

Leeds Language College Ltd

Homestay Accommodation - Advice for students

Subject to availability and on request, Leeds Language College can call upon the services of a vetted panel of English-speaking families who provide “Homestay” accommodation to students in their first weeks in the U.K.

“Homestay” accommodation offers the opportunity to speak English outside College hours. (To that end, students with the same first language will only be placed in the same home if they expressly agree it first.) Students live as members of a family whose first language is English. They take meals with the family (unless self-catering is specified) and are encouraged to join them in their reception rooms.

It should be noted that the homes selected may be busy places at times and not as comfortable as students’ own homes. Students may not have their own bathrooms and there may be no internet connection.

All homes are accessible by public transport from the College and offer a standard of bedroom/study accommodation in line with British Council specifications.

“Homestay” accommodation is subject to availability so students are advised to make their requirements known as early as possible to secure suitable accommodation and avoid disappointment.

Payment

Payment terms are set out in College terms and conditions under “Homestay Accommodation”.

Please, note:-

- 1 There is a £80 search fee for each search for accommodation made by the College.
- 2 The minimum stay is 1 week.
- 3 Accommodation fees must be paid in full to the College 2 weeks before students’ time of arrival at the College.
- 4 Cancellations must be for periods of complete weeks, 1 week’s notice is required and charges apply. (See terms)

Please, note also that initial booking payments must be made direct to the College. Subsequently, students and hosts make their own arrangements for any further periods of accommodation.

Reception

Our administration team, are in regular contact with host families. Please, contact them during office hours if you require information or assistance of any kind. Also, students are expected to give feedback on their accommodation during their stay.