

Accommodation

Accommodation is a vital part of your experience in a new country. Your new home is an important part of your study experience. Each school has specially chosen options to help make the most out of your stay. Homestay and student residences offer different accommodation experiences, but always try to meet the highest standards.

Please make sure you check with your representative, as all accommodation options are based on availability.



The choice of accommodation depends on your preferences, needs, and budget. Below are some important factors you need to consider.



Homestay

- Immerse in local culture & customs.
- Host assistance for queries.
- Towels, kitchen utensils, and more provided.
- Budget-friendly.

Student residence

- Easy access to good facilities and nearby amenities
- 24h assistance.



- May not be as social.
- Host family rules may apply.
- It can be up to 75mins travel.
- Noise levels might be high.
- Might be sharing facilities with other students.
- Might be expensive.

Booking student accommodation in 3 simple steps

Step 1

Step 2

You can indicate your preferred type of accommodation (homestay or residence) on the application form during your application for a course. Our Student Services team will record the preferred choice of accommodation.

EP will be able to secure the accommodation option once the invoice has been paid. Our team will send you the accommodation confirmation with further details on the selected option.

Step 3

You will need to confirm your arrival and send your flight details to our team, as soon as the flight is booked and no later than one week before the flight date. Our team will be able to book and confirm your accommodation and/ or transfers and provide more details within the confirmation document.

If you arrive at a residence or homestay between 22.00–08.00 you may be asked to book alternative accommodation in a hotel on the first night due to late/early arrival at the accommodation.

We work with both directly recruited homestay hosts and carefully selected, accredited third-party accommodation providers.

- Direct agreements: Many of our homestay hosts work directly with us under our supervision. We visit, approve, and monitor them regularly to ensure they meet accreditation standards. We also work directly with some residence providers.
- Accommodation agency partnerships: We also use trusted third-party agencies to arrange accommodation. These agencies are required to meet the same quality and safeguarding standards.
- Whether your accommodation is organised directly by us or through an agency, you will benefit from the same high standards of care, support, and monitoring.

Homestay

Half board homestav*

2 meals per day (breakfast, dinner). 14 meals per week. (Mon-Sun).

Bed and breakfast*

1 meal per day (breakfast). 7 meals per week. (Mon-Sun).

*Students that have chosen these options might not be allowed to cook in the kitchen. They will have to order meals from restaurants, etc.



Things students need to bring

Toiletries, personal items to make student's room feel like home, prescription medication, a small gift for the host family (not required)



Meals provided

Yes (depends on booking type, please refer to the table at the top of the page).

Meals are usually eaten with the family unless otherwise arranged and special diets such as vegetarian, halal and other requirements can be catered for an additional fee. Please tell us if you have a special requirement when you request your accommodation.

Breakfast: Breakfast is usually a light meal consisting of cereal, fruit, toast, juice, or coffee. Hosts will usually ask you to prepare your own breakfast.

Lunch: You will be responsible for buying your own lunch at school, from a local restaurant. or the local shops.

Dinner. If you book Half Board, you will usually eat dinner with your host, or occasionally you may prepare your own meal with food supplied by your host, please expect your host to set the dinner time and let them know if you are unable to arrive on time.



Services included

Bed linen, towels, telephone use for emergencies. Students need to make sure to discuss laundry with their host family after you arrive as laundry facilities will depend on the individual homestay.

Extra cost of services: Some hosts might charge a fee for the use of kitchen if you want to prepare your own meals.



Will the homestay arrange to pick up the student from the airport?

No, however, you can book your airport transfer with your EP school. The transfer to the accommodation will then be organised accordingly.



Transport to school

Your host will help you to find your way to and from school on your first day and will show you how to use public transport.



Where are the host families located?

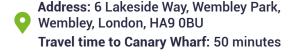
Homestays are situated within 30-55 minutes of the city centre in different areas of the city.

IQ Sterling Court

Located in Wembley Park, iQ Sterling Court offers modern, fully furnished student living. Ideal for balancing study and social life, it provides excellent transport access, an onsite team, and vibrant nearby attractions like Wembley Stadium and Boxpark Wembley.

Features and Facilities:

- Private dining room on site to host your friends for dinner
- · Laundry facilites on site
- Social Spaces: Includes a games room, lounge with vending machines, common areas, library/quiet study zones, and an outdoor courtyard.
- Wi-Fi across the residence
- 24 hour security on-site
- Game area





About the residence

Accommodation types:

Standard Studio.

Bedrooms: The bedroom contains the following: bed, pillow, bedding & linen, chair, desk, window, wardrobe.

Bed size: Small Double bed with under bed storage.

Bathroom: En suite with shower.

Kitchen: Private kitchen with fridge/ freezer, microwave oven and sink basin.

Facilities: On site gym, games room, social spaces, lounge areas, study rooms, laundry facilities.

Reception/ security desk:

24-hour reception.

Extra costs: Laundry facilities —prices may vary depending on location. Student to provide own washing powder.

Neighbourhood: Transport: Just a 10-minute walk to Wembley Park Tube Station (Jubilee & Metropolitan lines), with excellent links to central London and major universities (UCL, LSE, KCL, University of Westminster). Wembley Stadium, SSE Arena, London Designer Outlet, Boxpark Wembley, and King Edward VII Park are all within walking distance.

Visitors/guests: No overnight guests allowed.

Noise: Residents are required to respect all other residents and maintain a level of noise that does not disturb others. Quiet hours are 10 pm-8am.

Smoking: All facilities and residents' rooms are non-smoking.

Cleaning service: Rooms cleaned before check-in, students are responsible for the cleanliness of their own rooms.

Beddings/towels: Bedding and linen are provided on check-in, the student is responsible for the cleaning of linen. Student are to bring their own towels.

Minimum stay: 1 week minimum stay.

Check-in/check-out: Saturday check in from 3pm / check out 10am.

Acommodation location (approx. times):

Up to 40 minutes by public transport to EP London.

Up to 1 hour 10 minutes by public transport from Heathrow airport

Up to 1 hour 20 minutes by public transport from Gatwick airport

Up to 1 hour 10 minutes by public transport from London City airport

Up to 30 minutes by public transport from St Pancras International station



McMillian Residence

Nestled in a vibrant and welcoming community, McMillan Residence offers a perfect blend of comfort, convenience, and modern living. Designed with students and young professionals in mind, this residence boasts contemporary interiors and thoughtfully crafted spaces. Each room is furnished to provide a cozy and productive environment, with amenities that cater to both study and relaxation.

- Prime location
- Modern facilities
- Fully furnished rooms
- Community atmosphere
- 24-Hour security on-site
- Close to attractions
- Flexible options



Address: Creek Road, London SE8 3BU Travel time to Canary Wharf: 20 minutes

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About the residence

Accommodation types: standard studio

Bedrooms: the bedroom includes the following: bed, pillow, bedding and linen, chair, desk, window, and wardrobe

Bed Size: small double bed with under-bed storage.

Bed Size: en-suite with shower.

Kitchen: private kitchen with fridge/ freezer, microwave oven, and sink basin.

Facilities: on-site gym, cinema room, games room, social spaces, lounge areas, study rooms and laundry facilities.

Extra cost facilities: laundry facilities – prices may vary depending on location. Students must provide their own washing powder.

Visitors/guests: no overnight guests.

Noise: : residents are required to respect other residents and maintain noise levels that do not disturb others. Quiet hours are from 10 pm to 8 am.

Smoking: no smoking allowed anywhere in the residence.

Reception/security desk:

24-hour reception

Cleaning service: rooms are cleaned before check-in. Students are responsible for the cleanliness of their own room

Beddings/towels: bedding and linen are provided at check-in. Students are responsible for cleaning their own linen. Students must bring their own towels.

Minimum weeks requests:

a minimum stay of 2 weeks is required.

Check-in/check-out: Saturday check in from 3pm / check out 10am.

Accommodation location:

• Up to 20 minutes by public transport to English Path London

Important note: To lock their rooms, students need to touch the fob key on the sensor once they close their room door, otherwise anyone can open it.



