



EPSOM

COLLEGE

IN MALAYSIA

An International Boarding School



# BRITISH SUMMER SCHOOL

30th July to 20th August 2023

# TESTIMONIAL

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- SDNK from Indonesia

The camp was so much fun. I was nervous at first but after the first few days, I had made so many friends and had awesome teachers to help me with my English.

- WWH from Japan

I made friends from so many other countries, I love the nights activities and enjoyed the robotics classes in particular.

- A.O from Korea

The final excursion was great! I had so much fun. We constructed a bamboo raft from scratch!

- R.K from China

I was really impressed by my teacher who gave me the chance to improve my English. The camp made me feel special even as my first foreign experience.

- K.C.Y from Korea

# EPSOM VALUES

At the heart of all we do at Epsom College in Malaysia are certain CORE VALUES. These values are not just words but actual principles that guide pupils and staff in their daily interactions with one another.



## GOOD MANNERS

Everyone should be treated with courtesy and respect. By being mindful of the needs of others, we all benefit from the positive culture that ensues.



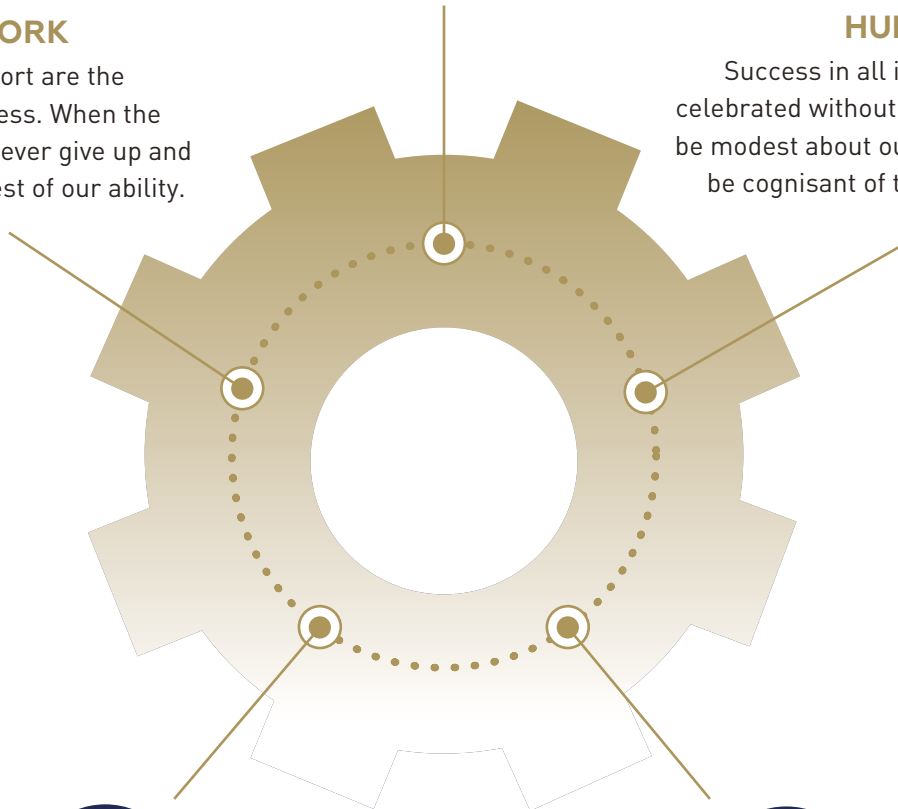
## HUMILITY

Success in all its forms should be celebrated without arrogance. We need to be modest about our talents whilst in turn be cognisant of the talents in others.



## HARD WORK

Diligence and effort are the foundations of success. When the going gets tough, we never give up and keep striving to the best of our ability.



## CARE FOR THE ENVIRONMENT

We must care for our school environment and extend that care to the world at large.



## SELFLESSNESS

Think not what Epsom can do for us, but what we can do for others in our Epsom community.

# WELCOME MESSAGE

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Summer is the best time to explore, discover hidden talents and make everlasting friendships. We've crafted this "summer school" throughout the years to make it the best experience for each and every one of you - adapting and evolving our offering from our first in 2017.

Epsom College in Malaysia is a very special place to live and learn.

As the sister school of the UK's #1 Independent School of the Year, Epsom College UK, we share the same standards of close to 200 years of academic excellence. Our individual approach is designed to ensure every pupil thrives, no matter their talents or abilities - our close knit and supportive community has helped EAL students with limited English abilities go on to pursue degrees at top global universities.

As a boarding school, Epsom is able to foster and develop closer bonds with our students, acting more as mentors than as teachers. We prescribe to a positive and ambitious ethos that provides students with the confidence to try their very best, to make mistakes and to learn from them. Epsom challenges students to be creative and critical thinkers and to 'Be The Change'.

Epsom sets the foundation for long-term success - enrol your child and put them on the path towards English language fluency!



*(L-R): Mr Matthew Brown  
Headmaster  
Mrs Kate Carden-Brown  
Director of Admissions and  
Head of Higher Education*

# PROGRAMME DETAILS

<b>Dates</b>	<b>30th July - 20th August</b>
<b>Age</b>	<b>8 - 16 years old</b>
<b>Price</b>	<b>RM 13,750</b>
<b>Format</b>	<b>Fully Residential</b>

Limited to 300 spaces. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis subject to availability. Priority will be accorded to registrations received with payment.

## INTRODUCTION

Epsom's British Summer School is known to be one of the most prestigious and immersive experiences for students wanting to explore Malaysia, make new friends, and step outside of their comfort zone - all while harnessing high quality English classes offered by internationally trained teachers specialising in primary and secondary school teaching.

In 2022, Epsom boasted a 300 participant attendance, recognised as one of the largest summer camps to be held in the region. Participants will be fully immersed in a robust programme that will allow them to experience Epsom's curriculum, which is based on close to 200 years of academic excellence of our sister school, Epsom College in the UK.

A fully residential programme, Epsom's British Summer School Camp blends dedicated English classroom sessions delivered by skilled native English language teachers. It covers fundamental speaking, listening, reading and writing skills through interactive activities, creative assignments, and fun-filled competitions with classmates from a wide range of cultural backgrounds and ethnicities in a safe and controlled environment. Epsom's British Summer School Camp is also pleased to introduce a new dedicated classroom session for accent training as part of the programme.

A full roster of sports, music and drama, social and cultural activities as well as excursions to exciting locations around Malaysia, is integrated into the English learning experience. This programme is perfect for those who are excited to improve their mastery of the English language in a condensed period of time whilst sharpening their life skills and forging life-long memories.

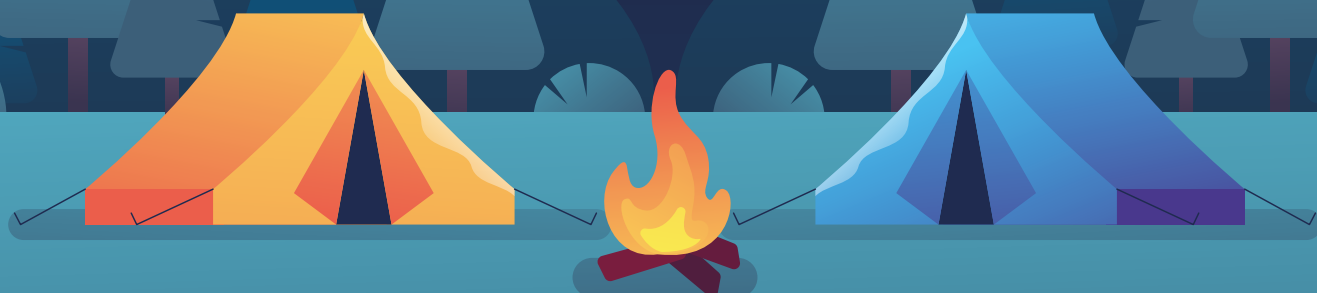


# WHO IS THIS PROGRAMME FOR?

Epsom's British Summer School Camp is designed for students between the ages of 8 to 16 who already have a good command of the English language but are looking to reach the next level in their English proficiency. Students wanting to explore Malaysia independently are welcome to participate in this programme as there will be many opportunities for this.

## **What the Programme includes:**

- **Accommodation (single or sharing rooms equipped with dedicated study spaces)**
- **Extracurriculars and sports activities**
- **Cultural excursions to key attractions in Malaysia**
- **24/7 pastoral care with support staff available**
- **Triweekly laundry service (Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays)**
- **3 delicious buffet meals and 3 snacks daily**
- **Welcome pack**
- **Certificates for participation**



# PROGRAMME DETAILS

## English Mastery Classes

A series of interactive lessons centred around the usage of the English Language to provide the students with a fun way to learn more about the language. This session is the fundamental building block of the summer school curriculum, and aims to give students a classroom setting that is familiar while distinguishing the strengths and weaknesses of each student. These classes take place in the mornings from 9:00am - 11:00am, and 11:30am - 12:30pm on all days except for Wednesdays and Sundays.

## Exploratory Afternoons

Here is a sample of the fun activities that were undertaken in the previous edition for the exploratory afternoon sessions - students typically do these within their classroom groups but outside of their classrooms.

### ARTS & CRAFTS

You will be exploring different forms of art, and you will have to be creative in this session.

### STEM ACTIVITIES

This session will give students the opportunity to use the English language in Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths areas. Students are expected to present their work at the end of the session/get involved in a Q&A session.

### SINGING

Using songs and music as a medium for teaching English. Activities such as creating lyrics from popular songs will allow students to be creative and build confidence through songwriting/singing. Students will be given an opportunity to memorise a popular song and/or perform their own songs in small groups in class.

### FUN ENGLISH ACTIVITIES

This session aims to develop students' interest in learning the target language through a variety of fun activities such as action songs, treasure hunts, role plays, crossword puzzles, show & tell and many more. It emphasises the joy of learning and indirectly allows pupils to explore how English is used in different ways.

### ENGLISH READING

To develop reading for pleasure, comprehension, vocabulary and fluency with a range of material suitable for language level. The sessions will take place initially in the classroom and then the library.

PERFORMANCE POETRY	This session will allow learners to engage with the language in terms of diction. By responding to poetry, learners will bring the poems to life and experiment with a variety of words verbally and in written form.
SINGING/DEBATING	Either using pop music to improve language levels (comprehension, vocabulary, discussion, grammar points), or debating to construct an argument, persuade others, and defend your stance.
BOARD GAMES	Students are introduced to basic moves and specific language, vocabulary, used in games such as Chess, Snakes and Ladders, and Ludo. For students who are interested in learning how to play Chess I can also teach them the basic moves.
STORY TELLING	Afternoon activities will be based on stories - role playing, Interactive storytelling, writing creative stories, making masks and puppets. Creating costumes of a fairy tale character using newspaper and recycled items for a fashion show.
FUN ACTIVITIES & GAMES	Playing board games eg: monopoly, charades, hangman and learning through music and role play
SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS	A series of fun science experiments
ROLE PLAYS	<p>A list of suggested topics for the role play:</p> <p>Telephone Conversation            Going to the Shop            Booking a Hotel            Sharing Opinions            Getting to Know New Friends</p>
LET'S GET PHYSICAL	The lesson will be focused around teaching the kids the importance of having an active life and eating healthy. The time will be split into two parts where students learn the concepts of healthy eating and the second will be focused on home exercises and a classroom game of choice. This will take place in the classroom. Vocabulary and grammar will vary depending on the group.
MUSIC	Poetry - teaching the children about beat and rhythm within poetry and using the beat of a drum when reading poems out loud. This lesson will take place in the music room.



## AWESOME EVENINGS

730-9pm - available on all days except Wednesdays and Sundays

## DEDICATED ENGLISH PUBLIC SPEAKING PROGRAMMES

Working with experienced teachers on improving their spoken English along with their ability to explain things in a clear manner. Increase inner confidence, enunciation, clarity and passion for our future leaders.

## MUSIC & DRAMA

A dedicated session with a closing finale with up to 500 seats to fill in Epsom's theatre - music & drama evenings are meant to invigorate the passion to perform, plan, sing, act, and entertain amongst students.

## COOKING CLASSES

Have you always wanted to try your hand at making a dish that you enjoy a lot? In this session, students are exposed to a variety of different cuisines while learning a myriad of different techniques and preparation methods for hot foods, breakfast items and pastries. This programme is beginner friendly and welcoming to all ages.

## ROBOTICS

This dedicated session focuses on crafting and creativity skills. Hands-on coding, building, and designing skills are a core component that will be continuously developed while bringing out the best of each student's talents.

## HIP HOP & SPANISH DANCE

Get active! From Krumping to pop and locks to Salsa and Flamenco, the dance classes are specially curated to learn on the movements and improve on coordination. Students will take in new choreographies to bring new dance moves for their next birthday party.

## ADVENTUROUS MEDIA CLUB

The media club analyses books, tv shows and movies. The students will do a deep dive in understanding roles of characters, historical background, or even pop culture references. It is a fully supervised 90-minutes, with properly rated contents. This helps to engage deeper with stories and foster critical thinking within students.

## E-SPORTS

Always a fan of mobile and computer games? This session aims to provide students with a theoretical and strategic guided class to improve on technique while better understanding the games that are played. A get together of e-Sports enthusiasts to learn and play some of the more popular games. Create new bonds and friendships to survive the game. A mini competition to be held to crown reigning champions by the end camp.

## ELITE BADMINTON

Serve, lob, drop, drive, and smash. Professionally managed sessions with a dedicated coach available to assist students with improving their badminton skills. Students will undergo intensive 90 minutes of training with a tournament during their final week to help improve comradery, all while having some fun.

## ART & DESIGN

Students will undergo a variety of different projects throughout the entire summer school - this evening activity is dedicated for students who have a passion for creating art and a strong desire to unleash their creativity. Epsom's art & design studio provides a luxurious experience with an expansive inventory that will allow students a space to craft to their hearts desire.

# PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
						30 July
						Registration
31 July	1 August	2 August	3 August	4 August	5 August	6 August
Class		Excursion - KL Tower	Class			Excursion - Melaka Safari
7 August	8 August	9 August	10 August	11 August	12 August	13 August
Class		Excursion - Superpark	Class			Excursion - Tadom Hill
14 August	15 August	16 August	17 August	18 August	19 August	20 August
Class		Excursion - Putrajaya	Class		Talent Show	Closing Ceremony

## Day 1: Registration Day

Time	Sunday 30 July 2023
2:00 pm	Registration / School Tour
6:00 pm	Dinner
7:00 pm	Induction Evening
8:00 pm	Safety Guideline
8:30 pm	Boarding House Briefing
9:00 pm	Relaxation and Social Time
9:45 pm	Lights Out

# PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Start Time	Activity	Location	Notes
7:00 am	Breakfast	Dining Hall	
9:00 am	English Lessons	Classrooms	A dedicated session that will allow students to learn
11:00 am	Break	Classrooms, Dining Hall	
11:30 am	English Lessons	Classrooms	
12:30 pm	Lunch	Dining Hall	
2:00 pm	Afternoon Activity	Classrooms/Outdoor	Music / Drama / Robotics / Culinary
4:00 pm	Change Attire / Snack	Boarding House, Dining Hall	
4:30 pm	Sports & Recreation	Sports Hall, Fields	A variety of sports programmes are to be put in place where students will experience all of the facilities and sports that Epsom students partake in
5:30 pm	Shower and Change	Boarding House	
7:00 pm	Indoor Activity	Theatre, Classrooms, Sports Hall	Games / Robotics / Music / Movies / Sports
8:30 pm	Downtime	Boarding House	
9:00 pm	End of Day	Boarding House	Devices will be taken for safe keeping

# PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

## Excursion Days: 2, 6, 9, 13, 16 August (Wednesdays & Sundays)

Time	Activity
7:00 am	Registration & Breakfast
8:10 am	Onboarding onto Bus
8:30 am	Travel to Destination <b>2 AUG : KL Tower</b> <b>6 AUG : Melaka Safari</b> <b>9 AUG : KLCC</b> <b>13 AUG : Mitsui Mall</b> <b>16 AUG : Putrajaya Parks</b>
9:30 am	Shopping & Lunch
1:00 pm	Afternoon Activity <b>2 AUG : KL Tower Petting Zoo</b> <b>6 AUG : Melaka Town</b> <b>9 AUG : Superpark KL</b> <b>13 AUG : Tadam Hill</b> <b>16 AUG : IOI City Mall</b>
4:00 pm	Return to Epsom
6:00 pm	Shower & Dinner
7:00 pm	Leisure Time & Prep for Bedtime
9:00 pm	Lights Out

## Talent Show: Saturday 19 August

Time	Activity
7:00 am	Breakfast
8:30 am	Talent Show Rehearsal / Activities ( Games / Robotics / Music )
10:30 am	
11:00 am	
12:30 pm	Lunch
2:00 pm	Talent Show Rehearsal
4:00 pm	Changing Time
4:20 pm	Sports / Activities
5:30 pm	Shower and Change Attire
6:00 pm	Dinner
7:00 pm	Talent Show

## Final Day Sunday 20 August

Time	Activity
8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am	Campus Tours, Meet & Greet
11:00 am	Closing Ceremony Speeches & Performances
12:00 pm	Farewell Lunch
1:00 pm	Pack-up & Departure from Epsom

# PACKING LIST

Please bring sufficient clothing for nineteen days - students/participants may require more than one change of clothing per day since they are going to be very active during the British Summer School Camp. Participants will be dressed casually for much of the programme and should be prepared to participate in outdoor and sporting activities. The list below represents a base level of recommended attire and personal items that students should pack for the British Summer School Camp. Please note that laundry service will be provided three times a week for the students. Parents and children are free to augment the suggested packaging list.

ITEM	NOTE
6 x T- Shirts (appropriate for outdoor activities / sports)	Multipurpose T-shirts suitable for rigorous sports and outdoor activities
5 x Polo Shirts / Dresses / Smart Casual wear	Tops suitable for classroom attendance
3 x Pairs of Jeans / Trousers / Skirts	Appropriate bottoms
3 x pairs of Shorts (appropriate for outdoor activities / sports)	Multipurpose shorts suitable for rigorous sports and outdoor activities
7 x pairs of Socks (appropriate for outdoor activities / sports)	
1 x Swimsuit / Swim goggles	
5 x Nightwear	
2 x pairs of Sports Shoes	
1 x pair of Sliders / Slipper / Sandals / Casual Footwear	
1 x Deodorant	
1 set of Toiletries	E.g: Soap / Shower Gel / Shampoo / Conditioner / Perfume / Makeup
1 x Sunscreen	
2 x Towels	
1 x Hand Sanitiser	
Sanitary products	
Medication	Prescription medicine (Analgesics is readily provided by our pastoral care)
Padlock	For safe keeping of your belongings
Snacks	Epsom provides snacks 3 times a day. Students are welcome to bring their own favourite snacks / instant noodles
International Travel Adapter	Malaysia uses a 3 pin plug. Having the adapter will ensure all of the electronic devices are properly charged.
Waist bag	For placing Money / Passports / Snacks during excursions

# REGISTRATION FLOW FOR PARENTS

Register your child at  
[epsom.typeform.com/BSS2023](https://epsom.typeform.com/BSS2023)

**STEP 1**

Once registered, you will receive an invoice within  
72 hours and payment is required to confirm the  
registration slot

**STEP 2**

Submit the following documents pertaining to medical  
information as well as terms and conditions associated with  
BSS 2023: [epsom.typeform.com/BSS2023MTC](https://epsom.typeform.com/BSS2023MTC)

**STEP 3**

To complete an online assessment -  
Oxford Placement Test (Provided by the school)

**STEP 4**

Successful completion of registration for BSS 2023

**STEP 5**

Receive final registration information by 1 May 2023

**STEP 6**

Receive flight itinerary by 20 July 2023

**STEP 7**

Arrive in Malaysia on 30 July 2023

**STEP 8**



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# FAQS

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## LIVE FAQ LINK

New written updates from time-to-time

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### Cancellation Policy

100% refund of all payments made strictly before 1 May 2023.

### Health & Safety

As the health and safety of our students are paramount, Epsom's own medical staff are living onsite on the premises.

### Covid Measures

All students must provide detailed information on their vaccination history. All students would need to submit the mandatory Emergency Health Information form, which will be distributed to all confirmed participants before the start of the camp.

### How to Get To Epsom, Malaysia

Map link, address, closest airport, nearest hotel

### Airport pick up to Epsom

Available upon request

# LIFE AT EPSOM

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## ACCOMMODATION

Students will be allocated a room in one of our six boarding houses. All rooms are fully furnished, air-conditioned, and have heated showers. At night, students can look forward to enjoy relaxing with a game of pool, foosball, board games, or even games on our PS4s that are readily available in all houses.



## DINING

Three meals shall be provided alongside refreshments throughout the day. An all-day cafe and grab-and-go is also available outside of mealtimes. Participants will enjoy a wide selection of cuisines from all over the world.



## SPORTS & FACILITIES

During the evenings, participants will have full use of the world-class athletic and leisure facilities across Epsom's 50-acre campus. Enjoy tennis, football, squash, badminton, swimming, or even a jog in the evening.



## PASTORAL CARE AND SUPERVISION

Over the week, students will learn, live and play in a safe, secure environment. A team of experienced Epsom teachers and support staff (including full-time medical nurse) will be on ground at all times to provide the best possible care and supervision in-line with the best traditions of boarding at Epsom.

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Registration is accepted on a first-come, first-served basis subject to availability of places and acceptance after completion of tests. Priority will be accorded to registrations received with payment.



Scan the QR code  
to register



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