2016 FIS Summer Camps
Summer is fast approaching!

Welcome to the FIS Summer Camp Brochure. Each year, the FIS Summer Camps provide experiences to remember, for returning students and new participants.

This brochure includes the offerings for the 2016 Summer. We are sure that you will find something of interest and decide to join in on the fun this year.

Our skilled and enthusiastic instructors create a safe, fun and supportive environment for participants to develop. We provide the perfect setting to extend the learning that takes place during the school year by giving children the opportunity to be innovative and discover new interests.

Come and join our summer camp activities where you will meet new friends, have fun, learn, and enjoy a range of courses. Seize the opportunity to experience our international community and come away with lifelong memories.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Important Dates:
Session I: 27 June – 8 July
Session II: 11 – 22 July
Registration begins Monday, 21 March
Early bird discounts end 17 April

Online Registration:
The online registration form is available on our website at www.fis.edu. It can be found in the Community Life section under Summer Camps > Oberursel Campus. Some sessions fill quickly; we strongly recommend early registration. However, should there be camps with insufficient enrollment, the course may be cancelled. Parents are asked to submit separate registrations for each child. Confirmation, waitlist and/or cancellation emails will be sent no later than Friday 3 June. The message will include camp details and payment instructions. Please do not make payments until your place has been confirmed. Class sizes are limited and preference is first given to FIS families and second to those who apply earliest.

Confirmation of registration:
After being placed in a camp, you will receive a second e-mail confirming your son or daughter's participation. This e-mail will include all necessary information regarding the payment and participation in the camp.

Early Bird Discount:
Families who register on or before 17 April receive a €20 Early Bird Discount for each submitted registration. Families who register on or after Saturday, 18 April must pay the full price for each program.

Bus Transport from FISW:
Families from Wiesbaden who wish to have their kids enroll in camp will be asked to pay an extra €9/day to cover the cost of bus transportation to and from Wiesbaden. Buses will pick-up and drop off at FISW.

Payment:
Payments are only accepted by bank transfer after you have received confirmation of participation. Be sure to write REAL Summer Camp, the name of the participant, and the course or activity on the bank transfer. Please send the bank transfer to:

Account Name: FGFBEmbH
Bank: Commerzbank
IBAN: DE 24 5008 0000 0605 1406 01
BIC: DRESDE FF XX

Other Information:
Lunch and snacks are provided. All participants must annotate on their registration special dietary requirements. The registration fees include a summer camp t-shirt.

Cancellation Policy:
If a participant drops out of a program before summer camp begins, there will be a €50 cancellation fee. If a participant drops out after it begins or does not show up, they will be charged a €200 cancellation fee. Exceptions will only be made in extreme circumstances. Medical reasons require a doctor's note.

Deutsch:
Fuer detaillierte Informationen in deutscher Sprache wenden Sie sich bitte an:
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Session I:
27 June – 8 July

Session II:
11 – 22 July

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
First Steps - Grade 1
(Ages 3-6)

Time:
09:00 - 16:00

Location:
FIS - Stroth Center

Cost:
€ 660 per session
(Meals and snacks included)

Early Bird Discount:
Register on or before 17 April and receive a €20 Early Bird Discount for each submitted registration.

The First Steps to Grade 1 Full Day Program is dedicated to the idea that a child’s summer should be about having fun, learning new things, meeting new friends, and exploration!

We offer a wide range of activities to help your child’s social development, confidence, responsibility, teamwork, and inquiry. The camp includes many hands-on and engaging activities. Each day has a structured routine and the camp is a great way for children who will be joining our school in August to meet new friends and get to know FIS. Every day your child will have indoor and outdoor play.

Come join in the fun!

Special Activities may include:

• Water days
• A day at the playground with a picnic
• Forest walks
• Pizza lunch
• Field Trips (Opel Zoo, Halli Galli, etc.)
Session I:  
27 June – 8 July

Session II:  
11 – 22 July

Age:  
Entering in Fall 2016  
Grades 2-4  
(Ages 7-9)

Time:  
09:10 - 16:00

Location:  
FIS - Stroth Center

Cost:  
€ 690 per session  
(Meals and snacks included)

Early Bird Discount:  
Register on or before 17 April and receive a €20 Early Bird Discount for each submitted registration.

This camp is intended to give Elementary School children an opportunity to explore and discover new interests. Campers will have access to a variety of activities in a safe, fun and caring environment.

A rotating schedule will be utilized allowing campers to sample various activities and work with different teachers while staying within the comfort of their summer class groupings. Classes may include Design/Computer Technology, Aloha Math, Creative/Performing Arts, Sports & Games, and Language Arts.

After lunch, campers will also have the opportunity to participate in group activities such as swimming, sports activities, arts & crafts projects, and various field trips. Campers are encouraged to try new things, make friends, and have fun.

Afternoon Activities may include:
• Swimming (Oberursel Schwimmbad)
• Creative Movement/Dance
• Field Trips (Lochmühle, Taunuswunderland, EXPLORA Museum, etc.)
• Scavenger Hunt
• Cooking
• Board Games

ESL - ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE OPTION:
Families may sign up for an ESL option within the Elementary School Summer Camp. The ESL option is ideal for students who wish to improve their English by receiving instruction from an ESL trained teacher who will create a learning environment best suited for improvement of written and oral English. ESL students will be part of most regular camp activities, but their class rotation will include an ESL course instead of Language Arts. If you wish to select the ESL Option, please specify your choice when you submit the registration form.
GRADE 5-9 Creative/Performing Arts SUMMER CAMP

Session I:
27 June – 8 July

Session II:
11 – 22 July

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
Grades 5-9
(Ages 10-14)

Time:
09:10 - 16:00

Location:
FIS - Stroth Center

Cost:
€ 790 per session
(Meals and snacks included)

Early Bird Discount:
Register on or before 17 April and receive a €20 Early Bird Discount for each submitted registration.

This summer camp for students in Grades 5-9 will focus on exploring the artist in each of its participants. Instructors and the Theater production staff will work with students to create works of art in multiple mediums, as well as produce their own props for the musical production week.

One week of class is devoted to creative art and prop making. The other week is the A-Z of creating a musical production. Families are encouraged to attend the 50 minute Musical performance on either 8 July or 15 July at 3pm.

Upstage Productions

Upstage Musical Productions have been invited to produce two week-long musical theatre courses on behalf of the Frankfurt International School as part of the school’s Summer Program. Each week ends with a fantastic performance of a brand new musical. Upstage Productions have been running the course in the UK for twelve years and it is regarded as one of the best courses of its type. If you are aged between 10 and 14 years old and want to take part on either or both fantastic weeks working with a professional Director, Choreographer and a Musical Director, register on-line as soon as possible. Dates for the first project are Monday July 4th to July 8th and the second week starts July 11th to 15th. Each week ends with a great performance for all the family and each week will operate on a first-come-first-served basis.

“A huge thank you for bringing the project to the Victoria Hall. It was fantastic to see the show and we’ve had excellent feedback from students, parents and our staff. We were really pleased to see an all-singing, all-dancing musical taking place and to such a high standard. I do hope that we can work with you again next year on another musical.”

GRADE 5-9 Sports/Adventure
SUMMER CAMP

Session I:
27 June – 8 July

Session II:
11 – 22 July

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
Grades 5-9
(Ages 10-14)

Time:
09:10 - 16:00

Location:
FIS - Stroth Center
And, six off-site
adventure locations
(day will always start and
end at FIS)

Cost:
€ 840 per session
(Meals and snacks
included)

Early Bird Discount:
Register on or before 17 April and
receive a €20 Early Bird Discount
for each submitted registration.

Hi-Ropes, Climbing walls, Mountain Biking, Archery, and Radio Navigation courses are all part of this two week camp that will keep students in Grades 5-9 on the move all day!

This camp is lead by highly qualified fitness and outdoor specialty instructors and will push these young people to their adventure limits.

In addition to the off-site adventure days, students will be taught and coached through many different sports and fitness games/activities that will lead them to life-long fitness and health.

Come out and experience all the things you would hope to find in several different camps, all in one place.
SWEDEN CANOE TRIP 2016

Dates:
25 June - 4 July

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
Grades 6 - 12
(Ages 11 - 18)

Location:
Värmland, Sweden

Cost:
€ 895 per person

Minimum of 20 students required

Information Evening:
3 May - Time and location to be announced

Early Bird Discount:
Register on or before 15 March and receive a €20 Early Bird Discount for each submitted registration.

The Sweden Canoe Trip will take place in the warmest and the most picturesque area of Sweden: Värmland. It is located to the east of the Norwegian border, 120 km south-east of Oslo. We will move from island to island in canoes and have all our required equipment and food with us. We will have two canoeing groups: one group canoeing approximately 65 km round-trip and the other touring around the banks of Lake Foxen for approximately 50 km.

This trip includes:
• Travel to and from Grunnerud, Sweden in a modern long distance bus and overnight ferry.
• All canoeing and camping equipment (safety jackets, tents, stoves etc.).
• Food and drinks (includes fresh food and vegetables)
• An experienced canoe and outdoor guide plus an FIS chaperone with each group.
• A detailed ‘check list’ of clothing and equipment required will be handed out after the pre-tour briefing by David Blackall, the tour conductor (3 May 2016).
• Nature card and fishing license.
THE INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL CAMP

Dates:
1 August - 5 August

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
Primary - Grade 8
(Ages 5 - 13)

Time:
09:00 - 15:00

Location:
FIS - Stroth Center

Cost:
$ 245/€ 225 if paid on-line
(There is no Early Bird Discount for this camp.)

Join coaches Mike and Sue Fitzpatrick and players from the men’s and women’s basketball teams at FIS for a week of exciting basketball action.

Shooting, fundamentals, small sided games as well as full court games will be played. All basketball campers will receive a ball and a t-shirt.

Basketball camp is designed for all ability levels. Our goal is to instill confidence and a love for the game in every camper. We believe a successful experience will surely impact other areas of every camper’s life!

For more information please contact:
Mike Fitzpatrick at mike@internationalhoopcamp.com

TO REGISTER FOR THE SOCCER CAMP, PLEASE VISIT:
www.isportscamp.com
THE INTERNATIONAL SOCCER CAMP

Dates:
8 August - 12 August

Age:
Entering in Fall 2016
Primary - Grade 8
(Ages 5 - 13)

Time:
09:00 - 15:00

Location:
Eintracht Oberursel - Synthetic Field

Cost:
$ 245/€ 225 if paid on-line
(There is no Early Bird Discount for this camp.)

Join coaches Mike and Sue Fitzpatrick along with players from the FIS Varsity soccer teams at FIS, for a week of exciting sports action. Every camp participant will receive a camp t-shirt.

The camp is for both experienced and beginning players. We will instill a love for the game and the successful experience will surely affect other areas of your life!

For more experienced players, the camp will include training drills to develop explosive speed and power, while also teaching control regardless of what sport you play. The camp is designed to develop those who desire to become competitive athletes.

For more information please contact:
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