



Study Abroad Education Studies Programme

An innovative programme of study and school-based internship

WE HAVE
WELCOMED
STUDENTS
FROM



Why choose this programme

Discover Oxford – the most famous, international and historic university city in England.

Learn about **comparative and multicultural education** while you gain **practical experience in a local UK school**.

Blend your **education classes** with a **wide choice of academic subjects** with space in your study programme for independent travel.

Live with students from around the world as you learn in **small interactive classes** and one-to-one tutorials.

Explore Oxford, London and the UK through our rich, varied programme of activities and excursions.

Our **friendly supportive college** is in a safe, residential area of Oxford and within easy reach of London.

Live in one of our comfortable and modern **residences** or choose our **homestay** option and live with one of our welcoming local hosts.

St Clare's has run a study abroad programme for over 40 years, with a **mission to advance international education and understanding**.

Learn about teaching in an English school

You will be based at a local elementary or secondary school for one full day each week, in a class which matches your preferred age range, specialism or subject focus. We work with innovative, multicultural schools which are centres of teaching excellence – what you see and learn in the classroom will inform the work you complete for your Education courses.

Your studies will take advantage of the academic and cultural resources of Oxford, London and beyond through **field trips** to Blenheim Palace, the Freud Museum, Shakespeare's Stratford-upon-Avon and other sites.

Classes visit the Oxford University museums and explore the colleges that children's authors from Lewis Carroll, C.S. Lewis and J.R.R. Tolkien to Philip Pullman have made famous – all here in Oxford.



Practical classroom experience at a primary or secondary school



What I really love about St Clare's and their classes, is that even though I want to go into education I was able to take a plethora of different classes.

Alli, USA


97%

of students would recommend **St Clare's**
Summer 2019 survey

Study options

You will complete 4 or 5 academic courses – a group of seminars and a tutorial class. **All classes are small.** Seminars typically have 3-8 students and are capped at 12; tutorials provide more dedicated support and have 1 or 2 students.

We offer Education courses to help Liberal Studies, Education and licensure students complete the requirements for their major. Explore key issues in educational theory, policy and practice, both in the UK and internationally, as you draw on the practical experience of your school placement.

Classes include:

- Multicultural & Philosophical Foundations of Education
- Comparative Education
- Psychological Foundations of Education
- Philosophy and Ethics of Education
- Art for Educators
- Children's Literature

Our classes encourage **engagement**: personal responses to readings, research, presentations and debate led by our **supportive** tutors. Your courses involve **independent study** and will **help you develop** your writing, research and presentation skills.

We also offer a wide range of courses in other subject areas to help you towards your subject specialism or complete your core and electives.



St Clare's was different from my home university because it was very small in size and international. It challenged me academically and helped broaden my cultural awareness.
Megan, USA



Discover the magic at the Harry Potter Studio Tour

Life at St Clare's: explore Oxford, the UK and Europe

We'll help you **make Oxford your home**. Our full activities programme will introduce you to this vibrant, safe and student-friendly city.

You will visit the **historic colleges and museums** of Oxford, walk to country pubs and go boating in a 'punt' on the river.

Our programme of **excursions** will help you explore the culture and history of Britain: Stonehenge; Harry Potter Studio Tour; Warwick Castle; Bath; Brighton and soccer matches.

You'll see the sights, museums and markets of London and take in shows like The Lion King and Wicked.

Weekend trips range from surfing in Cornwall to The Beatles Museum in Liverpool or the historic sites of Dublin.



Punting on the River Thames

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