



"My time at Raffles American School Camp was unforgettable! I came to improve my English, but I left with so much more, new friends from around the world, amazing teachers who really cared, and the confidence to speak and share my ideas in English every day. The classes were fun and interactive, and the activities like sports, music, and trips to LEGOLAND made every day exciting.

After experiencing what it's like to learn here, I didn't want it to end. That's why I decided to enroll in the full-time program at Raffles American School. It's not just a camp, it's a place where you can grow, dream big, and succeed."

- Former Camp Student, now Full-time Raffles American School Student, Jayden, Grade 9

# WELCOME TO Raffles American School

Nestled amid the verdant undulating hills in the burgeoning city of Iskandar, Malaysia, the brand new Raffles American School campus welcomes students from pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. Spanning an expansive 46 acres, our institution provides a holistic learning environment seamlessly integrated into its picturesque surroundings. Capitalizing on the natural slope of the site, the campus is ingeniously structured into three distinct "terraces," with each terrace dedicated to a cluster of grade levels. Our cutting-edge facilities include student-centered classrooms, laboratories, art studios, a state-of-the-art performing arts center, an expansive library, and dedicated student housing.

In a nod to global cultural experiences, Raffles American School proudly features a custom-designed planetarium on campus. While others may travel to iconic destinations like New York City to marvel at the planetarium in the National History Museum, our students have this incredible resource at their fingertips. At Raffles American School, we believe in providing an environment where your child can Think, Create, and ultimately Succeed, empowered by our commitment to state-of-the-art facilities and innovative learning spaces.



# EXPERIENCE THE RAFFLES AMERICAN SCHOOL'S CAMP IN MALAYSIA

Embark on a transformative journey with Raffles American School, the premier boarding school in Malaysia, where excellence meets education

Experience the highest standard of education with our team of internationally trained and accredited teachers. Our immersive camp is designed to allow students to delve into the Raffles American School ethos and offers an intensive English language program tailored to enhance their current English proficiency for both beginner and fluent students. Class sizes are deliberately kept small to ensure personalized attention, accommodating approximately 20 students per class.

# Beyond the Classroom: Enriching Extracurriculars & Boarding Program

Dive into a holistic learning experience as students engage in a variety of extracurricular activities, including sports, music, technology, science, and the arts, expanding their horizons beyond academics. Exceptional boarding facilities for those opting for the full-boarding experience, our state-of-the-art facilities offer a nurturing environment on campus. Evenings and weekends are brimming with planned activities to enrich the lives of boarding students. Our dedicated and professional boarding staff ensures that every student receives the care they deserve. Please note that boarding is exclusively available for students aged 8 and above.



#### **Nutritionally Balanced Living**

Savor the convenience of on-campus living with all meals and snacks prepared by our skilled school chefs. We prioritize fresh, nutritious foods to maintain a well-balanced diet. Join us at Raffles American School for an educational experience that goes beyond the ordinary, fostering growth and excellence in every aspect of a student's life.

"I like Raffles American School because I have met new people that are very nice from all around the world and you can become good friend with them. I also love the school projects. The projects are really varied and super fun and make me think a lot."

- Ethan, 5th Grade

# MEET OUR LEADERSHIP



Ian Nenke
Camp Director

lan is a dedicated leader with over 20 years of experience in management, communications, and business development. As Head of Business Development and Camps at Raffles American School, he is passionate about innovation, building strong relationships, and creating impactful educational experiences for students.



**Malan Grobler**Deputy Camp Director

Malan oversees the camp faculty and curriculum.
An experienced educator in English, Math, and Computer Science, he integrates technology into learning, fosters critical thinking, and engages students with interactive lessons.



Jay Wu General Manager

Jay, an experienced educator with over 12 years in international education, has helped grow camp operations by recruiting more than 2,500 students. His expertise drives innovation and elevates the standard of camp programs.



Celeste Lee Ler Yi
Assistant Director (Admission)

Celeste has over three years of experience in camp administration. She oversees admissions, ensuring a smooth process while creating a welcoming and engaging camp experience for students and families



Corben Stubbs
Sport & Boarding Coordinator

Corben, former Head Coach at Waterkloof House Preparatory School, brings a wealth of experience in sports education. Dedicated to nurturing young talent, he is passionate about helping students grow both on and off the field through discipline, teamwork, and personal development.

# **Curriculum Overview**

#### **Raffles American School Summer Camp**

Boost your English skills in a fun, immersive environment! Our three-level program (Basic, Intermediate, Advanced) builds confidence in communication, expression, and critical thinking.

#### **Highlights:**

100% English Immersion – Learn in an all-English environment.

Interactive Learning – Role-play, group discussions, and real-world scenarios.

Expert Instructors – Native English speakers focused on fluency and pronunciation.

Weekend Adventures – Exciting trips to LEGOLAND, cultural sites, and more.

Small Classes – Personalized attention and maximum participation.

# Level 0 (Beginner)

**English Foundations** 

#### **Objective**

Introduce students to the basics of English, focusing on building a strong foundation in pronunciation, vocabulary, and simple everyday interactions while fostering a love for learning the language.

#### **Key Components:**

#### Basic Greetings & Politeness:

Master essential phrases like "Hello," "Goodbye," "Please," and "Thank you.

#### Simple Self-Introduction:

Learn to introduce oneself by name and age.

#### Everyday Vocabulary:

Build a foundation with common words (e.g,colors, numbers, animals, fruits).

#### Listening Skills:

Develop early listening comprehension through simple English songs and short stories.

#### **Class Activities:**

#### Flashcard Matching:

Pairing words with images to reinforce vocabulary.

#### Role-Playing: Greetings & Introductions:

Practice basic conversations in a supportive environment.

#### Storytime Listening:

Engaging with simple English stories to build listening skills.

#### **Expected Outcome:**

- Use basic greetings and politeness phrases.
- Introduce themselves using simple sentences
- Understand and use basic everyday vocabulary
- Develop enthusiasm for English, setting the stage for further learning.

# Level 1 (Basic)

Communication Skills Training

## **Objective**

Develop fundamental English conversation skills, build confidence in real-life interactions, and improve fluency in everyday situations.

#### **Key Components:**

#### Situational Speaking Practice:

Ordering food, shopping, asking for directions, and school interactions.

#### Common Everyday Topics:

Self-introduction, hobbies, travel, and school life.

#### Interactive Speaking Exercises:

Pair discussions, role-playing, and Q&A practice.

#### Pronunciation & Intonation Training:

Correcting common errors and improving clarity.

#### **Class Activities:**

- Role-playing exercises.
- Q&A practice games.
- · Basic storytelling activities.

#### **Expected Outcome:**

By the end of the course, students will confidently engage in basic conversations and handle everyday communication effectively

# **Level 2 (Intermediate)**

Communication Skills Training

#### **Objective**

Develop structured speaking skills, enabling students to describe, explain, and express opinions clearly and logically.

#### **Key Components:**

#### Descriptive Speaking:

Talking about people, places, and experiences.

#### Opinion-Based Responses:

Explaining preferences and justifying choices.

#### Sentence Expansion Techniques:

Using "5W1H" (Who, What, When, Where, Why, How) to enhance responses.

#### Logical Connectors & Transitions:

Introducing structured speech with phrases like "Firstly, In addition, To conclude."

#### **Class Activities:**

#### Flashcard Matching:

Pairing words with images to reinforce vocabulary.

#### Role-Playing: Greetings & Introductions:

Practice basic conversations in a supportive environment.

#### Storytime Listening:

Engaging with simple English stories to build.

#### **Expected Outcome:**

Students will be able to construct full sentences, expand their responses, and articulate their thoughts in an organized and engaging manner.

# Level 3 (Advanced)

Critical Thinking & Debate

#### **Objective**

Develop fundamental English conversation and critical thinking and debating skills, build confidence in real-life interactions, and improve fluency in everyday situations.

#### **Key Components:**

#### Complex Topics:

Social issues, technology, education.

#### Argument Building:

Reasoning, examples, counterpoints.

#### Persuasive Speaking:

Advanced vocabulary and structure.

#### Debate Skills:

Logical argumentation and rebuttals.

#### **Class Activities:**

#### Mini Debates:

Critical thinking, persuasive speaking & teamwork.

#### Panel Discussions:

collaborative dialogue, topic exploration & analytical listening.

#### Public Speaking:

confidence building, clear communication & audience engagement.

#### **Expected Outcome:**

By the end of the course, students will confidently engage in basic conversations and handle everyday communication effectively with the confidence to enroll into the Raffles American School mainstream.



# MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9:00am - 12:30pm | Classes (including Snack break)

12:30pm - 1:30pm | Lunch

1:30pm - 5:00pm | Classes (including Snack break)

#### **BOARDING**

6:15pm | Dinner

7:00pm | Boarding Activities (English Games, Sporting Competitions, and Arts and Crafts)

10:00pm | Bedtime

# **WEEKENDS (ONLY BOARDING)**

Saturday | Free time, Minute to Win It Movies Sunday | Excursion (Legoland)

Boarding Students' Check-in Time: 3.30 pm - 5.30 pm on Sunday before the start of camp Boarding Students' Check-out Time: Friday after the closing ceremony

Please take note of the arrival and departure times of your flights.

<sup>\*</sup>Classes include English, Art, Sports, and Performing Arts

<sup>\*</sup>All activities and times are subject to change



#### **EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT:**

Applications submitted with 100% of the camp fee paid before **December 8, 2025 (for Camp 1)**, **December 22, 2025 (Camp 2)** and **January 5, 2026 (Camp 3)** will be entitled to a 1,000 MYR discount on camp fees.

#### **FOUR-WEEK DISCOUNT:**

Students who apply for 4 weeks of camp will be eligible for a 5% discount off their camp fee.

#### **SIBLING DISCOUNT:**

After the first child, each additional sibling receives a 5% discount on any camp they attend.

TIMELINE	COST	INCLUSION
2 Week Camp (No Boarding)	8,400 MYR	Includes camp t-shirts and lunch as well as extra-curricular activities. Does not include weekend activities.
2 Week Camp with Boarding	10,000 MYR	Camp with boarding includes all meals, camp t-shirts, extracurricular activities, and weekend excursions as per the schedule. Laundry services are also included.



#### **Airport Transport:**

Please contact your agent or representative for private airport transfers from Senai and Changi Airport. It is advisable to arrive via Senai, as the airport is only 25-30 minutes from Raffles American School and does not require a second border crossing.

## **Daily Transport:**

Daily transportation services for students will be provided to Fraser Place Puteri Harbor, Somerset Medini, Elysia Suites, The M Macrolink, Starbucks Danga Bay, The R&F Mall bus stop, and the Forest City Marina Hotel. Regrettably, we are unable to accommodate special transportation requests. Your understanding and cooperation are appreciated.

#### **LEGOLAND:**

Each student is entitled to 1 (one) Legoland Theme Park Day Ticket. Transport and supervision will need to be arranged for day students by their parents or guardians. Raffles American School will only be providing transport and supervision to boarding students for this excursion.

## **Pre-camp Assessment:**

English-level tests will be taken online before the camp starts. Parents will be sent a link to the assessment once their application has been sent.



# **Application Process**

- 1. Fill in the **Online registration** form.
- 2. Complete the Pre-Camp English Assessment (you will be sent a link).
- 3. Early Bird Discount: Pay 100% to secure the promotion and class seat for your child before **December 8, 2025** (See discounts guidelines on page 9).
- 4. Final Payment Deadline: **January 12**, **2026**. (Late applications may be accepted depending on availability, see discounts guidelines on page 9 for more details)
- 5. Send receipt to finance@rafflesamericanschool.org.
- 6. Fill out the Transport Form (A link will be sent to your email once the Online Registration has been submitted)
- 7. Purchase travel insurance for your child and send the insurance documents to camp@rafflesamericanschool.org.

Banking details as below:

#### MAYBANK

Beneciary : Raffles K12 Sdn. Bhd.
Bank : Malayan Bank Berhad
Bank Address : 15, Jalan Nusa Bestari 1/5,
Taman Nusa Bestari,

81300 Skudai, Johor, Malaysia

Account No : 5015 4313 9458 Swift Code : MBBEMYKL Currency : MYR Paying with an Overseas account or credit

#### **FLYWIRE**

Visit the link rasmalaysia.flywire.com to pay

NOTE: Payment made from overseas, via Flywire, will ensure that exact Ringgit Malaysia (RM) amount is received by the school



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