

IH Bristol provision for under-18 students, including unsupervised time

Junior courses – 11-year-olds, closed groups only.

11 year old students may be exceptionally accepted on IH Bristol courses, but only if coming in a closed group and when staying in Homestay with an older 14 years+ sibling / group student. This must also be with the prior permission and agreement of IH Bristol management at booking stage to confirm we can take this age of student.

	11-year-olds
Arriving in the UK and travelling to Bristol and travelling from Bristol to UK departure point	Students must be accompanied by an adult (the School can arrange a taxi transfer from the airport) or older sibling.
Travel to and from school for classes, and at weekends for school excursions outside Bristol	11-year-olds must be accompanied by an adult or older sibling/student in their group. 12-year-olds will travel with an agreed older person, or be risk assessed for travelling alone
Mid-morning break	Students are not allowed to leave the school site at break.
Lunchtime	Students can go out at lunchtime to local shops if accompanied by an adult or older sibling/student in their group.
Travel to and from school for social programme events (evening events should finish by 8.45pm)	11-year-olds must be accompanied by an adult or older sibling/student in their group. 12-year-olds will travel with an agreed older person, or be risk assessed for travelling alone. Students must return straight home after event, and by curfew time of 9.30pm
Free time on weekend excursions	Students must be supervised by an adult during free time. This could be a parent, group leader or member of school staff
In the home of the host family	A responsible adult must supervise at all times.
Going out into Bristol on weekday evenings after school, or at weekends	A responsible adult must supervise at all times.
Travelling independently of the school and/or staying out of host family home overnight (Parents should contact the school for details of the planning procedure.)	Students can only travel or stay out overnight with supervision of responsible adult, following written plan agreed with parents and the school.