

Summer School Programme

The School of Archaeology, Classics and Egyptology (SACE) is pleased to announce its Summer School Programme for 2010. This year, summer school courses will be available in two subject areas: Classics and Egyptology.

Classics Summer School (Latin and Greek Language)

The Classics summer school will provide participants with the opportunity to immerse themselves in the language of their choice (Greek or Latin). The summer school will be run over two weeks: the first week's teaching will be at Beginner level, and the second week at Intermediate level. Attendees who are new to Classics may wish to take advantage of both weeks to establish a firm grounding in the language, while those with some linguistic experience can consolidate their skills by attending the second week of the course. These intensive programmes are open to anyone (aged 14+) wishing to improve their knowledge of the ancient languages, but would be particularly useful in providing prospective Undergraduates and Postgraduates with valuable experience and a head-start in Latin or Greek ahead of their studies. The courses will be taught by experts in the Latin/Greek languages.

Egyptology Summer School

The Egyptology Summer School will comprise two parts, focussing on the language and culture of ancient Egypt, with particular emphasis on Ramesside Egypt. In the first week, participants will learn about the art, history and religion under the rule of the Ramesses Pharaohs through a series of lectures and interactive seminars. The second week's teaching will be language based: the course will introduce the hieroglyphic script and the ancient Egyptian language at Beginner level and will allow participants to read from a fascinating selection of ancient Egyptian funerary texts. Participants are welcome to sign up for either or both parts of the course. The Summer School will be taught throughout by expert scholars at the cutting edge of research on Ramesside Egypt.

Both the Classics and the Egyptology SACE Summer School programmes are available as a one week course (inc. 3 days tuition, 2 days private study time or optional excursions/themed lectures & activities) or an extended two week course (inc. 6 days tuition, 4 days private study or optional excursions/themed lectures & activities). Full residential facilities, including accommodation, meals and refreshments are also available on request (students must be aged 17 or over).

We are also offering a range of themed lectures and cultural activities including a chance to visit the region's best collection of neo-classical art, the Lady Lever Gallery in Port Sunlight, and an artefact handling session in the Garstang Archaeology museum. All excursions and activities are included free of charge for residential students whilst non-residential students are warmly invited to attend for a small surcharge per event (details below).

Prices

Classics Summer School:

- 1 week language tuition course in Greek or Latin (non-residential): £165
- 2 week language tuition course in Greek or Latin (non-residential): £295
- 1 week language tuition course in Greek or Latin (residential): £425
- 2 week language tuition course in Greek or Latin (residential): £895

Egyptology Summer School:

- 1 week course: either 'Culture of Ramessid Egypt' or Egyptian language (non-residential): £165
- 2 week course (both culture and language weeks, non-residential): £295
- 1 week course: either 'Culture of Ramessid Egypt' or Egyptian language (residential): £425
- 2 week course (both culture and language weeks, residential): £895

Participants are welcome to combine the two summer schools (e.g. one week Egyptology, one week Classics), in which case the cost will be as the '2 week' price. Please state your preferences clearly on the form.

Excursions

- Guided tour of St James' Gardens, Anglican Cathedral and Oratory (27th July): £15
- Classical/Egyptian Archaeology day inc. artefact handling session (29th July): £15
- Lady Lever excursion & guided tour by Tate Liverpool (3rd August): £15
- Guided tour of Liverpool's World Museum (5th August): £15

*Please note that the excursion price does not include lunch. Although unlikely, the trips may be subject to change nearer the time.

*Bursaries for this summer school may be available to those with financial difficulties. Please contact the organisers for further information, and include a statement outlining your circumstances.

How to apply

Please fill in and return an application form; these are available for download at www.liv.ac.uk/sace/schools/index.htm. If you have any questions, please contact the organisers (details below).

For Facebook users, up-to-date information on the Summer School can be found by following our Facebook page (search under 'University of Liverpool SACE Ancient Worlds Summer School 2010').

Applications should be received by June 2nd 2010 to ensure a place. Applications received after this date will be subject to a £10 administration fee.

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