

# STANDARD GUARDIANSHIP



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## ACADEMIC PROGRESS TRACKING

As a Standard Guardianship student, we will follow your academic progress and assist with arrangements for exams and academic trips or events.

The Study Links Student Services team is based at the Study Links main office. They are your day to day contact and they are the ones who will make all arrangements for you and keep your parents informed of your progress.

Your Study Links Academic Consultant will visit you at school once per term to check on your progress and discuss any academic issues which you may have. They are there to advise you on academic choices and help you make decisions such as which subjects you should study at A-Level or what course to take at university. Your Study Links Academic Consultant has educational qualifications, and is the ideal person to follow your academic progress and advise you on your educational journey.

With this service Study Links will;

- Attend all parents' evenings and report back to your parents
- Liaise with teachers on your academic progress and report back to parents, as required
- Provide academic mentoring and support
- Advise on choice of subjects and studying in the UK
- Arrange private tuition for you, if required

## VISITS AND CONTACT

Under Standard Guardianship we visit you once a term and contact you monthly to check on your academic progress.

- Settling In / Welcome Back visit, shortly after arrival
- Monthly contact (phone call, or other preferred method of contact)
- One visit at school per term

## HOMESTAY AND TRANSPORT

At Study Links, we take the role of organising your homestay and transport very seriously. We understand the effect that a good homestay can have on your experience of living and studying in the UK. A good homestay can encourage you to speak English, introduce you to the English culture and give you a 'family' in the UK. All Study Links homestays are DBS (police) checked and visited regularly to ensure they are of excellent quality.

Your personal Homestay and Transport Organiser will arrange all of your Homestay accommodation and transport requirements precisely and efficiently.

All Study Links transport is carried out by the Study Links team and our carefully selected transport partners. We only work with vetted transport partners who we trust implicitly. They understand their role in making sure that you are safe, and like the Study Links team they are committed to your care and welfare.

We can organise all of your transport requirements. This includes:

- Airport service (we can collect you from immigration and escort you through the airport before taking you to their destination)
- Unaccompanied Minor service (we can arrange for a named representative to pick you up at the destination airport, as per the requirements of airlines Unaccompanied Minor service)
- Transport to and from your homestay

## EMERGENCY CARE AND SUPPORT WHEN YOU NEED IT

Study Links provide a fast and efficient service, run by dedicated professionals who are only a phone call away, 24 hours a day. Our team is there to help if and when you need us. We deal with all emergencies including;

- Serious illness
- Failure of your own transport and / or accommodation arrangements
- Missed / cancelled flights
- National or international transport
- Medical crisis
- Suspension / exclusion

We always respond quickly in an emergency and work with you as well as your parents to find the best solution. Our course of action always depends on the specific details of each case, and your individual requirements. Regardless of the problem, we maintain close contact with you and your parents during an emergency as we appreciate that there is nothing worse than being far away from your loved ones during a time of need.



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