



## Summer School at OISE Swindon

Available from 1<sup>st</sup> July to 28<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Address: New College Walk, Swindon  
Wiltshire SN3 1AH



- Ages 13-17 years
- Maximum of 8 students per class
- Homestay accommodation
- Organised recreational activities and cultural excursions
- Transfers included for London Heathrow (1.5 hours) and London Gatwick (2.5 hours)

*The Intensive Summer Curriculum* (23 hours per week, maximum 8 students per class)

1<sup>st</sup> July 1,2,3 or 4 weeks

15<sup>th</sup> July for 1 or 2 weeks

*The Cambridge Exam preparation programme* (23 hours per week, maximum 8 students per class)

1<sup>st</sup> July for 4 weeks

8<sup>th</sup> July for 3 weeks

15<sup>th</sup> July for 2 weeks

Exam dates: 25<sup>th</sup> July (CAE) and 26<sup>th</sup> July (FCE)



### Location and Centre

One of OISE's longest running summer centres, Swindon is located approximately 1 hour from London by train. Situated in the county of Wiltshire, this old market town was the centre of development of the railways in the area.

Swindon is home to the work of the engineer Brunel, which has been restored and remains an integral part of the town's culture and entertainment scene. A modern pedestrianised centre exists alongside part of the old town.

OISE Swindon is a contemporary building with excellent sports facilities, complementing the many leisure amenities in the area.

**“ I learned lots of new words and I feel more brave. I am able to give presentations in English in front of an audience” Ban, student.**



## Accommodation

Homestay accommodation organised by OISE Swindon provides students with a safe and comfortable place to stay. Most of the students take the bus to the school with a complimentary pass provided by OISE. Host families show the students how to get to school on the first day. There will be no other student of the same mother tongue in the house.

## Activities and Excursions

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

On Wednesday afternoons students will explore local points of interest in Swindon such as museums, shopping and visits to nearby Bristol.

Every Saturday there is a full day cultural to London with visits to Covent Garden, the Science Museum and Harrods, or a day out in Bath or Oxford.

## Travel

Young Learners are greeted by members of the OISE travel team at the designated airports, within standard hours, as part of the package. Students are then accompanied to the Welcome Lounge, a facility with food, refreshments and activities to keep students occupied until they are taken onward to the school.

*Standard transfer times:*

London Heathrow (LHR) – 1.5 hours

London Gatwick (LGW) – 2.5 hours