









"This premium course is a great choice for aspiring young professionals and offers students an engaging orientation to concepts of leadership and entrepreneurship. The course features case studies, workshops and discussions. Students apply the knowledge from the case studies, a visiting speaker and a local business visit, to projects featuring product design, company creation and pitching





BOSTON, USA

## WHAT'S INCLUDED:



#### TUITION

Students will take part in 18 hours of lectures, workshops and project-based lessons that teach professional skills in contexts such as project management, marketing and business management.



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## **ACTIVITIES**

In-class activities develop business knowledge and skills, Evening activities are fun and engaging, offering opportunities for students to use their English in social contexts and make international friends.



# **EXCURSIONS**

Excursions allow students to really get to know the USA. We use destinations such as Downtown Boston as a classroom, where students will find historic and cultural information through guided walking tours and visits to museums and other places of interest.



# SPEAKERS

One local business visit and one local professional speaker per 2 week program.



# CERTIFICATE

Students will receive a Young Business Leaders Certificate upon completion of the program.





The Young Business Leaders is a demanding program, using case studies to focus on entrepreneurship, leadership and effective professional communication. Featuring coaching on presentation skills and effective teamwork, students work towards a final presentation pitch in the final lesson in each 2 week course. The course is held at CATS Academy Boston, a leading high school located on a vibrant campus in the leafy suburb of Braintree. It is located just 10 miles from downtown Boston and 10 miles from the beach! There are common rooms, computer rooms and modern study facilities, as well as WiFi available in all buildings.

Boston is the capital city of Massachusetts and one of the oldest cities in the United States, founded in 1630.

It is an international centre of higher education, featuring prestigious institutions such as Harvard University and MIT, and over 250,000 students from all over the world study there.

Through a mix of case studies, and applied business theory, our students develop skills that will empower them to be future leaders. The course develops leadership and communication skills with a focus on innovation, entrepreneurship and resilience.

#### **BENEFITS:**

Develop your English communication skills in authentic business situations

Visit a local business and hear from expert guest speakers

Learn from experienced business teachers

Practice team-work and presentation skills necessary to succeed in any business

Add projects to your resume and personal online profiles to boost your career

#### **OUTCOMES:**

Final Business Pitch Presentation

Experience working cross-culturally

Understanding of US business culture

### **ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS**

One full-day and four half-day excursions per week are included. Evening activities are varied and fun and may include discos, talent shows and international evenings.

### **COURSE INFORMATION**

AGE RANGE:	14 - 17	MAXIMUM CLASS SIZE:	16	COURSE LENGTH:	2 weeks
CENTRE:	CATS Academy Boston	COURSE START DATES:	28th Jun 2026, 12th Jul 2026	LANGUAGE LEVEL:	Upper Intermediate to Advanced

ACCOMMODATION: Single en-suite room. Meals are included (breakfast, lunch and dinner)

## SAMPLE PROGRAM

WEEK 1		MORNING		AFTERNOON		EVENING		
		08:45 - 12:00		13:00 - 16:00		19:30 - 22.00		
SUN		Arrival and I	.oca	al Orientation		Orientation Activities		
MON	New Value Creation and Seeing Opportunities - The 'Entrepreneurial Mindset' - Do you have what it takes?			Included Half Day Excursion: Boston Freedom Trail & Quincy Market		Ice Breakers		
TUES		Generating New Ideas through Brainstorming and Brainwriting		Included Half Day Excursion: Boston Harbor Cruise & Tour	~	Game Show		
WEDS	BREAKFAST	Leadership Styles - What type of leader will you be? Exploring Different Role Models.	LUNCH	Included Half Day Excursion: Harvard University Tour & Cambridge area	DINNER	Sports or Board Games		
THUR		A Case Study of a Successful and Innovative Company - Project Formulation and Presentation Skills.		Guest Speaker: Marketing and Managing Your Business		Karaoke & Talent Night		
FRI	Developing Skills in Presentation and Public Speaking - Project Presentations.			Included Half Day Excursion: Newbury Street Shopping & Copley Square Tour		Fourth of July Celebration		
SAT		Included Full Day Excursion: New York City						
WEEK 2		MORNING		AFTERNOON		EVENING		
		08:45 - 12:00		13:00 - 16:00		19:30 - 22:00		
SUN		Onsite Activities e.g. Arts & Crafts and Sports, Shuttles to the Mall, or Optional Full Day Excursion (at extra cost -please book before arrival)						
MON		Lagrania a franc Cat Dagles Havellagais						
		Learning from Set Backs - How Heroic Failures have Shaped our World.		"Included Half Day Excursion: Boston Aquarium"		Welcome Party		
TUES		Problem Solving through Innovative Design Tecniques - The Wujec Way of Thinking About Design - Prototypes	I			Welcome Party  Halloween Party		
TUES	EAKFAST	Failures have Shaped our World.  Problem Solving through Innovative Design Tecniques - The Wujec Way of	LUNCH	Aquarium"  Included Half Day Excursion: Premium	DINNER	,		
	BREAKFAST	Problem Solving through Innovative Design Tecniques - The Wujec Way of Thinking About Design - Prototypes  What Makes a Great Leader? Visionaries, Strategic Thinking and	LUNCH	Aquarium"  Included Half Day Excursion: Premium Outlets Shopping at Wrentham	DINNER	Halloween Party		
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WEDS	BREAKFAST	Problem Solving through Innovative Design Tecniques - The Wujec Way of Thinking About Design - Prototypes  What Makes a Great Leader? Visionaries, Strategic Thinking and Ethical Leadership  Case Study of a Successful Entrepreneur and Leader - Project Development and Presentation  The Dragons' Den - Entrepreneurship - Product Development - Pitching your Business Idea.		Aquarium"  Included Half Day Excursion: Premium Outlets Shopping at Wrentham  Included Half Day Excursion: MIT Tour  A World of Expertise Around You- Meeting with Local Business Leaders  Prepare for final Dragon's Den  Included Half Day Excursion:		Halloween Party  Sports or Board Games  International Night  Movie Night		

This is a sample program and all elements may be subject to change. Lessons may take place in the mornings or afternoons.