

2018

OXBRIDGE WEEK





Dear Oxbridge Week-participant

We are looking forward to a great autumn holiday in London, Cambridge and Oxford with you. We are set to explore the English world of universities, we will meet Danish students in England, we will go sightseeing in London, we will go to museums, and we will watch Phantom of the Opera.

The following is included and organised collectively

Return flights Billund/Heathrow, return transfers London/Heathrow, travel insurance, accommodation, breakfast all days, transportation to Oxford and Cambridge, Phantom of the Opera and museum entrance fees. For more information, please look through the programme.

The following you must organise and finance yourselves

Transportation to and from Billund Airport, transportation in London and other meals.

Please pay very close attention to

ATY's good reputation when travelling abroad. Below, you will find the official rules but, generally, the crucial point is to respect each other and the ones we meet. We have a shared responsibility of making this a good trip for everyone:

- As always when gathered in ATY contexts, we meet up on time to avoid unnecessary waiting time
- You must walk in pairs or groups at all times
- The programme is compact, and days will be long, so prioritise to spend your nights on re-energising in order to be able to pay attention and be active the following day
- Limited alcohol consumption is okay but it must not in any way affect your academic engagement at any time
- Regarding the use of drugs, the same legislation applies in England as in Denmark
- The local hostel rules must be respected, and we must show consideration for the other guests at the hostel
- We have breakfast together every morning
- We would like to know that everybody returns safely to the hostel in the evenings for which reason we make a list for you to tick as you return. We will have specific times for you to be back in the hostel every night.

And then, of course, you are always welcome to contact us in any case you need it. That is what we are there for. We look forward to the trip.

Svend and Anne



Programme

Sunday 14 October 2018

We go together from the airport to our hostel. Following the check-in you will have the time to find something to eat in the surroundings before we go for an organised sightseeing in London. Svend and Anne will be leaving the hostel at 4 o'clock to the meeting point for the sightseeing, but you are also free to meet us at the sightseeing meeting point at Wellington Arch at ten minutes to 5.

After the sightseeing you will have time to explore London, the area we are staying in or just to gather in the hostel for a relaxing evening.

Monday 15 October 2018

- 06.30: Breakfast
- 07.00: Departure by bus to Oxford
- 10.00: Arrival at The Queen's (Lodge)
- 10.15: Introduction to Oxford, Queens, Shulman Auditorium
- 11.00: Q&A
- 11.15: Tour of College (Queen's) with Cecilia and Nicolai, students
- 12.00: Lunch
- 13.15-14.15: Academic workshops: Modern Languages with Dr. Natasha Ryan (Faculty of Medieval and Modern Language, 47 Wellington Square)
- 15.00: Personal statement & Interview workshop with Professor Kate McLoughlin, Harris Manchester College, Warrington Room
- 16.00: Q&A with Danish students at different colleges
- 16.30: Tour of College (Harris Manchester)
- 17.00: Free time and dinner
- 19.00: Departure by bus to London

Tuesday 16 October 2018

- 07.00: Breakfast
- 07.30: Departure by bus to Cambridge
- 10.00: Arrival at Christ's College
- 10.15: Welcome and introduction to Cambridge (Christ's theatre)
- 11.00: Tour of Christ's College with current students
- 11.45: Choose between a science lecture or a philosophy taster lecture
- 11.45: Science students leave for science lecture on Downing Site
- 12.00: Arts students have buffet lunch (Christ's OCR)
- 12.45-13.45: Arts students have Philosophy taster session (Christ's theatre)
- 13.00: Science students return to Christ's
- 13.15-14.00: Science students have buffet lunch (Christ's OCR)
- 14.00: All groups meet back up and head on to afternoon activities
- 14.00-16.00: Free time: (Suggestions: Fitzwilliam Museum, sidgewick site which is a site for politics, law and social sciences, St. Johns college (entrance fee: 8 pounds))





16.30-22.00: Hughes Hall: Meeting Danish students. Meeting point: Gate
19.00: Formal Hughes Hall: Dresscode: Formal Clothing
22.00-23.30: Departure by bus to London

Wednesday 17 October 2018

07.00: Breakfast
08.00: Walk to King's College London
08.45: Arrival at Kings's College London, Somerset House Court Yard
09.05: Tour of King's College London
09.25: Transport to King's College London Guy's Campus (Walking)
10.00: Mini lectures King's College London
Brexit, the progress since the referendum with Cristian Juverdeanu, PhD student, Department of Political Economy
Molecular biology with Dr. Alison Snape, Faculty of Life Sciences & Medicine
Admission talk with Emil Bendner, CEO, Project Access
12.00: Lunch and transportation to either Imperial College, London School of Economics or University College London (travel in groups)
13.30-14.45: Tour of Imperial College, Q&A's with Daniel Wigh, BSc Meng Chemical Engineeromg & Paul Larsen, Bsc Computer Science
13.30-15.00: Tour of University College London with Gustav Grimberg, BA in Philosophy
Mini lecture; Philosophy with Nick Currie, PHD in Philosophy
Mini lecuture: To be Danish in academia at University College London with Niels Christensen, Postgraduate Teaching Assistant in Philosophy
13.30-14.45: Toru of London School of Economics with Clara Christensen, BSc in Government and Economics
Mini lecture: Political Theory - Inequality with Dr. David Axelsen, Department of Government
15.00: End of day at London Universities and free time
16.30: Minerva Schools at KGI (Information on location will follow, when in London)
18.30: Free time

Thursday 18 October 2018

07.00-09.00: Breakfast
09.00: We will go together to National Gallery
10.00-12.00: Visit at National Gallery
12.00: Free time
16.00: Nova Founders Capital
17.00: We all have dinner together at a restaurant near Her Majestys Theatre. More information will follow in our Facebook group when we are in London.
19.00: We go to Her Majesty's Theatre to watch Phantom of the Opera



Friday 19 October 2018

07.00-09.00: Breakfast
09.00-12.30: Free time
12.30: We meet at Wombat City Hostel to get our luggage
13.00: Departure from Wombat City Hostel to Heathrow Airport
16.05: Departure to Billund
18.45: Arrival in Billund

We all say goodbye before we separate 😊





Addresses

Wombats City Hostel London

E1 8LL London
Aldgate East or Tower Hill Underground

Wellington Arch, meeting point for sightseeing

Apsley Way, London W1J 7JZ
Hyde Park Corner Underground

King's College London

Strand, London WC2R 2LS
Temple Underground

University College London

Gower St, Bloomsbury, London WC1E 6BT
Warren Street or Euston Square Underground

London School of Economics

Houghton St, London WC2A 2AE
Holborn Station Underground

Imperial College London

Exhibition Road, London SW7 2AZ
South Kensington Underground

Her Majesty's Theatre

Haymarket, St. James', London SW1Y 4QL
Picadilly Circus Underground

National Gallery

Trafalgar Square, London WC2N 5DN
Leicester Station Underground

Minerva Schools at KGI

Nova Founders Capital

Broadbent House, 65 Grosvenor Street, London W1K 3JH
Bond Street Underground



Practical travel information

Travelling dates

Departure: Sunday 14 October 2018
Arrival: Friday 19 October 2018

Hostel

Wombat City Hostel is a modern hostel. It is located in Central London, close to the river Thames and within short walking distance to Tower Bridge. The reception is open 24 hours/day, and the hostel offers free wi-fi. It has big and good outdoor and indoor common areas, and it is possible to cook for yourselves in a shared kitchen. A continental breakfast buffet is served.

You will be staying in rooms of 4-8 beds with private bath and toilet. In the rooms you will find lockers. You need to bring your own towel but linen is provided.

Sunday 14 October 2018

Departure in Billund: Billund Airport

We meet at 9.00 in the departure section of Billund Airport

We will be flying British Airways departing at 11.15 (BA 805)

Arrival in Heathrow at 12.10

We go together in the underground to Wombat City Hostel from the airport

Friday 19 October 2018

Departure Heathrow: We go together from Wombat City Hostel at 13.00 towards the underground.

We will be flying British Airways departing at 16.05

Arrival in Billund at 18.45

Transportation to and from Billund Airport is organised and paid by you.

Transportation in London

Contactless visa cards can be used at all entrances/exits, and the price is the same as for the other cards.

It is possible to order oyster cards, visitor oyster cards and travelcards prior to leaving. You can also buy tickets on site.





Checklist

- Passport
- Medical card (sygesikringskort) – both yellow and blue
- Student card
- Money/visa card for meals every day
- We walk a lot – shoes, you can walk in
- Toiletries
- Towel
- Pen and paper
- Dresscode for Formal: Formal clothing
- Optional: Computer

The hostel provides linen for the beds.

Luggage

You are allowed to bring:

- 1 suitcase (checked-in luggage) max. 23 kg (height(90)/width(75)/depth(43))
- 1 carry-on luggage max. 23 kg (H56xW45xD25)

You are allowed to bring *one* 1-litre reclosable bag for liquids in your carry-on luggage. In this bag, you can bring as many containers (100ml) as fits in it. Otherwise, you can bring liquids in your checked-in luggage.



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