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**International
House**
San Diego

about us



IH San Diego is a charter member of the Net-Pacific Group of International House language schools which includes campuses in Vancouver & Whistler, Canada and Santander & Valladolid, Spain.



Net Pacific Group



the school is located in the “Fashion Valley” area of San Diego featuring a wide range of shopping, dining and entertainment options.

It's only minutes away from a trolley stop and bus routes to every part of the city.

With a wide variety of courses and an active social program, IH San Diego is the ideal place to learn English while having a fun and memorable experience. Our professional staff will ensure that you receive individual attention throughout your stay. At IH San Diego, our Summer English program is 12 months long!

IH World Organization

International House San Diego is a member of the International House World Organization, an educational trust founded in 1953 by John and Brita Haycraft. Their aim was to raise the standards of language teaching world-wide and this aim has remained central to the organization ever since.

Over fifty years later, the network of schools affiliated with International House has grown to over 150 which are located in more than 50 different countries, creating a truly unique, global organization. As opposed to a franchise, IH is organized as a charitable trust with member schools under supervision by IH from IH headquarters in London.

International House is committed to ensuring the highest levels of language training and the delivery of excellence both inside and outside the classroom.



Mission Statement

International House San Diego is dedicated to providing quality English language and cultural immersion programs to international teens and adults whose primary purpose is to develop communicative competence.

Our aim is to deliver the highest quality academic programs and services which recognize individualism, cultural values, and the personal or professional growth of students. This is achieved through ethical and professional operational practices, highly trained teachers and staff, sound academic methodologies and programs, and allocation of sufficient fiscal and human resources.



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San Diego, California

San Diego, a vibrant city located on the beautiful Southern California coast with an idyllic climate and pristine beaches, is known as 'America's Finest City'. With its proximity to the Pacific Ocean, mountains, deserts, and natural reserves, recreational opportunities including surfing, sailing, golfing, hiking, and mountain climbing abound in the San Diego area year round.

San Diego is America's eighth largest city but enjoys the friendliness, hospitality and safety of a much smaller city. The world famous San Diego Zoo, Sea World, Wild Animal Park, Balboa Park, Birch Aquarium, and other attractions make San Diego one of the most alluring tourist destinations in the world.



general english



By using a communicative, student-centered approach, IH San Diego provides its students with a stimulating classroom environment. General English classes focus on integrating the skills of speaking, listening, reading and writing with pronunciation, grammar and lexical components.

The overall emphasis is on building confidence and improving fluency.

The elective classes provide students the opportunity to receive additional instruction in areas of particular interest to them.

Upon successful completion of their studies, students are awarded certificates.



Semi-Intensive

15 hrs
per week

The Semi-Intensive Program allows students to take Core classes in the morning. It is designed for students who are unable to participate in full-time studies.

Periods B, C & D

Intensive

20 hrs
per week

The Intensive Program is the most popular program at IH San Diego as it allows students to take both Core and communication skills in the morning.

Periods A, B, C & D

Intensive Plus

30 hrs
per week

Students enrolled in this program may take specialized classes or any combination of Core & Elective classes.

Periods A, B, C, D, E & F

Period A 08:30 - 09:20

Communication Skills

Period B 09:30 - 10:20

Core Courses

Period C 10:30 - 11:20

Core Courses

Period D 11:30 - 12:20

Core Courses

Period E 13:10 - 14:00

Exam Preparation
Elective Courses

Period F 14:10 - 15:00

Exam Preparation
Elective Courses

test preparation



Why choose IH San Diego for your examination course?

- Experienced and qualified instructors
- Flexible start dates throughout the year
- High success rates on all examinations
- Excellent facilities and up-to-date resources



TOEFL Preparation

- Suitable for students from Lower-Intermediate level
- Focus on academic reading, writing, listening and speaking

TOEIC Preparation

- Suitable for students from Lower-Intermediate level
- Focus on reading, listening, grammar and vocabulary development

IELTS Preparation

- Suitable for students from Lower-Intermediate level
- Focus on academic reading, writing, listening and speaking

Cambridge Preparation

- Suitable for students from Intermediate level
- Start dates are 12 weeks prior to taking the official examination
- FCE & CAE available (CPE offered upon demand)
- Focus on reading, speaking, listening, grammar, writing and vocabulary building



teacher training

Since 1962, International House has been a world leader in the field of Teacher Training. No other organization has trained more language industry professionals.

IH San Diego offers CELTA, the most widely recognized English language teaching certificate.

The CELTA training qualification offered by IH San Diego is awarded by Cambridge ESOL and opens doors to many English language teaching jobs around the world.



UNIVERSITY of CAMBRIDGE
ESOL Examinations

Authorised Centre

The CELTA is an introductory course, originally designed for people with little or no previous English language teaching experience. However, it is also beneficial for experienced teachers who have never attained a recognized teaching qualification.

The CELTA certificate is a great step in obtaining a teaching position at many schools around the world. Employers regard the certificate highly as it is known to provide a strong basis from which to develop as a teacher of English.



accommodations



At IH San Diego we take special care when choosing residences or homestays. We know how important it is for our students to feel at home, and we offer several different types of accommodation:

- Homestay with half-board
- Student residences or hostels
- Student apartments
- Hotels

Note: all accommodation is subject to availability



"IH SD is the best place to learn English! The teachers and staff are wonderful! I will always remember my time here."

Stephany - Brazil

"I will never forget my teachers and my friends! I'm looking forward to seeing you guys again! I LOVE San Diego!"

Shohei - Japan

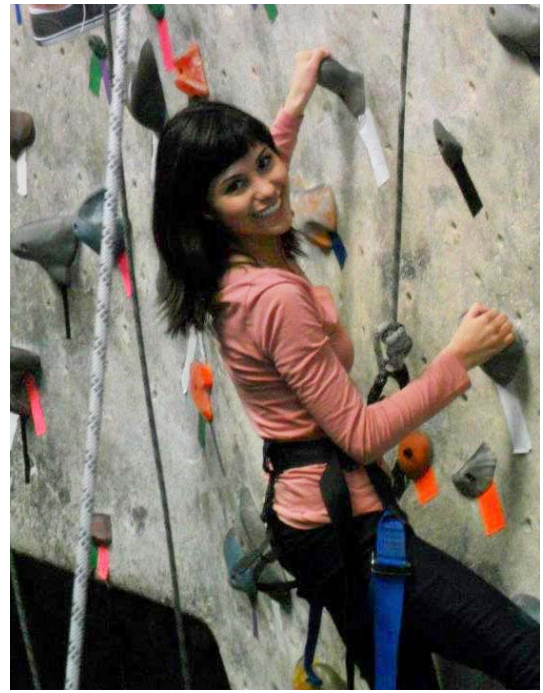


"It was fantastic living in San Diego at IH. I will never forget it. Thank you for everything."

Suk Ho (James) - Korea



social activities



IH San Diego offers a wide variety of recreational and cultural activities and excursions for students. The activities are a great way for students to socialize and encourage students to use their language skills in natural situations outside of the classroom.



Sample Activities:

- Sporting events
- Festivals
- Films
- Sightseeing
- Visits to local markets
- Excursions



“Good choice! Enjoy your life, be safe, and thank you for helping me with my English. See you later!”

Lorenzo - Italy

“I had a great time in San Diego. It was the best experience of my life. I want to return :)”



Sara - Spain



junior programs

homestay - winter (age 13 - 17)

IH San Diego is pleased to offer a fun-filled study/holiday Junior Program in January and February 2013. The program is offered to students of all language abilities, and classes focus on practicing all language skills through interactive, communicative exercises and language games. As an extension of the classroom experience, students enjoy afternoon activities and weekend excursions to exciting local attractions.

All students stay in shared room homestay accommodations with American host families. The Winter Junior Program is an ideal way to improve English skills, enjoy beautiful San Diego, and make new friends from around the world.



Sample Calendar

Winter Junior Program 2013

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
WEEK 1	2013 JAN. 6	7	8	9	10	11	12
08:30-12:20	Arrival Day with Host Family	Orientation	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15-17:30		Pacific Beach Rentals	Old Town Fiesta	Ice Skating	Free Afternoon	Ultrazone Laser tag	LA Excursion
WEEK 2	2013 JAN. 13	14	15	16	17	18	19
08:30-12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15-17:30	Sea World	USS Midway & Seaport Village	Hard Rock Cafe & Horton Plaza	Free Afternoon	Sports & Games	Belmont Park	LA Excursion
WEEK 3	2013 JAN. 20	21	22	23	24	25	26
08:30-12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15-17:30	San Diego Zoo & Balboa Park IMA X	Pacific Beach Rentals	Cabrillo National Monument	Free Afternoon	Mission Bay	Bowling	LA Excursion
WEEK 4	2013 JAN. 27	28	29	30	2013 JAN. 31	2013 FEB. 1	2
08:30-12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15-17:30	Coronado Island	La Jolla Cave and Cove	Fashion Valley Movie	Roller-skating	Free Afternoon	Beach BBQ and Sports	LA Excursion
WEEK 5	2013 FEB. 3	4	5	6	7	8	9
08:30-12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15-17:30	San Ysidro Outlet Malls	Pacific Beach Rentals	Old Town Fiesta	Ice Skating	Free Afternoon	Ultrazone Laser tag	LA Excursion
WEEK 6	2013 FEB. 10	11	12	13	14	15	2013 FEB. 16
08:30-12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Departure & End of
13:15-17:30	San Diego Zoo & Balboa Park IMA X	USS Midway & Seaport Village	Hard Rock Cafe & Horton Plaza	Free Afternoon	Sports & Games	Belmont Park	Winter Program

*All schedules subject to change based on weather conditions.
*Activities are subject to change.

Lunch Time - 12:20-13:15





junior programs

SDSU (San Diego State University)- summer (age 13 - 17)

The Junior Program at San Diego State University is a fully residential program and combines intensive, small-group English classes with daily field trips and excursions to exciting local attractions.

Students have access to many university facilities including an Olympic-sized swimming pool, volleyball courts, sports fields, and a recreation room as well as the university library and computers with internet.

Sample Calendar

SDSU Summer Junior Program 2013

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
WEEK 1	2013 JUN. 30	2013 JUL. 1	2	3	4	5	6
08:30 - 12:05	Arrival, Campus Tour	Orientation	English Class	English Class	SEAWORLD and Independence Day Fireworks	English Class	All Day San Diego Excursion
13:30 - 17:00		Capture the Flag	Pacific Beach Biking	Aquaplex	Ultrazone Laser tag	San Diego Zoo & Balboa Park IMAX	
18:30 - 20:30		Peer Project	Free Evening	Movie Night	Swimming		
WEEK 2	2013 JUL. 7	8	9	10	11	12	13
08:30 - 12:05	Arrival, Campus Tour or Free Day	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day San Diego Excursion
13:30 - 17:00		IH Olympics	Beach Day	Horton Plaza	Games & Sports	Iceskating	San Ysidro Outlet Malls
18:30 - 20:30		Peer Project	Free Evening	Padres Baseball	T-Shirt painting	ESL Bingo	
WEEK 3	2013 JUL. 14	15	16	17	18	19	20
08:30 - 12:05	Arrival, Campus Tour or Free Day	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	All Day San Diego Excursion
13:30 - 17:00		Aquaplex	Games & Sports	Bowling	Mission Bay	Belmont Park	Coronado Island & USS Midway
18:30 - 20:30		Casino Night	Free Evening	Movie Night	Pizza Party	Dinner in Old Town	
WEEK 4	2013 JUL. 21	22	23	24	25	26	27
08:30 - 12:05	Arrival, Campus Tour or Free Day	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	4 - Day L.A. Excursion DAY 1 Newport Beach DAY 2 Disneyland DAY 3 L.A. City Tour	4 - Day L.A. Excursion DAY 3 L.A. City Tour
13:30 - 17:00		Pacific Beach Rentals	Games & Sports	Solid Rock Gym Rock Climbing			
18:30 - 20:30		Dinner at FV	Arts & Crafts	Packing Party			
WEEK 5	2013 JUL. 28	29	30	2013 JUL. 31	2013 AUG. 1	2	2013 AUG. 3
08:30 - 12:05	4 - Day L.A. Excursion DAY 4 L.a Jolla Cove Return from L.A.	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Departure & End of Program
13:30 - 17:00		Aquaplex	Games & Sports	Fashion Valley Shopping	Rollerskating	Beach Day	
18:30 - 20:30		Ice Cream Party	Free Evening	Movie Night	Pizza Party	Farewell Party	

Breakfast 07:30 - 08:15 | Lunch 12:30 - 13:30 | Dinner 17:30 - 18:30

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The use of San Diego State University's name in this document is strictly for the purpose of identifying the location at which the IH San Diego Junior Program is delivering the Programs. The IH San Diego Junior Program has no affiliation with San Diego State University and San Diego State University is not involved in or responsible for the quality, suitability, delivery or other aspects of the International House San Diego programs in any way.

junior programs

homestay - summer (age 13 - 17)

IH San Diego is excited to offer an all inclusive homestay junior program in July and August 2013. The program is open to students of all English abilities, and interactive classroom activities and four weekly field trips to exciting local attractions provide a fun-filled language and cultural immersion experience.

All students have the opportunity to enhance their language skills and learn about American customs by living with host families.



Sample Calendar

Summer Junior Program 2013

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
WEEK 1	2013 JUN. 30	2013 JUL. 1	2	3	4	5	6
08:30 - 12:20	Arrival Day with Host Family	Orientation	English Class	English Class	American Independence Day	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15 - 17:30		Pacific Beach Rentals	Old Town Fiesta	USS Midway & Seaport Village	NO SCHOOL	Ultrazone Laser tag	LA Excursion
WEEK 2	2013 JUL. 7	8	9	10	11	12	13
08:30 - 12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion Sea World	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day
13:15 - 17:30		Coronado Island	Hard Rock Cafe & Horton Plaza	Free Afternoon	Games & Sports at Mission Bay	Aquaplex	
WEEK 3	2013 JUL. 14	15	16	17	18	19	20
08:30 - 12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion San Diego Zoo & Balboa Park IMA X	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15 - 17:30		Belmont Park	Roller-skating	Ocean Beach Pier	Free Afternoon	Beach BBQ	LA Excursion
WEEK 4	2013 JUL. 21	22	23	24	25	26	27
08:30 - 12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion La Jolla Cove	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day
13:15 - 17:30		Pacific Beach Rentals	Ice Skating	Free Afternoon	Bowling	San Ysidro Outlet Malls	
WEEK 5	2013 JUL. 28	29	30	2013 JUL. 31	2013 AUG. 1	2	3
08:30 - 12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion Padres Baseball	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Free day or Optional
13:15 - 17:30		Pacific Beach Biking	Old Town Fiesta	USS Midway & Seaport Village	Free Afternoon	Ultrazone Laser tag	LA Excursion
WEEK 6	2013 AUG. 4	5	6	7	8	9	2013 AUG. 10
08:30 - 12:20	All Day San Diego Excursion Sea World	Orientation or English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	English Class	Departure & End of Summer Program
13:15 - 17:30		Coronado Island	Hard Rock Cafe & Horton Plaza	Free Afternoon	Games & Sports at Mission Bay	Aquaplex	

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Lunch Time - 12:20-13:15



"Hotel Del" on Coronado Island



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