



## Summer School at OISE Folkestone

Open 17th June to 25th August 2018

Address: East Kent College,  
Shorncliffe Rd, Folkestone  
CT20 2TZ



### Location and Centre

Known as the gateway to Europe, Folkestone is a traditional seaside town in Kent on the south east coast of England, with a sunny climate, fine beaches and friendly people.

Frequented by internationally acclaimed author HG Wells, who is celebrated every year in the town, Folkestone also plays host to a variety of festivals and attractions including Norman churches, the Battle of Britain monument and the annual Harbour Festival.

The school itself is situated in the exclusive west end of Folkestone. The modern college building is situated on a quiet leafy campus which offers excellent facilities, including light airy classrooms and recreation rooms, and spacious outdoor areas.

- 13-17 years
- Maximum of 8 students per class
- Host Family Accommodation
- Organised recreational activities and cultural excursions
- Transfers included for Heathrow Airport ( 2 hours) and Gatwick Airport (1.5 hours)

The Extended Summer School Curriculum (27 hours per week, maximum 8 students per class)

Continuous enrolment between 17<sup>th</sup> June- 25<sup>th</sup> August



*“ I learned new vocabulary, communicating skills, thinking skills and can speak English more fluently” Annabelle, 17, 2017 Student*



### Accommodation

Homestay accommodation organised by OISE Folkestone provides students with a safe and comfortable place to stay. Most host families are within walking distance to school, and there will be no other student of the same mother-tongue in the same home. All host families are thoroughly inspected and their credentials checked.

### Activities and Excursions

One evening per week there is a social activity held for all students. Examples include quizzes, art workshops, casino nights, theatre workshops, barbecues and film evenings.

On Wednesday afternoons students will visit local points of interest in Kent such as Dover Castle and Ashford and explore the historic town and coast.

Weekend excursions include full-day trips to London with visits to Covent Garden, the Science Museum and Harrods, and outings to Brighton or Canterbury.



### Travel

Young Learners are greeted by members of the OISE courier team from designated airports, within standard hours, as part of the package. Students arriving at Heathrow usually transfer to the Welcome Lounge, a facility with food, refreshments and activities to keep students occupied until they are taken onward to the school. Gatwick arrivals transfer directly to the school.

Standard transfer times:

London Heathrow (LHR) - 2 hours

London Gatwick (LGW) - 1.5 hour

