frilingue Art Camp Schwarzsee Summer 2020

Dear children & dear parents,

It's soon time! In a few weeks our summer art camp in Schwarzsee is starting. We are looking forward to meeting you and we hope you have a great time in the camp, but first here's some important information to get us off to a smooth start:







Contact in the camp

Our ears are always open for your requests: Campleader Phone: (+41) 077 522 20 43 (available from 12.07.2020)

For organisational matters such as last-minute extensions, financial matters etc: **Office phone: (+41) 026 321 34 34** Office hours: Mon - Fri 9.00 – 12.00 13.00 – 16.00



"Campus Schwarzsee" Seestrasse 119 1716 Schwarzsee

Arrival



• Individual

Arrival by car:

Please arrive at the meeting point between 17.00 and 18.00 on Sunday. Individual arrival by public transport to «Schwarzsee Campus»: Please let us know your arrival time and we'll organise a pick-up service.

• With the accompanied train ride from Zurich or Bern

The comfortable solution for both kids and parents:

If you have already registered for the accompanied train ride, you'll find more detailed information in the attached letter.

What is the accompanied train ride?

For the arrival and departure we organise an accompanied train ride from Zurich and Bern main stations. From the meeting point at the train station you'll go to the camp together with our staff and many fellow participants, so you can get to know each other and rid yourself of any doubts.

Please note that this option has to be reserved 7 days in advance: in case of a late reservation, its price might be doubled.

If you would like to enroll for the accompanied train ride, you can do so with the following link:

https://www.frilingue.ch/sprachferien-schweiz/anreise-abreise

• Airport Transfers

If you are coming from outside of Switzerland, have booked an airport transfer and have already completed the form, then your taxi service should already have been arranged.

If you haven't yet booked an airport transfer, but would like to then please email us: *info@frilingue.com*

Departure

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For the departure from the camp you have different possibilities. As a general rule, however, most of the kids leave on Saturday after the excursion.

- o On Friday after lunch at around 13.30
 - In Camp on Saturday morning before the excursion at around 9am
 - In Camp on Saturday afternoon after the excursion directly from the station of the excursion place between 3pm and 3.30pm

If you have any questions, or wish to notify us about any delays, please contact the campleader directly.

Weekly Schedule

Arrival is always Sunday and departure is usually on Saturday after the excursion.

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On Sunday after your arrival

6:30 pm: Delicious dinner and icebreakers 8:15 pm: Oral and written introduction

With the short oral and written test on Sunday evening, we'll find out which course you will be placed into and what level you are at the beginning of the week. In addition to the oral, the written test helps you and us to evaluate your language level. Then, together with our teachers, you can arrange individual and customised personal learning goals - please don't be afraid of the test! It helps you to get the best out of your language course!

Monday - Friday

A typical fRilingue day

Breakfast	
Break with snacks and refreshments	10.30 - 11am
Lunch	lpm
Tidy rooms and free time	2pm
Workshops	3pm
Dinner	6.30pm
Evening Programme	8pm
Bedtime	10pm
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A detailed program can be found in the supplement (Caution: small changes are possible in rare cases due to bad weather or emergencies).

Saturday

On Saturday, a full-day excursion takes place. We leave after breakfast to visit one of the sights or cities in the region and return to the camp in time for dinner. If you leave on Saturday, please see departure information on the previous page.

Sunday

If you stay longer than a week at the camp, you can relax on Sunday. We start from 8:30 am with a nice breakfast. Afterwards we clean the rooms and common spaces for the new arrivals. Aside from that, the rest of the day is free though we will organise various smaller activities that are not compulsory.

If you want to do something, you'll always find a few motivated friends and employees. From around 4pm onwards, the newcomers start to arrive. You can also go away with your parents for the weekend, or they can visit you, but we do not recommend this as it is certainly more exciting to spend the time in the camp with your new friends!

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Programme - Art Camp Summer 2020 -



	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSTDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	25
Morning	Arrival	9.00 – 10.30 Language classes	9.00 – 10.30 Language classes	9.00 – 10.30 Language classes	9.00 – 10.30 Language classes	9.00 – 10.30 Language classes		
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32	12.45 - 13.30 Lunch							
Affernoon		Artistic work- shops/ conver- sation about Art history	Artistic work- shops/ Ideas for the end of week exhibition	Artistic work- shops/ Artistic activities with the whole group	Excursion and painting in the nature / Installa- tion in the chalet	Sports / Free time	(and departure in the afternoon)	
Ĩ				18.30 Dinner				R
Evening	Ice-breaking games & lan- guage test	Film about arts	Camp fire	Free time / artis- tic projects	Disco party	Exhibition and performances	Games evening	

* Intensive courses usually take place on Monday, Wednesday and / or Friday afternoon.

* This is only a rough guide. We reserve the right to change without notice. The excursions on Saturday are definitely!

Meeting point on Saturday (to be confirmed during the week) 18.07. 4pm at the Gruyères Train Station

25.07. 4pm in Bern

01.08. 4pm at the Fribourg Train Station



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1. Clothes and shoes

List

o Comfortable shoes

Packing

- o Slippers
- o Socks
- o Trousers, long & short
- o T-shirts
- o Underwear
- o Sweater
- o Plastic bag for dirty washing
- o Raincoat
- Warm jacket and shoes (evenings can still get chilly in summer!)
- o Sportswear and shoes

2. Hygiene

- o Shampoo
- o Toothbrush & toothpaste
- o Handkerchiefs
- o Medicine (if needed)
- o Toiletries
- o Watter Bottle
- o Sanitary Mask

3. Important

- o Health insurance card (copy)
- o ID (copy)
- Sleeping bag (except for participants coming by plane)

4. Class

- o Writing utensils, paper & pens
- o Notebook for new words
- o Jotter
- Maybe schoolbooks
 (e.g., for the intensive course)
- o Dictionary

5. Other items

o Pocket money (Around 50 CHF per week for snacks, refreshments, souvenirs etc.)

6. Sport & Freetime

- o Swimwear, bikini, bathing suit
- o Bath towel
- o Sunglasses
- o Sun protection, sun cream, After Sun
- o Waterproof trekking /walking boots

Please feel free to bring anything that could help us to make this camp a work of art! Musical instruments, dances shoes, camera...

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Rules for participants

We will also go through this rule sheet verbally with the participants on the Sunday evening after dinner. We want to spend a great time together and if we all stick to these rules then a fun and relaxing camp experience is guaranteed for all!

Property / Beach / Lake

- o No one is allowed to leave the area alone.
- o Nobody is allowed to go to the lake/ beach.
- o Swimming is permitted only with the supervision of the teachers / supervisors.

We offer the option of a one **free afternoon** per week because we believe that everyone needs a bit of alone time at some point. Children older than 12 years are allowed to leave the camp during the free afternoon under the following conditions:

- o They stay in groups of 2 or more people.
- o No swimming.
- o Mobile phone must be taken with you.
- o The children must be adhere to the agreed rules and return at the agreed time.

Anyone who breaks the rules during the week may have their free afternoon taken away from them. We do also offer other activities such as swimming, football or a film, so the free afternoon is not obligatory.

Mobile Phones

Mobile phones are prohibited during the night, during classes and during meal times. For minor offenses our employees have the right to confiscate phones for a certain period of time.

Showers / WC

The showers and toilets are shared and not just for your own use so please remember to respect others and save water where possible.

In the rooms

Fire of all types is absolutely prohibited! No candles, incense sticks or similar items. We do not want any graffiti on the walls or any hotel property broken. You should not eat inside the rooms, however a bottle of water next to your bed is OK.

Please try to keep order and consider and respect those who want to sleep!

Property / valuables

Please respect property that doesn't belong to you! Please be careful with the material of friLingue, your fellow participants and do not take anything that doesn't belong to you without asking.

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Important: You can keep your valuables (keys, money bags, Watches, jewelry, etc.) in the safe or give them to the campleader for safekeeping.

Meals

Eating is not a sport so we want to eat our meals together in a civilised manner without noise and shouting. Before you start eating, please take your seat first. If you finish before the others, please sit still at the table as we like to start and finish together. Once you're finished eating please put your dirty plates and cutlery in the washbasins provided.

Smoking & Alcohol

With friLingue there is no smoking and there is strict alcohol & drugs ban. Anyone caught breaking this rule will be sent home immediately. This is also applicable to students over the age of 16.

That may sound like a lot of rules but most of them are rules that you follow in your own house and in your daily life. We are sure that we will have a good time together and we don't want to act or be seen as teachers and figures of authority, but rather more as friends. However, that means that we expect from you a lot: punctuality, respect and responsibility among other things - just as you'd expect from your real friends.

We're looking forward to meeting you!

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COVID-19

Is it safe to come to friLingue?

Rest assured that friLingue is paying close attention to all high-standard sanitary measures at all times. Taking into account the devastating effect of COVID-19 pandemic, we've furthermore improved our sanitary measures in our camps. Our goal is to provide you with the best learning experience, peace of mind, and absolute comfort at all times. friLingue will be implementing high-standard sanitary measures, respect social distancing rules, strictly follow all government guidelines and impose extra measures on our own initiative.

Please find enclosed our Health & Safety Protocol Agreement.



Can't wait for your summer camp to start? Or would you already like to work on your French, German or English language skills while you are still at school? Then there is no need to look any further, we got you covered!

By participating in one of our camps, you've gained the right to book one month of FOX for the price of 150 CHF (instead of 300CHF)!

The FOX - the friLingue Online Experience courses are suitable for children and teenagers who wish to learn French, German or English intensively, and from the comfort of their own home. Funny, entertaining, and with a lot of variety - this is how our teachers encourage you to immerse yourself in the language of your choice. The aim is that you practice French, German or English as actively as possible. Together with participants of the same age from all over Switzerland, you will discover the joy of language learning.

And of course, even after the camps, if you really enjoyed studying with us and your designated teacher, you can continue with language studies online - with the same teacher! Why wait for the next camp to start when you can continue improving your language skills online, from the comfort of your home?

For more information, please visit the link below: https://www.frilingue.ch/en/language-camps-switzerland/special-offer-onlinecourses-with-frilingue

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Return the following inserts

- o Signed contract with knowledge of the rules
- o Departure sheet (unless you're returning with the accompanied train)
- o Medical information
- o Signed Health & Safety Protocol Agreement

Please complete the documents together with your parents and send them by mail to following address or scan and send them by email to:

friLingue GmbH Stöckackerstrasse 93 3018 Bern

contract@frilingue.ch

If you have any further questions do not hesitate to contact us!



Do you want to know what your kids do in our camps? Follow us on Instagram and Facebook!





After the camps, we would also appreciate your rating and constructive **feedback** on Facebook and Google!



Contract for participation in friLingue - To be completed by children & parents -

Child's name: Child's surname:

Camp:

We want to communicate clear rules for the camps right from the start. We kindly ask you to read over the contract with your son or daughter and make sure that it's understood. fRilingue camps only work when our ground rules are adhered to.

1.1. I have read and understood the enclosed rules.

1.2. I agree that during the camp no alcohol or drugs may be consumed. Anyone caught with alcohol or intoxicants of any kind will be sent home immediately. In this case, the camp costs will not be reimbursed.

1.3. I agree that the bedtime curfew of 10pm must be strictly observed. Anyone who breaks this rule for the first time will be issued with an official warning, a second breach will result in that person being sent home. The camp costs will also not be refunded in this case.

1.4. We agree that the participants must follow the instructions given by the animators, especially those regarding the security. friLingue could not be held responsible in case these instructions would not be respected.

1.5 We are aware that the medical insurance is the responsibility of the participants.

1.6 Participants will be entitled to use their cell phones and other electronic devices one hour after lunch and one hour after dinner. The rest of the time, all their devices will be kept by the camp leader.

1.7. Participants are encouraged to take care of their personal belongings. friLingue can not be held responsible in case an item is lost by or stolen from a participant. In the event of property damage, the costs will be borne by the participant.

Child's signature	:
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Parent's signature:

Date & location:

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Departure Form

If no registration has been made for the return journey you have 3 possibilities for the departure:

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- o On Friday after lunch around 1:30 pm
- o On Saturday morning before the excursion around 9 o'clock
- o On Saturday afternoon after the excursion (pick-up directly from the excursion location) around 3 pm.

Remarks:_____

My child is allowed to leave the camp / excursion / train station without Accompanying an adult.

When and how?_____

Parent's signature:_____

Medication Form

Any medication to be taken regularly (description, dosage, administration): _____

Any current impairments health (e.g. recent accidents, operations or allergies):

Any special dietary requirements (e.g. vegetarian, gluten-free, any food allergies etc.):

Additional notes:_____

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