

# CHCA Intersession 2018

May 21-31, 2018

Course Description for: *Ireland, London, & Paris*

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Course Type: **International**

Service Hours: **0**

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Maximum enrollment: **30**

Minimum enrollment: **25**

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Length of trip (if applicable): **10 days**

**9 nights**

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**Overview:** This course is a 10-day, 9-night trip in which students will experience culture through architecture, the arts, food, and world-famous landmarks during this once-in-a-lifetime European adventure through Dublin, London, and Paris.

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- Course Goals:**
- Students will see the world through the eyes of various cultures around the globe through theatre, literature, art, and architecture.
  - Students will read selected pieces by authors from both Ireland and England.
  - Students will reflect daily via writing journals and devotions.
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**Reading Component:** Various reading selections that may include folklore, poetry, and short stories.

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**Writing Component:** Daily journal entries and devotionals.

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### Tentative Schedule:

**Day 1:** Travel Day/Start Tour

**Day 2:** Hello Dublin!

- Meet the tour director and check into hotel
- Free time to sightsee

**Day 3:** Dublin Landmarks

- Dublin guided sightseeing tour: Phoenix Park, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Trinity College, Book of Kells visit
- Dublin city walk: O'Connell Street, Parnell Square, Henry Street
- Irish folklore evening
- Traditional public house dinner

**Day 4:** Dublin---North Wales

- Ferry to Holyhead across Irish Sea
- Travel to North Wales
- Snowdonia National Park

**Day 5:** North Wales----London

- Travel to London via Stratford & Oxford
- Lunch
- Anne Hathaway's cottage and Shakespeare's birthplace visit

**Day 6:** London Landmarks

- London guided sightseeing tour: Buckingham Palace, Big Ben, Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, Tower Bridge, Hyde Park, St. Paul's Cathedral
- Hard Rock Café London dinner

**Day 7:** London----Paris

- Eurostar Chunnel crossing
- Paris city walk: Ile de la Cite, Notre Dame Cathedral, Ile St. Loid, Latin Quarter
- Latin Quarter dinner

**Day 8:** Paris Landmarks

- Arc de Triomphe, Champs- Elysees, Eiffel Tower, Champ de Mars, Ecole Militaire, Les Invalides, Conciergerie, Tuileries, Place Vendome, Opera House
- Garden of Versailles
- Creperie dinner

**Day 9:** The art of Paris

- Louvre Visit
- Montmartre tour
- Seine River Cruise

**Day 10:** Travel Back to Cincinnati ☺

**Additions may include:** play at The Globe Theatre or Stratford, various castle sightings, Shakespeare & Company Bookstore and more.

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**This course is well suited to:** Students who enjoy traveling and experiencing new cultures with a mature and positive attitude.

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**Cost:** \$ 3,500-\$3,600  
Included in price: round-trip airfare, all transportation (bus, train), sightseeing tours, site visits, all hotels with private bathrooms, breakfast and dinner daily, and full-time tour director.

**Additional costs:** Money for lunch/snacks, money for souvenirs.

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**Other Information:**

Please note: this trip will leave on May 19 and return on May 28.

International travel - Students will need a passport for International travel. Passports cannot expire before November 30, 2018.

Please Note: International students may be limited in their ability to travel outside the United States. International students may only participate in international travel that does not require a special Visa. You must have approval from the International Student Program before signing up for an international trip to confirm whether you are permitted to enter a foreign country without an additional Visa.

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