



August 1-26, 2011

SUMMER ENGLISH LANGUAGE EXPERIENCE

Immerse yourself in learning this summer.
Learn English on the beautiful coast of Maine.

Applying is Easy

Simply complete the application form online at the website below. Or, call us and we will send you the application form.

Call us at:

(207) 255-8301 ext. 210

Or apply online at:

<http://www.washingtonacademy.org/admissions>



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WASHINGTON ACADEMY

Maine, USA

All are Welcome

Washington Academy's Summer English Language Experience is for students ages 13-19, or those in grades 9-12, who want to improve their English skills. All levels of English ability are welcome and students will be assessed upon their arrival. Based on the faculty's assessment of each student, our Master's level instructors will create a personalized learning plan for each student and provide the appropriate coursework.

The Maine Outdoor Experience

Designed for students to have fun in the outdoors, Washington Academy's Summer English Language Experience is devoted to outdoor learning. You'll have fun in the diverse surroundings of Down East Maine - all while being immersed in an English speaking environment with local Maine kids. Students will spend their time:



Canoeing on lakes and streams

Exploring peat bogs and their unique plants and animals

Hiking through Maine's woods identifying the plants and animals that live there.

Spending a day on a lobster boat traveling to Machias Seal Island and learning about Maine's ocean habitat, including the beautiful puffins.

The Cultural Experience

Washington Academy's Summer English Language Experience continues inside the classroom. Students will be in the classroom from 8:30 to 2:30 completing a personalized program in accent modification, speaking, and listening with a speech language specialist. Additional skills in reading and writing will also be taught. Following daily classroom instruction, students will continue to practice English while participating in local cultural activities including visits to musical performances, a trip to Acadia National Park and other local attractions.



The Advantages are Numerous

You will not be required to take the TOEFL or SLEP for admission.

You will make friends, meet the faculty and get to know the area ahead of other students who attend in the fall.

You will be better prepared to take academic courses.

You will receive 1 credit toward graduation requirements.

You will be admitted to Washington Academy after successfully completing the Summer English Language Experience.



Accommodations are Comfortable

Students will reside with and under the supervision of faculty in the Academy Commons Dormitory. The dorm includes a co-ed lounge, two separate boys' and girls' lounges for quiet study, a kitchen area, single and double occupant rooms, and wireless internet. All meals will be provided in the Academy's cafeteria.

The dorm is located on Washington Academy's 65 acre campus. The campus is in the heart of Downeast Maine, just a few miles from the pristine coast of the Atlantic Ocean. Washington Academy's boarding program has grown to include over 90 students from 16 different countries. The total day and boarding population is just over 430 students.



The Program is Affordable

Two options are available to you. Attend the entire 4-week Summer Experience for \$4,000, or attend just the last 2 weeks for one half credit and a jump starts to your school year for \$2,500. Both options include housing and local cultural events and trips. A \$2,500 deposit is due within 10 days of acceptance. The remaining balance for the 4-week program will be due by July 15, 2010.

Participants must provide proof of US-based medical insurance. Students should bring spending money for some meals in restaurants during after school activities, purchasing souvenirs, and buying personal items. Students should also bring appropriate shoes for hiking and clothes appropriate for a variety of activities and weather conditions, such as rain coats and extra warm clothes for on the water.

