

# GERMAN

## FOR KIDS & TEENS

WHERE INTERESTING PEOPLE MEET  
*MORE THAN 1,200 JUNIORS ATTEND GLS PROGRAMS EVERY YEAR*

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### SUMMER SCHOOLS IN BERLIN

Intensive German courses, including lots of sightseeing and sports

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Bavaria at its best: German courses in a Munich castle and in the Alps

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Day and boarding schools for ages 13 – 18







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UNIVERSITY  
PATHWAY GERMANY



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**EDITORIAL**

When my kids were young, we used to encourage them to spend part of their holidays in summer camps abroad in order to practice and enrich their language skills. These travels were of immense value to them and made them experience culture first hand. They prepared all three of my children to be citizens of the world.

GLS stands for German Language School and was founded in 1983 by Barbara Jaeschke, former teacher and passionate marathon runner. GLS operates summer camps for juniors in Berlin and Munich as well as its own campus for adult students in the heart of Berlin. Every year GLS sends over 1.800 German juniors abroad for student language travel while at the same time welcoming more than 1.200 international juniors in Germany.

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# WHY JUNIOR COURSES WITH GLS?



GLS is one of Germany's foremost specialists for junior language programs, with 3 decades of experience. Every year GLS sends over 1.800 German juniors abroad while at the same time welcoming more than 1.200 international juniors in Germany. GLS offers:

- ★ summer camps in Berlin and Munich
- ★ very attractive and metropolitan regions
- ★ wide age range: from 7 to 19 years
- ★ residential and homestay options
- ★ premium sport add-ons like sailing, tennis or football
- ★ Possibility to learn German all year round:
  - Special Winter College in Berlin
  - High School programme in Germany all year round

## GLS ONLINE COMMUNITY

Want to connect even before your summer camp adventure starts? Meet other students attending GLS Summer Camps in the GLS online community and make friends before you even get there. You can look up who is staying at the camp with you or check out pictures and photo reports from all the GLS summer camps in Berlin and Munich.



GLS programs offer an effective and fun approach to language learning. Every effort is made to create a fun and stimulating atmosphere with the topics of the lessons aligned with the interests of the students. Each destination is carefully selected based on the quality of the location, the comfort of the accommodation and the choice of activities close-by. This is the perfect opportunity to develop language skills and have an unforgettable experience.

All GLS teachers are experienced language teachers with university degrees. Their main goal is to ensure a friendly atmosphere in class and to include the needs of every individual student, making sure everyone gets the most out of their language experience.

The German courses take place in the morning (Exception: Berlin College summer school). Students can choose between a 20h German course or a 25h German course (intensive camps) per week depending on which camp they go to.

Classes focus on communication, using interactive and dynamic techniques to get the students to actively participate and improve their skills. Combined with a rich selection of daily activities and weekly excursions, students get ample opportunity to practice the language both inside the classroom and out.

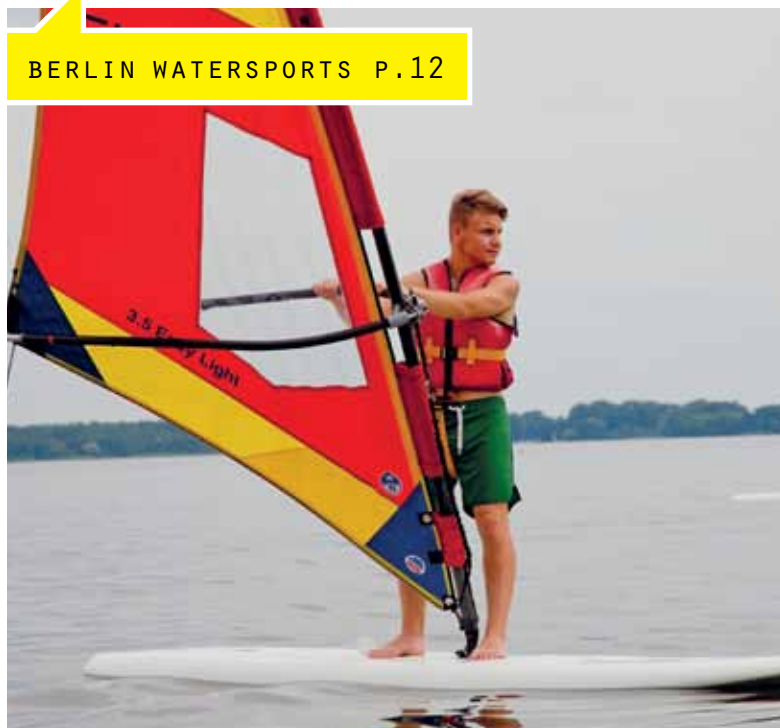


# SPORTS AT GLS SUMMER CAMPS

Lots of sports activities are included in the regular afternoon activities such as windsurfing, kayaking, swimming, volleyball and much more. For the ambitious athletes we have three add-on sport options: Tennis, Sailing and Football with 3 x 90 minute lessons per week, bookable at a surcharge.



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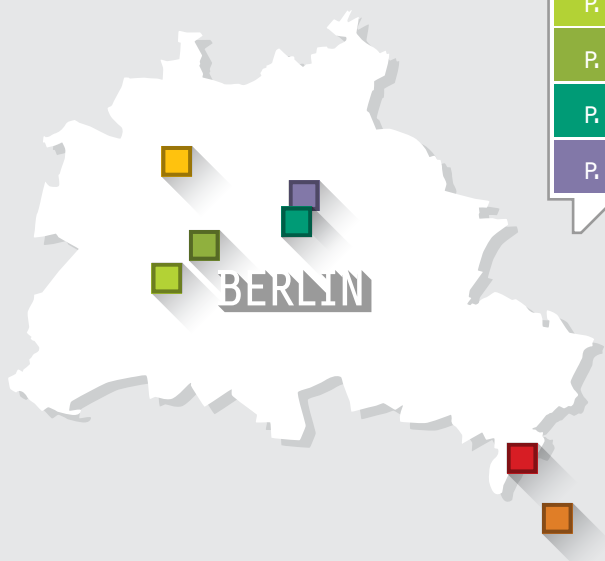
NOT ONLY IN SUMMER

GLS is one of Germany's foremost specialists for junior language programs, with three decades of experience both as a school and as an agent.

JUNIOR PROGRAMS

## BERLIN

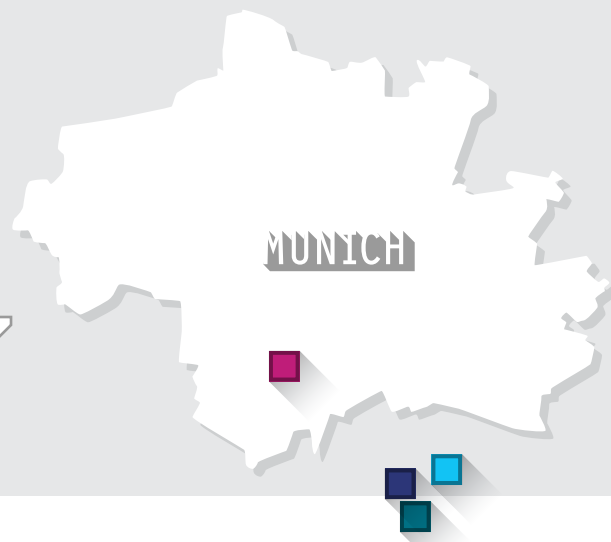
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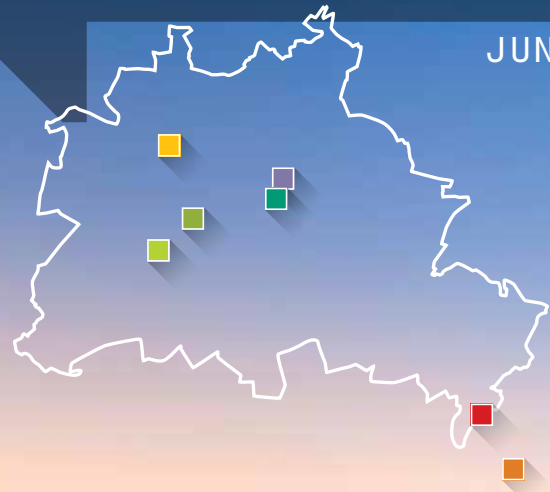
1. summer programs in very attractive and metropolitan regions: Berlin & Munich
2. possibility to learn German all year round by attending a German high school—flexible starting dates for short stays of 2 or 3 months
3. wide age range: from 7 to 19 years
4. residential & homestay options



# BERLIN

JUNIOR PROGRAMS

AIRPORT CODE **BLN**  
CURRENCY **EURO**  
TIME ZONE **CET**



CAPITAL OF GERMANY

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# GERMAN

# 368

 METERS

BERLINER FERNSEHTURM IS THE TALLEST BUILDING IN GERMANY

POPULATION (2015)

# 3,466,164

ON 891.82 KM<sup>2</sup>

52° 31' 12,025" N  
13° 24' 17,834" E

WINTER

-5 - 3°C  
23 - 37.4°F



AVERAGE TEMPERATURE



20 - 31°C  
68 - 87°F

SUMMER

# 175

MUSEUMS  
BERLIN IS SAID TO HAVE MORE MUSEUMS THAN RAINY DAYS

# 1,700

BRIDGES,  
BERLIN  
EASILY  
BEATING  
VENICE

# „ICH BIN EIN BERLINER“

JOHN F. KENNEDY  
1963

# 134,000

 STUDENTS

BERLIN IS GERMANY'S BIGGEST UNIVERSITY CITY WITH 4 UNIVERSITIES, 4 ART SCHOOLS AND 10 TECHNICAL COLLEGES

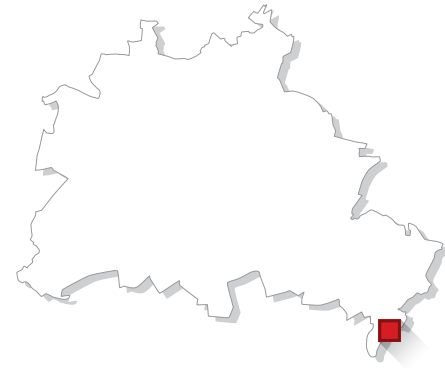
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# BERLIN

## YOUNG & FUN



**AGES 7–14**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO BERLIN PER WEEK**

This summer camp is ideal for a) younger students, as it is next to a lake, safe, calm and green, b) students who appreciate a high standard in accommodation and c) students, who want to make German friends: German kids take part in all after-class activities & excursions.



**LOCATION**  
on Lake Zeuthen in a suburban district of Berlin

**CAPACITY**  
120 students at a time

**FACILITIES**  
campus of a private university with on site residence, lakeside park, 15 classrooms, beautiful cafeteria, fitness studio, video room, limited access to PCs on site

**GERMAN COURSE**  
15 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced

**ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS**  
3 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Berlin downtown or Potsdam (one full-day, one half-day)

**ACCOMMODATION**  
on campus in 2–3 bed-rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the campus cafeteria

**TRANSFER**  
to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)

**SPORT ADD-ONS**  
Tennis & Sailing: 3 x 90 minutes per week, bookable at a surcharge

**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** 3 German lessons  
**Afternoon A** swimming, football or juggling  
**Afternoon B** theater or multisport  
**Evening** games

**TUE** **Morning** 3 German lessons  
**Afternoon A** basketball or dance  
**Afternoon B** volleyball or multisport  
**Evening** camp olympiad

**WED** **Morning** 3 German lessons  
**Afternoon** excursion to Berlin

**THU** **Morning** 3 German lessons  
**Afternoon A** batik or jazz dance  
**Afternoon B** music or multisport  
**Evening** lakeside barbecue

**FRI** **Morning** 3 German lessons  
**Afternoon A** boat trip  
**Afternoon B** camp newspaper  
**Evening** disco

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle

**SUN** Departure or bicycle ride around the lake

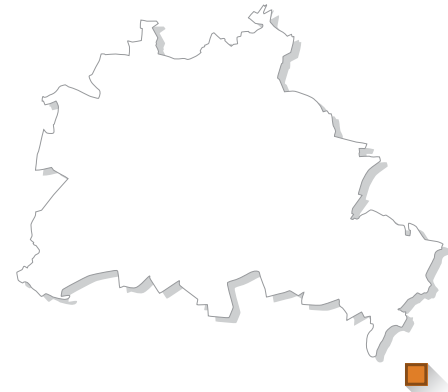
### SAMPLE WEEK





# BERLIN

## WATER SPORTS



**AGES 13–17**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO BERLIN PER WEEK**

The summer camp on a lake near Berlin is a fantastic combination of water sports and metropolitan attractions: it has its own harbour and fantastic facilities for all kinds of water sports. A further plus factor: the camp is attended by German teenagers as well, who will often share evening activities like barbecues or disco nights.



**LOCATION**  
Lake Wolzig, 30 km southeast of Berlin

**CAPACITY**  
70 students at a time

**FACILITIES**  
campus with on site accommodation, cafeteria, 10 classrooms, harbour with boats, surf boards, kayaks, canoes, sailing boats, beach, indoor gym, fitness studio, beach volleyball field, soccer field, basketball court, climbing wall

**GERMAN COURSE**  
20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced

**ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS**  
2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Berlin (one full-day, one half-day)

**ACCOMMODATION**  
on campus in 2 or 3-bed-rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the campus cafeteria

**TRANSFER**  
to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)

**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** canoeing or climbing  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** rowing or inline-skating  
**Evening** camp breakdance

**WED** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** half-day excursion to Berlin  
**Evening** campfire

**THU** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** surfing or football  
**Evening** film

**FRI** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** sailing or float building  
**Evening** disco

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Berlin  
**Evening** party

**SUN** **Evening** Departure or swimming  
beach volleyball

SAMPLE WEEK



# BERLIN

## RIVERSIDE



### AGES 14-17

#### 4 ACTIVITIES PER WEEK IN BERLIN DOWNTOWN

Berlin Riverside is ideal for students who want to be in Berlin but still need green around them: Located on beautiful River Havel in a residential region of Berlin, this summer camp is the perfect place for a relaxing summer holiday—enriched by exciting trips to downtown Berlin.



#### LOCATION

North of Berlin city center, on River Havel



#### CAPACITY

45 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

residence with on site accommodation and own landing stage, garden, barbecue place, beach volleyball court, cafeteria, kicker, table tennis



#### GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 4 excursions per week to downtown Berlin, one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2, 3 or 4-bed-rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the campus cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)



**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** sightseeing in Berlin  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** beach volleyball or cycling tour  
**Evening** casino evening

**WED** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** trip to Potsdamer Platz  
**Evening** campfire

**THU** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** walk along Berlin Wall  
**Evening** show-time

**FRI** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** rowing or arts & crafts  
**Evening** disco

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Berlin or Potsdam  
**Evening** cinema

**SUN** **Evening** Departure or swimming  
karaoke

SAMPLE WEEK



# BERLIN

## VILLA



### AGES 16–17

#### DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

The villa is the smaller and more familial of two GLS junior summer schools in Berlin. Even though famous Kurfürstendamm, one of Berlin's most elegant shopping streets, is just around the corner, the villa and its beautiful garden feel like a safe retreat – perfect for students who like it urban but appreciate a familial touch.



#### LOCATION

Berlin city center, near Kurfürstendamm, a famous shopping boulevard



#### CAPACITY

40 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

beautiful villa with garden and 40 beds, 5 classrooms, lounge, cafeteria, basketball court



#### GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 3-5 bed-rooms with shower/WC in the hall, full board in the campus cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

**SUN**

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** walking tour on Kurfürstendamm  
**Evening** video evening

**TUE**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** New Reichstag & Potsdamer Platz  
**Evening** games

**WED**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** swimming in lake Wannsee  
**Evening** beach volleyball

**THU**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie  
**Evening** barbecue

**FRI**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** rowing on «Neuer See» in Tiergarten  
**Evening** disco

**SAT**

**Full-day** excursion Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle  
**Evening** pub tour

**SUN**

**Evening** Departure or visit flea market on Str. des 17. Juni  
garden party

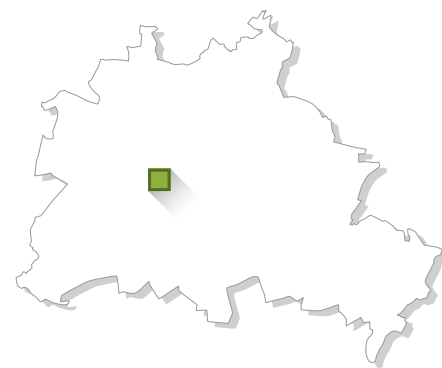
### SAMPLE WEEK





# BERLIN

## INTENSIVE



**AGES 15-17**

### DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

This summer program in Berlin is the most intensive one – with 5 daily lessons of German instead of 4. It's perfect for students who are both ambitious and fun-loving: The school's location just north of the city center is a perfect base for outings in Berlin. The school has a familial feel to it, and you'll find it very easy to make new friends here.



#### LOCATION

In the northern city center of Berlin, right next to a park and a metro-station



#### CAPACITY

60 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

10 seminar rooms and a hotel in the same building (on the upper floors) where students are accommodated.



#### GERMAN COURSE

25 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

on site in 2 – 4 bed rooms with own shower and WC, full board in the cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)



**SUN**

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Boat trip around Museum Island  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Berlin Tiergarten & relaxing at Lake Neuer See  
**Evening** games

**WED**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Badminton or cycling tour  
**Evening** video evening

**THU**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Trip to Potsdam: Castle Sanssouci  
**Evening** showtime

**FRI**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Berlin Wall and museum at Checkpoint Charlie  
**Evening** showtime

**SAT**

**Full-day** full-day excursion to Berlin  
**Evening** cinema

**SUN**

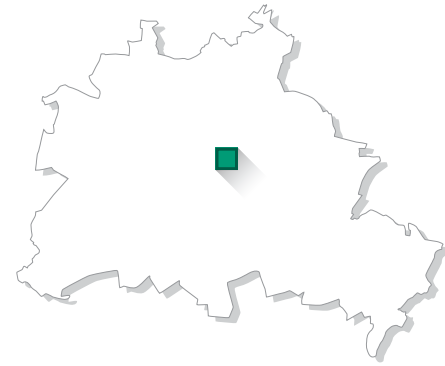
Departure or swimming

SAMPLE WEEK



# BERLIN

## COLLEGE



### AGES 16-19

#### DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

The college is for independent and mature students: Located in the epicenter of Berlin's hippest district, the college offers a very trendy neighborhood with fancy clubs, cafes and designer fashion stores just down the street. GLS guides are around, but students are free to venture out on their own.



#### LOCATION

Berlin city center, in trendy Prenzlauer Berg



#### CAPACITY

160 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

GLS campus with 40 classrooms, restaurant, cafe, garden, bicycles



#### GERMAN COURSE (in the afternoon)

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

OPTION A: residential; 4 - 5 bed rooms either on campus or in a stylish youth hostel 5 minutes walking distance (double room on request). Half board: Breakfast and dinner included, lunch available at surcharge at the GLS cafeteria.

OPTION B: homestay, double room, half board (breakfast at the homestay, dinner on campus), commuting time 30 - 50 minutes



#### TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** exploring the neighbourhood  
**Afternoon** 4 German lessons  
**Evening** salsa evening

**TUE** **Morning** shopping vintage Berlin fashion  
**Afternoon** 4 German lessons  
**Evening** clubbing

**WED** **Morning** swimming in lake Wannsee  
**Afternoon** 4 German lessons  
**Evening** volleyball in Mauerpark

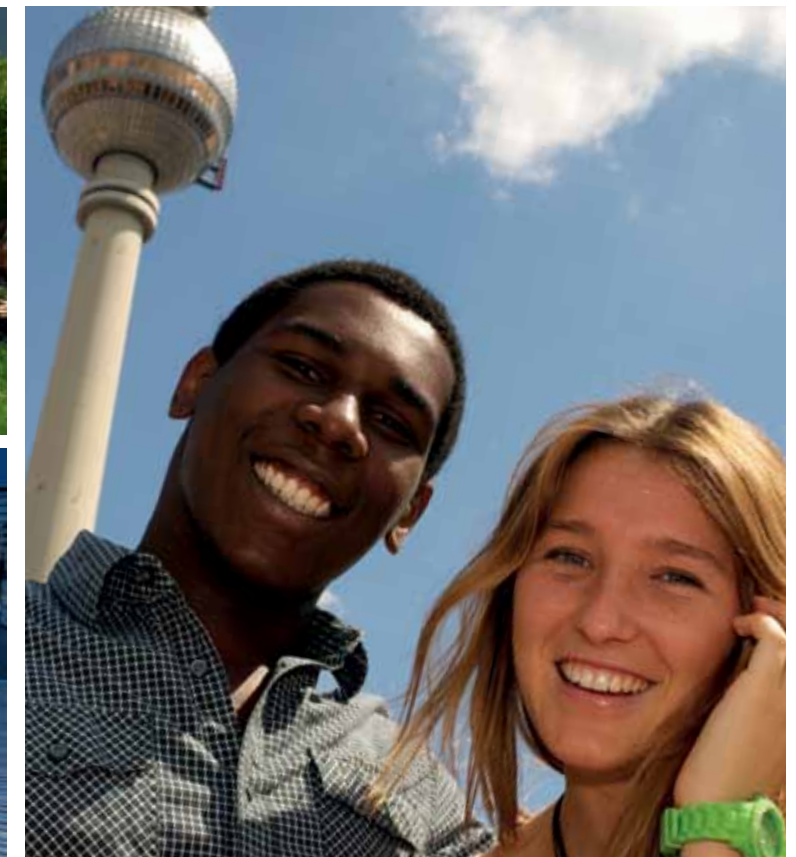
**THU** **Morning** Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie  
**Afternoon** 4 German lessons  
**Evening** video night

**FRI** **Morning** boat trip around Museum Island  
**Afternoon** 4 German lessons  
**Evening** Badeschiff on River Spree

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Potsdam & Sanssouci Castle  
**Evening** pub tour

**SUN** Departure or visit flea market on Strasse des 17. Juni

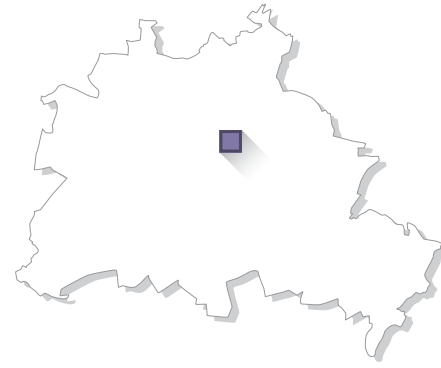
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# BERLIN

## WINTER COLLEGE



### AGES 15–19

#### DAILY ACTIVITIES IN BERLIN CITY

Berlin is cool all year round, in winter too! The Berlin Winter College is located in the very center of Berlin, on the GLS Campus in trendy Prenzlauer Berg. The program includes 20 weekly lessons of German and daily outings in Berlin. You'll have a great time together with teens from all over the world, and you'll get to see all the highlights: Berlin Wall, Museum Island, River Spree and plenty more.



#### LOCATION

Berlin city center, in trendy Prenzlauer Berg



#### CAPACITY

160 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

GLS campus with 40 classrooms, restaurant, cafe, garden, bicycles



#### GERMAN COURSE (in the afternoon)

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 4 levels: beginners, elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

OPTION A: on campus, 2–bed rooms or 3–5 bed rooms, half board (breakfast and dinner included, lunch available at surcharge at the GLS cafeteria).

OPTION B: homestay, double room, half board (breakfast at the homestay, dinner on campus), commuting time 30–50 minutes



#### TRANSFER

to/from Berlin station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)

#### SUN

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

#### MON

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** exploring the neighbourhood  
**Evening** night out in Prenzlauer Berg

#### TUE

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** shopping vintage Berlin fashion  
**Evening** karaoke party

#### WED

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** ice skating on a berlin lake  
**Evening** night out in Kreuzberg

#### THU

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Berlin Wall & Checkpoint Charlie  
**Evening** video night

#### FRI

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** boat trip around Museum Island  
**Evening** bowling

#### SAT

**Full-day** excursion to Dresden  
**Evening** pub tour

#### SUN

Departure or visit flea market on Strasse des 17. Juni

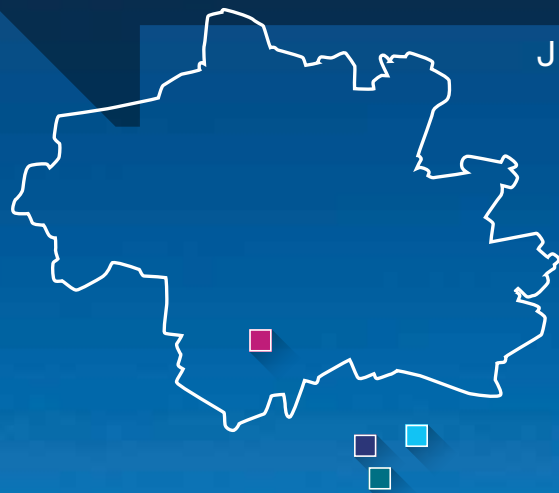
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# MUNICH

JUNIOR PROGRAMS

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 CURRENCY **EURO**  
 TIME ZONE **CET**



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3<sup>RD</sup> LARGEST CITY OF GERMANY

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WINTER

**-5 – 3°C**  
 23 – 37.4°F



AVERAGE TEMPERATURE



**20 – 31°C**  
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SUMMER

# 1857

THE FAMOUS WHITE SAUSAGES ARE INVENTED – A MUNICH SPECIALITY. THESE ARE TRADITIONALLY EATEN WITH SWEET MUSTARD AND PRETZELS AND ARE ONLY SERVED BEFORE NOON

MUNICH'S ENGLISCHER GARTEN (ENGLISH GARDEN) IS AMONG EUROPE'S BIGGEST CITY PARKS, EVEN BEATING LONDON'S HYDE PARK – AND NEW YORK'S CENTRAL PARK, TOO.

# „MÜNCHEN MAG DICH“

MUNICH LIKES YOU  
 THE MOTTO OF THE CITY

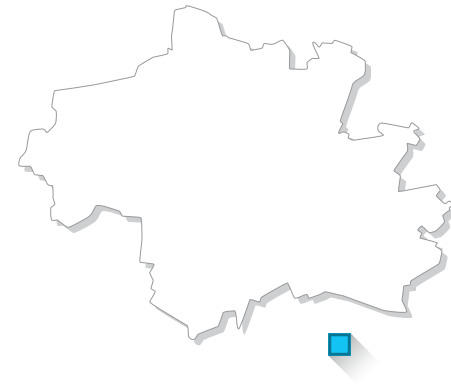
OVER **20** BEER GARDENS

ARE LOCATED IN MUNICH. MUNICH IS HOME FOR THE ANNUAL OKTOBERFEST, A WORLD KNOWN BEER FESTIVAL GOING FOR TWO WEEKS



# MUNICH

## YOUNG & FUN



**AGES 7-14**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK**

This summer camp is a picture book setting for younger students: Located in a traditional Bavarian village in the Alps, it is surrounded by beautiful nature. Munich is the destination for after-class excursions. Special plus: German kids take part in all activities and excursions.



#### LOCATION

a village in the Bavarian Alps, 2 km from Lake Schliersee and 50 km south of Munich



#### CAPACITY

70 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

campus with on site accommodation, fireplace, barbecue, volleyball court, table tennis, pool table, TV room



#### GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Munich (one full-day, two half-day)



#### ACCOMMODATION

on campus in 2-4 bed-rooms with shower/WC on the hall, full board in the campus cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (=Sundays)



#### SPORT ADD-ONS

Tennis: 3 x 60 minutes per week  
Soccer: 3 x 90 minutes per week  
bookable at a surcharge

**SUN**

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** adventure tour  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** mountain climbing  
**Evening** video evening

**WED**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** half-day excursion to Munich  
**Evening** campfire

**THU**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** swimming or fun sport  
**Evening** games evening

**FRI**

**Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** volleyball  
**Evening** walk to the lake nearby

**SAT**

**Full-day** excursion to Munich  
**Evening** disco

**SUN**

Departure or sports

SAMPLE WEEK





# MUNICH

## ADVENTURE



**AGES 12-17**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK**

Munich Adventure is for students who want to explore Munich, but also love nature and being outdoors. The camp is located on a beautiful lake south of Munich, and after class activities focus on outdoor activities such as hiking, mountain biking and canyoning.



#### LOCATION

on Lake Spitzingsee 50 km south of Munich



#### CAPACITY

50 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

beautifully restored hotel with lake and mountain view, 7 spacious class rooms, garden, climbing wall, fitness room, sauna, TV room, table tennis



#### GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities & 2 excursions per week to Munich (one full-day, one half-day)



#### ACCOMMODATION

on site in 3-4 bed rooms with own shower/WC, full board in the hotel cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)



**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** adventure hiking with GPS  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** constructing a float  
**Evening** video evening

**WED** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** half-day excursion, e.g. to Munich  
**Evening** campfire

**THU** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** swimming in waterfall  
**Evening** games evening

**FRI** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** bike parcours  
**Evening** adventure hike at night

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Munich e.g. Evening disco

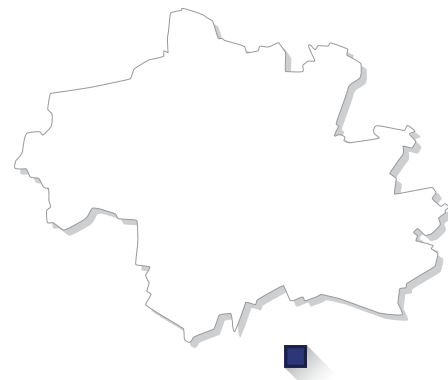
**SUN** Departure or sports

SAMPLE WEEK



# MUNICH

## INTENSIVE



**AGES 15–17**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK**

This program is the most intensive one in Munich: it includes 25 lessons of German per week and takes place in a truly beautiful setting just south of Munich: Students live and learn in a family run hotel near Lake Schliersee, in the Alps. Munich is within easy reach by train, and the program includes at least 2 trips to Munich every week.



#### LOCATION

near Lake Schliersee south of Munich



#### CAPACITY

50 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

Mountain hotel with indoor pool, 8 seminar rooms, garden



#### GERMAN COURSE

25 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities, min. 2 afternoon excursions per week to Munich & one full-day trip on Saturdays



#### ACCOMMODATION

on site in 2–4 bed rooms with own shower and WC, full board in the cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)

**SUN**

Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** hiking around Lake Schliersee  
**Evening** barbecue

**TUE**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** half-day excursion to Munich  
**Evening** games

**WED**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** Badminton or mountain biking  
**Evening** video evening

**THU**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** half-day excursion to Munich  
**Evening** showtime

**FRI**

**Morning** 5 German lessons  
**Afternoon** volleyball  
**Evening** showtime

**SAT**

**Full-day** excursion to Munich e.g.  
**Evening** cinema

**SUN**

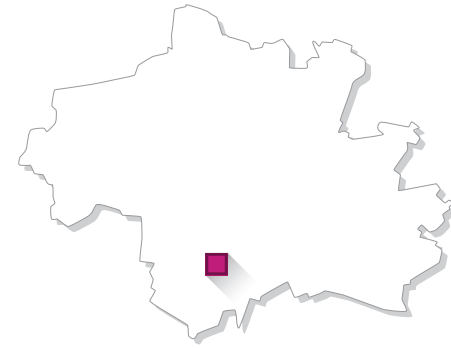
Departure or swimming

SAMPLE WEEK



# MUNICH

## CASTLE



**AGES 14–17**

**2 EXCURSIONS TO MUNICH PER WEEK**

This summer camp is the most metropolitan one among the Bavarian camps and has a truly spectacular location: a real castle overlooking River Isar in Munich. The neighbourhood is a residential district south of the city center, and all Munich highlights such as Hofbräuhaus, Bavaria Filmstudios or Frauenkirche are within easy reach.



#### LOCATION

the banks of River Isar in a wealthy residential district of Munich



#### CAPACITY

50 students at a time



#### FACILITIES

modernized medieval castle, 7 classrooms, cafeteria, knights' hall, lounge, internet cafe, bowling, billiard, playground in the park



#### GERMAN COURSE

20 lessons with a max. of 12 students per class on 3 levels: elementary, intermediate, advanced



#### ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

2 daily activities in or near the castle & 2 excursions per week to Munich city center (one full-day, one half-day)



#### ACCOMMODATION

on site in 4–5 bed rooms with own shower/WC; full board in the castle cafeteria



#### TRANSFER

to/from Munich station/airport on arrival and departure days (= Sundays)



**SUN** Arrival until 5 pm, introduction and language test, welcome evening

**MON** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** academy of arts  
**Evening** open air movie

**TUE** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** shopping in Munich  
**Evening** rallye in the park

**WED** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** swimming in River Isar  
**Evening** barbecue

**THU** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** treasure hunt through city center of Munich  
**Evening** cycling along river Isar

**FRI** **Morning** 4 German lessons  
**Afternoon** sports or visit to Munich on your own  
**Evening** visit to Bavarian Biergarten

**SAT** **Full-day** excursion to Bavaria Film Studios

**SUN** Departure or extra excursion, e.g. Lake Tegernsee

SAMPLE WEEK



# HIGH SCHOOL GERMANY

Start your High School adventure in Berlin! Berlin is one of the coolest cities in Europe, and every February and August we organize a starter weeked for international High School students in Berlin. Included are workshops, accommodation on the campus of the GLS German Language School and – of course – lots of sightseeing in Berlin.



## STARTERWEEKEND IN BERLIN (AUG & FEB)

FRI

Welcome dinner

SAT

**Workshop I:** High Schools in Germany  
**Workshop II:** Dos and don'ts in Germany  
 Afternoon sightseeing in Berlin  
 Dinner  
 Night out in Berlin

SUN

**Workshop III:** Culture shock  
 Lunch  
 Pick up by host families or  
 boarding school

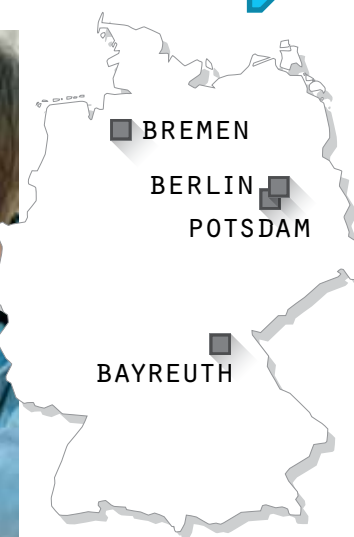
# DAY & BOARDING SCHOOLS IN GERMANY

GLS won't place you just anywhere in Germany – with GLS you'll go to school in really cool and urban places such as Berlin, Potsdam, Bremen or Bayreuth. GLS cooperates with both day schools and boarding schools. The advantages of day schools: 1. They are less pricey than boarding schools and 2. You can also do short stays of 2 or 3 months. Boarding schools usually expect a minimum stay of one year. They nearly always offer you the possibility to do the *Abitur* and then go on to study at a German university. If you want to do the *Abitur*, plan to spend at least the final 2 years prior to *Abitur* exams in Germany.

**SCHOOL LOCATIONS:**  
 Berlin, Potsdam, Bremen, Bayreuth

**AGES:**  
 14 – 18 years (day schools),  
 11 – 18 years (boarding schools)

**REQUIREMENT:**  
 German on level A2 or preparatory  
 German course in Berlin



## WHAT'S YOUR LEVEL OF GERMAN?

Most High Schools demand German on level A2 as a minimum, some expect B1 or even C1. No problem if you don't have the required level yet. Just do a preparatory course at the GLS German Language School in Berlin. Prep courses are taught in mini groups (max. 6 future high school students) and have 20 lessons per week. The price includes accommodation in a host family, single room, full board. Not included: public transport, insurance.



# UNIVERSITY PATHWAY GERMANY

German universities offer excellent study opportunities to students from all over the world. The fees they charge are very low compared to those in many other countries. Getting access, however, can be a challenging process. And that's where the GLS pathway program comes in: GLS cooperates with German universities and offers:

1. a conditional acceptance letter for a BA degree program in Germany (prerequisite for a student visa).
2. preparatory German courses getting students to the German level they need.

## STUDY FIELDS

Applicants can choose a BA Bachelor Program in one of the following study fields: Design, Engineering, Informatics, Business, Health Care and Social Work. Please note: only BA programs are available.

## UNIVERSITIES

GLS cooperates with several universities in Germany that issue conditional acceptance letters for GLS applicants. Conditional acceptance letters are needed to apply for a student visa. The German university that has issued the conditional acceptance letter is not necessarily the one the student has to attend after having finished the pathway program. If a student prefers a different university, he or she is free to apply there – GLS will support up to 4 applications.

## DURATION

If a student has zero knowledge of German, the university pathway program will last 10 months; if his/her level is already pre-advanced, only 2 months.

## COSTS

GLS charges a university placement fee. Additional costs are tuition for the German course (the total amount depending on the number of months a student needs) and the exam fee for TestDaF.



## HOW TO APPLY

Please send us the student's documents (a simple copy of high school diploma and, if existing, university certificates). We will check the documents for free and outline a personalized roadmap to university, detailing all necessary stations and the costs entailed. If that outline is accepted, we will register the student in our university pathway program.

## SERVICES INCLUDE

- Free checking of a student's documents prior to arrival
- Free roadmap to university, customized to a student's academic background
- Conditional acceptance letter of a German University
- Pre-arrival assistance and visa support (e.g. blocked account, visa appointment)
- Tutor and weekly consultation hour during your German course at GLS
- TestAS Examination if applicable (3 times/year)
- Support for applications to 4 universities in Germany



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