



Elective: British School Games

Overview

Students will get an authentic British school experience by learning some classic British school games. Activities include sports such as rounders, continuous cricket, dodgeball and games such as capture the flag or football golf. There will also be a range of indoor activities such as Tiddlywinks, card games and board games. This elective is a great way to have fun, try something new and experience some British culture in a relaxed and friendly environment.

For younger students (7-11), this elective will include popular playground games such as tag, parachute games, “cops and robbers”, bucket ball and many more. There is an emphasis on fun, fair play and building confidence.

Learning Outcomes

Students will have:

- learned how to play some common British school games.
- learned some new ideas to share with their friends at home.
- be able to show respect, fair play and cooperate with team-mates.

Language Outcomes:

Students will be able to:

- name sports equipment and use key verbs to describe actions.
- communicate with team mates to ask for the ball or to tell them what to do.
- understand the rules of a new game when stated clearly at normal speed.

Sample Content

SESSION 1	SESSION 3
Warm-up game Rounders <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Catching and throwing drills• Batting practice• Play a full game Cool down and review	Warm-up Dodgeball <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Skills: target practice, defending practice• Ducking and dodging drills• Mini-Tournament Cool down and review
SESSION 2	SESSION 4
Indoor games: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• tiddlywinks• board games• cards	Capture the flag or football golf



FAQs

Do students need to bring any special equipment?

No, all equipment is provided. However, students should wear comfortable, loose fitting clothes and closed toed shoes or trainers.

HOURS BREAKDOWN PER 2 WEEK COURSE	
TUITION HOURS	PROGRAMME CONTENT
English Tuition: 30 hours	Project work in the classroom (student learn through doing a project with a specific outcome such as a magazine, short film or performance)
Electives Tuition: 18 hours	Chosen elective . Students choose 3 electives per course. Language learning is integrated into all these activities. Students each receive a handbook containing instructions, tips, activities and language tasks.
TOTAL: 48	
ACTIVITY HOURS	
Evening Events: 20 hours	Evening events . The students usually come together as a group for the evening programme. Students participate in range of creative games, contests and shows which encourage team work, cooperation and above all communication in English.
Free Activity Time: 6 hours	Activity time These sessions are more relaxed with the focus on fun, making friends and relaxation. Activities can be sports, arts and crafts or whole group activities such as a Country Fair or a Sports Tournament.
TOTAL: 26	
STUDY TOURS	
Study Tours: 3 days (9am-6pm)	Study Tours: Every student attends 3 full day study tours over a two week course. Students are prepared for study tours in class and the trips are integrated into the academic programme. Every student will visit London at least once during their stay. Other popular destinations include: Oxford, Warwick Castle, Greenwich, Cambridge and Brighton.