



bright world

Relax & Revise™
@ Easter

Cambridge
Melchior College
19th March - 19th April 2021

get ready to go back to
the classroom

- Study skills
- Critical thinking
- Personal statement writing
- Presentation skills





Cambridge Melchior College



enjoy Easter in a homely boarding school setting

Cambridge Melchior College is situated in its own grounds in the small, quiet village of Willingham, around 20 minutes from Cambridge City Centre. The college is a large house and lends itself perfectly for offering a homely welcome at Easter.

large rooms with ensuite bathrooms

Students will be placed in large rooms with just two or three student in each, unless larger groups arrive as a bubble. This allows for plenty of space and social distancing.

a socially distanced programme of activities

Activities are limited due to the Covid-19 restrictions in place in the UK and the need for students to socially distance as much as possible.

Students will remain predominantly onsite throughout the programme, with plenty of time for relaxing in their rooms or in the chill-out areas provided. There will be indoor activities arranged every day for those that want to take part and also outside activities in the large garden at the college.

Everyone will be encouraged to take part in regular workshops that are designed to help them get ready to get back into the classroom for the summer term.

If UK Covid-19 rules allow, students will also be encouraged to get out and about with the Activity Leaders every day for walks in the local area following national guidance and Covid-19 rules.





a Covid-19 safe environment

Covid-19 antigen rapid tests

Upon arrival, all students will receive an antigen rapid test. The rapid test gives a result within 20 minutes and will detect antigens in pre-symptomatic and early symptomatic cases up to five days from symptom onset.

The test will be performed by trained staff of CMC and once a negative result is received students will then be allowed to complete their check in process and begin their programme.

hygiene, cleaning and masks

Communal areas will be cleaned daily and rooms deep cleaned weekly. Students will be encouraged to wash their hands regularly and there will be hand sanitiser stations situated throughout the centre. We will be ensuring good respiratory hygiene by promoting the NHS 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach and by using disposable handkerchiefs. Students will be required to wear masks whilst on outings.

isolation and care if students develop symptoms

Whilst we are taking every precaution, if someone presents with Covid-19 symptoms, they will be isolated in their room and a test will be arranged. All members of the household bubble, who have been in close contact, will need to isolate until the test results are received. If the test is positive, all household members will isolate for 10 days on site. The person with Covid-19 will be cared for by a member of CMC staff and we will follow NHS guidance.

Should the need for isolation occur towards the end of the Easter programme, this may mean that students cannot return to their boarding school until they have undertaken a period of isolation. CMC and Bright World will continue to provide isolation facilities for students until the 10 day period is over, regardless of when isolation starts. This will be subject to an extra nightly charge.



workshops - get ready for the classroom

workshops to get students ready to return to the classroom

With students learning online for so long, we feel they may be out of practise and will need a refresher on classroom based learning. Our carefully designed workshops are designed to help students get back in the classroom and have some interesting sessions on the basic and advanced skills needed at school, university and in the work place. Sessions are optional but we do encourage all students to take part in some or all of them. They will be inspiring, stimulating and will help students prepare to return to class.

critical thinking workshops

Critical thinking is a key skill that should be applied to all aspects of study. Critical thinking is the ability to think clearly and rationally, understanding the logical connection between ideas. In this workshop, students will be encouraged to build on their collaborative capacity. They will also be asked to form and justify viewpoints.

study skills

This workshop will offer help with spelling, grammar, essay writing, planning, organisation and will offer students a reminder of how to study, learn and revise effectively.

personal statement writing

With university applications very much on our minds at this time of year, this workshop will prove very useful to all students who plan to apply to university. The personal statement is the student's opportunity to "sell" themselves in the application process and it is important to get it right. This workshop will go through some personal statement ideas, and the do's and don'ts of personal statement writing.

presentation skills workshop

On our presentation skills workshop, students will be encouraged to develop the ability to speak to the group with confidence. We will aim to help students to overcome any nerves they may have about speaking in front of others. We will teach them presentation skills such as presenting online and engaging an audience using a variety of physical and verbal techniques.



activities

on-site activities



Movie nights



Quizzes and competitions



Board games



No cook cooking



Easter egg hunt



Easter egg making



Cake making



T-shirt painting



Nail art and henna painting



Easter egg decorating

off-site activities (regulations permitting)



Walks and hikes



Group or twin runs



Afternoon tea at the local cafe



Park visit - games of rounders

All activities are optional and students can choose not to participate. CMC will adapt the programme according to guidance at the time. If outings are allowed and students prefer to remain in college, they may do so.

Bright Snax

Because it may not be permitted to go to local shops and/or students may prefer to remain in college, Bright World and CMC are providing, free of charge, a Tuck Shop where students can go and choose from a variety of snacks available between meal times.



week 1

Time	Friday, 19th March	Saturday, 20th March	Sunday, 21st March	Monday, 22nd March	Tuesday, 23rd March	Wednesday, 24th March	Thursday, 25th March	Friday, 26th March
8.30- 9.30	Arrivals and settling in	Breakfast						
		Relax & Revise in college			Relax & Revise in College			
13.15		Lunch						
		Getting to know you activities	Relaxing in college	Study Skills Workshop	T-shirt decorating	Yoga	Critical Thinking Workshop	Garden games
18.00		Dinner						
Evening	Dinner and get to know the group activities	Dinner and Charades	Sunday roast dinner and debating in wood panelled dining room at Willingham House	Table tennis tournament	Chill-out evening	Murder mystery evening	Games evening	Chinese takeaway and movie evening



week 2

Time	Saturday, 27th March	Sunday, 28th March	Monday, 29th March	Tuesday, 30th March	Wednesday, 31st March	Thursday, 1st April	Good Friday, 2nd April	Easter Saturday, 3rd April
8.30- 9.30	Breakfast							
	Relax & Revise in college							
13.15	Lunch					Lunch		
	Make your own chocolate Easter eggs	Archery session in the grounds	Personal Statement Writing Workshop	Presentation Skills Workshop	Yoga	Study Skills Workshop	Cooking session - make your own dessert	Movie afternoon
18.00	Dinner							
Evening	Quiz night	Sunday roast dinner	Pool competition	Movie night	Games evening	Chill out evening	Indian takeaway evening	Barbecue and garden games



week 3

Time	Easter Sunday, 4th April	Easter Monday, 5th April	Tuesday, 6th April	Wednesday, 7th April	Thursday, 8th April	Friday, 9th April	Saturday, 10th April	Sunday, 11th April
8.30- 9.30	Breakfast							
	Relax & Revise in College							
13.15	Lunch							
	Easter egg hunt	Personal Statements Workshop	Biscuit making & decorating	Study Skills Workshop	Yoga	Critical Thinking Workshop	Cake making	Free time
18.00	Dinner							
Evening	Sunday roast and debating in wood panelled dining room at Willingham House	Table tennis tournament	Debating evening	Games night	Movie night	Fish and chips takeaway evening	Garden games	Roast dinner and chill-out by the fire



week 4

Time	Monday, 12th April	Tuesday, 13th April	Wednesday, 14th April	Thursday, 15th April	Friday, 16th April	Saturday, 17th April	Sunday, 18th April	Monday, 19th April
8.30- 9.30	Breakfast							
	Relax & Revise in college						Packing and ready for departures Relax & Revise in College	
13.15	Lunch							
	Critical Thinking Workshop	Nail art and henna art Session	Yoga	Presentation Skills Workshop	T-shirt painting competition	No cook cooking session	Departures	Departures
18.00	Dinner							
Evening	Pool competition	Table tennis tournament	Debating evening	Games night	Movie evening with takeaway meal	Farewell evening round the Campfire	Departures	Departures



fees

Relax & Revise @ Easter 2021 is available to all Bright World Guardianships students who will be given priority on places. However, we may be able to offer places to students who are not part of our programme at an additional fee that will include a temporary guardianship fee. Places for non-Bright World students will be granted subject to availability. Fees are based on a nightly rate for a twin or multi-bedded room. Students can request a single room at a supplement of £16 per night, subject to availability. Full fees should be settled 2 weeks prior to the programme start. Students who are part of Bright World Guardianships can use their expenses fund for this purpose.

fees	what is included?	information
<p>£85 per night for Bright World students</p> <p>£95 per night for non Bright World students subject to availability and on request only. This fee includes a temporary guardianship fee.</p> <p>An additional fee of £30 will be added to your invoice to cover the Antigen Test.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Full board accommodation✓ Bright Snax - free tuck shop✓ Twin or multi-bedded room with ensuite bathroom✓ Wi-fi in all areas of college✓ 24/7 supervision in college✓ Escorted walks/runs if allowed✓ Workshops in college✓ Afternoon and evening activities✓ 24/7 emergency assistance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Extra nights: £85/£95 per night■ Single room supplement: £16 per night subject to availability■ Full payment 2 weeks in advance of the course■ English, Maths or Physics tuition can be arranged and quoted for on request■ 100% cancellation applies if made after full payment received. In the case of cancellations due to Covid-19 restrictions or school closures, a full refund will be granted■ Arrival and Departure arrangements can be organised by Bright World and are charged as extra

Bright World students can enrol via their Guardianship Care Manager at Bright World
Non-Bright World students please email: charlotte@brightworld.co.uk or apply using this link: [Apply here](#)



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Happy Easter
from us all at Bright World & CMC