



**STUDY  
ABROAD  
ASSOCIATION**



## **England, Belgium & France**

**Focus:** Psychology, Maths & Business

**Length:** 15 Days

**Dates:** May 15-29, 2023

**Cost:** \$3,990\* Ratio 16:2

\*Program price stands as an estimate until ticketing is finalized.



**Forsyth Tech**  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE



## Why Study Abroad Association?

Since 2009, Study Abroad Association has been committed to customizing the most in-depth and affordable short-term, faculty-led study abroad and service learning experiences. We have been working with colleges and universities across the United States to assist in achieving their international education goals.

All programs revolve around our core values of Education, Authenticity, Affordability, Sustainability, and Safety.



### Authenticity & Affordability

By collaborating with local partners we enable our travelers to have unique experiences while supporting local economies. This allows us to provide authentic and locally designed experiences and keep our costs low.



### Education

All SAA programs are built on the foundation of education. We offer unique programs in over 12 areas of study, striving to offer programs to underserved academic fields such as STEM, Business, Allied Health, Humanities.



### Customer Service

A dedicated Account Manager will assist during the entire process. We fully understand the challenges that go into organizing the perfect faculty-led programs. We will assign you an account manager fully dedicated and available to assist you at every point of your process.



### US Based

We are a fully insured and accredited US organization with the advantages of having direct operations in more than 25 countries. We also have strong partnerships with local universities to ensure credits and educational methods are fully respected.



### Safety

Safety is our number one priority. To ensure our travelers are completely protected throughout the program, we provide an all-inclusive travelers insurance policy. We also provide comprehensive risk management procedures and training before the program starts.



### Sustainability

We promote sustainability with all our programs, visiting local communities and projects in need, as well as establishing long-lasting relationships and positive impacts with everyone we collaborate with.





# Program Itinerary



## Day 1 - Departure - Monday, May 15

Depart Home for London, UK

## Day 2 - London - Tuesday, May 16

Arrive in London, England

Airport Transfer, Check In & Refresh

**Orientation Walking Tour** - The group will become oriented with their neighborhood, the public transportation systems, nearby pharmacies, markets, ATMs, etc. Additionally, an in-depth safety briefing will be provided for what to do in case of an emergency.

**London Thames River Cruise** - One of London's most famous waterways to explore the city's picturesque canals.

**Welcome Dinner** - The group will be taken for an authentic dinner with a wide variety of menu options to cater all diets.

## Day 3 - London - Wednesday, May 17

Breakfast & Day Briefing

**London Historical & Cultural Walking Tour** - The Monument, Tower of London, Tower Bridge, St. Paul's Cathedral, The Church of the Knights Templar, Mansion House, London Bridge, The Globe Theatre, The Royal Exchange.

**The Bank of England Guided Tour** - This tour explains why low inflation and a stable financial system matter. They include a guide to the Bank's roles such as setting the Bank Rate and other types of monetary policy.

Lunch Break

**Bethlem Museum of the Mind** - Discover the history of mental healthcare and its relationship with art. Located on the site of Bethlem Hospital, the UK's oldest residential psychiatric hospital.

## Day 4 - London - Thursday, May 18

Breakfast & Day Briefing

**Westminster Walking Tour** - Trafalgar Square, Nelson's Column, St. James's Palace, Buckingham Palace, Victoria Memorial, St. James's Park, Horse Guards Parade, Churchill War Rooms, Big Ben, Westminster Abbey, Houses of Parliament.

**Churchill War Rooms** - Discover the secrets hidden beneath the streets of Westminster in the underground nerve centre where Winston Churchill and his inner circle directed the Second World War.

**National Gallery & British Museum**

Free Time & Cultural Immersion

## Day 5 - London - Friday, May 19

Breakfast & Day Briefing

**King's Cross & Camden Market**

**West End Walking Tour** - Covent Garden, Royal Opera House, China Town, Leicester Square, Piccadilly Circus, the Theater District.

Lunch Break

**Freud Museum** - Discover the story of psychoanalysis, see Freud's study, extraordinary collection and iconic couch. This beautiful house in leafy Hampstead was the home of Sigmund Freud and his family when they fled from Nazi rule in Austria in 1938. It remained the family home until Freud's daughter Anna, a pioneer of child psychoanalysis, died in 1982. Then at her wish it became a Museum.

**Optional: Theater Show in West End**





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### Day 6 - London - Saturday, May 20

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Day Trip to Stonehenge

**Stonehenge** - *The World Heritage Site of Stonehenge is one of the most iconic prehistoric monuments in Europe. Built in the late Neolithic period around 2,500 BC, the construction of this imposing and fascinating stone circle is shrouded in mystery – what was it actually built for? And how did the Neolithic people build such a wonder using simple tools and equipment?*

Return to London

### Day 7 - London/Ghent - Sunday, May 21

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Transfer to Milton Keynes (approx. 30 mins)

**Bletchley Park** - *Bletchley Park, British government cryptological establishment in operation during World War II. Bletchley Park was where Alan Turing and other agents of the Ultra intelligence project decoded the enemy's secret messages, most notably those that had been encrypted with the German Enigma and Tunny cipher machines. Experts have suggested that the Bletchley Park codebreakers may have shortened the war by as much as two years.*

Lunch Break

Return to London - Pick up Bags

Train Transfer to Ghent, Belgium (approx. 3 hours)

Check-in, Relax & Refresh

Overnight in Ghent

### Day 8 - Ghent - Monday, May 22

Breakfast & Day Briefing

**Ghent Historical & Cultural Walking Tour** - *Sint-Baafs Cathedral, Sint-Michiels Bridge, Korenmarkt, Graslei & Korenlei (River Banks), The Castle of the Counts of Flanders (Gravensteen)*  
Relax on the Canals & Enjoy Waffles and Fries

### Day 9 - Bruges/Ghent - Tuesday, May 23

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Day Trip to Bruges - Transfer to Bruges (approx. 30 min)

**Choco-Story Museum** - *The museum dips its visitors in the history of cocoa and chocolate. From the Maya and the Spanish conquistadors to the chocolate connoisseurs of today.*

**Chocolate & Brewery Tour** - *This tour takes you to a local chocolate shop for a tasting and chocolate-making demonstration, then to the Bourgogne des Flandres brewery to learn about—and sample—the much-loved local brew.*

Return to Ghent

### Day 10 - Paris - Wednesday, May 24

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Train Transfer to Paris, France (approx. 2 hours)

Check-In & Refresh

**Sainte Chapelle & Notre-Dame Cathedral**

**Rive Gauche Walking Tour** - *Latin Quarter, Pantheon, Sorbonne University*

**Pont Neuf & Seine River Cruise**





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### Day 11 - Paris - Thursday, May 25

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Louvre Museum

Visit the French National Library - *Bibliothèque*

*Richelieu*

Rive Droite Walking Tour - *Palais Royal, Galerie Vivienne, Opéra Garnier, Place Vendôme, Tuileries Garden, Place de la Concorde*

Arc de Triomphe & Champs-Élysées

Free Time & Cultural Immersion

### Day 12 - Paris - Friday, May 26

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Half-Day Trip to Versailles - *Visit the Palace and the Gardens*

Eiffel Tower (*Top Floor*)

Free Time & Cultural Immersion

### Day 13 - Paris - Saturday, May 27

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Bastille Market

Marais Walking Tour - *Place des Vosges, Jewish Quarter, LGBTQ Area*

Montmartre Walking Tour - *Moulin Rouge, Sacré-Cœur*

### Day 14 - Paris - Sunday, May 28

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Free Day in Paris

Farewell Dinner & Program Closing

*Optional Moulin Rouge* - The current show "Feerie" has been running since November 1999. Featuring over 80 artists including 60 Doriss Girls recruited world-wide ; 1,000 costumes of feathers, rhinestones and sequins.

### Day 15 - Home - Monday, May 29

Breakfast & Day Briefing

Airport Transfer

Depart Paris, for Home



## Program Highlights

- Freud Museum
- British Museum & National Gallery
- Bletchley Park
- Day Trip to Stonehenge
- Paris University & Library Visits
- London & Paris River Cruises
- Chocolate & Brewery Tour
- Louvre Museum
- Eiffel Tower
- Versailles Palace & Gardens

## Program Includes

- Roundtrip Airfare
- 13 Nights of Accommodation
- All Ground Transportation
- Daily Continental Breakfast
- Welcome & Farewell Dinners
- Travelers Insurance
- Historical & Cultural Walking Tours
- Full Time Guidance & Assistance

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## All of our programs are 100% customizable.

Is there an experience you'd like to provide the students that's not included in the itinerary.  
**Let's add it!**

Are there sites that better fit your subject than the ones provided?  
**Let's swap them!**

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## Testimonials



**Cring Rosby** recommends Study Abroad Association.  
April 4 · 🌐

This was my first trip as a professor taking students abroad. Christian and his team were magnificent. Everything was taken care of, accommodations were excellent, the guides were friendly. My students had an opportunity to earn college credit while abroad and Christian personalized our trip to meet those needs. I fully recommend the Study Abroad Association, and I can't wait to attend next year.



**Brad Schatzel** reviewed Study Abroad Association — 5★  
May 22 · 🌐

Outstanding tours at the lowest prices in the industry. Our institution has worked with the Study Abroad Association on five study tours to locations as diverse as China, Central Europe, and Costa Rica.

SAA worked with us to build an itinerary that was both educational and a ton of fun. The local guides far exceeded our expectations.



**Amber Carey-Jernigan** reviewed Study Abroad Association — 5★  
July 13 at 10:16 AM · 🌐

Christian and his guides arranged an amazing and affordable adventure for our students.

The guides' expertise was unmatched. I have studied abroad before and have never had such knowledgeable, friendly, and fun guides. I definitely will be using SAA for all our future trips.



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