

ACS
INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL
EGHAM

ACS EGHAM WELCOME GUIDE

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Important Contact Details

EMERGENCY (POLICE, FIRE, AMBULANCE)	**999**
Urgent Medical Enquiry	111
To report crime or other police concerns that do not require an emergency response	101
ACS International School Egham Woodlee, London Road, Egham TW20 0HS	01784 430800

www.acs-schools.com/egham

A Welcome from Mark Wilson, Head of School

Welcome to ACS International School Egham.

At ACS Egham we pride ourselves on being a community for the entire family. You are joining a vibrant community full of passionate, caring and supportive people who all work in unity to create a dynamic, and memorable learning experience.



We are here to support you in each step of your journey, whether you are arriving from within the United Kingdom or joining us from overseas. As an international school we use all our experience to help new families settle into the school and the local area.

The purpose of this book is to be a resource for families who are new to the school and possibly the area. It is not a comprehensive list of all the opportunities and attractions but we hope it will point in the right direction and help you enjoy many of the wonderful things this location offers.

As Head of School, I feel privileged to be part of a vibrant, welcoming community of dedicated staff, inspiring young people, and engaged families. Together, we are preparing the world's future thinkers and doers – young people ready to imagine and shape a better world.

We look forward to welcoming you to ACS Egham and sharing this exciting journey with your family.

Warm regards,

Mark Wilson

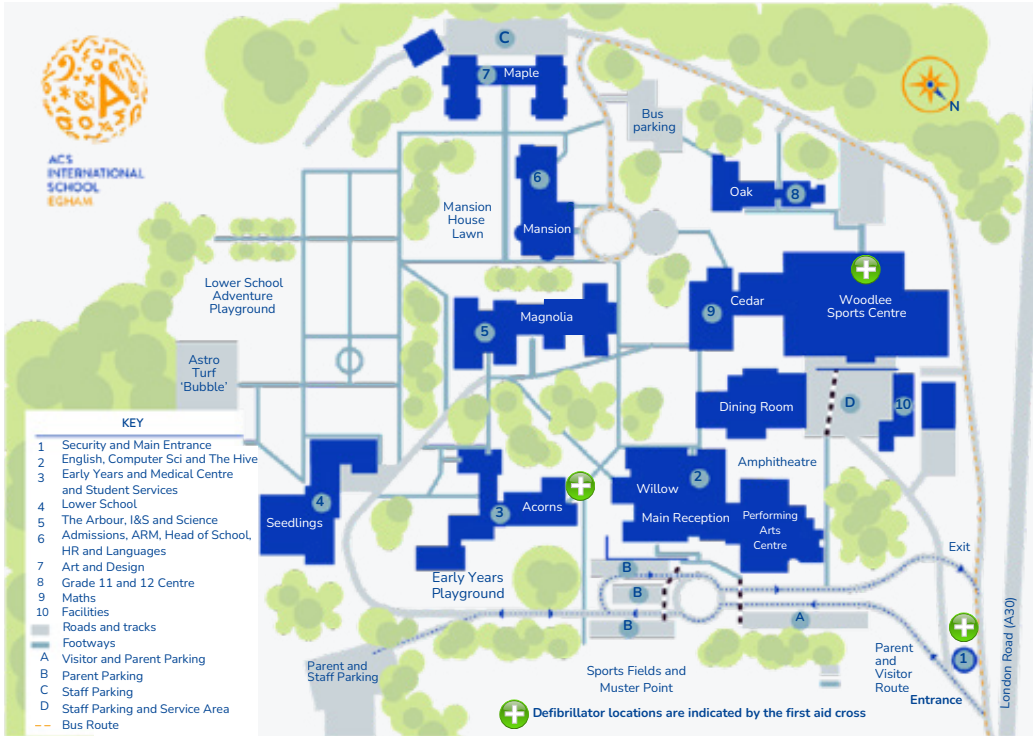
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Welcome to Your New Community

We're delighted to welcome you to ACS Egham and to the UK. This guide is designed to support you and your family as you settle into life here, whether you're relocating from overseas or moving locally. Inside, you'll find practical information to help ease your transition – from navigating our education system and understanding daily life in the UK, to discovering the local area around our school, including shops, services, and leisure activities. You'll also find a brief introduction to ACS Egham itself, school values, and community spirit. Our aim is to help you feel informed, confident, and connected from day one – because at ACS Egham, you're not just joining a school, you're becoming part of a vibrant international community.

Full detailed onboarding information regarding your child and the school can be found at this link Onboarding.

Important ACS Egham Contacts

Main Switchboard (Monday-Friday)	01784 430800

Head of School

Mark Wilson	mwilson4@acs-schools.com

Head of School's PA

Nicky Breslin	nbreslin@acs-schools.com

Key staff list: Key Staff and Their Contact Details

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What to do first . . . for newcomers to the UK

1. Find your closest hospital with an A&E (Accident & Emergency/Emergency Room) by entering your postcode at: Find nearest emergency hospital

2. Register with your local GP (General Practitioner). Find your nearest NHS physicians at Find a GP

3. Get a UK mobile phone number.

4. Schedule appointments for telephone, internet, gas, electricity and water services, as well as getting a TV Licence.

5. Purchase car insurance and get information about driving in the UK Driving in GB with non-GB licence. For insurance there are comparison websites, such as: Compare the Market / Confused Go Compare / Money Saving Expert

What to do first . . . for school

1. **ACCESS THE ONLINE INFORMATION SYSTEM**
   Once you have enrolled and paid your fees, the Admissions Office will provide your Forms username and password. Your child will be registered in Powerschool, our online education technology platform, and gain access to Toddle, our learning management system. Parents will get information about access to Powerschool and Toddle from your child's school division. You can view information such as grade reports to follow academic progress as well as important information about ACS Egham.

2. **PURCHASE PE (PHYSICAL EDUCATION) UNIFORM AND KIT**
   Each school division (Lower School, Upper School) will provide this information in the online summer mailing.

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3. ACTIVATE SCHOOL LUNCH ACCOUNT
After your child is enrolled, you should receive a Parent Pay account activation email from finance@acs-schools.com. Follow the instructions on the email to set up the account and add credit to your child's catering account. If you have any queries or do not receive your account activation email, please contact finance@acs-schools.com

4. CHECK THE ACS EGHAM CAMPUS CALENDAR OF EVENTS ON TODDLE

Transportation

WHAT TYPES OF BUS TRANSPORTATION ARE THERE?
ACS Egham operates a student door-to-door and shuttle service, which picks up your child/children from either outside your house or a dedicated shuttle stop in the morning and drops off again after leaving the school at 3:40pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, and 2:55pm on Wednesdays. This door-to-door service is available for all students from Pre-K upwards. There are also Shuttle Services, which pick up from various Pick Up Points (PUPS) in the morning and drop off after school. The Shuttle Service is available from Grade 1.

LATE BUS: HOW, WHERE, WHEN, ROUTE, AND DOES IT COST MONEY?
The Late Bus Service is a pre-booked service that drops students off at various drop-off points. Please note, the late bus is not door-to-door. These buses will depart ACS at 5:30pm every school day (except on Wednesday which is at 5pm). This service is offered to Grades 1-12, with restrictions. A list of destinations can be obtained from the Transportation Office. Further information can be found here.

HOW DOES DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP BY PARENTS WORK?
We operate a rolling drop off system in the mornings and a rolling pick up in the afternoons. For families who would like to walk their children into the Lower School, parking is available.

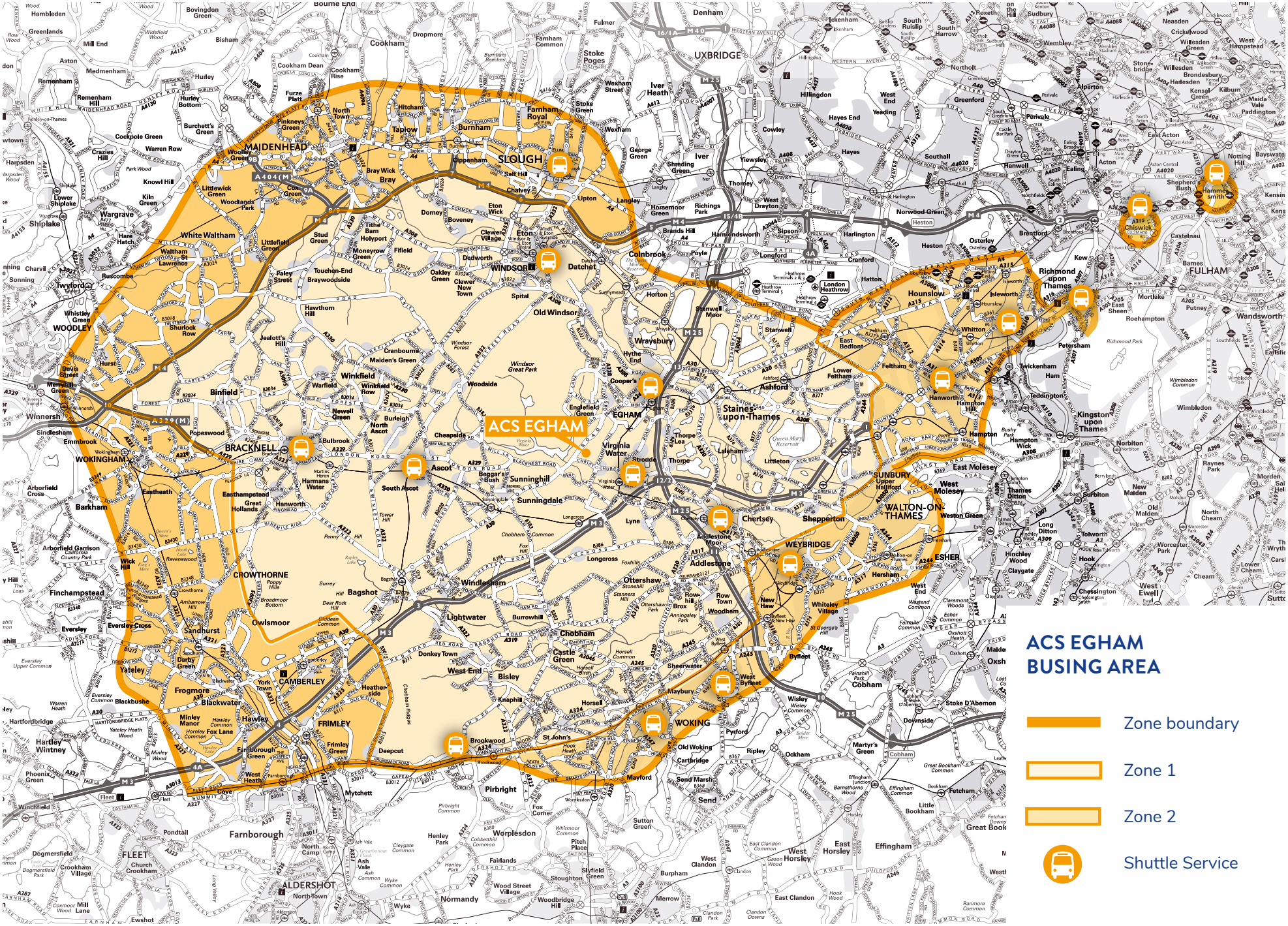
ACS EGHAM BUSING ROUTE
The orange shading, on page 14's map, shows the area the bus service covers.

Other

WHERE IS THE NURSE?
The nurses' office (Medical Centre) is located on the ground floor of the Acorns (Early Years). It can be found by going past the main reception building towards the Early Years building.

DO THE STUDENTS HAVE A DRESS CODE?
There is no specific dress code at ACS Egham, but guidelines for appropriate clothing are published in the various divisional handbooks.

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ACS EGHAM
ACS EGHAM BUSING AREA
Zone boundary
Zone 1
Zone 2
Shuttle Service

After-School Activities

AFTER SCHOOL: WHAT IS AVAILABLE?

Our after-school activities, clubs and sports are known as Co-Curricular Activities (CCA). We offer an extensive range of CCA's, to allow students to extend their school day, including competitive sports, drama and music. Families can sign up to CCA's via our online platform PowerSchool.

In addition, the Upper School Library in Magnolia is open after school until 17.30.

HOW DO I FIND OUT ABOUT THE 'HOME LANGUAGE ENRICHMENT' (HLE) PROGRAMME?

The HLE programme is offered as a free language enrichment programme for native speakers or students who have become reasonably fluent in the language of a country their parents have been posted to. It is also available to internationally adopted children who have been studying the language of their birth. Please find more detailed information on Toddle or contact HLE Coordinator (v.bouvet@acs-schools.com).

ACS EGHAM DICTIONARY

Word	Explanation
Assistant Principals	Responsible for planning, delivery and ongoing improvement of curriculum, assessment and instructional practices within the school.
Alumni	Students who have previously attended ACS Egham.
Artist-in-Residence	Programme bringing artists and other professionals to ACS Egham to work with students, parents or teachers.
Assembly	Grade-level or whole school division meetings for sharing information, performances, academic activities or presenting awards, which parents may be invited to attend.
Bank Holiday	No school; banks, post offices and some local shops will be closed.
Boo't to Boo't	Halloween fun event for the whole family. Kids 'trick-or-treat' from the car boot/trunk in the school car park.
Buddy	Current ACS student who is paired with a new student to help them settle in at school.
Cafeteria	Dining hall for students and staff.
Campus	All of the school's grounds (fenced in) with a dedicated security team.
Creative Active Service (CAS)	As part of the IB Diploma, students must complete a programme of minimum 180 hours total over Grades 11 and 12 in sports, charity work, etc.
Chaperone	An adult (staff, parent) supervising field trips, parties, dances, etc.
Coffee Morning	An informational meeting with refreshments for parents.
College Workshop	Upper School informational meetings for parents and students regarding preparation for university.
Counsellor	One in each division (Lower School, Upper School) to provide primarily social and emotional support for students, as well as advice for parents when needed. In Grade 9 – Grade 12 there are also 'college counsellors' who provide guidance for students with the university application process.

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Country Rep	A parent representing their country.
Credit	In Upper School a course that meets daily during the school year is worth one credit towards Upper School graduation requirements.
Disaster Relief Fund (DRF)	School-wide charity committee with student, staff and parent members. Organises fundraising and immediate support to international aid organisations when disasters occur around the world. Informs and educates ACS Egham community as part of our role as global citizens to help those in need.
Division/Divisional	There are two divisions across the school, Lower School and Upper School. Each has a divisional office.
Dress Code	Each division in the school provides guidance for how students are expected to dress at school.
Early Childhood (EC)	Within the Lower School, Pre-K and Kindergarten.
English as an Additional Language (EAL)	Extra English language support for students with limited English ability.
End of Year Staff Appreciation	Parents sponsor an event with refreshments to show appreciation for school staff, organised by Parent Community.
Field Trip	Students travel to museums, theatre, etc. Usually by bus.
Field Trip Dress	Upper School students are required to dress appropriately for field trips off-campus and some special events on-campus, such as Career Day.
Grade Parent	Parent who oversees communications between school and home for that grade. Includes overseeing the grade WhatsApp group
Head of School	The ACS Egham staff member responsible for the whole school.
Home Language Enrichment (HLE)	Lessons for students with a native language other than English.
Homeroom (HR)	The main classroom students will learn within
Ice Cream Social	Social event for new families to connect with one another. Held in week before school starting.
In-Service Day	No school for students; training sessions for staff.
Interim report	Bi-annual report on each student's progress.
International Baccalaureate (IB)	The Primary Years Programme (PYP), Middle Years Programme (MYP), the Diploma Programme (DP), and the Career-related Programme (CP).
Jaguar	School mascot; the 'Jaguar' name and logo is used especially by sports teams.
K	Kindergarten, 5-6 year old students.
Lower School	From Pre-kindergarten to Grade 5

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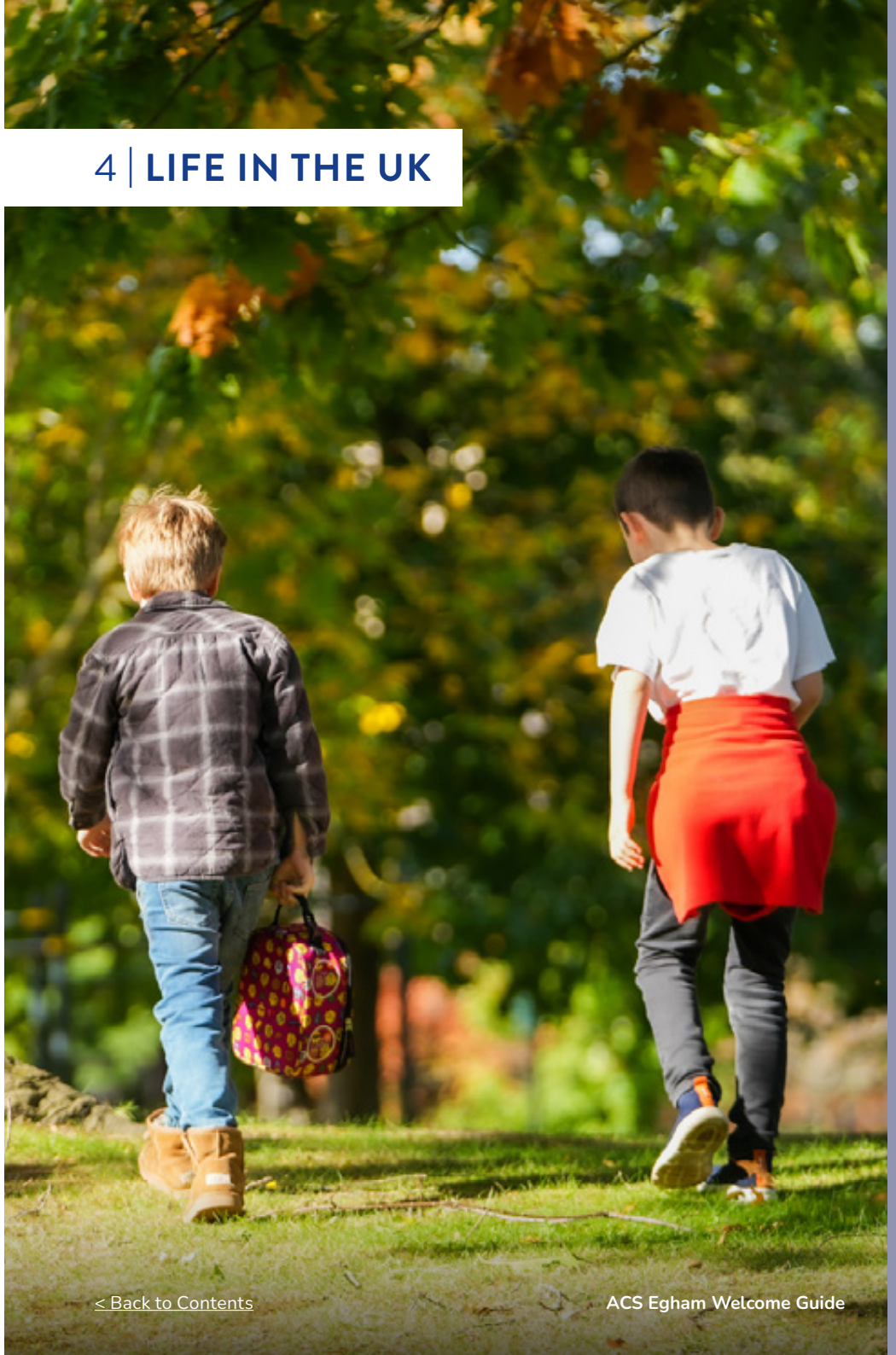
Main Car Park	Main car park at front of school
MAP	Measures of Academic Progress, an online assessment taken by all students across all campuses of ACS from Grades 2-10 twice a year (in fall and spring).
Medical Centre (Nurses)	The nurses' office (Medical Centre) is located on the ground floor of the Acorns (Early Years). It can be found by going past the main reception building towards the Early Years building.
Mentors	In Upper School each student is assigned to an advisory group with a Mentor (teacher).
Nurse (Medical Centre)	See 'Medical Centre'.
OFSTED (Office for Standard in Education)	The inspectorate for children and learners in England; contributes to the provision of better education through inspections and regulations.
Orientation Day	Important informational day(s) right before school starts in August; class lists are posted, students meet, get schedules and find classrooms.
Performing Arts Centre (PAC)	Houses our theatre, music rooms, Upper School drama studios and music practice rooms.
Policies	School policies are on the ACS Egham website and the ACS Egham Intranet.
Pre-K	Pre-Kindergarten, 4-5 year old students.
Principal	Head of Lower School, Upper School.

Prom	Formal dance, held in spring for students in Grades 11 and 12.
PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test)	Test taken by all Grade 10 and 11 students in October.
Recess	Free play time for students before/after lunch. May also mean school holiday break.
Report Card	School reports for each student's progress.
SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test)	US test taken for university/college admissions by Grade 11 and 12 students; may be taken more than once.
School Calendar	The main calendar with all activities, events and meetings for the school year.
School Colours	Orange and navy blue.
Security Hut	The small hut at main school entrance.
Snack Shop	Snack bar in Sports Centre where light refreshments and snacks are sold during sports events by parent volunteers. Open after school for students.
Specials/Special Area Classes	In Lower School, students have specialist teachers, alongside their Homeroom teacher.
Student Council	Students elected by their peers in Upper School to form a council that organises parties, dances and charity events. A teacher advises each council.
Student Services	School department overseeing well-being and learning support for both divisions

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Summer Reading List	Assigned books students are required to read over the summer. Grade dependent.
Thrive Mentors	In Upper School, Mentors also deliver the Thrive learning programme.
Varsity (V)	Our highest-level competing sports team.
Yearbook	End-of-year books produced by Lower and Upper School with photos of all students and their activities during the school year. Each student receives a book and are encouraged to have other students sign or write encouraging messages in their own.

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Below is some information, in alphabetical order, with links that may be useful.

Adult education

Check with your council for local options or you can try:

Surrey County Council
Adult Education Classes.

The National Careers Service
Government site set up for advice on careers and courses.

The Open University
Flexible learning options for a huge range of further learning courses remotely and part-time.

American to British Wording

US to UK

Area councils

The local District Council Office is equivalent in the US to a 'Town Hall,' and takes care of community services such as rubbish and recycling, building permission, parking permits and schools. Find my local council

Banking

- Opening a bank account in the UK is very thorough, so takes time to process. Items requested may include; a picture ID, proof of residence (at least one utility bill or other document with your UK address), six months' worth of prior bank statements.
- If your bank card is lost or stolen, a new card is posted to you, which can take 3-5 working days.

Popular British banks include:

AmEx
Barclays
Citibank
First Direct
Halifax
HSBC
Lloyds
Metro Bank
Monzo
Nationwide
NatWest
Revolut
Santander
Starling

Citizens Advice Bureau

The Citizens Advice Bureau helps people resolve their legal, money and other problems by providing free information and advice. Visit their website for answers to your questions or to find your local office: Citizens advice

Conversion Tables

WOMEN'S CLOTHING

UK	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
USA	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22
EUR	36	38	40	42	44	46	48	50	52

MEN'S SHIRTS

UK/ USA	14	14.5	15	15.5	16	16.5	17	17.5	18
EUR	36	37	38	39	41	42	43	44	46

WOMEN'S SHOES

UK	2.5	3	3.5	4	4.5	5
USA	5	5.5	6	6.5	7	7.5
EUR	35	35.5	36	37	37.5	38
UK	6	6.5	7	7.5	8	
USA	8.5	9	9.5	10	10.5	
EUR	39	40	41	42	43	

CHILDREN'S SHOES

UK	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	1	2	3
US	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	1	2	3	4
EUR	23	24	25	27	28	29	31	32	33	34	35

Please note that these charts are only guidelines and can vary depending on brand and source.

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WEIGHT AND MEASUREMENT

Length

UK/ USA	1 inch	1 foot	1 yard	1 mile	.333 in.	39.37 in.	3.28 ft.	.62 mile
Metric	2.5 cm	30 cm	0.9 cm	1.6 km	1 cm	1 m	1 m	1 km

To convert:	Multiply by
Inches to millimetres	25.4
Feet to metres	0.3048
Yards to metres	0.9144
Miles to kilometres	1.6093

Weight	American	British
One cup	8 oz.	10 oz.
One pint	16 oz.	20 oz.
One tablespoon	½ oz.	1 oz.

Weight	US (Standard UK)	Imperial	Metric
Flour	¼ cup	1 oz.	25g
	½ cup	2 oz.	50g
	¾ cup	3 oz.	75g
	1 cup	4 oz.	100g
Icing sugar/cocoa/cornflour	1 cup	4½ oz.	120g
Butter/Sugar (castor, granulated or brown, firmly packed)	2 Tbsp.	1 oz.	25g
	¼ cup	2 oz.	50g
	½ cup	4 oz.	100g
	¾ cup	6 oz.	175g
	1 cup		225g
Liquids/Cream/Yogurt	¼ cup	2 fl. oz.	50 ml
	½ cup	4 fl. oz.	100 ml
	¾ cup	6 fl. oz.	185 ml
	1 cup	8 fl. oz.	250 ml
	1 pint (2 cups)	16 fl. oz.	475 ml

Weight	US (Standard UK)	Imperial	Metric
Grated Cheese/Chopped Nuts	1 cup	4 oz.	100 g
Yeast	1 cake	½ oz. fresh	15 g

TEMPERATURE

Fahrenheit	32	41	50	59	68	77	86	95	104	140
Celsius	0	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	60

Boiling point of water =	100° Celsius,	212° Fahrenheit
Freezing point of water =	0° Celsius,	32° Fahrenheit

To Convert:

Celsius to Fahrenheit:	multiply by 9, divide by 5 and add 32 Fahrenheit
Fahrenheit to Celsius:	subtract 32, multiply by 5 and divide by 9

Cooking Temperatures	Celsius	Fahrenheit
Gas mark 1	140	275-300
Gas mark 2	150	300
Gas mark 3	160	325
Gas mark 4	180	350
Gas mark 5	190	375
Gas mark 6	200	400
Gas mark 7	220	425
Gas mark 8	230	450
Gas mark 9	260	500

All temperatures are the approximate equivalent.

BODY TEMPERATURE

Normal body temperature is 98.6 Fahrenheit, which equals 37 Celsius.

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Embassies in the UK

Full list of embassy contacts

Expat Organisations

Here's a selection of popular clubs and associations in the London area. Most accept any nationality and have a range of social events, great for meeting new friends.

AMERICAN WOMEN OF SURREY

Primarily American members, but now welcoming international members from around the globe. The group welcomes and assists new families to the area and supports philanthropic projects both locally and overseas. This is an extremely active group with over 30 clubs and activities.

AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB OF BERKSHIRE AND SURREY (AWBS)

The AWBS International Women's Club is a not-for-profit, non-partisan club that provides a welcome to individuals living in England from many nationalities. Their purpose is to welcome and assist all newcomers and their families through the relocation process, to promote friendship and interaction among members and to further their philanthropic activities.

AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB OF LONDON (AWC)

The American Women's Club of London is a non-profit and volunteer-run organisation dedicated to providing a welcoming environment for American women (and non-citizens with close ties to the US) residing in the UK. The AWC is non-partisan and does not endorse any political or religious group or position.

AUSTRIAN CLUB LONDON

Established in 1984 to maintain and upkeep the "Austrian Spirit" amongst Austrian expatriates in London and UK nationals with a strong bond to Austria. They offer events, networking, and outings for all to enjoy and learn the Austrian way.

BRITISH-GERMAN ASSOCIATION

Membership is open to anyone who enjoys German culture and is appreciative of a strong British-German relationship. Members can enjoy London-based social gatherings, cultural events, guest speakers, and more.

CANADIAN WOMEN'S CLUB

The club welcomes permanent and temporary Canadian expats or those with a Canadian connection. Enjoy a wide variety of events and activities, participate in charitable projects, and best of all, meet other Canadians.

THE THAMES VALLEY AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB (TVAWC)

TVAWC welcomes international families living in Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Bedfordshire, London and Surrey with most activities in Windsor, Maidenhead and Reading.

Further associations here

Family Days Out

There are many resources to find things to do with your children, such as: Trip Advisor or Day Out With The Kids.

THEME PARKS & LEISURE CENTRES

Chessington World of Adventures
Thorpe Park
Legoland
Coral Reef (Waterslides and fun water activities)
Big Apple Woking (Bowling)
Jake's Indoor Play World
Guildford Spectrum (Ice Skating, Bowling, Swimming)

CASTLES & MUSEUMS

Hever Castle (Hever)
Leeds Castle (Kent near Maidstone)
Dover Castle (Dover, Kent)
Hampton Court Palace (Richmond)

The Museum of Army Flying (Stockbridge near Salisbury)
Warwick Castle (Warwickshire)
Brooklands Transportation Museum (Weybridge)
Windsor Castle (Windsor)
The Lightbox Art Gallery and Museum (Woking)

ANIMALS & NATURE

Look Out Discovery Centre (Bracknell)
Go Ape (Bracknell)
Savill Gardens/Virginia Water Park
Bocketts Farm Park (Fetcham near Leatherhead)
Kew Gardens (Richmond)
Odds Farm (High Wycombe)
Hobbledown (Epsom)

WEEKEND TRIP IDEAS

Accessible by car, rail, Eurostar, Eurotunnel, and/or ferry:
Bath
Brighton, Portsmouth, West Wittering, other beaches
Cambridge
English Heritage Properties (various locations)
Isle of Wight
National Trust Properties (various locations)
New Forest & Beaulieu
Stratford-upon-Avon
Scotland & Wales
Belgium: Brugge, Brussels
France: Calais, Paris

PASSES/SAVINGS

If you want to visit historic buildings, beautiful scenery or the best theme parks in the UK, membership passes may offer you the best value. Here are some options:

NATIONAL TRUST

Annual, family and lifetime memberships available giving entry to a huge range of historic buildings and scenic landscapes covering the whole of the UK.

ENGLISH HERITAGE MEMBERSHIP

Offering annual, lifetime or short passes if you have visitors, sites include castles, historic houses and even battlefields.

HISTORIC ROYAL PALACES PASS

This annual pass offers 6 Royal Palaces and exclusive events at these properties.

LEGOLAND ANNUAL PASS

Annual pass or lifetime options just for Legoland, without the cost of a Merlin Pass.

MERLIN ANNUAL PASS

Annual pass to 14 of the UK's top attractions including Thorpe Park, Legoland, the London Eye and London Aquarium.

Healthcare

FOR ANY EMERGENCY DIAL 999 (POLICE, FIRE, AMBULANCE)
FOR MEDICAL ADVICE (NON-EMERGENCY) DIAL 111

NHS WEBSITE

One of the first things to know is how healthcare works in the UK. The National Health Service (NHS) is the UK's publicly funded healthcare system, offering most services free at the point of use, including doctor visits, hospital treatment, and emergency care.

To access NHS services, you need to register with a General Practitioner (GP) near your home. GPs are your first point of contact for non-emergency health concerns. Once you have a home address, you can find and register with a GP through the NHS: Find a GP. You will need to take proof of address and ID when registering with your GP.

For non-urgent medical help, dial 111 or visit 111 online. In emergencies, call 999 or go to the nearest hospital A&E (Accident & Emergency) department/Emergency Room. Find nearest A&E hospital.

You can learn more and access services at www.nhs.uk, including how to find dentists, order prescriptions, and check eligibility for free care.

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PRIVATE HEALTHCARE

Private healthcare is also available and widely used by people who want faster access and more choice of specialists.

Private healthcare in the UK includes:

- Private hospitals and clinics offering consultations, diagnostics, and surgery
- Private health insurance, which can cover some or all of the costs
- Self-pay options, allowing you to pay directly for treatment without insurance.

Many private providers offer fast appointments and access to top consultants. Some employers also include private health insurance as part of their benefits package. You may require a referral via your NHS GP to access private services using your insurance.

Private healthcare doesn't replace the NHS – it's a complement. You can use both depending on your needs and circumstances.

HOSPITALS

Find your nearest hospital. Smaller hospitals do not have an A&E department.

PAEDIATRICIANS

In the UK, most children see the GP for all routine visits and illnesses. Paediatricians are considered specialists, so your GP will make a referral to a consultant, if required.

DOCTORS

Go to Find a GP to search by postcode for local surgery/doctor listings. Your GP surgery is allocated based on your home address.

Find a private GP

DENTISTS & ORTHODONTISTS

Find an NHS or private dentist

NHS Dentistry is free if, when the treatment starts, the patient is:

- under age 18
- a full-time student under age 19
- a woman who is pregnant or has had a baby in the last 12 months

OPTICIANS

Find an optician

PHARMACIES/CHEMISTS

Find a pharmacy

Pharmacy chains on most high streets:

BOOTS PHARMACY

Boots is a chain of stores that sells a wide range of medicines, health and beauty products, suncare, baby products and cosmetics. They also provide services such as travel vaccinations, flu jabs, opticians and repeat prescriptions.

LLOYDS PHARMACY

Lloyds provide a similar range of goods and services to Boots.

TRAVEL CLINICS

Some immunisations are available at your local GP surgery, so check with them first.

Private travel clinics for immunisations:

London

London Travel Clinic

MASTA Travel Clinic

Most private GPs will also offer travel services – Find a private GP

Language schools

Many of the Adult Education Centres offer language classes for adults. The local public libraries will also have information about language classes. Berlitz offer online and in person courses for many languages Berlitz language courses.

Legal issues

CHILDREN AND THE LAW

- **Driving**
  Young drivers must be 17 years old. Make sure you have car insurance even for learner drivers.
- **Alcohol**
  Please see the government guidance regarding alcohol consumption: Alcohol and young people. It is against the law to drink alcohol under the age of 18. However, at age 16, your child, when accompanied by an adult,

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can buy or be bought beer, wine, or cider to drink with a meal, but only in a restaurant or pub with an eating area.

NSPCC

The charity National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NSPCC) has excellent information on leaving children home alone, understanding the law on this and children's safety. The NSPCC operates the Child Protection Hotline which offers counselling and advice.

Libraries

Find your local library

To obtain a library card and borrow books for free, visit the library with ID. Once you have your library card, you can borrow from any of your county libraries. The library is also a great source for finding information on your local area; courses, volunteer opportunities, etc. Some libraries offer storytimes/ crafts for young children.

Places of worship

Find a church

Post Offices

Find a post office

Useful for government documents, postage, foreign exchange, bill payment, etc.

Post & Package Delivery Services

Post & Package Delivery Services – Royal Mail, Mail Boxes Etc (for UK and international) InPost (for UK packages).

Setting Up A Home In The UK

FINDING A HOME

There is no multiple listing service in the UK as there is in some other countries, so when you are looking for a home to rent or buy, you will have to contact the local estate agents for availability and pricing.

There are websites that list available properties from multiple estate agents:

Zoopla

RightMove

Home.co.uk

Onthemarket

PrimeLocation

Estate/letting agents work for the landlord or property owner. Propertymark are a professional body that ensures agents listed with them meet high standards. Check their website for listings of local estate agents for buying or renting property: Find an estate agent.

PLUMBING AND HEATING

Landlords are responsible for making sure that gas fittings and flues are maintained in good order, and gas appliances that they own in their residential premises, and flues, are checked for safety every 12 months. They must also keep a record of the safety checks for at least two years and issue it to existing tenants and any new tenants before they move in. Be sure to have your boilers checked annually by a Gas Safe registered heating engineer. You can search for a registered engineer in your area: Find or check a gas engineer

Tipping/gratuity

Some guidelines are:

- Restaurants: It is customary to leave 10–15% for good service. Many places will add the gratuity automatically to the bill. Read the fine print in the menu or on your bill when you get it. (You are not required to pay this and can even ask that it be removed). You aren't expected to tip in a pub when you are ordering and paying for your drinks at the bar.
- Hairdressers: Not required, but if you wish to, you can either add on a few pounds or opt for 10% of the services rendered.
- Post Delivery Person, Rubbish Collector: It is not the custom to tip even at Christmas time.
- Taxi Drivers: Typically 10% of the fare.

If you happen to head over to France, a 15% tip is usually included in your bill at a restaurant. In Germany, The Netherlands, Belgium and Switzerland you can add 5% to your bill total, but rarely up to 10%.

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AREA COUNCILS

In the UK, the local District Council Office is equivalent to the Town Hall, and takes care of community services such as rubbish and recycling, building permission, parking permits and schools. The Council is a good source of information for local children's clubs and playgroups. You can find your local council by entering your postcode or street and town at: Find my local council

COUNCIL TAX

Your local government levies council tax against your residence for public services. Even if you are renting from a private landlord, you are responsible for paying this tax. More information can be found here: Council tax information

ELECTRICITY

Voltage & Frequency: The UK uses a 230V, 50Hz electrical system, which is standard across Europe but may differ from other regions like North America (120V, 60Hz). Plug adapters are available for equipment with special 110/240 (dual-voltage) capabilities. An adapter DOES NOT change the voltage. Therefore, DO NOT use an adapter on any appliances with a motor without also using a transformer.

Plug Type: British power outlets use Type G plugs, which have three rectangular prongs; travellers will need appropriate adapters if coming from countries with different plug types.

Fused Plugs for Safety: All UK plugs are required to have built-in fuses (usually 3A or 13A) to protect appliances and wiring from electrical faults or overloads, adding an extra layer of safety compared to some other countries.

INSURANCE COMPANIES

To find competitive car, household, health and travel insurance, try a comparison site such as:

Compare the Market

Confused.com

Go Compare

Money Saving Expert

The largest car insurance companies include Admiral, Aviva, Direct Line, Hastings and LV.

Newsagents
Newsagents are located on the high streets in most towns. If you want to have home delivery of a newspaper, check with your local newsagent to see if you can get on the delivery list.

PETS

Bringing a pet to Great Britain
See this Government website for comprehensive information to bring your dog or cat to the UK, which in some cases can include quarantine. It also includes information applying to pets leaving and returning to the UK, for example, if you want to take your dog with you on holiday to France.

Pet insurance
To find competitive pet insurance, try a comparison site such as:
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Largest pet insurance companies include: Petgevity, ManyPets, PetPlan, LV Everypaw and The Kennel Club.

Dog insurance is recommended in the UK as bills for infections and injuries can run quite high.

Dog Boarding/Sitting
Talk to your vet about reputable local dog boarding and sitting services they recommend. Local providers in the Egham and surrounding areas include:
Posh Dog Boarding (small dogs only)
Pawsome Place (doggy daycare covering Virginia Water and Ascot area)

Removal companies

For moving your household items, contact the British Association of Removers for local companies who are members.
Find a moving company

Rubbish/Recycling Collection – household waste

Rubbish/recycling collection
Enter your postcode for local council information for your area.

Travel insurance

To find competitive travel insurance, try a comparison site such as:
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Money Saving Expert
Even if you have private health insurance, travel insurance in the UK is important. If you miss a flight because of illness, you will have to forfeit your entire holiday if you do not have travel insurance. It is often more competitive to buy an annual policy through your insurance company than to buy it through the holiday provider each time you travel.

Transport

DRIVING
- To learn British driving skills, purchase the Highway Code (details all the rules and regulations of driving in the UK) in a bookstore or pay to download it via Highway Code.
- Beware of the traffic cameras! There are lots of speeding cameras installed, violations are recorded on your licence and you may receive a fine. If you get too many points, you could lose your licence.
- It is against the law to use your mobile phone whilst driving. It can result in penalty points and a fine. Check Phone usage in car.
- GPS/Navigation Systems are very helpful when driving in the UK. If your car doesn't come equipped with one, you may want to consider buying a portable device or a mobile phone app such as Waze.
- London Congestion & ULEZ zones are active in London and could mean your vehicle is chargeable. You should check this on both websites before travelling.
- To drive your own car in the UK, you will need the following:
- Valid driving licence
- Automobile insurance – see insurance on previous page.

- Vehicle registration
- MOT The purpose of the MOT is to ensure that your car complies with key roadworthiness and environmental requirements. Once a car is three years old, it must have an MOT every year. Many garages do MOT testing which takes about an hour; look for one with an MOT sign. See MOT information.
- Vehicle tax – all cars in the UK must have vehicle tax. See Vehicle Tax.

TRAFFIC INFORMATION

National Highways is a good resource for roadworks and traffic information.



5 | LOCAL TIPS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FROM OUR ACS PARENTS



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Cafes

CHOBHAM

1. BASIL AND BLUE – A beloved local spot known for its cozy atmosphere and strong community ties. This charming café offers a delightful courtyard seating area, perfect for enjoying a cup of coffee or tea.

MAIDENHEAD

2. BAKEDD – A Mediterranean-inspired café renowned for its exceptional pastries, quality coffee, and warm hospitality. Guests can enjoy a variety of freshly baked breads, pastries, and cakes, complemented by a selection of fine wines and craft beers.

SUNNINGDALE

3. ELIANE – A health-focused café and restaurant, offering a vibrant selection of locally sourced, nutritious dishes. Their menu caters to a variety of dietary preferences, including vegan, vegetarian, gluten-free, and dairy-free options.

SUNNINGHILL

4. THE COURTYARD – A charming café, offering a tranquil escape with its inviting courtyard garden. Known for its friendly service and relaxed atmosphere, it's a favourite among locals and visitors alike.

WINDSOR

5. ARTEFOOD COFFEE – A charming Italian café and deli located just outside Windsor town centre. This small, independent bakery offers a delightful selection of authentic Italian pastries, deli items, and expertly brewed coffee.
6. SAVILL GARDEN GALLERY CAFE – Located inside the Savill Garden Visitor Centre, offering a variety of hot and cold drinks, sandwiches, toasties, quiches, salads, pastries, and kid's packed lunch boxes.

VIRGINIA WATER

7. VIRGINIA WATER CAFE – Located at the main entrance to Virginia Water Lake in Windsor Great Park, offers a delightful setting for families to enjoy a variety of hot and cold food options. With both indoor and outdoor seating available, it's a perfect spot to relax after exploring the park's scenic trails and attractions.

Restaurants

CHOBHAM

1. NO.15 – Gastropub, offering modern British cuisine with a refined yet relaxed atmosphere, ideal for families seeking quality cuisine in a welcoming setting.
2. THE FOUR HORSESHOES – A charming country pub and dining room that has become a staple for both locals and visitors seeking quality British cuisine in a relaxed setting.
3. THE WHITE HART – A historic pub and restaurant dating back to the 1500s, featuring a cosy bar area, intimate dining rooms, and a spacious garden overlooking the cricket green, making it ideal for families and gatherings.

EGHAM AND ENGLEFIELD GREEN

4. BARLEY MOW – A charming pub and brasserie in Englefield Green, situated across from the village green and cricket pitch. The pub is renowned for its seasonal menus that blend British and French-inspired dishes.
5. EAT THAI – Located in Egham offers a warm and inviting atmosphere, serving authentic Thai cuisine with a focus on fresh ingredients and traditional flavours.
6. GONDOLA – A family-run Italian restaurant offering authentic cuisine in a warm, welcoming atmosphere.
7. MIRA – A Chinese restaurant located in Egham, offering an exceptional fine dining experience with a sophisticated yet welcoming atmosphere.
8. 163 – A family-run restaurant, blending British, French, and Moroccan influences in a stylish setting.
9. POLOW – A family-run establishment offering authentic Persian cuisine in a warm and inviting atmosphere.
10. THE BAILIWICK – A distinguished gastropub in Englefield Green, situated at the gates of Windsor Great Park.

HAMPTON COURT, TWICKENHAM

11. DELHI SOCIAL – A contemporary Indian restaurant located in Twickenham.
12. SAKURA YAKINIKU – An authentic Japanese yakiniku (BBQ) near Hampton Court Palace. Guests can grill their own selections of top-grade Japanese Wagyu beef, British premium steak, chicken, pork, seafood, and vegetables at their table.

VIRGINIA WATER, WENTWORTH, ASCOT AND SUNNINGDALE

13. BLUEBELLS – Located near Virginia Water offering blending modern European cuisine with attentive service.
14. CIELITO – A family-owned Mexican restaurant nestled in Virginia Water, offering an authentic taste of Mexico in a cosy, vibrant setting.
15. LA CLOCHE – The Carpenters Arms in Sunninghill, Ascot, is a charming country pub renowned for its French bistro, La Cloche.
16. ROSE AND CROWN – Located in Thorpe, is a charming country pub offering a warm and welcoming atmosphere.
17. SINO – Located in Virginia Water offering authentic Chinese cuisine.
18. WOVEN BY ADAM SMITH – Located within the luxurious Coworth Park in Ascot, offers an exceptional fine British dining experience.

WINDSOR

18. A LA RUSSE – A charming French bistro nestled in the heart of Windsor, just 200 meters from Windsor Castle.
19. BELGIAN ARMS – A charming country pub nestled in the picturesque village of Holyport, near Maidenhead, serving a variety of British dishes.
20. CALDESI – A renowned Italian restaurant located in the picturesque village of Bray, Berkshire.
21. HINDS HEAD – Located in the picturesque village of Bray, Berkshire, is a Michelin-starred gastropub owned by renowned chef Heston Blumenthal.
22. HOUSE OF CHAAT – A vibrant Indian street food eatery located on the ground floor of Tesco Extra in Slough.
23. MEIMO – A vibrant Moroccan and Mediterranean restaurant located in the heart of Windsor, just a short walk from Windsor Castle.
24. MISUGO – A cherished Japanese restaurant located in Windsor, renowned for its authentic cuisine and welcoming atmosphere.
25. ROYAL GURKHA – A renowned restaurant in Windsor, offering a fusion of Nepalese, Indian, and Oriental cuisines with a modern twist.
26. SEBASTIAN'S – A beloved family-run restaurant nestled in a charming alley, just a short stroll from Windsor Castle.
27. THE LOCK AND THE TYNE BY ADAM HANDLING – A distinguished British gastropub located in Old Windsor, helmed by renowned chef Adam Handling.

Family days out

LOCAL WALKS

1. CALIFORNIA COUNTRY PARK
   Located in Finchampstead, Berkshire, is a delightful 100-acre green space perfect for families seeking outdoor recreation. Centred around the serene Longmoor Lake, the park offers scenic walking and cycling trails, a well-equipped adventure play area, and a seasonal paddling pool. The park also features Jackson's Café, picnic spots, and a 5k parkrun every Saturday morning, making it a welcoming destination for families of all ages.
2. DOURNEY LAKE
   Nestled in the picturesque village of Dorney, Buckinghamshire, offers a serene and accessible environment for families to enjoy outdoor activities. This 400-acre site features a flat, tarmacked 3-mile loop around the 2,200-metre Olympic-standard rowing course, making it suitable for walking, jogging, and cycling with strollers or wheelchairs.
3. LONG WALK
   Created by King Charles II in 1682-85, this tree-lined avenue stretches almost 2.5 miles down to the ancient fortress of Windsor Castle. At the highest point, standing over the iconic view, is the famous Copper Horse statue depicting King George III. It was erected in 1831 to commemorate the King's significant contribution to Windsor Great Park.
4. RUNNEYMEDE
   Located along the River Thames in Surrey, offers a rich blend of history, art, and nature, making them ideal for family-friendly walks. Runnymede is renowned as the site where King John sealed the Magna Carta in 1215, a pivotal moment in the history of democracy. Today, visitors can explore memorials commemorating this event, including the Magna Carta Memorial and the John F. Kennedy Memorial.
5. SURREY HILLS
   The Surrey Hills National Landscape offers an array of breathtaking places to visit, stunning views, rich history & diverse wildlife. Visit Box Hill for panoramic vistas across the Weald and South Downs, or discover the historic town of Guildford, known for its medieval castle and picturesque streets.
6. SWINLEY FOREST
   A vast 2,600-acre woodland in Berkshire, stretching from Bracknell to Crowthorne. Managed by the Crown Estate and Forestry England, it offers a range of outdoor activities suitable for all ages. Visitors can enjoy walking, cycling, and mountain biking on designated trails. The forest is also home to The Look Out Discovery Centre, providing interactive science exhibits and a café for visitors to enjoy. For families with young children,

the inclusive playground offers a variety of play areas, including a ship-themed section for younger children and a fort for older ones

7. THE HEATH AT ASCOT RACECOURSE
   A scenic 1.7-mile circular walk situated in Ascot, Berkshire open to the public on non-race days. This flat and accessible path is ideal for families with strollers or young children. Along the route, walkers can enjoy views of the racecourse grandstand and even walk alongside the race track, offering a unique perspective of the venue. The area is also home to the Royal Ascot Cricket Club, adding a touch of local sporting heritage to the surroundings. For families seeking a leisurely outdoor activity with an interesting backdrop, The Heath provides a pleasant and easygoing experience.
8. VIRGINIA WATER LAKES
   Originally conceived as a Royal pleasure ground, Virginia Water lies at the Southern edge of Windsor Great Park. The 2-mile-long lake is a popular destination for families, walkers and wildlife lovers. In addition to tree-lined shores and vistas, its highlights include The Cascade and The Leptis Magna Ruins. A full circuit of the lake is a bracing 5.25 miles, but the Cascade and Leptis Magna Ruins are a much shorter stroll.

Nearby Attractions

1. CLIVEDEN – A majestic Grade I-listed Palladian country estate set on Buckinghamshire cliffs above the Thames.
2. LAPLAND UK – A fully immersive, Christmas adventure in Ascot, where families enjoy toy-making, ice-skating, reindeer, and personalised visit with Father Christmas.
3. LEGOLAND – The UK's largest Lego-themed theme park in Windsor.
4. WORLD OF MCLAREN – An immersive showcase of McLaren's cutting-edge design, engineering prowess, and F1 legacy.
5. RIVER THAMES CRUISE IN WINDSOR – A 40-minute round trip featuring panoramic views of Windsor Castle, Eton College, the Racecourse, and riverside wildlife.
6. SAVILL GARDEN – A 35-acre ornamental woodland in Windsor Great Park – commissioned by George V in the 1930s and thoughtfully redesigned over time.
7. WINDSOR CASTLE – The world's oldest and largest occupied castle.
8. WINDSOR GREAT PARK – A 4,800-acre royal landscape with sweeping deer lawns, ancient veteran oaks, serene lakes, woodland gardens.

London Destinations

1. BUCKINGHAM PALACE – The iconic London residence and official headquarters of the British monarch.
2. KEW GARDENS – A UNESCO-listed 132-hectare botanical treasure in southwest London
3. LONDON EYE – A striking 135 metre cantilevered observation wheel on the South Bank of the Thames.
4. PRIMROSE HILL – A charming, 64-metre high public hilltop within Regent's Park offering panoramic, near-360° views over central London.
5. SOUTHBANK – The UK's largest arts complex – a vibrant riverside hub along the Thames featuring iconic Brutalist venues like Royal Festival Hall, Hayward Gallery, Queen Elizabeth.
6. WEMBLEY STADIUM – England's 90 000-seat national stadium in northwest London, is the premier venue for major football matches like the FA Cup Final – as well as concerts and global events.
7. WEST END – London's vibrant entertainment district, famous for its world-class theatres, and buzzing night-life, making it a must-visit destination for culture lovers and families alike.

Days Out in the UK

1. BATH
   A UNESCO World Heritage city famed for its 2,000-year-old Roman Baths and thermal springs, surrounded by stunning Georgian architecture.
2. BRIGHTON
   A vibrant, eclectic seaside city just an hour from London.
3. CAMBRIDGE
   A timeless university city founded in 1209, celebrated for its exquisite medieval and Georgian college architecture lining the River Cam.
4. COTSWOLDS
   A picturesque 800-square-mile Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty in south-central England, famed for its honey-stone villages like Bibury and Castle Combe.
5. EDEN PROJECT
   Located in Cornwall, a groundbreaking eco-attraction housed in enormous geodesic biomes – featuring the world's largest indoor rainforest and a warm Mediterranean biome.

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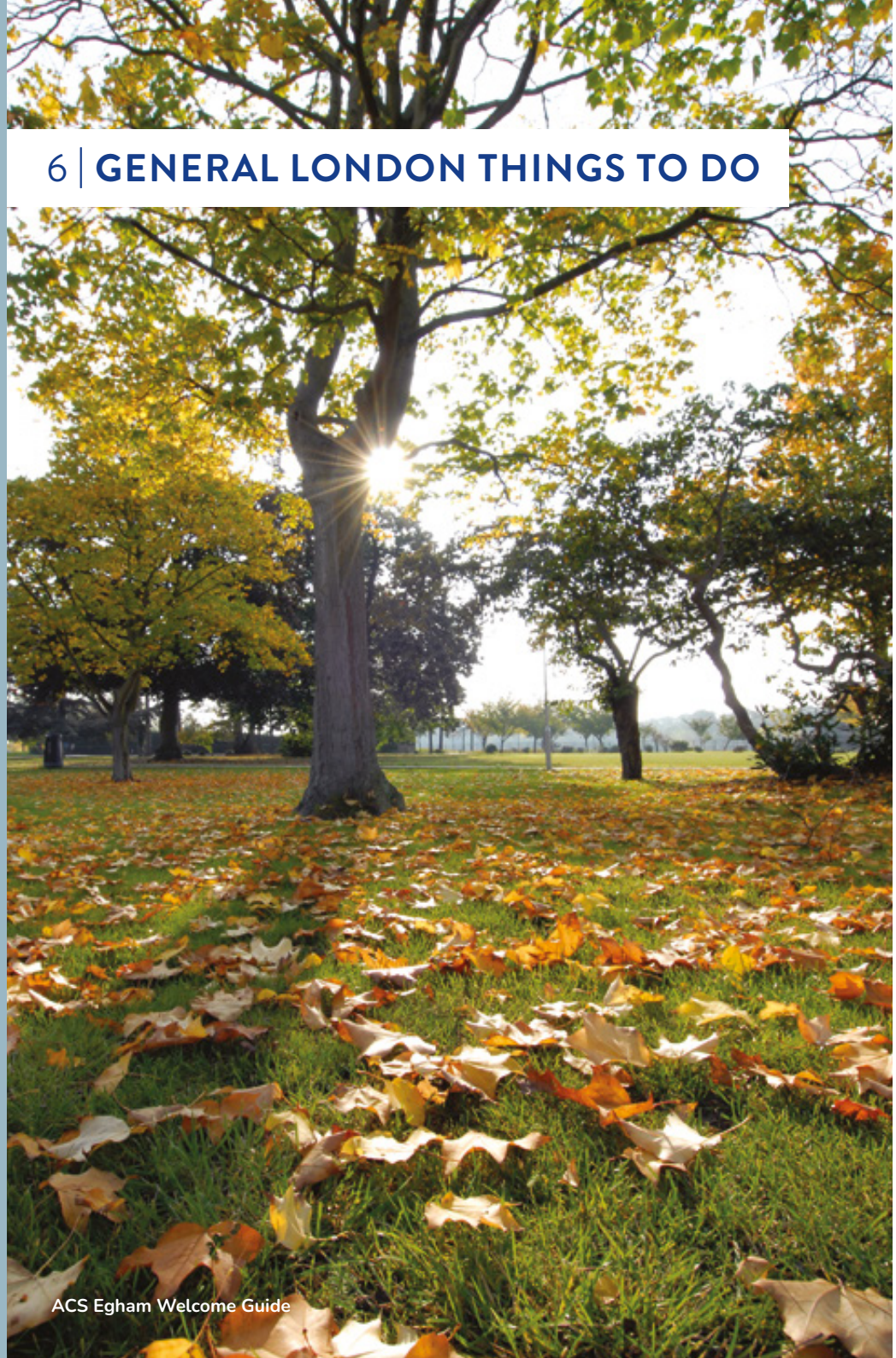
6. NEW FOREST
   A historic 571 km² national park in southern England known for its ancient woodlands, rare wildlife, and iconic free-roaming ponies.
7. OXFORD
   A historic university city blending stunning medieval and Georgian architecture, world-class museums, scenic river punting, and vibrant cultural life.
8. STONEHENGE
   A prehistoric stone circle on Salisbury Plain dating back around 4,500 years, aligned with the solstices and shrouded in mystery.
9. STRATFORD-UPON-AVON
   The charming medieval market town in Warwickshire famously known as William Shakespeare's birthplace.
10. YORK
    A beautifully preserved historic city where families can stroll its ancient walls, marvel at Gothic York Minster, and relax by the River Ouse.

Shopping Destinations

1. BICESTER VILLAGE – A premier luxury outlet in Oxfordshire – just an hour from London – offering over 150 designer boutiques.
2. CARNABY STREET – A vibrant street in Soho's West End, known for its eclectic mix of over 100 independent boutiques, heritage fashion brands, cutting-edge concept stores, and trendy beauty and lifestyle shops.
3. COVENT GARDEN – One of London's premier shopping and entertainment districts – featuring 17 historic streets and a bustling piazza lined with a blend of luxury flagship stores, designer boutiques, artisanal stalls.
4. GUNWHARF QUAYS – A waterfront designer outlet in Portsmouth, boasting over 90 premium and high-street brands, along with more than 30 cafés, restaurants, cinema and entertainment options making it a stylish and family-friendly shopping destination just one hour from London.
5. HARRODS – London's iconic luxury department store in Knightsbridge, spanning over a million sq ft with more than 300 premium departments.
6. LONDON DESIGNER OUTLET – Located in Wembley Park, London's first purpose-built outlet centre, offering over 70 stores – home to popular brands like Nike, Adidas, Calvin Klein & M&S.

7. SELFRIDGES – A luxury department store on Oxford Street. It's an iconic retail and cultural landmark founded in 1909, offering six floors of high-end fashion, beauty, gourmet food, lifestyle brands, artistic window displays, in-store events, a rooftop terrace and cinema.
8. WESTFIELD – A family-friendly shopping and leisure destination in Shepherd's Bush – with over 300 stores spanning high-street to luxury brands, more than 80 cafés and restaurants, a nine-screen cinema, children's play areas, and excellent transport links – making it one of the UK's premier retail hubs.

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6 | GENERAL LONDON THINGS TO DO

With London on your doorstep, here's some suggested things to do.

Shopping

Many options. Department stores: Selfridges, Harrods, Liberty London, John Lewis (Oxford and Regent Streets).
Markets: Borough Market, Brick Lane, Spitalfields, Covent Garden, Camden, Carnaby Street
Music shops (Soho), bookstores are everywhere (Waterstones, WH Smiths, Foyles), malls (e.g. Westfield Stratford and Shepherd's Bush, Bentall Centre Kingston
Clothing/sports stores: H&M, Zara, Next, Primark, TKMaxx, JD Sports, Sports Direct
Electrical/hardware stores: Currys, Argos, Robert Dyas, John Lewis
Homeware and furnishings: IKEA, Dunelm, Homesense, B&M

Museums & Galleries

Tate Britain and Tate Modern, National Portrait Gallery, British Museum, Natural History Museum, V&A, the Science Museum (these are all free for general admission, special exhibitions usually incur a fee).

Attractions

London Eye, London Aquarium, London Transport Museum, Hampton Court, Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle, The Globe Theatre, Madame Tussauds, Tower of London.

Parks/Open Spaces

Hyde Park, St. James' Park (right near Buckingham Palace), Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park (East London/right near Westfield Stratford shopping centre where the 2012 summer Olympics were held), Surrey Hills/Box Hill, RHS Wisley, Kew Gardens, Savill Gardens, Richmond Park, Virginia Water Lake. The South Bank offers lovely views and walks along the River Thames.

National Trust and English Heritage venues offer a mix of outdoor spaces, walks and historical sites, ruins and houses. Annual membership to these is very reasonable.

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Theatres

Why not go to see a Pantomime at Christmas – they are great fun. See all the big shows in the West End such as The Lion King, Matilda, Wicked, Kiss Me Kate, Waiting for Godot, Back to the Future, Hamilton, and a Shakespeare production can always be found playing somewhere.

Concerts/Gigs

Search for your favourite artist/band or look at the venues to see who is playing: O2, Wembley Arena, Brixton Academy, Hammersmith Apollo.

Further Information

TIME OUT
Great for recommendations of places to eat, shows, concerts and things to do.

VISIT LONDON – best things to do
The official London visitor guide with great information and tips for anyone visiting London, with ticket booking available.

7 | PARENT COMMUNITY



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What Is The Parent Community?

At ACS Egham, we have an open and welcoming parent community who arrange social activities and support the school in building strong connections within our community. Being informal in nature there are no official sign-ups or committees, and most activities are coordinated through a simple WhatsApp group. Everything we do is guided by our three pillars: Connect, Contribute, and Celebrate.

At ACS Egham, our families represent around 47 different nationalities, creating a wonderfully diverse community. For new families in particular, opportunities to meet others and build friendships can make a big difference in settling into school life.

By being involved in the parent community, parents can take part in activities, volunteer at events, or even create and lead their own gatherings. This might be anything from a coffee morning or cultural celebration to a family-friendly social event. Every contribution, big or small, helps strengthen the sense of community that makes ACS Egham so special. There is a parent WhatsApp group for each Grade, which is overseen by a Grade rep.

We warmly encourage you to get involved, whether by joining existing activities, volunteering your time, or starting something new. Our community is all about bringing people together and celebrating the rich diversity of our school community.

8 | READING LIST



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Recommended books

FOR CHILDREN

Picture books

We're Moving House

The Colour Monster Goes to School

AGES 7-11

Coming to England: An Inspiring True Story Celebrating the Windrush Generation

Back to School, Mallory

LATE TEENS/UNIVERSITY

Girl Gone London: An American's Guide to Surviving Life in the UK

Misunderstood: The Impact of Growing Up Overseas in the 21st Century

FOR PARENTS

Supporting a move

Britain – Culture Smart!: The Essential Guide to Customs & Culture

Moving On: Activity Books and Guide to Support Children Relocating to a New Country

Thriving Abroad: The definitive guide to professional and personal relocation success

Memoir-style

The Anglo Files – A Field Guide to the English

Notes from a Small Island

Watching the English

THIRD CULTURE KIDS

Third Culture Kids: The Experience of Growing Up Among Worlds

Raising Up a Generation of Healthy Third Culture Kids: A Practical Guide to Preventive Care

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