



Full Study Programme at OISE Llandoverly



Address

Llandoverly College
Llandoverly
Camarthenshire
SA20 0EE

Ages 14 – 17 years

Programme

22.5 hours per week, maximum class size of 8 students

During the morning students develop their accuracy in speaking, listening, reading and writing. Afternoon oral and communications skills workshops are designed to encourage fluency and build confidence in speaking the language. The late afternoon programme gives the students the opportunity to participate in cultural and leisure activities which further enhance their learning experience.

Llandoverly is a small market town nestled between the rugged scenery of the Brecon Beacons National Park and the gentler Upper Towy Valley. Situated in Camarthenshire, the area is renowned for its castles and historically was home to lead and gold mining, notably Dolaucothi now open to the public. Nearby is Llyn y Fan Fach, most famous for the legendary Lady of the Lake, a myth still alive today.

Llandoverly College is the focal point of this friendly town and perfectly placed to explore the Brecon Beacons and surrounding scenery, its tranquillity making it the ideal place for students to concentrate on their studies.

Set in 55 acres of grounds, OISE Llandoverly benefits from excellent sports, recreational and fitness facilities, including a nine-hole golf course.



Accommodation

- Students are accommodated in the school residences in small dormitories sleeping 2 to 6 in a room.
- Meals are provided in the school dining hall. Special dietary requirements can be considered and a vegetarian option is always available.

Included in the course price:

- Lessons and communication workshops: guaranteed maximum of 8 students per teacher
- Loan of all teaching materials
- Workbook and course certificate
- College accommodation: full board
- Leisure activities
- Full day excursions on Saturdays
- Return standard airport transfers



A typical day at Llandoverly

Morning

- 09.30 Grammar/Vocabulary lesson
- 11.00 Break
- 11.30 Formal comprehension training exercises. Structured expression exercises: essays, presentations and explanations.
- 13.00 Lunch

Afternoon

- 13.45 Workshops to encourage fluency and use of the language. They include debates, presentations, active listening practice and letter writing.
- 15.15 Break
- 15.45 Afternoon games include sports such as football, cricket, volleyball, tennis and golf. Jewellery making, dance lessons, fashion design, decorative painting, cookery, mosaics amongst other activities, are also offered.

Evening

- 18.00 Dinner
- 19.00 Supervised homework
- 20.00 Evening leisure programme. Typical activities include quiz and casino nights, disco, film and games nights, talent show, theatre workshop, fashion show, teacher versus students sports, cinema, and bowling.
- 22.00 Bedtime

The school day is for illustrative purposes and may be subject to change.

Excursions

Every Saturday, there is a full day excursion to Cardiff visiting a castle, shopping or Techniquest an interactive science museum.

Sundays are filled with activities such as an excursion to the Beacons National Park, walking, cycling, orienteering, swimming, visiting the gold mine, arts and crafts and team games.

Need to know

Airport transfers

- Standard transfer times
- London Heathrow (LHR) – 2 hours
- London Gatwick (LGW) – 4 hours
- Bristol (BRS) – 1 hour

Clothes/Sports equipment

Students are recommended to prepare for good and bad weather and bring enough warm clothes. British summers are not always predictable!

Students should bring suitable sportswear, white-soled footwear for sports halls, swimwear, towel and a sports bag.

Start dates for 2010 courses

2 weeks	04.07	2.385 e
3 weeks	04.07	3.485 e

