

USA: Orlando



Orlando is one of the world's premier travel destinations. More than 50 million people visit every year, enjoying the many attractions, beaches, and events that make Central Florida a great place to visit with STS. Enjoy Disney World, Universal Studios and improve your English in one of the best private school facilities in Orlando. With its warm sunny climate it's easy to see why students come from all over the world to experience this beloved city in America's Sunshine State, so come and enjoy it with STS.

The School

Students will be taught at the Windermere Preparatory School, located in southwest Orlando, 40–45 min away from the accommodation. The college is a private preparatory school educating students from grades pre-kindergarten through to year 12. The campus is fully formed into "neighborhoods" consisting of three buildings each. Lower school resides in two neighborhoods, with the middle school and high school each having their own neighborhood. Besides their athletics facilities located in their own neighborhood with their own weight room, school store, coffee shop, locker rooms, athletic offices and gymnasium, the campus also has a dining hall, two knowledge centers (library), two computer labs, multiple art studios, a piano lab, band room, choral room, track, pool and basketball court.

Accommodation, Host Family

Students will stay with one of our carefully selected host families with full board accommodation. The host family will introduce the students to every aspect of the American way of life, and will treat them as part of the family. Students get a good opportunity to use the language every day together with their family. We see our host families as one of our most valuable assets, and we often work with the same popular families year after year. Students often stay 2–4 students per host family, and they may be sharing a room with other students from other countries. We select host families that are truly interested in making contact with young people from other countries.

Excursions & Activities (Included Activity Program, 4 weeks)

Universal City Walk & International Drive. Includes a bus trip to the famous Universal Boulevard/International Drive where the students can shop at gift shops and choose from different types of amusements.

Outlet Shopping. Includes entrance and bus to one of the biggest malls in Florida with a lot of shopping and designer clothes, etc. Two malls we usually use (depending on weather) are the Florida Mall and the Premium Outlet.

Disney World. A full-day excursion to the Magic Kingdom® or Epcot Center theme park, including transport and entrance.

Sea World. A full-day excursion to one of the best water parks in America, including transport and entrance.

Swimming. A full-day excursion to a beach in Florida, including transportation.

Gatorland. See the alligators "up close" in Gatorland, one of Central Florida's oldest attractions, which provides a unique and natural alternative to the larger theme parks of today.

Universal Studios. A full-day excursion to the Universal Studios theme park, including transport and entrance.

Down Town Disney. A half-day excursion to Down Town Disney including transport.

Activity schedule example on the next page.

Ages

13–18 years

Course Dates

Course Duration: 2–4 weeks,
17.06.2012 to 12.08.2012

Starting Dates Host Family: 17.06, 15.07

School

School: Windermere Preparatory School

Distance to school: 40–45 min car ride

Course levels: Pre-Intermediate to Advanced

Time table: Monday to Friday, 3 hours per day

Lessons per week: 20 lessons in standard course,
1 lesson = 45 min (15 hours total per week)

Students per class: 15 students max

Teaching material: Included

Accommodation

2–4 students in host families (single, double or triple room with full board)

Activities

Included Activity Program: Universal CityWalk & International Drive, Outlet Shopping, Magic Kingdom Park or Epcot Center, Sea World, Swimming, Gatorland, Universal Studios, Down Town Disney

Price

Prices provided upon request.

