

# 2025 SUMMER PACIFIC RIDGE SCHOOL STEM PROGRAM



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## ABOUT PACIFIC RIDGE SCHOOL

After the outstanding success of our 2024 program, we're thrilled to announce the return of the 2025 Pacific Ridge School (PRS) Summer Program! This year, we've designed a dynamic and immersive experience combining cutting-edge STEM courses with a deep dive into American history and culture. This unique opportunity is tailored to help international high school students broaden their global perspectives, enhance academic abilities, and build a strong foundation for future success in academics and beyond.

# PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

## 1. EXPLORE TOMORROW'S TECHNOLOGIES WITH OUR CUTTING-EDGE STEM COURSES

Get ready to dive into the world of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) through hands-on, real-world experiences. Our meticulously designed courses cover key concepts in the core areas of STEM, preparing you for the technologies shaping tomorrow. You'll not only learn the fundamentals but also develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills in the lab and through collaborative teamwork. This isn't just a program—it's a way to think, innovate, and lead.



## 2. IMMERSE YOURSELF IN AMERICAN HISTORY & CULTURE

Enhance your English language skills while discovering the rich tapestry of American history and culture. This program blends classroom discussions, field trips, and engaging activities that connect you with the values, traditions, and educational principles that define the U.S. Experience a transformative summer where you improve your language fluency and gain an authentic understanding of American life—an opportunity to expand your global mindset.

## 3. COLLABORATE WITH LOCAL U.S. STUDENTS AND EXPAND YOUR INTERNATIONAL NETWORK

The 2025 summer program offers you a unique chance to work side-by-side with local American students in a diverse, inclusive environment. Build friendships, share ideas, and gain insights into the American educational system. Through collaboration and cultural exchange, you'll gain the skills and perspective necessary to stand out in a globalized world and prepare for a future full of international opportunities.





# REQUIREMENTS

## LANGUAGE

Demonstrate a strong grasp of conversational English and satisfactory English writing skills as appropriate to the student's current grade level.

## REFERENCE SCORE

Duolingo B1 level or TOEFL 60+

# SAMPLE SCHEDULE

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>Morning Class</b> 8:00am- 11:00am	Select one of the following as your morning class for this week:  1.Introduction to Photography 2.Creative Writing 3.Acrylic Painting 4.Women's Leadership 5.Middle School Debate 6.Pottery Tea Set 7.Multimedia Art 8.Game Design Development						Weekend with Host Family
<b>Lunch Break</b> 11:00am- 12:00pm	LUNCH						
<b>Afternoon Class</b> 12:00pm- 2:00pm	Journeying Through American History and Geography	A Cultural Exploration of American Pop Phenomena and School Graces	Scavenger Hunting (beyond campus)	American Academics 101: High School Plan for International Students	Unlock your future: High School Planning & College Exploration		

## PROGRAM DETAILS

### DATE

July 7 – July 11, 2025

July 14 – July 18, 2025

July 21 – July 25, 2025

### LOCATION

Pacific Ridge School, Carlsbad,  
CA 92009, United States

### STUDENT QUOTA

15–20 students (Grade 6 –10)

### APPLICATION DEADLINE

May 2025

### COST

\$ 100 (Application Fee)

\$ 2,800 (Program Fee per week)



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## FEE

### INCLUDED IN THE COST:

- All course fees; transportation fees from San Diego Airport
- Homestay fees (typically hosting 2–3 international students per family, with each student has his/her own room, including three meals and transportation to and from school)

### NOT INCLUDED IN THE COST:

- U.S. visa (B1/B2) related fees; round-trip international airfare; international travel insurance; personal extra expenses

### SUMMER SCHOOL CANCELLATION REFUND POLICY:

- 90 days before the program starts: 100% refund of the summer school fees;
- 60 days before the program starts: 50% refund of the summer school fees;
- 30 days before the program starts: no refund;

\*The application fee can be used as a credit towards the program fees. If cancelled, the application fee is non-refundable.

## LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE—APPLY TODAY!

Don't miss the opportunity to join the transformative 2025 PRS Summer Program. With limited spots, secure your place now to enhance your academic skills, global awareness, and cultural understanding in an exciting environment!

