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EDINBURGH

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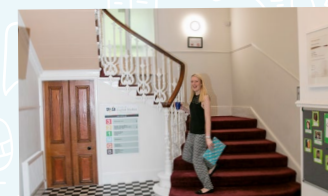
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BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

- 12 classrooms
- Common Room
- Garden
- Nespresso coffee machine
- High Speed Wifi
- Nintendo Switch
- Student microwave and Kettle



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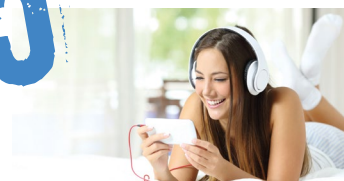
No city in Britain combines history and adventure quite like Edinburgh, making Scotland's capital a vibrant and inviting destination. Where else can you purchase a coffee outside a castle and then stroll down the road to sip it at the base of a volcano?

SCHOOL LOCATION

Edinburgh has a population of 464,000. Historic capital city with a modern feel. Located in the West End of the city close to all major transport hubs.

ACCOMMODATION LOCATIONS

- Homestays are 40-50 minutes by public transport.
- Bus and trams are operated by one company and tickets are interchangeable.



AROUND THE SCHOOL

- Residential area close to one of Edinburgh's three cathedrals
- Multiple cafes and sandwich shops within easy walking distance
- 10 minutes walk to Princes Street

TOP DAY TRIPS

- [Glasgow](#)
- [Stirling](#)
- [North Berwick](#)
- [St Andrews](#)
- [Loch Lomond](#)



TOP HALF DAY TRIPS FOR FRIDAYS AFTER CLASS

- [Pentland Hills](#)
- [Rosslyn Chapel](#)
- [Stockbridge](#)
- [South Queensferry](#)



TRAVEL AND TICKETS

- Bus and Tram flat fee of £2 per journey
- £5 daysaver ticket (unlimited travel)
- £25 tap and cap limit for weekly travel
- £24 per week ridacard

FOOD & DRINK

- Complimentary Tea and Coffee.
- £2 'Posh Coffee' from Nespresso machine.
- Often find biscuits and pastries in the common room.
- Bring a reusable coffee cup.
- Hot and cold water fountain.
- Scotland has the best drinking water in the UK.

SERVICES & SOCIAL PROGRAMME

- CES Online
- Weekly Programme of Social Activities.
- Welfare Officer.
- In-house accommodation team (no agencies are used).
- In-house Social Programme.
- Weekly graduation ceremony.



LOCAL SERVICES

Cafe: [Laura's Kitchen](#) (5 minutes)
Pub: [Teuchters](#) (7 minutes)
Pharmacy: [Boots the Chemist](#) (5 minutes)
Supermarkets: [Sainsburys](#) (8 minutes)
Gym: [The Gym](#) (20 minute walk)
Swimming Pool: [Royal Commonwealth Pool](#) (35 minutes by bus)
Astroturf Football pitch: Accessible by bus to Portobello beach
Cinema: [Cineworld](#) (15 minutes walk)
Tennis: [The Meadows](#) (25 minutes walk)

QUALITY ASSURANCE

British Council: Yes
IALC membership: Yes

LOCAL EXCURSIONS, SOCIAL & CULTURAL PROGRAMME

- [Edinburgh Castle](#)
- [Botanic Gardens](#)
- [Craigmillar Castle](#)
- [National Museum of Scotland](#)
- [National Portrait Gallery](#)
- [Chocolatorium](#)

COSTS

Coffee: £3.50
 Drinks: A Pint of Beer £5
 "Meal Deal" lunch:
 Sandwich snack and drink £5

SCHOOL SOCIAL MEDIA AND LOCAL INFORMATION

Facebook: [CES Edinburgh](#)
 Instagram: [CES Edinburgh](#)

[Whats On Edinburgh website](#)

[Visit Scotland website](#)

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5 TOP FACTS

1. Scotland's capital city with the Old Town built between 450-900 years ago.
2. Second most visited city in the UK after London.
3. The presence of four world-leading universities means 20% of the population are students.
4. Edinburgh regularly features in the top 10 cities to visit in International guides and is the greenest city in the UK.
5. The school reflects the warm and friendly nature of the Scottish people, and is designed to feel like a family home.



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