

## Study Year

### Abroad

This course is the perfect opportunity to have a gap year experience in the UK. You can study A-Level or vocational subjects with UK students and improve your language skills with international students in General English classes.

- Course available at levels B1-C2
- Available for 1, 2 or 3 terms
- Available for students aged 16+
- Single start date: 11 September 2017

#### The Main Benefits for You

- Increase knowledge in your chosen subjects
- Gain experience to enhance your CV for future university and job applications
- Enjoy a gap year with other students from the UK and abroad
- Join our College-wide leisure activities outside of class, with UK and international students
- Year-round social programme with international students

"It's a pleasure to live here. When I came to Chichester College I was very impressed. The campus is amazing. There is a real community here. I enjoy the classes with International and English students. In the Business classes there is a work ambience. We work hard but, as we don't take an exam, it's more relaxed."

**Benjamin Anram** - France

"I am taking the Study Year Abroad before I go to university in France. It is a nice change. I like it. Westgate Halls of Residence is super. I like having my own bathroom. I have met other French students as well as UK and many other nationalities. We are all like one big family."

**Manon Molto** - France



Studying alongside UK students has really improved my English and given me much more confidence!!!



**NOTE:** All courses are subject to availability. Subjects are correct at time of printing. Please contact us if you would like an example study timetable and full details of course content for your preferred subject(s). There is no end of term assessment, but student progress is frequently reviewed by the teachers.

### Academic Study Year

B2 English is required for entry

#### Academic Subject Pairs

- Economics and Business
- History and Geography
- Physics and Mathematics
- Chemistry and Biology<sup>(i)</sup>
- Graphics and Photography<sup>(i)</sup>
- Film and Media
- Psychology and Sociology
- History and Geology
- Further Mathematics<sup>(ii)</sup> and IT
- French and Spanish<sup>(iii)</sup>



- <sup>(i)</sup> Additional costs apply
- <sup>(ii)</sup> Must have high level of Mathematics
- <sup>(iii)</sup> Must have previous study experience

#### Choose from 10 different subject pairs

Study two subjects with UK A-Level students and study English with other international students. The programme is designed to develop your academic subject knowledge and improve your English. It also allows a full UK study abroad experience.

Choose the pair of subjects that best suit your interests and we will prepare your study timetable. Spaces are limited, so please apply early.

Academic or Vocational Classes

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English Classes

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Leisure Activities and Social Events

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Study Year Abroad Programme

#### Important Dates 2017-18

##### Course Dates

- 1 Term Course 11 Sept-17-15 Dec-17 (13 weeks)
- 2 Term Course 11 Sept-17-29 Mar-18 (26 weeks)
- 3 Term Course 11 Sept-17-22 Jun 18 (34 weeks)

##### College Term Dates

- Autumn Term 11 Sept-17-15 Dec-17 Half-term 23-27 Oct-17  
 Spring Term 4 Jan-18-29 Mar-18 Half-term 12-16 Feb-18  
 Summer Term 16 Apr-18-22 Jun-18 Half-term 29 May-1 Jun-18

##### College Closure Dates

- 2017: 4 Oct | 16 Nov | 27-29 Dec 2018: 23 Jan | 17 and 28 May

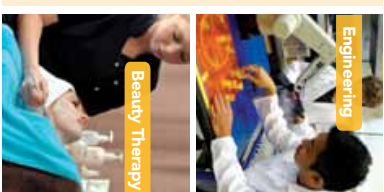


### Vocational Study Year

B1 English is required for entry

#### Vocational Subjects

- Beauty Therapy<sup>(i)</sup>
- Health and Social Care
- Sports<sup>(i)</sup>
- Hospitality<sup>(i)</sup>
- Travel and Tourism<sup>(i)</sup>
- Computing / IT
- Media
- Engineering<sup>(i)</sup>
- Music<sup>(i)</sup>
- Performing Arts
- Business



- <sup>(i)</sup> Uniforms and kits required at additional costs
- <sup>(ii)</sup> Must have previous study experience

#### Choose from 11 different subject areas

Study a skills-based vocational course with UK students and study English with other international students.

Our music rooms, beauty room, College restaurant, sports centre and performing stage offer you hands-on practical experience.

Choose your favourite course from the vocational subject areas above and we will prepare your study timetable.

#### B1 and B2 English Requirements

For more details on the B1 and B2 English skills requirements please contact us and take a free online test:

[studyabroad@chichester.ac.uk](mailto:studyabroad@chichester.ac.uk)



#### Academic Qualifications

If you are interested in studying for a full academic qualification please see our Academic Prospectus



## Social

### Programme

Make the most of your time at weekends and in the evenings.

Take part in cultural excursions and evening activities. It is the perfect way to socialise with all your new friends and to visit some of England's famous cities.

#### Events include:

- Day trips to historic landmarks and cities such as Oxford, Cambridge, Bath, Portsmouth, Arundel and Windsor Castle
- Fun trips to Harry Potter World and Thorpe Park
- Evening activities such as bowling, film nights, parties, quiz night etc.

Note: These events require an additional payment of approximately £15 each.



Clubs and sports every afternoon!

## Leisure

### Activities

Make the most of your time after class.

Taking part in sports and leisure activities gives you the chance to mix, share ideas and practise your English with our UK students. Learn a new skill or try a new sport during your stay. **FREE to all students (activities may vary)**



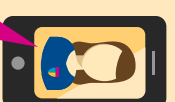
Music Clubs, Events  
Gigs and Parties !!!



Pool League at the Student Union

#### Activities include:

- Rock climbing
- Rugby
- Football
- Tennis
- Pool league
- Conversation club
- Women's only workout
- Hockey
- Badminton
- Volleyball
- Yoga
- and many more...



I love the gym and the sports clubs. We have so much fun!!!



Fun and exciting trips with all my new friends!!!



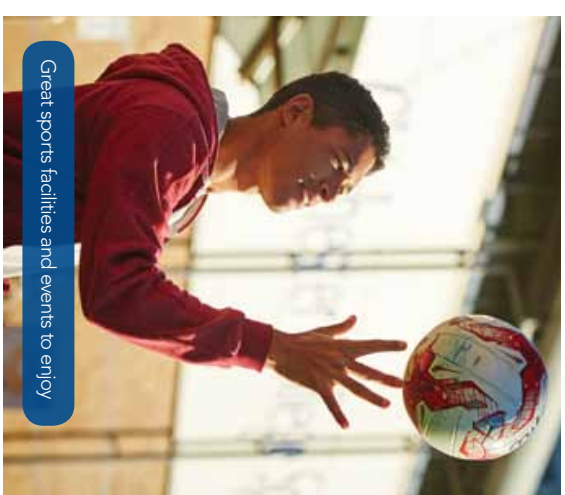
Sightseeing tours of famous English cities



Historical attractions and sites



Museums of English culture and history



Great sports facilities and events to enjoy

## Accommodation

High quality student accommodation has never been easier to organise. The accommodation team offer a wide range of options to international students, which are both comfortable and safe.

All accommodation is closely monitored by the College and residential accommodation is regularly checked by external inspection bodies. The accommodation team are available to provide all the

help and advice you may need. Students will be placed in accommodation according to their age and personal preferences. With two on-campus halls of residence and a homestay option all year round, there is the perfect option for every student.

See pages 24-25 for full details



Social spaces



FREE internet in halls and homestay

*"We share halls with different people from different countries. We can eat together and play together. Everyone is very friendly."*

Sammy Tsang - China



Quiet areas for private study



Modern, comfortable bedrooms

# Accommodation



**Woodlands Halls of Residence**

Woodlands halls of residence provides secure on-campus accommodation for up to 90 residents. It comprises of single and twin-bedded study bedrooms, with en-suite or shared bathroom facilities. Full board at Woodlands means students have credit on their student card to spend on meals at the College for breakfast and lunch. An evening meal is served in the College cafeteria.

There are two social spaces, large TVs, pool tables, table tennis facilities, Xbox, Wii, karaoke equipment, free WiFi and two laundry rooms.

Woodlands is staffed 24 hours a day by trained supervisors. All communal corridors have been fitted with CCTV to create a positive and safe environment for all students.

Woodlands students attend one study session per week, to encourage and assist achievement. Students studying for the full academic year will be given priority to stay at Woodlands.

## Woodlands Halls of Residence

- Age 16-17 at time of admission
- Full board
- Safe and secure with 24 hour supervision
- Central campus location
- Exciting activities included
- Closed at Christmas
- Bedding included
- Gym membership included
- WiFi



**Westgate Halls of Residence**

Westgate is an on-campus halls of residence offering superb full-board or self-catering accommodation for up to 160 residents. All rooms are single with en-suite facilities. There are also rooms specifically designed to meet the needs of disabled students.

Residents need to provide their own bedding. A bedding pack can be purchased before or upon arrival.

There are shared kitchens (each serves six students) and residents provide their own crockery and kitchen utensils.

There are shared facilities including a social space with TV and DVD player, as well as food and drink vending machines and a card-operated laundry room.

Westgate halls of residence is a secure and safe building with a swipe card entry system for each block, flat and individual room.

## Westgate Halls of Residence

- Age 18+ at time of admission
- Self-catering or full board
- Modern facilities
- Provides independent living
- Added security of 24 hour personnel
- Open over holiday periods
- Bedding not included
- Gym membership included
- WiFi



**Homestay Accommodation**

Homestay is ideal for students who want to enjoy the traditional experience of living with a local family. Homestay means that the host treats the student as a full member of the household.

Students in homestay accommodation can specify whether they wish to be in a smoking or non-smoking household and with or without pets or children.

### Half-board Homestay

Half-board homestay means having your breakfast and evening meal provided during the week and breakfast, lunch and dinner are provided at the weekend. Laundry is included once a week in the price of your accommodation. Any extra laundry should be discussed with your homestay hosts.

### Self-catering Homestay

Self-catering homestay means you have the freedom of cooking for yourself. This accommodation is available to all students aged 17 years old and over. Laundry is also the student's responsibility, although the owner's facilities are usually available.

*"I have been a host mother for eighteen years and I really enjoy family life with our homestay students. Sharing everyday life gives us all a valuable insight in to each other's cultures. It is very rewarding to see my students grow in confidence as they master the English language and customs." - Janet*



*Host mother, Janet Day*

## Quick Check Guide

Your quick reference guide to all the facilities available at each accommodation option.

	Woodlands	Westgate	Homestay	
en-suite*	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
full-board	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
half-board	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
self-catering	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
kitchen facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
laundry facilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
utility costs included (gas, electric, etc.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
on-site warden	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
internet included	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
free gym membership	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

\* Westgate rooms are all en-suite. Woodlands rooms are en-suite, standard, single or twin - subject to availability.