Secondary Education in Germany

German Courses & Boarding School Counseling
Our **Secondary Education in Germany** program is geared towards highly motivated students between 10 and 17 years of age, offering the chance to participate in regular classes in German boarding schools. The goal is to finish a school career in Germany and to graduate with the German secondary education leaving certificate *Abitur*, which at the same time is the entrance ticket for university admittance in Germany as well as a key to a successful career at home.

School attendance in a foreign country is a major challenge for students regarding both their previous school education and their personality.

Besides having to demonstrate generally above average academic performance, international candidates must also have sufficient knowledge of the German language to be admitted to a German school. This is why they are asked first of all to attend an intensive German language course at one of our year-round course centers for German as a foreign language in *Bad Schussenried* (page 10) or in *Lindenberg* (page 12).

Additionally, applicants are required to have sufficient English knowledge. French, Latin or Spanish may be required as well, even though most schools are able to accept a foreign native language as an equivalent to the second foreign language requirement at German schools. Alternatively, students have the possibility to start this additional foreign language when entering the school.
A good command of the German language is necessary to attend a secondary school in Germany. The minimum requirement to follow the topics of all lessons in German along with native German classmates is a completed level B2 (upper intermediate) according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

With our special German program—which goes beyond standard German education not only in quality, but also regarding classroom topics directed towards the school visit from the very beginning—we will help students achieve the necessary German language skills in a minimum of time. The program includes small and highly intensive classes taught by motivated, professional teachers. Each student’s progress is continuously monitored through weekly tests and regular level exams. What especially enhances the language learning is our “total immersion” concept: In our residential schools students do not only study German within the classroom, but also continue to improve their language skills during supervised leisure time activities in the afternoons and evenings, on cultural excursions and even during their meals.

**Program Schedule**

Depending on the student’s prior German level—which will be determined on the first day of the course with a comprehensive placement test—and the performance during the language program, it takes approximately two to eight months to reach the required level of German, at least the completion of Humboldt level B2.

A complete beginner can successfully finish the German program after only 25-30 weeks!

Subsequent to the general German language courses, we offer our students a school transition course focusing on the most relevant school subjects. This course helps to ease the transition between the German course and school attendance and aims at teaching the terminology and methodology of the most important subject areas taught at school (e.g., mathematics, physics, biology, chemistry, history, politics, geography, religion/ethic) as well as important skills (e.g., working with sources, summarizing texts, performing research, role-playing simulation or project work).

After having successfully completed their German program, students are transferred to the boarding school of their choice and integrated in a class according to their age and performance level.

The diagram above gives an overview of the German language program at the Humboldt-Institut.

**Performance Reports**

In regular performance reports we give detailed information on the student’s language progress to parents and boarding schools. The reports clearly and transparently show all aspects of the student’s performance inside and outside the classroom. They provide a clear view on special skills, the general language development and the student’s social behavior inside the boarding school community. Together with weekly in-class tests the performance reports serve as a tool to constantly monitor the student’s progress and to recognize individual problems at an early stage, allowing us to react and support students fast and efficiently.
Finding the appropriate secondary school in Germany is an important topic for both students and parents. The Humboldt-Institut has a network of 40 partner schools all over Germany. Our experienced staff will guide you through the demanding process of deciding on the most suitable school before starting the German course program at the Humboldt-Institut.

For your convenience and a first overview, we compiled this brochure: It contains the most important information about our carefully selected partner schools summarized on a double page each. The consistent structure gives a quick overview and allows you to easily compare the schools. All of our partner schools have a very good reputation both in Germany and abroad.

Different Kinds of Boarding Schools

We decided to arrange our partner boarding schools in this brochure according to their location. In Germany the federal states are responsible for their educational systems. This means that educational standards, which are generally on a very high level in Germany, can vary from state to state. One major difference is the question when you graduate: after 12 or 13 years.

The arrangement according to the schools’ location is also based on our wish to present them in an objective way, not giving preference to any school — especially as all schools presented in this brochure offer a very high level of education. Another reason is that the location may play an important role in choosing the right school, especially if you are looking for a school in a certain region in Germany or if you have certain extracurricular activities like sports (e.g., water sports, skiing) or cultural opportunities in mind.

Counseling Service

Our counseling team will take you through all application steps, anything from providing the necessary application forms to supporting you with important visa issues.

Please contact us to receive more information on the application process and on our intensive German courses. We will send all information necessary to process your application and help you to find the most suitable boarding school among our partner schools.

Please contact
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The Humboldt-Institut Bad Schussenried prepares international students for their studies at a German boarding school. The focus is on the following areas: reading and listening comprehension, writing skills, oral expression and grammar. Students are taught in intensive courses with 30 lessons per week (teenagers) or 25 lessons per week (juniors).

A student with no previous German knowledge can complete level B2 in approx. 6-8 months due to our "total immersion" concept, continuous progress control and monitoring as well as active daily use of the German language also outside the classroom.

Key facts

Educational form
Residential school for German as a foreign language (A1-C2)

Leaving certificate
Humboldt course certificate
Regular performance reports

Total number of students
300 maximum

Number of boarders
100%

Size of classes
~10

Group size in boarding home
10-15

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, all rooms with shower/WC and balcony

Special features

The boarding home is open 365 days per year accommodating students from all over the world.

School program

Language program
German as a foreign language
Levels A1-C2
30 lessons/week for teenagers (ages 14-17)
25 lessons/week for juniors (ages 10-13)

Homework
Supervised
Additional study time

Remedial education
Extracurricular study groups
Extra tuition program (when necessary)

Activities

Daily free time activity program
(sports, creative work, social activities)
Additional supporting program for juniors (ages 10-13)
Workshops
Cultural program (including weekly full-day and half-day excursions)
The Humboldt-Institut Lindenberg is a residential school for German as a foreign language, where international students between 13 and 17 years of age are prepared for their studies at a German boarding school. The focus in intensive courses with 30 lessons is on the following areas: reading and listening comprehension, writing skills, oral expression and grammar.

A student with no previous German knowledge can complete level B2 in approx. 6-8 months due to our “total immersion” concept, continuous progress control and monitoring as well as active daily use of the German language also outside the classroom.

Key facts
Educational form
Residential school for German as a foreign language (A1-C2)

Leaving certificate
Humboldt course certificate
Regular performance reports

School program
Language program
German as a foreign language
Levels A1-C2
30 lessons/week for teenagers
(ages 13-17)

Homework
Supervised
Additional study time

Remedial education
Extra curricular study groups
Extra tuition program (when necessary)

Activities
Daily free time activity program
(sports, creative work, social activities)
Workshops
Cultural program (including weekly full-day and half-day excursions)

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, all rooms with shower/WC

Total number of students
200 maximum

Number of boarders
100%

Size of classes
~10

Group size in boarding home
~15

Special features
The boarding home is open 365 days per year accommodating students from all over the world.

Location
On the foothills of the Alps, halfway between Munich and Zurich
Address
Humboldt-Institut Lindenberg
Ellgasser Straße 42
88161 Lindenberg
www.humboldt-institut.org
Heimschule Kloster Wald
Church-run boarding school for girls

Our integrated educational concept is based on Pestalozzi’s principle of “head, heart and hand”: Abitur (A-levels) and an optional certificate of apprenticeship (from Year 9 parallel to school lessons) for dressmaking, joinery or sculpture. Individual support and supporting language lessons for foreign students. Wide offer of a variety of sports, musical and theater-pedagogical activities. Attending religious education and Sunday mass is compulsory. Social services; days of religious retreat; small boarding school groups; education focuses on Christian values; supervised study time; educational care by student tutors; wide range of leisure and weekend activities.

Key facts

Educational form
Primary school (Year 4)
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French (Year 6)
Latin (Year 8)

Homeework
2 hours daily, supervised

Remedial education
Special support for international students
Qualified social education worker at school

Exchange program

Activities
Sports: tennis, horseback riding, golfing, swimming, volleyball, cross country running, fitness training, sailing
Theater, choir, orchestra, school band, music lessons
Handicrafts, excursions

Special features
Students can achieve a certificate of apprenticeship (dressmaking, joinery, sculpture) in addition to the Abitur
Religion is a compulsory subject

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, single rooms in Years 11 and 12

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

Total number of students
550

Number of boarders
100

Size of classes
25 on average

Group size in boarding home
15-20

In the south of Germany, approx. 25 km northwest of Lake Constance

Address
Heimschule Kloster Wald
Von-Weckenstein-Str. 2
88639 Wald

www.heimschule-kloster-wald.de
Kurpfalz-Internat: Privates Internatsgymnasium
Co-educational private boarding school

Support of intelligent students who are not achieving their potential; support for dyslexia, private lessons and coaching during summer holidays.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 7–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
Individual support
Special programs for foreign students

Exchange program
Partnership with Wanganui Collegiate School, New Zealand

Activities

Soccer, volleyball, judo, tennis, cross-country running, kickboxing, horseback riding, golf, swimming, diving, athletics, gym, arts and crafts, cooking, regular visits of theaters or museums in nearby towns

More than 45 different weekly activities

Special features

Individual student selection due to very small classes
Special focus on developing students’ individual learning potential
Summer school: intensive two-week program combining academic study with a mix of sports and social activities

Total number of students
170

Number of boarders
170
(110 boys, 60 girls)

Size of classes
8 maximum

Group size in boarding home
~20

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms and single rooms

Location
Close to Heidelberg and Mannheim, approx. 90 km to Frankfurt international airport

Address
Kurpfalz-Internat gemeinnützige BetriebsGmbH
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Schloss-Schule Kirchberg
Co-educational private boarding school

Nestled in the peaceful Jagst valley, the Schloss-Schule Kirchberg assists students from around the world to find their own path to academic and personal growth.

With a diverse offering of academic, cultural, athletic and technical courses and activities, students are able to discover and foster their individual potential while learning to take responsibility for themselves and their community.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support
Remediation group instruction or individual tutoring

Exchange program
England, France, Poland

Activities
Theater, art, music, dance, pottery, woodworking, judo, climbing, archery, horseback riding, soccer, basketball, tennis, yoga, swimming, chess
Young Timer (automotive workshop)
Philosophy workshop

Special features
10-plus class: special program for international students to deepen their academic, social and methodic knowledge of the German school system as a preparation for upper level classes (11-12)

Program for academically gifted students
“Early Study” at University of Würzburg or University of Stuttgart
Cooperation with professional soccer and basketball clubs

Homework Supervised

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support
Remediation group instruction or individual tutoring

Exchange program
England, France, Poland

Activities
Theater, art, music, dance, pottery, woodworking, judo, climbing, archery, horseback riding, soccer, basketball, tennis, yoga, swimming, chess
Young Timer (automotive workshop)
Philosophy workshop

Location
In the middle of the cities of Ulm, Stuttgart, Heidelberg, Würzburg and Nuremberg (approx. 100 km respectively)

Address
Schloss-Schule Kirchberg
Schulstr. 4
74592 Kirchberg/Jagst
www.schloss-schule.de
Schule Birklehof
Co-educational private boarding school

Birklehof stands for an excellent schooling, which is closely related to an integrated education program and based on the unity of living and learning in a boarding school.

Education at Birklehof is characterized by three principles: secureness, evolvement and personal success. Within a very individual atmosphere which is shaped by warmth and mutual respect, the adolescents are encouraged to actively involve themselves into the everyday life of their school. Consequently, a sense of responsibility, social skills, independence, individual initiative as well as the ability of decision-making are fostered constantly.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
200

Number of boarders
140

Size of classes
10-19

Group size in boarding home
5-20

Accommodation in boarding home
10 boarding homes for girls and boys
Twin rooms, single rooms in Year 12

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages
Branch of fine arts

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
Remediation group classes or individual tutoring

Exchange program
Part of the Round Square group: This includes more than 80 schools on five continents, e.g., United Kingdom, France, USA, Canada, Australia, South Africa, India, etc.

Activities

Outdoor and adventure sports
e.g., skiing, snowboarding, climbing, mountain biking, soccer, badminton, golfing, horseback riding, hockey, rugby

Orchestra, choir, theater and drama group, big band, dancing, arts and crafts, pottery, carpentry, filming, computer programming, community services, debating

Individual singing and instrumental lessons

Special features

Obligatory German as a foreign language support for international students
Special MINT program (only possible for students starting in Year 9)

Location
In the Black Forest, approx. 25 km east of Freiburg in the border triangle of Germany, France and Switzerland

Address
Schule Birklehof e.V.
79856 Hinterzarten
www.birklehof.de
Schule Schloss Salem
Co-educational private boarding school

Schule Schloss Salem is a German secondary boarding school on Lake Constance with a multinational orientation. The school guides students from over 40 nations to one of two possible diplomas, the German Abitur or the International Baccalaureate.

Schule Schloss Salem draws from the rich Christian-humanist tradition of Europe. In the spirit of its founder, Kurt Hahn, it aims to educate young people into personalities that are able and prepared to take on responsibility for themselves and others.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
600

Number of boarders
570

Size of classes
17 on average

Group size in boarding home
18 on average

Accommodation in boarding home
Years 5-10: multi-bed rooms
Years 11-12: twin rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish/French (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
German as a foreign language

Exchange program
Extensive exchange program with about 50 renowned schools worldwide

Outdoor activities: e. g., Outward Bound, Duke of Edinburgh’s Award, outdoor weekends

Service activities: e. g., technical rescue service (THW), firebrigade, emergency first aid service, nautical service

Guilds: singing, musical instrument lessons, orchestra, school band, choir, theater, pottery studio, photography, carpentry, smithery, tailoring

School government: e. g., Model United Nations, school parliaments

Special features

Taking active responsibility for the boarding school life is part of the daily routine, including obligatory after-class services.

MINT program

Location
Two beautiful castles and one modern campus at and near Lake Constance

Address
Schule Schloss Salem
Schlossbezirk 1
88682 Salem

www.schule-schloss-salem.de
Ursprung is a progressive teaching school which contributes to the promotion of the whole personality by way of holistic education and the acquisition of extensive skills. Ursprung is a mathematical-scientific grammar school. In addition, students have the possibility to complete an apprenticeship along with the Abitur. Since 1998 Ursprung is a basketball excellence training center for Germany with the team winning German championships.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
240

Number of boarders
130

Size of classes
16 on average

Group size in boarding home
6–12

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms and multi-bed rooms, single rooms for senior students

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)

Homework
Supervised, integrated in lessons

Remedial education
Special support for dyslexia and dyscalculia

Exchange program
Erasmus+ program with several European countries

Activities

Sports: e.g., basketball, badminton, baseball, swimming, tennis, horseback riding
Book club, photography, theater
Pottery, fire brigade, charity project

Special features

Apprenticeship diploma parallel to classes from Year 8 or 9 onwards possible (approx. one year after the Abitur): carpenter, tailor, industrial mechanic
Urspring Basketball Academy

Situated on the edge of the Swabian Alb, close to Ulm

Address
Urspringschule
89601 Schelklingen
www.urspringschule.de
“You are not supposed to turn children into copies, but follow the tide of nature.”
(Ludwig Graf von Zinzendorf).

Combining upbringing and education, the Zinzendorfschulen aim at helping young people to get a solid standing in the world of today and tomorrow. This includes of course the methodical transfer of academic and scientific learning matters. Encouragement to dedication, sense of responsibility and moral courage is pursued in equal measure.

The Zinzendorfschulen have more than 200 years of experience in education and offer living and learning in a cosmopolitan community. Every religious denomination and nationality is welcome.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12 and 5-13)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages
Branch of visual arts and design

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish (Year 8/9)

Homework
Supervised, individual study blocks in an additional learning campus with assistance from the teaching staff

Remedial education
German as a foreign language
Private lessons on demand
Psychologist at school

Activities

Sports: e.g., golf, soccer, basketball, athletics, fitness, horseback riding, skiing

Several orchestras and choirs, theater and drama group, jazz band, medical service and many more

Special features

Decentralized campus with school and boarding home within walking distance

Religion is a compulsory subject for all students

Special tutoring and activity program for international students

Location

In the Black Forest, approx. 100 km southwest of Stuttgart

Address
Zinzendorfschulen
Mönchweiler Straße 5
78126 Königsfeld

www.zinzendorfinternat.de

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, single rooms (depending on age)

Size of classes

18-25

Group size in boarding home

8-15

Total number of students

950

Number of boarders

70
Student-centered teaching is preferred to a teacher-centered approach. Thus, the individual learner is in focus, taking the active part inside the classroom. As a strong emphasis is put on activity based teaching, the students are permanently encouraged to participate actively. Examples of this kind of teaching methods are inquiry-based learning, open classes, free work, project work, future workshops, simulation games and learning by teaching. In either case, the students are guided towards building and experiencing new knowledge at the same time.

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### Christian-von-Bomhard-Schule

Co-educational church-run boarding school

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**Key facts**

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

**Total number of students**
900

**Number of boarders**
65

**Size of classes**
18-30

**Group size in boarding home**
10-15

**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms, single rooms

**School program**

**Branch of study**
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

**Foreign languages**
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)
- Spanish (Year 8)

**Homework**
2 hours daily, supervised by staff

**Remedial education**
Special support for international students
Homework support
Exam preparation
Individual support
Support for students suffering from dyslexia or ADD/ADHD

**Exchange program**
Hungary, France, England

**Activities**
School sports club, music lessons, piano, organ, percussion

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**Special features**
Psychologist at school

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**Christian-von-Bomhard-Schule**

Co-educational church-run boarding school

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**Location**

Approx. 70 km west of Nuremberg

**Address**
Christian-von-Bomhard-Schule
Im Krämersgarten 10
97215 Uffenheim

www.bomhardschule.de
Gymnasium Hohenschwangau
Co-educational public school with boarding home

We consider ourselves as school and boarding home with a special atmosphere in an outstanding environment: A place where studying and learning in positive company is possible, a place that leaves space to learn and live beyond pure studying. The boarding home teaching staff guarantees a personal connection between school and boarding home, in which German and international students of more than twelve nations live together, enriching the school life with their individual cultural backgrounds.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 7–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)
- Latin (Year 8)
- Italian (Year 10)

Homework
Daily homework, supervised up to Year 10

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support for international students
Extra support in key subjects before leaving exams

Exchange program
Ireland, Italy, France

Activities
All kinds of sports, including skiing, cross-country skiing and ice hockey
IT courses, choir, orchestra, big band, theater

Special features
Students attend the public school and stay at the public boarding home on the same campus

Internationally recognized language certificates CAE (English) and DELF (French)
Possibility to fill in an extra school year (9+) to deepen students’ academic, social and methodic knowledge

Accommodation in boarding home
Single and twin rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

Total number of students
700

Number of boarders
90-100

Size of classes
~25

Group size in boarding home
6-20

Location
In the very south of Germany, within range of vision of the famous Neuschwanstein Castle

Address
Gymnasium mit Internat Hohenschwangau
Colomanstr. 10
87645 Schwangau
www.gymnasium-hohenschwangau.de

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The Gymnasium Lindenberg combines a social integrative basis with a blend of direct instruction and group work approaches. The school program aims at tolerance, responsibility, a realistic self-assessment and mutual respect. Senior students regularly support younger students in academic and social activities.

The family environment and international atmosphere of the Humboldt boarding home supports and encourages students to integrate quickly into German everyday life. Social contacts inside and outside the boarding home are established and students are supported academically and socially throughout their school career.

### Key facts

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5–12)

**Leaving certificate**
*Abitur* (German equivalent of A-levels)

**Total number of students**
~650

**Number of boarders**
60

**Size of classes**
24 on average

**Group size in boarding home**
15

**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms, Year 12 students can stay in single rooms

**School program**

**Branch of study**
- Branch of natural sciences
- Branch of languages

**Foreign languages**
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)
- Spanish/French (Year 8)
- Spanish (Year 10)

**Homework**
Supervised inside the boarding home, 2 hours daily

**Remedial education**
Remedial teaching inside the boarding home (until the Abitur), mentor program, individual support

**Exchange program**
USA, France, Hungary

**Activities**
- Jugend forscht (a German youth science competition for MINT subjects)
- First aid training to become a school paramedic
- Workshops: school garden, aquarium, big band, drama group, classic orchestra, choirs, robotics

**Experiential education activities**, excursions and study trips, supervised leisure activities

**Special features**

Students attend the public school and stay at the private Humboldt boarding home.

Students can stay in the boarding home on weekends and holidays (except summer holidays).

Boarding home is open 365 days/year.

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**Location**

In the very south of Germany between Lake Constance and the Alps

**Address**

Gymnasium Lindenberg mit Humboldt-Internat
Blumenstraße 12
88161 Lindenberg

www.internat-lindenberg.de
Institut Schloss Brannenburg
Co-educational private boarding school

The relatively small size of the boarding school allows each student to be supported individually and to achieve good performance. Thanks to the two separate schools (Realschule und Fachoberschule) on one campus our students have the chance to stay in their familiar surroundings until they complete University of Applied Sciences entrance qualification.

Key facts

Educational form
Secondary school (Years 5-10)
Technical secondary school (Fachoberschule) (Years 11-12)

Leaving certificate
Mittlere Reife (GCSE equivalent) after Year 10
Fachabitur (University of Applied Sciences entrance qualification) after Year 12

Total number of students
120
Number of boarders
120
Size of classes
7-20
Group size in boarding home
8-12

Accommodation in boarding home
Years 5-6: multi-bed rooms
Years 7-10: twin rooms
Years 11-12: single rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of business sciences

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised, personal tutors helping to organize learning effectively

Remedial education
Tutoring lessons for all subjects, remedial lessons

Exchange program
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Activities

Sports: mountain biking, tennis, golf, snowboarding, skiing, ice skating, basketball, soccer, hockey, volleyball, badminton, table tennis, water skiing, rafting, billiard, cycling

Model making, pottery, batik, jewellery design, make-up artistry, sculptery

Computer workshops, drawing, playing instruments

Special features

With the leaving certificate Fachabitur students can achieve Fachhochschulreife (qualification for Universities of Applied Sciences)

In the south of Germany, halfway between Munich and Salzburg (65 km)

Address
Institut Schloss Brannenburg
Schloßstr. 6
83098 Brannenburg
www.institutschlossbrannenburg.de

Location
Landheim Ammersee
Co-educational private boarding school

In a quiet location on Lake Ammersee we lead students on an individual path to the Bavarian Abitur. Small classes and motivating learning concepts are the basis of an excellent school education. The orientation towards linguistics and economics is a daily practice due to its internationality. Numerous workshops promote personal talents.

We impart a responsible attitude: that of the “Landheim-Entrepreneur”. What is the most important a boarding school can give its students for their way through life? We believe: An attitude. Inner peace. And optimism. Children become young personalities with a strong sense of community, empathy and resource-mindedness. They will experience inner peace and assume responsibility and learn to make decisions: For themselves and their environment, for organizing and planning, for the environment and economic efficiency, for companies and enterprises. A model of tomorrow.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5 -12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
265

Number of boarders
135

Size of classes
6-20

Group size in boarding home
10-40

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, a few single rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of business sciences
Branch of languages

Focus on fine arts possible in upper level classes (Years 11-12)

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
Tutoring in all subjects

Exchange program
Worldwide, global member of Round Square

Activities

See the school’s program website (arts & crafts, sports, music, drama)

Special features

Primary school (Years 1-4) offered

Location

Approx. 30 km west of Munich at Lake Ammersee near the Alps in the Upper Bavarian countryside

Address
Stiftung Landheim Schondorf am Ammersee
Landheimstr. 1-14
86938 Schondorf am Ammersee
www.landheim-ammersee.de
The Max-Rill-Gymnasium was founded in 1938 as a private boarding school. It is situated in a historic castle located south of Munich and—with around 140 pupils—it is one of the smallest state-approved grammar schools and boarding schools in Bavaria that can point to a long tradition. Given the manageable size of our school, our teachers know their students very well and can take care of them and accompany them on an individual basis during the learning process. Our college has got a special profile in social sciences, theatre, and digitally-based learning. We admit a limited number of international students and successfully integrate them into our classes. Important for an open-minded and intercultural learning is our partnership with a college in Moscow/Russia.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5 -12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
145

Number of boarders
75

Size of classes
16-20

Group size in boarding home
10-14

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms (Years 5-10) and single rooms (Years 11-12)

School program

Branch of study
Branch of social sciences
Special focus on fine arts (music, arts, theater) possible

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Chinese (Year 10)
Russian (Year 11)

Homework
Years 5-6: integrated in school lessons
Years 7-10: supervised study time
Years 11-12: individual study time

Remedial education
Tutoring lessons for all subjects
Spelling and reading courses
Weekly study groups in main subjects

Exchange program
Moscow/Russia

Activities

Sports: e.g., skiing, snowboarding, golf, soccer, hiking, tennis, basketball
Vocal and instrumental lessons
Visits to theaters and concerts
Guilds and workshops such as soccer, badminton, archery, fitness, trampoline, basketball, horseback riding, climbing, theater, choir, band, school history, skiing, cooking

Special features

Parent contact via Skype at least twice a year

Location

On the foothills of the Alps, close to Lake Tegernsee; Munich can be reached in 40 mins by car or train

Address
Max-Rill-Gymnasium
Schloss Reichersbeuern
Schlossweg 1-11
83677 Reichersbeuern
www.max-rill-gym.de
Schloss Neubeuern
Co-educational private boarding school

We prepare children for the worlds of today and tomorrow, identifying their talents and fulfilling their needs and potential as individuals, but not at the expense of the rights of others. Home and school work together to encourage growth not only in knowledge and skills but in integrity, determination, confidence, independence and consideration for others. School uniform is obligatory.

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Accommodation in boarding home
- Years 7-9: two to three students
- Years 10-11: twin rooms
- Year 12: single rooms

School program
- Branch of study
  - Branch of natural sciences
  - Branch of economic sciences

Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)
- Spanish (Year 10)

Homework
- Supervised, personal tutors helping to organize learning effectively

Remedial education
- German as a Foreign Language department

Exchange program
- USA, Australia, France, South Africa, Turkey

Activities
- Tennis, mountain biking, golf, climbing, badminton, basketball, body workout, jazz dance, hockey, horseback riding, skiing, snowboarding, volleyball, soccer, taekwondo, table tennis
- Library club, choir, charity project, fire brigade, photography, drawing, multimedia, painting, music group, theater, pottery, student newspaper, chess club

Special features
- Digital Ink program: From Year 9 onwards students use tablet PCs.
- Compulsory school clothing throughout the school day
- Intensive university and vocational preparation including assessment center trainings, application trainings, rhetoric workshops and vocational internships

Location
- On the top of a hill in the heart of the village Neubeuern, halfway between Munich and Salzburg (60 km)

Address
- Schloss Neubeuern
- Schlossstr. 20
- 83115 Neubeuern
- www.schloss-neubeuern.de
Every human being is unique. If you encourage young people’s talents, they grow to be self-confident personalities. The feeling of security plays an essential role. True family tradition is lived. This gives the school a personal atmosphere of security and well-being. School uniform is obligatory.

Key facts

Eduational form
Grammar school (Years 5–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-Levels)

Activities
Theater, choir, art, pottery, glassblowing
Basketball, soccer, rugby, tennis, karate, dancing, fishing, biking, badminton, golf, horseback riding (own stable with horse breeding)
Languages like Italian, Spanish, Business English
Playing instruments like piano, guitar
New fitness area and sports center

Special features
Youth forum discussions (lecture series with well-known public figures)
Literature and media week (lectures, artistic performances, theater plays)
Careers information day (with school alumni)
Higher education information day (with university representatives)

Remedial education
German as a foreign language
Remedial teaching
Music lessons

Exchange program
Individual programs

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms

Total number of students 140
Number of boarders 110

Size of classes
Group size in boarding home
10–20 15

School program

Branch of study
Branch of economic sciences
Branch of languages

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish/French (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Key facts

Location
Approx. 90 km east of Munich, close to Lake Chiemsee

Address
Schule Schloss Stein e. V.
Schlosshof 1
83371 Stein a. d. Traun
www.schule-schloss-stein.de
We regard every student as a unique and valuable individual and try to teach our students basic values such as cooperation in a team, tolerance, respect for others and responsibility for themselves and the community. Therefore, home and school work are done together to encourage growth not only in knowledge but also in integrity, determination, confidence, independence and consideration for others.

**Activities**

Different kinds of ball sports, skiing, rock climbing, mountain biking, kayak, swimming

Electronic handicrafts, gardening, carpentry, pottery, drama, choir

**Special features**

Mentoring team consists of educators as well as teachers living door to door with students.

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**Key facts**

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5 - 12)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

**Total number of students**
640

**Number of boarders**
120

**Size of classes**
22-30

**Group size in boarding home**
12-16

**Total number of students**
640

**Number of boarders**
120

**Size of classes**
22-30

**Group size in boarding home**
12-16

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**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms

**School program**

**Branch of study**
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

**Foreign languages**
Branch of natural sciences:
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)

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**Activities**

Different kinds of ball sports, skiing, rock climbing, mountain biking, kayak, swimming

Electronic handicrafts, gardening, carpentry, pottery, drama, choir

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**Location**

Close to the Austrian border, 50 km west of Salzburg and 100 km southeast of Munich

**Address**
Staatliches Landschulheim Marquartstein
Neues Schloss 1
83250 Marquartstein
www.lsh-marquartstein.de
International-mindedness, tolerance and kindness characterise the togetherness on our campus. Our holistic, humanistic approach—with an element of internationalism—offers an important alternative to the state school system. Our systematic involvement of arts and music contributes to the creativity and spirit that helps to improve all areas of young people’s development at our school.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 7–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
English (from Year 3 onwards)
French/Spanish/Russian/Polish (Year 7)
Russian/Latin (Year 10)

Homework
Supervised homework lessons for students up until the end of Year 9

Remedial education
German language integration support

Exchange program
Russia, Poland, Hungary, Australia, Oman, South Africa

Activities
Sports: American football, soccer, volleyball, badminton, etc.
Cultural programs, trips and excursions
Beekeeping, ceramics, preservation of historical monuments

Special features
Own language school on campus,
Cambridge English, German certificates (telc)
Own music school on campus
Special support for talented students in the fields of music and soccer/handball

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin and single rooms with shared bathroom facilities

Total number of students
420
Number of boarders
70

Size of classes
25 maximum
Group size in boarding home
7-8

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of social sciences
Branch of languages
Branch of fine arts

Gymnasium im Stift Neuzelle
Co-educational private boarding school

Location

30 km south of Frankfurt (Oder),
50 km northeast of Cottbus and
120 km east of Berlin

Address
Gymnasium im Stift Neuzelle
Stiftsplatz 7
15898 Neuzelle
www.gymnasium-neuzelle.de
Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Bieberstein
Co-educational private boarding school

Our educational concept is based on the fundamental idea of the founder of the school, Hermann Lietz, who propagated learning with the head, the heart and the hands. This holistic learning approach does not only focus on lessons and subjects, but tries to foster students’ personality.

The school team is very enthusiastic about aligning with every student’s interests, thereby consolidating strengths and overcoming weaknesses and awakening interest in new things. Teachers put great value on enabling students to discover their various talents, whether in theater, music or art and elocution, in competitions and natural history excursions. All disciplines that are offered over and above study lectures have an important impact and all students’ interests are supported.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 10 -13)
Grammar school (Years 10 -12), entry only with admission exam

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, single rooms for senior students (final school year)

School program

Branch of study
Fixed offer of subjects leading to a general Abitur as only upper level classes (10-12 / 10-13) are taught

Foreign languages
English (1st foreign language)
French/Latin/Spanish (2nd foreign language)
Spanish (3rd foreign language)

Homework
Silentium (5 p.m. - 6.30 p.m.)
Year 10: additional study time integrated into lessons (11.30 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support, including German culture and history
Additional support according to individual needs

Exchange program

Activities

Sports: soccer, volleyball, basketball, tennis, golf, horseback riding, climbing, kickboxing, etc.

Painting, choir, band, theater, etc.

Special features

Students below Year 10 can start in Hohenwehrda (pg. 50) and change to Bieberstein afterwards.

Location
Near Fulda, approx. 1.5 hours from Frankfurt international airport

Address
Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Bieberstein
36145 Hofbieber
www.internat-schloss-bieberstein.de

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Humboldt-Institut’s head office
Telephone +49 7522 988 0
info@humboldt-institut.org
Boarding school education by Hermann Lietz since 1904; Reformpädagogik based upon Pestalozzi (“head, heart and hand”).

Key facts

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5 - 9, Years 5 - 10, senior classes leading to Abitur continue in Schloss Bieberstein)
Technical secondary school (Fachoberschule) (Years 11-12)

**Leaving certificate**
Mittlere Reife (GCSE equivalent) after Year 10
Fachhochschulreife (University of Applied Science entrance qualification) after Year 12
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels) in Schloss Bieberstein

**Foreign languages**
English (Year 5)
Spanish/French/Latin (Year 6 or Year 7)

**Homework**
Integrated into lessons

**Remedial education**
German as a foreign language support
Learning therapy, coaching

**Exchange program**
United Kingdom, Poland

**Activities**
Sports, music, drama group, handicrafts, student enterprises

**Special features**
All students live on campus, no external students, 12 boarding school families and 12 teachers live on campus

**Total number of students**
120

**Number of boarders**
120

**Size of classes**
12-16

**Group size in boarding home**
8-10

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, students live in boarding school families of 8 -10 students

School program

**Branch of study**
Fixed offer of subjects leading to Mittlere Reife (GCSE equivalent) or Fachhochschulreife (University of Applied Science entrance qualification)

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Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Hohenwehrda
Co-educational private boarding school

Location
Near Fulda, approx. 1.5 hours from Frankfurt international airport

Address
Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Hohenwehrda
36166 Haunetal
www.internat-hohenwehrda.de
Schulzentrum Marienhöhe
Co-educational church-run boarding school

We prepare students for their future life, emphasizing both academic and social skills. Our teaching methods as well as special projects and school programs follow this idea. We want to establish an atmosphere in which all students feel welcome and valuable, experience joy in the learning process and train cooperation and self-responsibility. We encourage our students by our own example to take care of their health, of the environment and of other people. Those values are based on our holistic Christian approach.

Key facts

- **Educational form:** Grammar school (Years 5–13)
- **Leaving certificate:** Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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- **Accommodation in boarding home:** Single and twin rooms

- **School program**
  - **Branch of study:** Course system with compulsory and non-compulsory subjects of 3 core areas:
    1. Languages, Literature & Arts
    2. Social Sciences & Economics
    3. Mathematics, Natural Sciences & Technics

- **Special features**
  - Certified as health-promoting school
  - School for climate protection

- **Foreign languages**
  - English (Year 5)
  - French/Spanish/Latin (Year 7)
  - Spanish (Year 11)

- **Homework**
  - Supervised study time in the afternoon (Lernbüro)

- **Remedial education**
  - German as a foreign language support
  - Tutoring lessons for all subjects

- **Exchange program**
  - France, Great Britain, Spain

- **Activities**
  - Soccer, athletics, basketball, volleyball, kickboxing, windsurfing, sport climbing, golf, swimming, pottery, ceramics, crafting, big band, choir, theater club, cooking & nutrition, psychology of happiness, mediation, school ambulance service, nature & technics

- **Student-run enterprise “Energy Agency Marienhöhe”**

- **Learning coaches supporting students in cooperation with subject teachers**

- **Religion is a compulsory subject**

- **Location**
  - 40 km south of Frankfurt and 60 km north of Heidelberg, situated in the center of the Rhine-Main area

- **Address**
  - Schulzentrum Marienhöhe e.V.
  - Auf der Marienhöhe 32
  - 64297 Darmstadt
  - www.marienhoehe.de
The Steinmühle Internatsschule is embedded in a reform-educational tradition. We prepare students for a self-determined and forward-looking life. Responsibility and self-efficacy, enjoying learning, faith in oneself and others, clarity, courage, enthusiasm and empathy are important pillars of a fulfilled life. We try to convey these values in order to enable young people to orient themselves in the most different situations and to accept challenges with curiosity and competence.

**Key facts**

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5-13)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

**Total number of students**
540

**Number of boarders**
60

**Size of classes**
12-20

**Group size in boarding home**
8-10

**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms (Years 5-9), single rooms (Years 10-13)

**School program**

- **Branch of study**
  - Branch of natural sciences
  - Branch of languages
  - Branch of fine arts
  - Branch of sports

- Upper level students (Years 12-13) can choose between five different profiles (e.g., with a focus on German, history, mathematics, arts or sports).

- **Foreign languages**
  - English (Year 5)
  - French/Spanish/Latin (Year 7)
  - Spanish/Italian/Russian (Year 11)

- **Homework**
  - Daily supervised homework time

- **Remedial education**
  - German as a foreign language support
  - Homework monitoring

- **Exchange program**
  - France, Spain, USA

- **Activities**
  - Soccer, horseback riding, swimming, rowing, tennis, athletics, inline skating, wellness, photo & film, dancing, singing, band, computer & IT, cooking, gardening

**Special features**

- Own stable on campus with experienced staff
- Own boatshouse with landing stage
- Cooperation with local sports clubs
- Cooperation with local music school
- Close connection to the Marburg university

**Location**

In the university city of Marburg, approx. 90 km north of Frankfurt

**Address**
Landschulheim Steinmühle GmbH & Co. KG
Steinmühlenweg 21
35043 Marburg
www.steinmuehle.de

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Burgberg-Gymnasium
Co-educational private boarding school

The relatively small size of our school leads to the greatest possible transparency in all educational processes. The teaching efficiency is supported by small classes and a number of lessons in core subjects, which goes beyond the standard defined by the state's curriculum. We try to develop our students' social competence inside and outside the classroom and give them the best possible support, starting with supervised homework and ending with a large variety of vocational orientation activities.

Key facts

- Educational form
  Grammar school (Years 5-13)

- Leaving certificate
  Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)

Homework
- Between 30 and 60 minutes

Remedial education
- Extra lessons in the main subjects available
- Homework monitoring
- Silentium in the boarding home
- Special support for dyslexia

Exchange program
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Activities
- Kayak, various ball sports, skiing trip to Austria, historical field trips
- Additional activities with the boarding home staff: weekend excursions, holiday camps, swimming, cinema, cooking

Special features
- School and boarding home are located on separate campuses (including transport service)

Practical work experience, career guidance
- Member of the ETS preferred network as an authorized test center for TOEFL

Location
- In the Harz Mountains, approx. 70 km south-east of Hanover

Address
- Burgberg-Gymnasium
  Alter Kaiserweg 3
  38667 Bad Harzburg
  www.burgberg-gymnasium.de
We understand every single human being to be a singular creation of God. To preserve and keep dignity of everyone is the moral foundation of our work. We assume responsibility for these values as well as the preservation of humans, nature and all creation.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-13)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students
800

Number of boarders
80

Size of classes
~26

Group size in boarding home
8-10

Accommodation in boarding home
Single and twin rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of social sciences
Branch of languages
Branch of fine arts
Branch of sports

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Russian/French/Latin (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
Intensive German language support (already included in regular school fees)

Exchange program
France, USA

Activities
Sports: soccer, handball, canoeing, archery, athletics, volleyball, horseback riding
Choir, big band, dancing, arts and crafts
Special cultural program for international students

Special features

Russian, French or Latin as a new language in Year 11
Spanish or Chinese as a language workshop
Special support for talented students in the fields of music and soccer/handball

CJD Internat Elze
Co-educational church-run boarding school

Between the cities of Hameln and Hildesheim, approx. 60 km to the Hanover airport

Address
CJD Internat Elze
Dr.-Martin-Freytag-Str. 1
31008 Elze
www.cjd-elze.de
The Hermann-Lietz-Schule Spiekeroog is a state-recognized high school/grammar school and boarding school situated on the North Sea island of Spiekeroog. Our holistic school concept is traditionally based upon the classic progressive education, “learning with head, heart and hand”. The conveyance of cognitive skills, the shaping of the students’ personalities and practical every-day work are inseparably connected. It is our aim to prepare children and young adults for a responsible-minded life in our society.

Key facts

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5 -13)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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**Size of classes**
15-18

**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms, single rooms in Years 12 and 13

**School program**

**Branch of study**
- Branch of natural sciences
- Branch of social sciences
- Branch of languages
- Branch of fine arts
- Branch of sports

**Foreign languages**
- English (Year 5)
- Spanish/French (Year 6)

**Homework**
Daily study time from 3.20 p.m. to 5 p.m., supervised and supported by two teachers

**Remedial education**
German as a foreign language support
Supportive tuition classes in the subjects of German, English and mathematics

**Exchange program**
New Zealand

**Activities**
- Sports: hockey, handball, Schlagball (a traditional sport on the island, close to baseball), dancing, aerobics
- Numerous sailing opportunities in summer time, including short voyages to the neighboring islands
- School orchestra, students’ parties in school club
- Farming, gardening, coast protection, the students’ café, boat building, bicycle workshop, etc.

A 10,000 liter seawater aquarium is run and maintained by students in a national park center owned by the school

**Special features**
All students—not only international students—stay on the campus, even during weekends.

- 5-7 students together with a teacher and his/her partner and their own children form a boarding family. This structure provides a secure and personal setting for the students and implements a feeling of togetherness, cooperation and orientation.

- Sailing is an every day part of the school life. It is also possible to have sailing as an elective course for the final Abitur exams.

High Seas High School®: 26 elected students from Spiekeroog and other German and European schools set sails on board of a traditional sailing ship for over six months, twice crossing the Atlantic.

**Location**
On an idyllic North Sea island with Bremen as the closest international airport

**Address**
Hermann-Lietz-Schule Spiekeroog
Hellerpad 2
26474 Spiekeroog
www.lietz-spiekeroog.de

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info@humboldt-institut.org
Internat Solling
Co-educational private boarding school

Since 1909. Statute: Humanity and open-minded to all cultures
Combination of education and upbringing: responsibility, character forming, individual furthering of the students’ abilities like sports, music and handicrafts, creativity, respect to others and the skill to judge correctly.

Key facts

- Educational form
  Grammar school (Years 5-13)

- Leaving certificate
  Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

- Total number of students: 240
- Number of boarders: 170

- Size of classes: 12-20
- Group size in boarding home: 8-12

- Accommodation in boarding home
  Twin rooms and single rooms

Homework
Daily supervised homework hour

Remedial education
German language integration support at in-house language school
Private lessons for international students in order to keep up with the level of the class

Exchange program
Individual organization with Tenerife, China, Russia, Mexico, Brazil, Colombia

Activities
Horseback riding at own riding school, tennis on own courts, all kinds of sports on own sports complex, golf, rugby
Computer science, theater, school band, social work, handicrafts (wood, clay, pottery)

Special features
MINT-EC school
UNESCO project school
Career orientation

Location
Approx. 80 km south of Hanover, in the area of the Weser mountains region, in a huge green area (50 ha)

Address
Internat Solling
Einbecker Str. 1
37603 Holzminden
www.internatsolling.de
At the Pädagogium we are not exclusively focused on teaching academic knowledge, but we are equally concerned with teaching our students social skills and preparing them for all vital matters. They are to understand that in order to succeed and excel in life, mental ability is just as important as skills and commitment.

Thus, life at the Pädagogium combines academic education with a multifaceted range of offers to work in groups enabling students to learn to assume social responsibility.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5–13)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

School program
Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of social sciences
Branch of languages

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Latin/French (Year 11)

Homework
Supervised during study time

Remedial education
German as a foreign language
(integrated into the current timetable)

Special courses “Learn how to learn!”

Activities
Sports: judo, basketball, soccer, badminton, volleyball, golf, billiard
Workshops: astronomy, chess, arts, chemistry, biology, IT, handicrafts
(e.g., sewing, pottery)
Choir, big band

Special features
Preparation for Cambridge Certificate and DELF (French language certificate)

Exchange program
France, China, Romania

Location
Near the university city of Göttingen, in the Harz mountains in the center of Germany

Address
Pädagogium Bad Sachsa
Ostertal 1-5
37441 Bad Sachsa
www.internats-gymnasium.de
Schule Marienau
Co-educational private boarding school

**Marienau** focuses on the individual, both in the classroom and in the boarding school. This means small classes, an attractive range of foreign languages offered, and individualized instruction. Students are encouraged to take responsibility for their learning.

Active engagement is at the center of our work. We realize these goals through the use of individualization, cooperative learning and portfolio work. We also employ successful traditional methods like lecture, discourse and projects. A skills and methods curriculum reaching across subjects and grade levels ensures the systematic integration of all those components.

**Key facts**

- **Educational form**
  Grammar school (Years 5–13)

- **Leaving certificate**
  Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

- **Total number of students**
  250

- **Number of boarders**
  130

- **Size of classes**
  16 on average

- **Group size in boarding home**
  8

- **Accommodation in boarding home**
  Twin rooms, single rooms in Years 11–13

**School program**

- **Branch of study**
  Branch of natural sciences
  Branch of social sciences
  Branch of languages
  Branch of fine arts

- **Foreign languages**
  English (Year 5)
  French/Spanish/Latin (Year 6)
  Spanish (Year 11)

- **Homework**
  Daily study time (supported and supervised by teachers)

- **Remedial education**
  German as a foreign language support implemented in Year 10 and 11

- **Private tuition on request**
  Mentor program, "Cornetts" (house tutors)

- **Exchange program**
  China (SISU Bilingual School Shanghai),
  Chile (Instituto Alemán de Osorno),
  Mexico (Colegio Alemán Alexander von Humboldt),
  Spain, France, USA, Israel (UNESCO program)

**Activities**

- Diverse sports activities, horseback riding, music, art, science, woodwork, modelling, drama group, light & sound engineering

- **Special features**
  High Seas High School® (cf. Hermann-Lietz-Schule Spiekeroog)
  Cooperation with external sports clubs (e.g., tennis, soccer, golf)

**Location**

- **Approx. 80 km southeast of Hamburg, only 20 km from Lüneburg**
- **Address**
  Schule Marienau
  Marienau
  Neetzetalstraße 1
  21368 Dahlem
  www.marienau.de
Internatsgymnasium Schloss Torgelow
Co-educational private boarding school

Schloss Torgelow is a private school of secondary learning with separate boarding facilities for boys and girls. Its educational guidelines emphasize high performance, support for gifted students, a positive attitude towards the world and life in general. This manifests itself in an open-minded approach regarding all aspects of life: Combination of education and upbringing of the individual as part of the community, social justice, responsibility in society, teaching social values, ability for teamwork.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

School program

Branch of study
Course system with compulsory subjects and subjects of choice

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 7)
Spanish (Year 9 or Year 10)
Russian (for native speakers only)

Homework
Supervised, 2 hours daily

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support

Exchange program
France, United Kingdom, Argentina

Special features

Business@school contest, career day, internationally recognized language certificates (e.g., FCE, CAE, CPE, DELF French, DELE Spanish)

Location
On the shores of Lake Torgelow, in one of Germany’s most beautiful natural resorts, approx. 160 km north of Berlin

Address
Schloss Torgelow, Privates Internatsgymnasium
Schlossallee 1
17192 Torgelow am See
www.schlosstorgelow.de

Activities

Sports: soccer, volleyball, sailing, rowing, canoeing, judo, tennis, golf, horseback riding, swimming, aerobics, athletics
Arts and crafts, musical, theater, filming
More than 70 different workshop projects

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms

Total number of students 250
Number of boarders 220
Size of classes 12
Group size in boarding home 15-24

Internatsgymnasium Schloss Torgelow
Co-educational private boarding school

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Humboldt-Institut’s head office
Telephone +49 7522 988 0
info@humboldt-institut.org
The triad of Christian living—community awareness—and the development of talents stands for our educational approach based on a Christian view of humankind. This prompts us to focus our attention where it should be, namely on the pupils. We offer individual support to international students. We have a beautiful campus and a wide range of additional educational, cultural, leisure and weekend activities (own Music School, Art School and Junior Business School). Attending catholic religious education and Sunday Mass is compulsory for all students.

Key facts

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5 -13)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, single rooms for elder students

School program

**Branch of study**
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of social sciences
Branch of languages
Branch of fine arts

**Foreign languages**
English (Year 5)
Latin/French (Year 6)
French (Year 8)
Spanish (Year 11)

**Homework**
Supervised

**Remedial education**
Special support for international students

**Priest at school**

**Exchange program**
France, England, Ireland, Paraguay, the Netherlands

Activities

Sports: tennis, swimming, golf, horseback riding, sailing, etc.
Arts, music, excursions, etc.

Special features

Catholic religion is a compulsory subject in Years 5 -13, it can be chosen for A-levels

Art School, Music School and Junior Business School on campus

Tennis can be played as competitive sport

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Collegium Augustinianum Gaesdonck
Co-educational Catholic boarding school

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**Location**

Close to the Dutch border, good connection to the airports of Düsseldorf and Weeze

**Address**
Collegium Augustinianum Gaesdonck
Gaesdoncker Straße 220
47574 Goch
www.gaesdonck.de
The Christian conception of man is the foundation of our educational ideal. Our students are to learn how to assume a position of responsibility in administration, society, vocation and the church. This aim is to be achieved by means of a holistic education, which is predicated on equal attention paid to the formation of intellectual capacity and the development of feeling and emotion. Today, students from as many as fifteen different countries thus experience the concept of One World at our school.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- French/Latin (Year 6)
- Spanish/French (Year 8)
- Spanish (Year 10)

Homework
Daily supervised homework (silentium)

Remedial education
Special German support for international students

Exchange program
China, France, India, Hungary, Spain, USA

Activities
All kinds of sports on own campus sports complex (fields, gym, tennis court)
Theater, big band, string ensembles, social clubs, societies, social work, handicrafts, chess

Special features
International students receive additional German support and take a language exam at the end of a school year (B2, C1, C2)

Location
Between the cities of Münster and Osnabrück, situated around a historic castle

Address
Collegium Johanneum
Schloss Loburg
Loburg 15
48346 Ostbevern
www.die-loburg.de
Institut Schloss Wittgenstein
Co-educational private boarding school

Since foundation in 1954 we have been preparing our students for the world of today and tomorrow. We help them to identify their talents. Teaching academic knowledge, building up a social competence and character forming are the main policies of our school.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5–12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Total number of students | Number of boarders
---|---
400 | 50

Size of classes | Group size in boarding home
---|---
16-25 | 4-8

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms and single rooms

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences
Branch of languages

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
French/Latin (Year 10)

Homework
Daily supervised homework
(2 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.)
Study time (when necessary)

Remedial education
German as a foreign language support
Coaching project “Learning how to learn”
Advanced English/mathematics projects

Exchange program
France, United Kingdom

Activities
Sports: horseback riding, tennis, golf, free climbing, badminton, soccer, table tennis, swimming, skiing, basketball, archery, inline skating
Workshops: homepage, school magazine, Lego Technic, IT projects, 3D printer, cooking
Orchestra, theater
Full-day excursions

Special features
Stable on campus, indoor riding arena and riding school on campus
High standard rooms
Modern Wi-Fi technology

In the center of Germany, approx. 150 km north of Frankfurt, 120 km east of Cologne

Address
Institut Schloss Wittgenstein
Josef Kämmerling GmbH & Co KG
57334 Bad Laasphe
www.wittgenstein.de

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info@humboldt-institut.org
For more than 50 years we offer an extremely wide range of courses and course combinations in school, so that students can choose their favorite and best classes. To enhance their motivation, each student’s individual progress is discussed regularly. Due to small classes and individual support in the school and in the boarding school, the learning process is less stressful. The varied activities outside school help students to improve their social competence and try out different sports and activities to find their own individual way.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12 and 7-13)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish/Greek/Latin (Year 10/11)

Homework
Supervised, personal tutors helping to organize how to learn, thus improving learning efficiency
Additional learning groups supported by teachers

Remedial education
Private lessons are possible
Psychological coaching available (psychologist at school)
Special training for students suffering from dyslexia

Exchange program
Individual programs

Special features
Chinese is a potential Abitur subject for Chinese students
School marks are given on a monthly basis
Close relations to several institutions of higher education

Activities
Sports: soccer, tennis, basketball, boxing, kickboxing, climbing, fitness room, golf, ski class trip, sailing, table tennis, yoga, swimming, archery
Library club, choir, art, music, cooking, horseback riding, debating club, classic dance lessons

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms, single rooms available

Size of classes
12-15
Group size in boarding home
12-20

Total number of students
430
Number of boarders
150

Location
Southwest of Münster, close to the Ruhr region and Cologne
Address
Internat Schloss Buldern
Dorfbauerschaft 22
48249 Dülmen-Buldern
www.schloss-buldern.com
Krüger Internat und Schulen

Co-educational private boarding school (vocational college)

The only boarding school in Western Germany with a training college and a commercial college. Principles of a modernized classical education, vocationally orientated.

Key facts

Educational form
Higher Grammar Commercial School (3 years, with general qualification for university entrance)
Higher Commercial School (2 years, with qualification for University of Applied Sciences entrance)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)
Fachabitur (University of Applied Science entrance qualification)

School program

Branch of study
Business and public administration

Foreign languages
English, Spanish

Homework
Supervised

Remedial education
Private lessons on request
Psychologist at school

Psychological help
LRS-Training (for students suffering from dyslexia)

Exchange program
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Activities
Sports: soccer, basketball, table tennis, beach volleyball, bowling, swimming, tennis, golf, horseback riding, fitness, dancing

Music band, singing, piano, drums, air brush

Total number of students
300
Number of boarders
80

Size of classes
22
Group size in boarding home
10-12

Accommodation in boarding home
Single and twin rooms

Special features

Students need at least a qualification for Year 10 in their home country as only upper level classes are offered.

Location

10 km west of Osnabrück, 50 km north of Münster

Address
Krüger Internat und Schulen
Wersen
Westerkappelner Str. 66
49504 Lotte

www.internat-krueger.de
Privatschule Conventz
Co-educational private boarding school

We educate our students in the spirit of the German Constitution. Mainly, we communicate to the students that all people are equal without looking at the color, the religion, sexuality or other individual facts. We respect each other and stand together in all kinds of situations. We prepare our students for their future career and for the reality of our different social societies.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-13)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- French (Year 6-9)
- French/Latin (Year 11)

Homework
Integrated into school lessons

Remedial education
- German as a foreign language (individual tuition or tuition in small groups)
- Special needs (e.g., private lessons, dyslexia, dyscalculia)
- Study groups supervised by teachers
- Tutoring lessons for all subjects

Exchange program
South Africa

Individual programs on students’ requests

Special features

Preparation for Cambridge Certificate and DELF/DALF (French language certificates)
Large variety of advanced courses to increase flexibility towards choice of subjects for Abitur exams

Activities

Supervised leisure activities in cooperation with local clubs (soccer, tennis, judo, music, etc.), all kinds of social clubs, in-house activities, student enterprises, local public offers (running track, bicycle track, mountainbike tracks, hiking, etc.), visits of theaters and concerts, etc.

Location
In the Eifel-Ardennes region, close to the Belgian border, approx. 20 km south of Aachen

Address
Privatschule Conventz GbR
Greppstraße 48a
52159 Roetgen
www.privatschule-conventz.de
Holistic approach in accordance with the curriculum of the state North Rhine-Westphalia. Schloss Heessen provides small classes and courses. Individual homework times and the active promotion of talents pave the way to successful education. At the boarding school educators promote individual self-development through professional coaching. A varied leisure program lets arise no boredom for everybody. Living and learning take place in a familiar private school with an international flavor.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish (Year 10)

Homework
Supervised study time integrated into school lessons

Remedial education
Tutoring in all subjects

German as a foreign language support

Exchange program
France, Mexico, Turkey

Activities
Soccer, handball, volleyball, basketball, bicycle, canoeing, fitness, boxing, dancing, cooking

Driving school, first aid training, dance school, rhetoric seminar

Individual interests: singing lessons, instrument lessons and other options with local certified providers

Special features

Close relation to local sports clubs and several institutions of higher education

Location

In Hamm/Westphalia, near Dortmund, approx. 130 km northeast of Cologne

Address
Schloss Heessen
Schlossstraße 1
59073 Hamm

www.schloss-heessen.de
Villa Wewersbusch
Co-educational private boarding school, Apple Distinguished School

Villa Wewersbusch is a private school, grades 5-13, that uses state-of-the-art education technology to empower students to take control of their own learning. Its vision is to create a happy, nurturing education environment where students develop a passion for life-long learning. The school implements a one-to-one iPad program to create a personal learning experience for each student. Students can access personalized course materials posted by their instructors and submit their assignments online.

Key facts

- **Educational form**: Grammar school (Years 5-13)
- **Leaving certificate**: Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)
- **Total number of students**: 200
- **Number of boarders**: 100
- **Size of classes**: 16 on average
- **Group size in boarding home**: 10-14

Foreign languages
- English (Year 5)
- Spanish/French (Year 7 or Year 11)

Homework
- Weekly study groups in main subjects including homework support

Remedial education
- German as a foreign language support
- Tutoring lessons for all subjects
- Homework support
- Exam preparation

Exchange program
- Apple Distinguished Schools (ADS), Denmark, Spain, China

Activities
- Sports (basketball, kickboxing, mountain biking and table tennis), theater and drama groups, computer programming and IT clubs (Lego Mindstorms, Swift, Apple Training Center Club and Junior IT), natural science (MINT club), social science (geography, history), languages (English, Spanish, Chinese, Turkish), school band, medical service, cooking, baking, etc.

Special features
- Apple Distinguished School (digital classes with 1:1 iPad implementation and iTunes U courses for every subject)
- Obligatory school clothing
- Special MINT room and IT room
- Students can stay in the boarding home on weekends and during all holidays (summer holiday accommodation partly in partner boarding home nearby).

Location
- Close to Düsseldorf (40 km), Essen (15 km) and Wuppertal (10 km)

Address
- Villa Wewersbusch GmbH
- Langenberg
- Wewersbusch 15
- 42555 Velbert
- www.villawewersbusch.de
Educational approach in accordance with the curriculum of the state Rhineland-Palatine.

Key facts

Educational form
Grammar school (Years 5 - 12)

Leaving certificate
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

Remedial education
German as a foreign language
Support for students with diabetes

Exchange program
Canada, China, France, Spain

Activities
More than 50 extracurricular activities: Jugend forscht (Youth Researchers), horseback riding, sports, drama group, big band, etc.

Special features
All-day school (lessons from 8 a.m. to 4.45 p.m.)
Groups inside the boarding home are divided by sex and subdivided by age range

School program

Branch of study
Branch of natural sciences (MINT)
Branch of languages
Branch of fine arts

Foreign languages
English (Year 5)
French/Latin (Year 6)
Spanish/Latin/Japanese (Year 8)

Homework
Supervised

Total number of students
900

Number of boarders
60-90

Size of classes
25

Group size in boarding home
4-12

Accommodation in boarding home
Twin rooms

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Gymnasium Weierhof
Co-educational private boarding school

Location
Approx. 80 km south of Frankfurt

Address
Gymnasium Weierhof
am Donnersberg
Am Hofwiesbach 1
67295 Bolanden
www.weierhof.de
Landschulheim Grovesmühle
Co-educational private boarding school

As a member of Die Internate Vereinigung (DIV) the school combines formal and informal education with a focus on reliability and self sufficiency. A sense of responsibility, social skills as well as individual initiative are our aims.

Key facts

**Educational form**
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

**Leaving certificate**
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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| Size of classes          | 17 on average |
| Group size in boarding home | 8-10 |

**Accommodation in boarding home**
Twin rooms, occasionally single rooms

**School program**

**Branch of study**
Course system with compulsory subjects and subjects of choice

**Foreign languages**
English (Year 5)
Spanish/French/Latin (Year 7)

**Homework**
Supervised

**Remedial education**
German as a foreign language

**Exchange program**
Mexico, Argentina

**Activities**
Sports, theater, woodworking, skiing, horseback riding and others

**Special features**
Workshops in the fields of sports, creative work, natural science or music are integrated into lessons to develop students’ talents

Option of Fachoberschule (technical secondary school) with the branches “Engineering” and “Health & Social Affairs”

**Landschulheim Grovesmühle**
Situated in the Harz Mountains, approx. 100 km south of Hanover

**Address**
Landschulheim Grovesmühle
Veckenstedt
Grovesmühle 1
38871 Nordharz
www.grovesmuehle.de

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There is no space for egoism in *Louisenlund*, just like there is none in a society where individuals need and rely on each other in order to make the most of situations and opportunities. Living with others takes courage. We encourage students to stand up for their opinions and take on projects that will make them grow. The belief that young men and women should be prepared to take on responsibility in society, is one of the main aims of *Louisenlund*. Students finishing their school career at *Louisenlund* have been prepared to become leaders of future society.

**Key facts**

**Educational form**  
Grammar school (Years 5-12)

**Leaving certificate**  
Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)

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**Accommodation in boarding home**  
Twin rooms, single rooms

**School program**

**Branch of study**
- Branch of natural sciences
- Branch of social sciences
- Branch of languages
- Branch of fine arts

**Foreign languages**
- English (Year 5)
- French/Spanish (Year 6)
- French/Spanish/Latin (Year 8)
- Chinese (Year 10, subject of choice)

**Homework**
- Supervised from 5.30 p.m. – 6.55 p.m.
  - During this daily period of quiet on campus, students have time to do homework, ask their teachers and houseparents for help and prepare for upcoming classes and exams.

**Remedial education**
- German as a foreign language
- Remedial lessons in core subjects
- Mentor program, coaching, lessons in communication and social competence

**Exchange program**
- Member of Round Square (worldwide network of schools in 50 countries across six continents)

**Activities**
- Tennis, sailing, rugby, hockey, golf, basketball, volleyball, swimming
- Music lessons, band, theater, debating society
- Handicrafts, THW (Technical Relief), firefighters, Red Cross Youth Service, etc.

**Special features**
- Special program plus-MINT (Years 9-12)
- Shuttle bus between school and Hamburg central bus station
- Airport shuttle between school and Hamburg airport

**Location**
- Approx. 120 km north of Hamburg, close to the Baltic Sea and Denmark

**Address**
- Stiftung Louisenlund  
  Louisenlund 9  
  24357 Güby

- www.louisenlund.de
Hermann-Lietz-Schule Haubinda
Co-educational private boarding school

Alternative school adhering to the educational ideas of German Reformpädagogik (learning with "head, heart and hand"). Students live in a school village together with fully trained teachers and educators in a stimulating community environment.

Key facts

- **Educational form**
  - Grammar school (Years 5-13)
  - Technical secondary school (Fachoberschule) (Years 5-12)

- **Leaving certificate**
  - Abitur (German equivalent of A-levels)
  - Fachhochschulreife (University of Applied Science entrance qualification)
  - Mittlere Reife (GCSE equivalent)

- **Total number of students**: 400
- **Number of boarders**: 120
- **Size of classes**: 18
- **Group size in boarding home**: 8-12

School program

- **Branch of study**
  - Years 11-13: emphasis on business sciences

- **Foreign languages**
  - English (Year 5)
  - Spanish (Year 11)

- **Homework**
  - Daily supervised study time

- **Remedial education**
  - German as a foreign language support
  - Training for dyslexic children
  - Training in arts, crafts and creative activities

- **Exchange program**
  - France, Estonia, Norway, Austria

Special features

- **Activities**
  - Sports: all kinds of ball sports, diving, horseback riding
  - Cooking, bakery
  - Agriculture, gardening, animal husbandry
  - Project trips, skiing trips, outdoor activities, team building activities

- **Accommodation in boarding home**
  - Single rooms and twin rooms in self-contained buildings, housing one boarding school family each

- **Location**
  - A picturesque school village with extensive grounds (90 ha), approx. 2 hours from Frankfurt and 1 hour from Nuremberg
  - **Address**
    - Hermann-Lietz-Schule Haubinda
    - Stiftung 1 · 98663 Haubinda
    - www.internatsdorf.de
Your Next Steps

1 Application
   - Contact us to start the application process
   - Boarding school counseling and selection
   - Enrollment for German course
   - Provision of all required documents

2 German Course
   - Placement test on the first day of the German course
   - Participation in German language program
   - Successful completion of German language program (at least Humboldt level B2)

3 Boarding School
   - Transfer to the selected boarding school

Please find the latest version of this brochure—including costs and fees—on our website:

www.humboldt-institut.org
German Language Program

**Humboldt-Institut Bad Schussenried**, page 10

Costs (2019)
EUR 800.- / week
Including tuition, accommodation, full board, teaching material, 24-hour supervision, leisure program, weekly excursions, course certificate

Additional costs
None (except for pocket money)

**Humboldt-Institut Lindenberg**, page 12

Costs (2019)
EUR 800.- / week
Including tuition, accommodation, full board, teaching material, 24-hour supervision, leisure program, weekly excursions, course certificate

Additional costs
None (except for pocket money)

Baden-Wuerttemberg

**Heimschule Kloster Wald**, page 14

Annual costs
EUR 18,540.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 300.-
Extra charges on an individual basis (e.g., health insurance, residential costs on weekends, music lessons, study material, field trips, pocket money) in advance: EUR 4,500.-

**Kurpfalz-Internat: Privates Internatgymnasium**, pg. 16

Annual costs
Years 7 to 9: EUR 41,500.-
Years 10 to 12: EUR 43,000.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 950.-
Leaving fee: EUR 180.-
Extra charges on an individual basis

**Schloss-Schule Kirchberg**, page 18

Annual costs
Years 7 to 9: EUR 32,180.-
Years 10 to 12: EUR 32,830.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 450.-
Deposit: EUR 4,050.-
Insurances: EUR 525.- / year
Expenses in advance (e.g., supervision on weekends or during short holidays (carnival, autumn), weekend activities, airport transfers): EUR 5,395.-

Schule Birklehof, page 20

Annual costs
EUR 35,460.-
EUR 3,000.- (German as a foreign language, 4 h/week in small groups, obligatory until completion of level C1)

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 850.-
Expenses in advance (e.g., music lessons, individual tutoring, study material, field trips, pocket money, telephone, deposit): EUR 4,000.-

Schule Schloss Salem, page 22

Annual costs
Years 5 to 10: EUR 41,400.-
Years 11 to 12: EUR 42,240.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,725.- to 1,760.-
Deposit: 2 monthly rates
Extra charges depending on the student’s needs (approx. EUR 300.- / month)

Urspringsschule, page 24

Annual costs
EUR 41,580.- (including German language support)

Additional costs
Health insurance: EUR 780.- / year
Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 2,000.-

Zinzendorfschulen, page 26

Annual costs
EUR 32,400.-

Additional costs
Deposit: EUR 5,300.-
Registration fee: EUR 100.- (single payment)
Examination fee: EUR 50.-
Insurance package: EUR 708.- / year
Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, study materials, language support during weekdays, study and field trips, residential costs on closed weekends): approx. EUR 8,200.-

Bavaria

**Christian-von-Bomhard-Schule**, page 28

Annual costs
EUR 23,640.-

Additional costs
Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 2,000.-
Costs and fees 2018/2019

Bavaria (cont’d)

**Gymnasium Hohenschwangau**, page 30
- **Annual costs**: EUR 5,700.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 400.-
  - Deposit: EUR 200.-
  - German language support: EUR 200.- / year
  - Extra charges depending on the student’s needs

**Gymnasium Lindenberg**, page 32
- **Annual costs**: EUR 21,840.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Insurances: EUR 990.50
  - School materials, handbooks and exercise books, excursions, membership fees, pocket money

**Institut Schloss Brannenburg**, page 34
- **Annual costs**
  - Years 5 to 10: EUR 33,900.-
  - Years 11 to 12: EUR 38,340.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 400.-
  - Handling fee: EUR 2,100.-
  - Deposit: EUR 8,475.-
  - Expenses in advance (e.g., school clothing, books, insurances, German lessons, laundry service, ski camp, field excursion): approx. EUR 8,200.-

**Landheim Ammersee**, page 36
- **Annual costs**: EUR 39,660.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 500.-
  - Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 3,000.-

**Max-Rill-Gymnasium Schloss Reichersbeuern**, page 38
- **Annual costs**: EUR 33,600.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 500.-
  - Deposit: EUR 8,400.-
  - Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 3,000.-

**Schloss Neubeuern**, page 40
- **Annual costs**: EUR 40,680.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 900.-
  - Entrance examination: EUR 450.-
  - Deposit: EUR 12,170.-
  - German language support: EUR 300.- / month
  - Extra charges on an individual basis

**Schule Schloss Stein**, page 42
- **Annual costs** (valid until December 2018)
  - Years 5 to 7: EUR 36,720.-
  - Years 8 to 10: EUR 40,980.-
  - Years 11 to 12: EUR 42,300.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 2500.-
  - Deposit: EUR 5,000.-
  - Expenses in advance: EUR 300.-
  - School clothing

**Staatliches Landschulheim Marquartstein**, page 44
- **Annual costs**: EUR 5,040.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Residential costs on weekends: EUR 1,000.-
  - Extra charges on an individual basis (e.g., study material, individual tutoring, travel costs, residential costs on closed weekends, field trips, pocket money): approx. EUR 100.- / month

**Brandenburg**

**Gymnasium im Stift Neuzelle**, page 46
- **Annual costs**: EUR 23,100.-
- **Additional costs**
  - Registration fee: EUR 200.-
  - Health insurance (obligatory, 1 year): EUR 2,076.60
  - Deposit: EUR 1,750.-
  - German integration assistance (obligatory, 6 months): EUR 1,200.-
**Costs and fees 2018/2019**

**Hesse**

**Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Bieberstein**, page 48

Annual costs
EUR 35,820.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,500.-
German language support (low level): EUR 400.- / month
German language support (good level): EUR 200.- / month
Deposit: 3 monthly rates
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 7,800.-

**Hermann-Lietz-Schule Schloss Hohenwehrda**, page 50

Annual costs
EUR 35,820.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,500.-
German language support (low level): EUR 400.- / month
German language support (good level): EUR 200.- / month
Deposit: 3 monthly rates
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 7,800.-

**Schulzentrum Marienhöhe**, page 52

Annual costs
EUR 24,360.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 480.-
Deposit: EUR 250.-
Extra charges on an individual basis (e. g., field trips / excursions, pocket money, study material, weekend activities, external residential costs during holidays)

**Steinmühle Internatsschule**, page 54

Annual costs
Years 5 to 10:  EUR 38,040.-
Years 11 to 13: EUR 37,620.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 450.-
Handling fee: EUR 270.-
Deposit: EUR 5,800.-
German language support: approx. EUR 180.- / month
Extra charges depending on the student’s needs (approx. EUR 200.- / month)

**Lower Saxony**

**Burgberg Gymnasium**, page 56

Annual costs
approx. EUR 24,840.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 275.-
Administration fee: EUR 250.-
Bank fee: EUR 100.-
Supervision during weekends and holidays:
EUR 3,000.-
Insurance package: EUR 1,200.-

**CJD Internat Elze**, page 58

Annual costs
EUR 26,500.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 350.-
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 2,000.-

**Hermann-Lietz-Schule Spiekeroog**, page 60

Annual costs
EUR 38,400.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,500.-
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 4,000.-

**Internat Solling**, page 62

Annual costs
EUR 34,824.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 150.-
Insurance (accident, third party, household contents insurance): EUR 25./ year
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for Necessities for school and leisure time):
minimum EUR 2,000.-
Deposit: 1 monthly rate

**Pädagogium Bad Sachsa**, page 64

Annual costs
EUR 30,000.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 600.-
School leaving fee: EUR 50.-
Expenses in advance (insurance, necessities for school and leisure time) / deposit: EUR 3,000.-
Costs and fees 2018/2019

Lower Saxony (cont’d)

Schule Marienau, page 66

Annual costs
Years 5 to 13: EUR 39,120.-
On admission at Year 11: EUR 40,200.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 280.-
Deposit: EUR 1,000.-
Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 4,800.-

Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania

Internatsgymnasium Schloss Torgelow, page 68

Annual costs
Years 5 to 7: EUR 33,222.-
Years 8 to 10: EUR 34,563.-
Years 11 to 12: EUR 35,527.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 350.-
School leaving fee: EUR 150.-
Deposit: EUR 2,000.-
Extra charges on an individual basis
German lessons on an individual basis

North Rhine-Westphalia

Collegium Augustinianum Gaesdonck, page 70

Annual costs
EUR 27,552.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 4,000.-
Extra charges on an individual basis (e.g., pocket money, music and art school lessons, excursions, transfers, laundry costs)

Collegium Johanneum Schloss Loburg, page 72

Annual costs
Years 5 to 12: EUR 24,000.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 190.-
Health insurance (optional): EUR 80.- / month
Theater, cinema, etc.: approx. EUR 200.- / year
Deposit: EUR 500.-
Extra charges on an individual basis

Institut Schloss Wittgenstein, page 74

Annual costs
EUR 27,700.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 250.-
Deposit: EUR 1,000.-
Handling fee: EUR 3,900.-
Expenses in advance (e.g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 4,000.-

Internat Schloss Buldern, page 76

Annual costs
EUR 30,000.-

Additional costs
Expenses in advance (insurance, necessities for school and leisure time, deposit): EUR 1,200.-

Krüger Internat und Schulen, page 78

Annual costs
EUR 30,600.-

Additional costs
Deposit: EUR 5,200.-
Extra charges on an individual basis

Privatschule Conventz, page 80

Annual costs
EUR 28,500.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 995.-
Deposit: EUR 2,000.-
Extra charges depending on student’s needs (e.g., pocket money, individual leisure time, insurances)

Schloss Heessen, page 82

Annual costs
EUR 36,480.-

Additional costs
School leaving fee: EUR 150.-
Extra charges on an individual basis (e.g., pocket money, insurance, cultural fee)

Villa Wewersbusch, page 84

Annual costs
Years 5 to 10: EUR 28,800.-
Years 11 to 13: EUR 30,000.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,850.-
iPad rent: EUR 192.-
Expenses in advance (e.g., excursions, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 2,000.-
Costs and fees 2018/2019

Rhineland-Palatinate

**Gymnasium Weierhof**, page 86

Annual costs
EUR 29,400.-

Additional costs
Expenses in advance (e. g., school materials, insurances, travelling expenses): EUR 5,000.-

Saxony-Anhalt

**Landschulheim Grovesmühle**, page 88

Annual costs
EUR 35,400.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,500.-
Deposit: EUR 5,000.-
Extra charges on an individual basis (e. g., pocket money, travelling expenses, money for necessities for school and leisure time) in advance: EUR 3,900.-

Schleswig-Holstein

**Stiftung Louisenlund**, page 90

Annual costs
Years 5 to 12: EUR 39,780.-
On admission at Year 10: EUR 42,600.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,575.-
Deposit: EUR 10,000.-
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 5,000.- / year
Contribution to parents' association: EUR 5.- / year

Thuringia

**Hermann-Lietz-Schule Haubinda**, page 92

Annual costs
Years 1 to 10: EUR 29,364.-
Years 11 to 13: EUR 30,924.-

Additional costs
Registration fee: EUR 1,500.-
German language support (low level): EUR 400.- / month
German language support (good level): EUR 200.- / month
Deposit: 3 monthly rates
Expenses in advance (e. g., pocket money, money for necessities for school and leisure time): EUR 7,800.-
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