprises of single and twin study bedrooms with their own wash basin and a shower ratio of 4:1. Students can relax in the spacious, well equipped common rooms offering cable TV, DVD, drinks machines and games tables. Two members of Edinburgh School of English staff stay on each floor of the residence so there is always a leader on hand for anything the students might need.

#### *Programme*

Students attend lessons from 09.00-12.30 each day. These are designed to be challenging yet enjoyable and to improve language accuracy, fluency and communicative skills while building to a weekly project. Small classes of 12 students, combined with a favourable nationality mix encourage maximum participation from each student.

In the afternoon, students enjoy a full programme of sports, cultural and recreational activities which are designed specifically with our younger students in mind. Afternoon activities include swimming, field sports, arts & crafts, scavenger hunts and much more. We also offer students activities every evening including the ever popular disco and karaoke nights!

#### *Course fees include:*

##### **Tuition:**

- 15 hours (20 lessons of 45 minutes) per week
- Small classes, maximum 12
- Welcome pack equipped with stationery
- Loan of text books to be used in class
- Full class report and Certificate of Studies
- Graduation ceremony and award presentation

##### **Residential accommodation:**

- Single and twin study bedrooms with wash basins
- Full board (all meals and snacks)
- 24-hour supervision
- Extensive programme of activities and sports



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#### *A typical day at St Leonards*

##### *Morning*

0745	Wake up and breakfast
0845	Student assembly
0900	First lesson: language structures and vocabulary
1030	Break
1100	Second lesson: listening comprehension and speaking skills
1230	Lunch

##### *Afternoon*

1330	Afternoon activities: swimming, football, tennis, rounders, volleyball, badminton, basketball, scavenger hunts, Scottish dancing,
1700	Supervised homework

##### *Evening*

1800	Dinner
2000	Recreational activities including barbecues, quiz night, swimming disco, talent show and film night.
2200	All students' bedtime

#### **Excursions**

St. Leonards is an excellent base from which students are able to explore more of Scotland. While the school offers fantastic on-site facilities, all students will have two half-day excursions each week as well as a full day excursion on Saturday. Our excursions include visits to Stirling, Edinburgh, Blair Drummond Safari Park and many fascinating Scottish destinations with plenty to see and learn about.



#### **Airport transfers**

Course fees include transfers from Edinburgh airport. The airport is one hour from St. Andrews. Students are met at the airport by a member of Edinburgh School of English staff so there will always be a friendly face to greet them when they step off the plane. We ask students to arrive between 09.00–20.00 on Sunday with flight departures between 09.00–20.00 on Saturday.

#### **What to Bring**

We recommend that students bring:

- summer clothes;
- some warm sweaters for the evening;
- a waterproof jacket;
- sports shoes and clothing;
- swimming costume and towel.
- £50 caution money

We are often asked how much pocket money students require and the answer is not too much! Our fees are all inclusive so students do not require additional money (only for souvenirs).

**We look forward to seeing you soon!**

