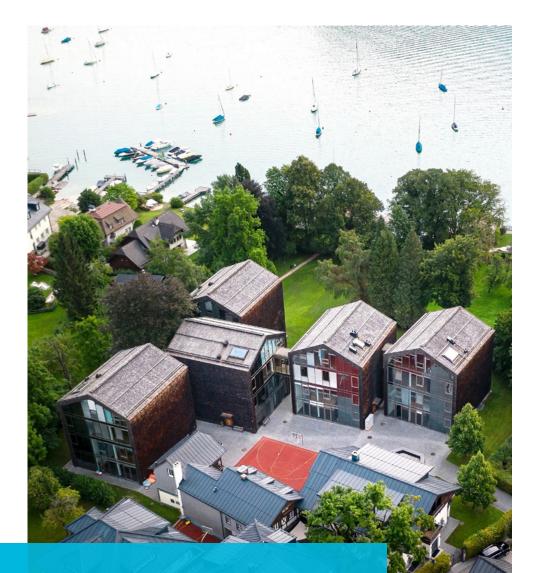


## Summer Camps 2025

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND LANGUAGE CAMPS WITH SUPPLEMENT OPTIONS: GOLF, HORSERIDING, SAILING OR ADDITIONAL ENGLISH



"THE SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMME PROVIDES A TWO WEEK EXPERIENCE OF THE BEST AUSTRIA HAS TO OFFER."

## St. Gilgen International School Summer Camps

### A UNIQUE SUMMER CAMP EXPERIENCE

St. Gilgen International School is offering three exceptional summer camp experiences in July and August 2025.

#### Visit Austria this summer

Located 35 minutes from Salzburg in the magical lakeside town of St.Gilgen, we offer

a unique summer camp experience in an idyllic position on the shores of the beautiful Wolfgangsee.

Combining progressive teaching methodologies, the full spectrum of activities and a web of pastoral care, we provide the ideal environment for your child.

#### Outdoor Activities and Language Camp I



05<sup>th</sup> July to 18<sup>th</sup> July

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#### Outdoor Activities and Language Camp II and III



Camp II: 19<sup>th</sup> July to 01<sup>st</sup> August Camp III: 03<sup>rd</sup> August to 16<sup>th</sup> August

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# Outdoor Activities & Language

05<sup>th</sup> JULY - 18<sup>th</sup> JULY 19<sup>th</sup> JULY - 1<sup>st</sup> AUGUST 03<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST - 16<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

The Outdoor Activities and Language Camps are open to children aged between 10 and 15 from around the world.

The programmes will combine language instruction, in either English or German, with Austrian culture and outdoor adventure. We accept all language abilities, from beginners to advanced, and are pleased to be able to offer this language learning in one of the most beautiful locations in Austria.

#### Fees

- $3,900 \in$  for the two weeks
- sibling discount 10%



## **Daily Programme**

## AN EXCITING COMBINATION OF ACADEMIC, OUTDOOR, AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

#### Language – English or German

Summer Camp participants will attend 3 hours of classes per day for a total of 15 hours of instruction per week of focused language tuition in either English or German.

Learning is designed and delivered at each student's particular level and within a fun and active classroom environment.

Learning a new language will open a window into intercultural understanding and help develop critical thinking skills. Students will also have the opportunity to apply their learned language to real world situations. This is a truly fun way to explore language learning and Austria at the same time.

The language lessons will be delivered by highly skilled instructors, with an emphasis on communication and conversational skills. Thereby we offer English and German lessons from beginner (A1 and A2 level) to intermediate (B1 and B2 level).

#### **Outdoor Activities**

Our backyard is one of the most beautiful natural sports arenas in the world! Students will have the opportunity to explore the water sports, mountain sports and rock sports in the Salzkammergut region.

Amongst the opportunities available are hiking across the mountains, rock climbing with spectacular views, paddle boarding and kayaking on the crystal blue lake, biking, swimming, high ropes, cliff jumping and more.

#### **Cultural Activities**

St. Gilgen has a rich cultural heritage. Mozart's mother and sister both lived here; Gustav Klimt painted in the Attersee region; and Marie von Ebner-Eschenbach had her summer residence in St. Gilgen and wrote extensively here. The cultural activities focus on touring the region to become fully immersed in the history and surroundings.

Salzburg is just a short trip away, as are attractions such as the salt mines and ice caves of the Dachstein.









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"OUR BACKYARD IS ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL NATURAL SPORTS ARENAS IN THE WORLD!"

## Camp I Schedule

### SATURDAY 05th JULY - FRIDAY 18th JULY 2025

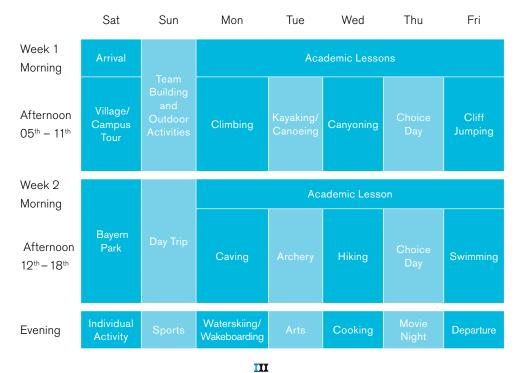
The courses and activities on the first Camp begin on the Saturday after lunch and finish on the Friday afternoon.

On the first and last day students will be given leisure time to explore our campus and surroundings. Students arrive on Saturday, 05<sup>th</sup> July between 9am and 11am and leave on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> July in the afternoon between

#### 5pm and 6pm.

Please see below for an example of the daily programme. Thursdays are a choice day between horse trekking, sailing, an archery course, and/or MTB skills/cycling.

Please note that the program may alter due to weather or group dynamics.



**OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND LANGUAGE CAMP** 



# Outdoor & Supplement Activities

19<sup>th</sup> JULY - 1<sup>st</sup> AUGUST 03<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST - 16<sup>th</sup> AUGUST

If your child is passionate about Sailing, Golf or Horse Riding or simply wants to immerse themselves in trying a new activity then the Sailing/ Golf or Horse Riding Camp options could be perfect for them, whilst simultaneously improving their English or German Language skills in one of the safest, most idyllic places in the world. These amazing opportunities are available to children from 10 to 15 years old from beginners to advanced.

#### Fees

- 3,900 € for the two weeks
- 400 € supplement for golf (Camp II and Camp III)
- 600 € supplement for horseriding (Camp III)
- sibling discount 10%





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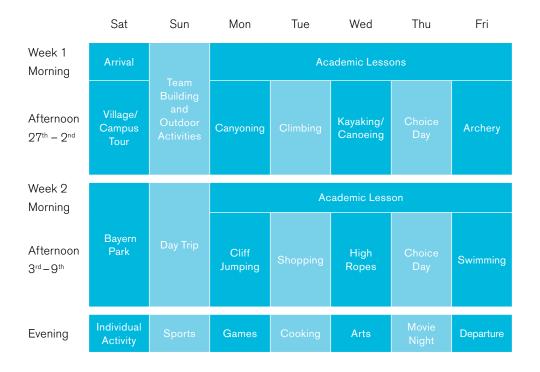
## **Camp II Schedule**

### SATURDAY 19th JULY - FRIDAY 01st AUGUST 2025

The courses and activities on the second Camp begin on the Saturday after lunch and finish on the Friday afternoon.

Students arrive on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> July between 9am and 11am and leave on Friday, 01<sup>st</sup> August in the afternoon between 5pm and 6pm. Please see below for an example of the daily programme. Thursdays are choice days between horse trekking, sailing, an archery course and/or MTB skills/cycling.

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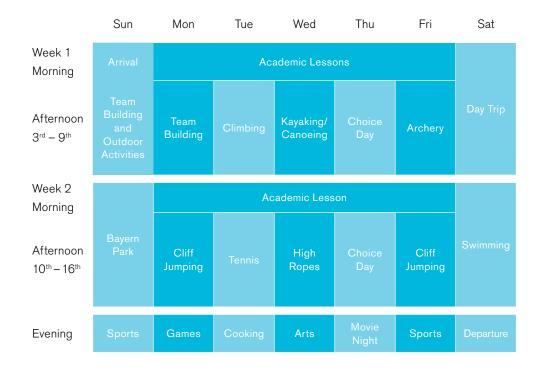
## **Camp III Schedule**

### SUNDAY 03th AUGUST - SATURDAY 16th AUGUST 2025

The courses and activities on the third Camp begin on the Sunday after lunch and finish on the Saturday afternoon.

Students arrive in St. Gilgen on Sunday, 3rd August between 9am and 11am and leave on Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> August in the afternoon between 5pm and 6pm.

Please see below for an example of the daily programme. Please note that the program may alter due to weather or group dynamics.



OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND LANGUAGE CAMP

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CAMP II: 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY TO 1<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST CAMP III: 3<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST TO 16<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

#### **Golf Training**

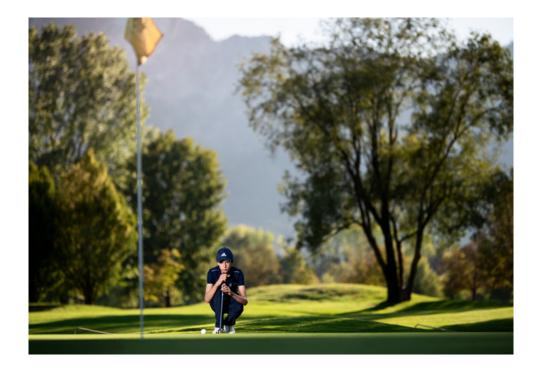
The camp provides 6 training days, 3 hours per day. Campers train with technical equipment like the TrackMan or SAM PuttLab in the beautiful surroundings of the Mondsee Golfclub. Whether a beginner or advanced player the expert coach helps campers

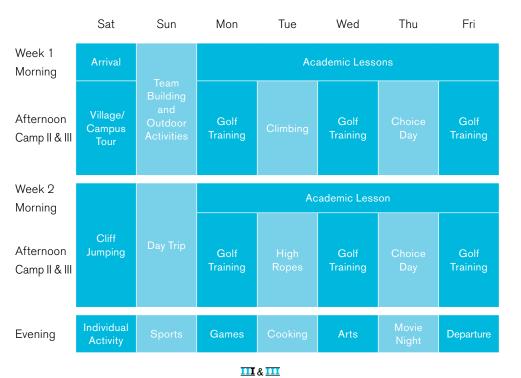


improve. They can even have the possibility of gaining their Platzreife (subject to interest).

When not on the Golf course, the campers join in with the rest of the outdoor activity programme.

"TEE UP YOUR GOLFING AND LANGUAGE SKILLS"





**III** & **III** GOLF AND LANGUAGE CAMP

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## Supplemental Horseriding Activity

### CAMP III: 3<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST TO 16<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST

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Whether a beginner or advanced rider, campers will learn and develop their riding skills during the 10 afternoons horse riding on camp. St Gilgen International School and Summer Camp work in partnership with EWOT Academy to provide the ultimate equestrian experience expertly led by award winning young competition riders.

The sessions are tailored to each riders needs through fun, goal setting and video analysis. Beginners start with one-on-one



Riders can have the option to work towards their riding badges during the camp and then be examined on the last days of camp. The

examination fees are not included in the camp

lounge lessons whilst experienced riders

can work on their dressage, gymnastics and

jumping. When not on a horse riders will learn how to care for them and prepare them for

### "RIDE WITH COURAGE, LEAD WITH CONFIDENCE."



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## Supplemental Sailing Activity

### CAMP III: 3RD AUGUST TO 16TH AUGUST

Whether a beginner or advanced, campers will have the opportunity to learn the theory of sailing and further develop their sailing skills on the idyllic Mondsee Lake for six afternoons, 3.5 hours per afternoon, over the course of two weeks.

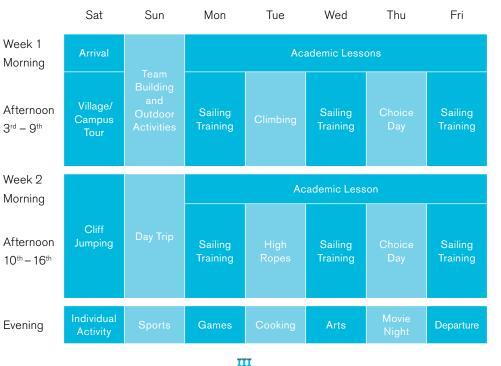
Campers will learn the basic knots, wind directions, how to sail in strong winds, what to do in light winds and how to prepare the boat for sailing. Campers conclude the camp with the Grundschein Exam, after the exam they will be able to sail the boat by themselves and instruct their co-sailors. The Grundschein is a basic sailing license whichs allows the students to rent sailing boats up to 14sqm on any lake worldwide. Advanced sailers can have the opportunity to study and train for the BFA Binnen exam.

When not on the water sailing, the campers join in with the rest of the outdoor activity/ camp programme.



## "SET SAIL FOR ADVENTURE, NAVIGATE WITH PURPOSE."





SAILING AND LANGUAGE CAMP

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## Additional English Lessons

### CAMP III: 3RD AUGUST TO 16TH AUGUST

#### **English Language**

Unlock your potential with our immersive English language camp! Participants will enjoy 15 hours of focused English tuition per week, with 3 hours of interactive classes every day. But that's not all— beyond the classroom, campers will dive into three fun-filled afternoons of activities designed to enhance their English skills. Whether it's through immersive language-based outings or expressing their creativity by producing short films, songs, plays or other exciting projects. The participants will build confidence in both speaking and writing in English—all whilst having fun and building lasting friendships.

Our students enjoy excellent classroom teaching by our passionate teachers in stateof-the-art classroom facilities. Class sizes will be small, allowing our students to benefit from more individual support. Learning is designed and delivered at each student's particular level and within a fun and active classroom environment. Students will also have the opportunity to develop their English in real world situations.

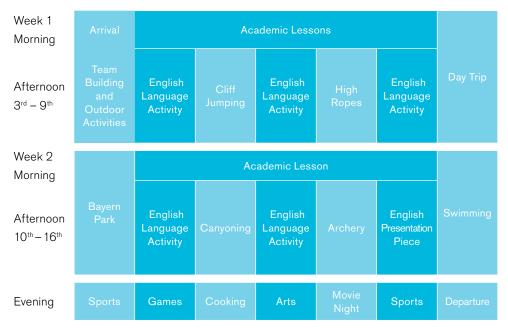
The course will conclude with presentation of an official language certificate and a detailed action plan for further improvement.

#### Activities

The academic programme will be enriched by a broad range of activities, taking advantage of the nearby lakes, surrounding mountains, and the cultural heritage of the region around Salzburg. Our backyard is one of the most beautiful natural sports arenas in the world! Amongst the opportunities available are hiking across the mountains, canoeing and kayaking, biking, and swimming both at water parks and in the lake.



#### Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat



# **1** Boarding and Pastoral Care

### A HOME FROM HOME

All Summer Campers will stay in one of our Boarding Houses. Houseparents and other boarding staff oversee the pastoral needs of the children in their care. We are a small camp with a maximum of 40 participants allowing staff and campers to really get to know each other and campers to feel cared for. Our caring, supportive, friendly environment helps campers to form lasting friendships that bring them back year after year.

Our charming student accommodation

St. Gilgen International School has three lovely boarding houses, which are former village hotels, each near the centre of the village. Our boarding houses are for all ages, thereby creating a family atmosphere and



a genuine home from home. All student

Boys and girls live on separate floors in the

with one other child of the same gender.

Summer Camp students enjoy a range of healthy menu options in our unique catering

and caterers. We serve Austrian cuisine

as well as a range of international dishes,

and all our meals are made from fresh local

ingredients. Salads, vegetables and fruit are

environment using excellent local restaurants

boarding house and each child shares a room

bedrooms are en-suite equipped.

Health and nutrition

freely available.





"OUR BOARDING HOUSES CREATE A FAMILY ATMOSPHERE THAT IS SAFE AND RELAXING."

**MORE INFORMATION** 



"AN IMPORTANT PART OF EDUCATION IS TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO TAKE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY."

## How to Apply

### APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### Application form

The number of places on the St. Gilgen International Summer Camps is limited. The application form and further information can



be found at **www.stgis. at/camps**, or please scan the QR. If you have any questions, get in touch by email at **camps@stgis.at**.

Fees include

Accommodation, linen and towels, all meals, language teaching, course materials, all excursions, sports, activities, entertainment and travel from and to Salzburg airport/train station on the arrival and departure days for campers travelling alone.

#### **Programme expectations**

In line with our St. Gilgen International School ethos we have high expectations of our Summer Camp students and in return Summer Camp participants experience excellence.

- Summer Camp participants should always act as Summer Camp ambassadors, with their behaviour reflecting this role.
- Summer Camp participants are expected to show tolerance and respect at all times.

- Any action which offends against common sense or good manners is a breach of Summer Camp expectations.
- Inappropriate contact between participants is not allowed.
- Summer Camp participants are not allowed to use or be in possession of illegal drugs, cigarettes or alcohol.

#### Code of conduct

All Summer Camp participants and their parents will be required to read, understand and sign a code of conduct policy when they register for Summer Camps 2025.

#### **Conditions of acceptance**

To make a booking you need to submit a completed application form and transfer the 500 Euro non-refundable, non-transferrable deposit immediately, with the full amount required at least one month before the start of the camps.

A confirmation email will be sent of the deposit being received, and another email with joining/arrival instructions including a packing list a few weeks before the start of the camp.

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FAQ

"WE WELCOME ALL LEVELS OF ABILITY, FROM BEGINNER TO BILINGUAL."

### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

#### 1. Where will my child sleep?

In our boarding houses. Houseparents live in the same accommodation and are on hand 24 hours a day. Boys and girls reside on separate floors of the boarding house.

#### 2. Is there a laundry service?

Students have full access to washing machines and staff are available to assist. However there are a limited number of washing machines, so where possible we encourage students to bring enough clothes for the 2 weeks

#### 3. What should my child bring?

A few weeks before the start of the camp, and once full payment has been received you will receive an email containing joining instructions from the Camp Coordinator. This will contain a packing list, pocket money guidance and suggestions of what your child should and should not bring, as well as any other information you may need to know.

#### 4. What happens outside class?

Children benefit from fully structured days from wake-up to lights out. Our experience shows that campers and parents prefer this schedule. Each day includes some free time so those who wish can spend quiet time in the house, call home, catch up with friends, or go in small groups to buy snacks in the village.

## 5. What is the camp's mobile phone and electronics policy?

While we allow campers to bring mobile phones to contact family, we have a strict usage policy to encourage social interactions and engagement in the outdoor activities. Phones are collected nightly at 21:30 and returned the next day after dinner around 19:00. If your child wishes to contact you outside these hours, they can do so from our office under staff supervision. Though this may seem daunting, we've found that limited phone access helps children engage better with the camp and each other, creating lasting memories.

## 6. How can I communicate with my child?

Before the start of the camp you will be emailed a contact number for the Summer Camp boarding team where you will always be able to reach a member of the house team who will be able to assist you if you need to urgently contact your child. However, due to the busy nature of the camp, the best time to reach your children is from 21:00- 21:30 every day.

#### 7. How will my child get to St. Gilgen?

You can make your own arrangements to get to the St. Gilgen International School Summer Camp, or we can arrange to meet your child at Salzburg airport or train station. Staff will be easily identifiable and this information will be included in the joining instructions. Staff collecting younger students travelling as unaccompanied minors may require a formal letter informing airport staff that they have permission to collect the student. Please check this with your airline and inform us accordingly.

#### 8. Will my child require a visa?

The responsibility for all visa arrangements (where required) rests solely with the parents of the child. We will provide supporting visa paperwork where necessary.

#### 9. Are all the activities safe?

We have qualified and professional instructors and teachers for all activities who are local and familiar with the area. Details of risk assessments for activities can be shared with parents upon request.

#### 10. Will my child always be supervised?

The village of St. Gilgen is extremely safe, so we allow campers limited unsupervised free time in small groups to buy snacks or souvenirs. They must inform us when and where they're going, who they're with, and their expected return time so we always know their whereabouts. During trips to Bayern Park and a shopping mall, campers must stay within set boundaries, remain in groups of three or more with a working phone and staff contact numbers saved. Regular check-in times with staff are established.

## **Our School**

### ENROLMENTS OPEN FOR 2025 | 2026

#### Our school

St. Gilgen International School is a coeducational boarding and day school for children between the ages of 9 and 18. The language of instruction is English.

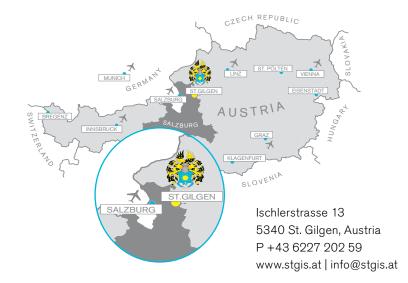
#### International education

Our school offers an international primary and middle school curriculum leading to the International Baccalaureate Diploma in the final two years. Academic expectations are steep, and high standards of conduct are required.

#### Our village campus

A unique feature of St. Gilgen International School is its idyllic setting and safe location in the stunning lakeside village of St. Gilgen on the shores of Wolfgangsee in the heart of Austria. The values of our school reflect the rich cultural heritage of our village.

Transportation links via the international airports in Salzburg, Munich and Vienna mean that access is straightforward from global destinations. In addition, Salzburg is served by an excellent European rail network.



MORE INFORMATION

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