



SUMMER PROGRAM IN ICELAND ADMISSIONS INFORMATION SHEET

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SUMMER 2017 PROGRAM DATES AND FEES:

Dates: July 2 – July 22 (21 days)	Fees: \$6,495 plus airfare
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What is included? Lodging and three meals per day are included, other than on excursion days when two meals are included. All classes, instruction, excursions and weekend activities are included.

What is not included? Round-trip transportation to and from Iceland from your home city, meals while out on excursions, medical expenses, spending money, laundry, telephone are not included.

How to apply? To apply for admission, complete and mail the attached application form along with a payment of \$1,100 (\$1,000 deposit plus \$100 non-refundable application fee), to the Barat Foundation, P.O. Box 32392, Newark, NJ 07102. Ask a teacher or guidance counselor to complete and return to the Barat Foundation the attached teacher recommendation form along with your school transcript. You do not need to wait for the teacher recommendation form before sending in your application, as we will hold a place for you while awaiting the school forms.

Admissions are on a rolling basis therefore we suggest you apply early. Applications are carefully reviewed and students are selected on the basis of their readiness to participate in the program. We make our best efforts to act upon each application within 1 or 2 business days of receipt of the teacher recommendation form and school transcript, and inform applicants of our admissions decision by mail. If for some reason the application is not accepted, the full deposit will be returned.

Program participants are expected to maintain exceptionally high standards of personal behavior. Since students are encouraged within the context of our programs, to take responsibility and to make their own discoveries, students whose parents require them to be under constant surveillance, or who are likely to consume alcohol, drugs, or act irresponsibly, should not apply.

Payment Schedule: A payment of \$1,100 (\$1,000 deposit plus a \$100 non-refundable application fee) must accompany your application. The balance is due and payable on or before April 1, 2017. Balances on applications submitted after April 1 are due and payable immediately after the applicant's acceptance into the program.

Travel Insurance: Should you desire to purchase travel insurance, we suggest the Travmark Camp/Summer Study Protection Plan. We will send detailed information upon enrollment.

Refund Policy: If a student applies to the Barat Foundation program and withdraws his or her application prior to February 1, 2017, the \$1,000 program deposit and fees will be refunded. Cancellations received after February 1 are not subject to a refund. All cancellations must be made in writing to the Barat Foundation.

There will be no refunds for students who voluntarily withdraw from a Barat Foundation program, nor will there be any refund for any student who is asked to leave the program for use of drugs, abuse of alcohol, or gross disobedience of the rules of the program. Dates, fees, itineraries and courses may be changed without notice should circumstances require. The Barat Foundation reserves the right to cancel any program, and to refuse to accept any person as a member of one of its programs. If the Barat Foundation cancels a program, the full program fee will be refunded.

Who Can Apply? Any student who has completed 8th through 12th grade is eligible to apply.