

# LANGUAGE CAMPS



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Learn languages and enjoy your holiday – that’s what our language camps on Lake Constance offer. The Carl Duisberg Centers combine language instruction with exciting leisure activities to provide you with a varied holiday program.

In the language camps with a focus on Urban Dance, Football, or Activity Camp, participants learn English or German in the morning and get moving in the afternoon when they enjoy sports and other activities.

After language lessons in the morning, the summer camps become international! All the kids from the German and English camps come together for the recreational program, which lends our summer camps a unique international flair.

Our experienced teachers and counselors interact with the kids as much as possible in the target language. This gives the children the opportunity to directly apply and expand their newly acquired language skills. Thanks to the vibrant and varied camp life, the kids also have the chance to improve social skills and develop team spirit while working and playing together.

### Language instruction

From Monday through Friday, the children receive German or English lessons tailored to their current level in groups of no more than 15. The children should have studied the target language for at least one year in school or have reached the A1 level. Our lessons focus on having fun with the language and seek to give the children the confidence to actively use the foreign language. Our experienced teachers show the kids how fun learning a language can be and there’s never a dull moment. We use modern, age-appropriate teaching materials and methods.

The language skills learned in the morning are directly applied in the afternoon in a casual, infor-

mal atmosphere. In addition to improving their language skills, the participants will also expand their intercultural competence.

Before the start of camp, we kindly ask the kids to complete a short (online) placement test. On the last day of camp, all the children will receive a certificate of participation.

### Meals and accommodation

The camps take place at the youth education center in Ludwigshafen on Lake Constance. The center’s charming building with its large garden offers numerous recreational activities and is just a stone’s throw away from Lake Constance. The train station is also in the immediate vicinity, which means that the participants and their counselors can easily tour the surrounding area. The boys and girls are housed separately in multi-bed dormitories. Bed linen is provided. The counselors are available to assist the children around the clock and accompany them to all activities. The youth center has its own football field as well as a volleyball court. Should the weather be less than ideal, the center has a ping pong table and table football indoors. Sitting cozy in front of the wood-burning fireplace, you can enjoy a glorious view of Lake Constance. As a rule, all meals will be eaten at the youth center. The children start the day with a hearty breakfast and enjoy a freshly cooked warm meal for lunch after class. After the afternoon activities, the children return to the youth center to eat. As a rule, the evening program takes place in and around the youth center. For children who attend our language camp for two or more weeks, we offer half board on weekends.

### Recreational program

The activity program (Activity Camp, Football or Urban Dance) is suitable for beginners as well as budding professionals in each sport. After dinner, the participants can still enjoy activities near the camp accommodations. For children who book two or more weeks, we offer a full-day excursion on Saturdays. Depending on the weather, we will adjust the afternoon activity for the football camp if necessary.

### Daily Routine

The daily routine for all camp participants of the Activity, Football and Urban Dance Camp are the same. Only the leisure program in the afternoon differs depending on the language camp booked. In the evening, everyone meets again and enjoys an evening activity together.

TIME	ACTIVITY
7.45 am	Get up
8.15–9.15 am	Breakfast
9.30–11 am	Language Training
11.00–11.15 am	Break
11:15–12:45 am	Language Training
12.45–1.45 pm	Lunch
2.30–5.30 pm	Leisure Activity depending on the language camp
6.30–7.30 pm	Dinner
8.00–9.30 pm	Leisure Activities
10.00 pm	Lights off!



## THREE CHOICES

### ACTIVITY CAMP



Rain or shine – you'll have lots of fun with our exciting recreational activities. All activities are prepared with careful attention to the children's needs, and of course the counselors are always on hand. Our staff put together a highly varied program, for instance a slackline course, zip lining, dragon boats, raft building, Viking chess, or a visit to the ruins of a fortress. And if the weather's bad – no problem: the kids can enjoy an afternoon movie (of course in the language being studied) and we've got a range of other fun and exciting indoor activities. Every afternoon you can look forward to another exiting activity that you can lose yourself in for two to four hours!



*I had a whole lot of fun in the Activity Camp. Everybody was really nice: the other kids, the counselors, and the trainers. The morning lessons went by really fast, and the activities started around noon. Canoeing on Lake Constance was a blast! I hope I see the girls I met this year next year.*

– Juliana, 14

### FOOTBALL CAMP



Football training with experienced coaches is held every afternoon for 90 minutes at the club FC 03 Radolfzell's unique facilities on Mettnau Peninsula. The techniques are taught and conveyed using an extremely practically oriented methodology. Whether beginning or advanced players – the training plan includes not only the basics of ball control but also passing, dribbling and, of course, shooting goals. In addition, you'll receive a complete Carl Duisberg football uniform including jersey, shorts, and socks. That way, everyone can immediately see you belong to a great team! The club FC 03 Radolfzell is especially well known for its youth outreach in the Lake Constance region. Since 2010, the club has been an official cooperation partner of the Bundesliga club FC Freiburg.



*I was in the Activity and Football Camps in Radolfzell, and I had a lot of fun in both camps! It's the perfect place if you want to meet people from different countries. I learned English in the mornings at school and continued learning in the afternoons with our English-speaking counselors and other kids almost without trying.*

– Emil, 12

### URBAN DANCE CAMP



Our Urban Dance Camp is ideal for everyone who loves to dance, wants to improve their skills, and learn new moves. The emphasis is on having fun with music, movement, and rhythm.

You will learn various basic steps and work together to develop short choreographies in several different styles – from classical and modern to contemporary and hip-hop. From Monday to Friday, you'll have 120 minutes of dance training with our professional dance instructor, who will not only open your eyes to the world of dance but will also inspire you to find and develop your own unique personal style. The group dance projects will transform you into a fantastic dance crew!



*We really enjoyed the dance training. Dancing was fantastic, and the performance on the last evening was a lot of fun. It was the same in our English lessons, we played a lot of games and didn't do so much grammar. The only thing that was kind of a drag was getting up early. We made new friends that we're still in contact with.*

– Sophia and Antonia, 14



## INFORMATION AND SERVICES

**Age:** 11–14

**Prerequisite:** min. 1 school year of English/German level A1 (CEF)

**Duration:** min. 1 week

**Arrival:** Sunday before the start of course, 4–5 p.m.

**Departure:** Saturday after the end of course, 10–11 a.m.

**Number of participants:** mornings max. 15 per class, afternoons max. 20 depending on the camp chosen

### SERVICES INCLUDED

- English instruction, placement test, teaching materials, and certificate of participation
- Group lodging with full board on course days and half board on weekends
- Recreational program (incl. admission fees)
- Pass for public transportation
- Round-the-clock supervision and emergency telephone

### SERVICES NOT INCLUDED

- Transfer from airport/rail station
- Health, accident, and liability insurance

## DATES & PRICES

### SUMMER HOLIDAY

**German and English (1–4 weeks)**

### URBAN DANCE, FOOTBALL OR ACTIVITY CAMP

- 28.07.2024–24.08.2024
- 1 camp week: 790 €
- 2 camp weeks: 1.610 € (Saturday excursion included)
- 3 camp weeks: 2.430 € (Saturday excursion included)
- 4 camp weeks: 3.250 € (Saturday excursion included)
- Camp without lodging: € 620

### TRANSFER one way, per person

- Zurich, Switzerland to camp lodging 200 €
- Radolfzell Rail Station to camp lodging 50 €

### HEALTH, ACCIDENT, LIABILITY INSURANCE

- Available upon request
- Only for international participants

### COURIER COSTS

- Sending documents and records via courier 70 €

