

CERAN Academy

Seriously fun.

2023
Season

**JUNIORS
& YOUNG
ADULTS**

From 9 to 25
years old

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WELCOME

It all began more than 45 years ago, in Spa, Belgium, where the founding couple of **CERAN**, Monique and René Bastin, had a vision to help people from different backgrounds and cultures communicate and understand each other better.

Today, **CERAN**'s mission is as relevant as ever and the **CERAN** group is carrying out this mission by offering a variety of language and intercultural training courses to both companies and individuals. You choose what suits your needs best: full-immersion, distance-learning or E-Learning.

In 2019, **CERAN** became part of the Chateauform' group, which is the European leader in hosting seminars and corporate events. **CERAN** immersion courses now benefit from the added warmth and quality of service of the Chateauform' teams and venues throughout Europe.

At the **CERAN** Academy, we put all our skills, energy and care into supporting **JUNIORS** (9 to 17 years old) and **YOUNG ADULTS** (18 to 25 years old) on their educational journey at our sites in Spa, St Roch Ferrières (Belgium) or Champéry (Switzerland) during the school holidays and remotely all year round.

You can count on the commitment and experience of the **CERAN Academy** to provide lasting progress through «Seriously Fun» language experiences.

The **CERAN Academy** Team

OUR COMMITMENT



Exceptional destinations and secure facilities



Centres equipped with high-tech teaching tools



Educational and fun activities and excursions



Immersion programmes



Premium accommodation and balanced meals



Small classes - no more than 9 children per class with an average of 7



Intensive academic programme applied using **CERAN's** own methodology



Rapid progress:
1 CEFR level acquired in an average of 2.5 weeks



Native-speaker instructors trained in the **CERAN** methodology



International camps with a good mix of nationalities



High ratio of 1 staff member to 3 students

TESTIMONIALS



Anna B. Germany - 10 y.o.

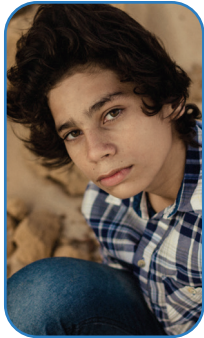


« It was really amazing ! Teachers were very nice, activities were really fun. Excursions were out of this world ! »

Onur B. Turkey - 16 y.o.



« My experience at Ceran was very good. I met a lot of people from other countries and I learned French. »



Lucas V. Spain - 12 y.o.



« It was my first time here in **CERAN**, at first I was kind of scared to come. I did not know what to expect but on the second day I started loving it and I asked to extend for another week. I met amazing people here, the lessons were great, the food was good too and overall I really enjoyed those two weeks. »

Gabriela G. Sweden - 13 y.o.



« My experience at Ceran was very good because I believe I learned French and also I met people who became my friends and I am very happy for that. My overall satisfaction was very positive. »







JUNIORS PROGRAMME

From 9 to 17 years old

Thanks to our well-balanced programmes which combine teaching and leisure, the **CERAN** Academy offers **JUNIORS** from 9 to 17 years old language immersion courses in 2 different countries. From beginners to advanced, all levels are welcome to learn in groups of maximum 7 to 9 students following 28 45-minute lessons per week. The lessons and activities are organised by language level and age group.

Pre-teens 9-12 y.o.
Teens 13-15 y.o.
Senior teens 16-17 y.o.

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SERIOUSLY.

The **CERAN Academy** offers intensive courses for **JUNIORS** in 4 different languages: French, English, German and Dutch (please enquire about other languages for which we can offer individual programmes). Each student practices the target language throughout the day for a better assimilation of knowledge, including during organised leisure activities.

The courses allow young learners to gain confidence, improve their communication skills, activate their knowledge, overcome difficulties experienced at school or simply start learning a new language.

[INTENSIVE PROGRAMME]

CERAN Academy students all benefit from 28 45-minute group lessons per week (equivalent to 21 hours of classes), including speaking, reading and comprehension lessons in the morning, while the afternoon is dedicated to writing lessons and projects in which the language is put into practice. Vocabulary and grammar are taught through the practice of everyday situations such as introducing oneself, giving one's opinion on current affairs or the study of different themes which lead to multimedia presentations, exhibitions of paintings, photographs or videos.

It is possible to add extra individual lessons each day - 2, 4, 6 or 8 lessons more during the week - in order to work on a specific difficulty, a gap, to prepare for a school exam or international tests such as Cambridge, TOEFL, DALF, etc.



THE 4 PILLARS OF THE CERAN METHODOLOGY

Developed in 1975 and continually updated and improved, the CERAN methodology focuses on communication and enables young learners to express themselves in the target language with greater confidence.



THE CONCEPT OF IMMERSION

From morning to evening, students practice the target language with their classmates, teachers and supervisors, even outside the classroom during meals, activities and excursions.
Non-stop practice!



VERBO TONAL

Every language has its own music, rhythm and intonation. This verbo-tonal method corrects students' phonetic errors, improves pronunciation and reduces the influence of their mother tongue to enable better communication.



QRI®

QUESTION, ANSWER, INTONATION

A technique of reinforcement and assimilation of the language based on mutual listening between the trainer and the learner and on repetition. Did you know that neuroscientific studies have shown that you have to repeat something at least 5 times in order to remember it?



KEY SENTENCES

They summarise each lesson and are recorded for students to practice and use in different contexts.

FUN.

Each student will be offered 14 sessions of recreational activities per week. On Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays, a full-day excursion or sports, cultural or multimedia activities will be scheduled in connection with the week's educational project.



[FUNDiscover] Belgium

The two campuses in Spa and St Roch Ferrières have sports facilities, green spaces and rooms for art work. In addition, there are many parks and gyms offering students a choice of activities: badminton, basketball, handball, beach volleyball, football, tchoukball, tree climbing, archery, tennis, drama, drawing, painting, scrapbooking, escape game or even talent shows !

Public speaking, Young Leaders and digital media workshops will also be on the programme.

Of course, visits to the cities of Liège, Brussels, Bruges, Luxembourg, Cologne or Maastricht, will be on the agenda in order to discover interactive exhibitions, monuments, chocolate shops, shopping streets and other themed places !



LANGUAGE PLUS TENNIS, GOLF OR HORSE-RIDING PROGRAMMES



Students can also choose a specific activity programme with 4 weekly sessions of 2 hours of tennis, horse riding or golf supervised by a coach and in the target language.

Only in St Roch Ferrières during the summer session.

[FUNAdventure] Switzerland

The geographical location of the chalet offers a wide range of mountain activities such as hiking, canyoning, tree climbing... it will even be possible to go to the glacier at an altitude of 3000m !

A multi-sports centre, located 150m from the chalet, offers badminton, basketball, handball, indoor football, a climbing wall, indoor and outdoor swimming pools and other activities to the young people of the **CERAN Academy**.

Themed workshops will be available, such as arts and craft, video-making or for those who love chocolate, a chocolate workshop is even possible !



A TYPICAL WEEK AT CERAN

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
8:30am				
9am-12:30pm		Group lesson - oral expression		 <p>Excursion</p>
		Break		
		Group lesson - written comprehension		
12:30-1:30pm		Lunch		
		Language in action or Young Leaders		
1:30-4:05pm		Break		
		Group lesson - written expression		
4:05-7:15pm	Welcome	Break	Workshop, activities and sports or Individual Lessons	
7:15-8pm		Dinner		
	Welcome activities		Evening activities	
8-10:30pm				

This schedule and these activities are subject to change to deal with certain unforeseen events and/or weather conditions to guarantee the best experience for the children.

 Breakfast




Group lesson - oral expression

 Break

Group lesson - written comprehension

 Lunch

Language in Action or Young Leaders

 Break

Group lesson - written expression

 Break

Olympic games

Award ceremony



 Dinner

Evening activities

Friday party

Evening activities

Break and bed time

UNIQUE DESTINATIONS



COLLÈGE ST-ROCH in FERRIÈRES Belgium

All. de Bernardfagne 7, 4190 Ferrières

French

English

German

Dutch



[A MAGICAL PLACE]

CERAN Academy Belgium offers students an exceptional experience in a historic site: the Collège de Saint-Roch in Ferrières, 1h30 from Brussels. Even though students might feel they have arrived on the set of a Harry Potter movie, they benefit from all the modern technology they need in this 1820 building. In terms of accommodation, Saint-Roch Ferrières offers 179 mainly single rooms with shared showers and toilets.



Dates 2023

English	French	German	Dutch
June 25	June 25	July 2	July 30
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August 26	August 26	July 29	August 26

CHÂTEAU DU HAUT-NEUBOIS in SPA Belgium

Av. des Petits Sapins 27, 4900 Spa

French

English

Dutch



[A GREEN EXPERIENCE]

The **CERAN Academy** Belgium welcomes the **JUNIORS** to the Château du Haut-Neubois in Spa, a city listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site of the «Great Water Cities of Europe» since 2021. Spa is also a town with an exceptional location in the Ardennes at the crossroads of several European countries and cultures: Germany, Luxembourg, the Netherlands & France. In terms of accommodation, the domain offers 71 double rooms with ensuite bathrooms, lounges, dining rooms and even tennis and basketball courts !

Dates 2023

February 19 - February 25	April 02 - April 15	October 29 - November 04
English Dutch	English French	English French



TRANSPORT INFORMATION

There are 2 ways to get to the sites. A transfer from Brussels train station or airport is available to students (115€ one way). A transfer from Liège or Verviers train station will also be possible (65€ one way).

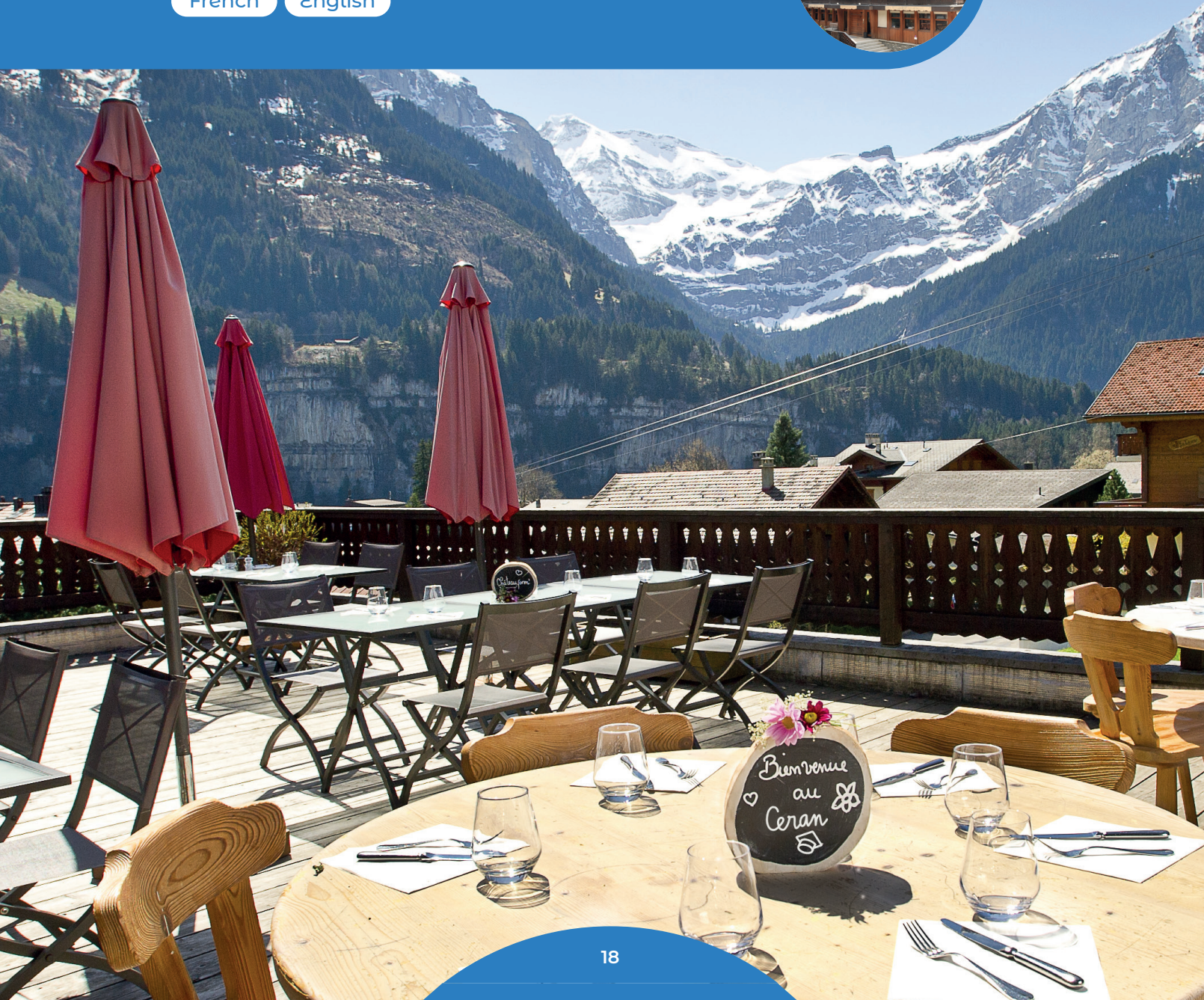


CHALET DE CHAMPÉRY Switzerland

Rue du Village 63, 1874 Champéry

French

English



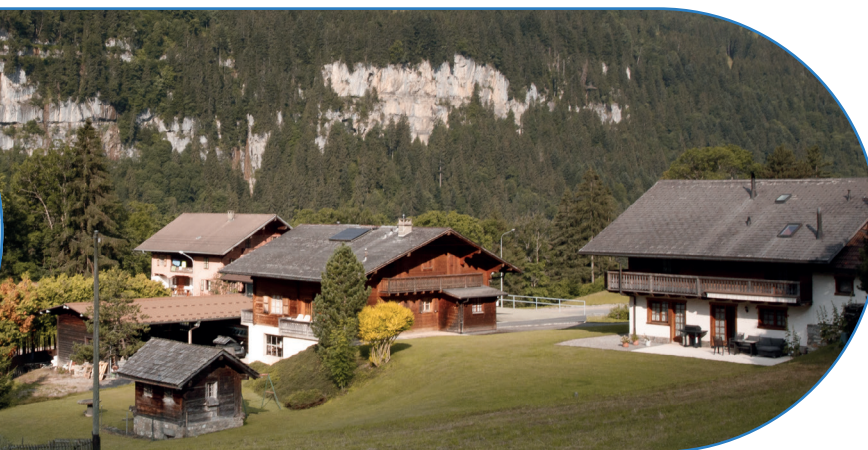
[AN EXCEPTIONAL SETTING]

CERAN Academy Switzerland welcomes its students in an exceptional chalet located in the heart of the Alps. The resort of Champéry, 50 minutes from Lausanne and 1h15 from Geneva, will host the students during their entire stay. Comfort and nature combine to offer students a memorable experience !

Dates 2023

July 02 - 29

English
French



TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The easiest way to get to the site is via the airport or the train station in Geneva or Lausanne. A group transfer is available for arrival on Sunday at a specific time and departure on Saturday at 9am (143CHF one way). It will also be possible to choose an individual transfer (430CHF one way).



Switzerland

Fees*

for 2 weeks all inclusive**

Intensive & Adventure	4 875 CHF
Extra week	2 437 CHF
2 extra individual lessons per week	165 CHF
Booking fee (non refundable)	75 CHF
Serenity package (recommended)	75 CHF

*7.7% local VAT included

**Minimum stay of 2 weeks

Belgium

Fees*

for 1 week all inclusive

Intensive	1690€
Intensive + 2**	1850€
Intensive + 4**	2010€
Language + SPORT	2055€
2 extra individual lessons per week	160€
Booking fee (non refundable)	75€
Serenity package (recommended)	75€

*VAT not included

**+2 or +4 indicates the number of individual lessons per week added to the Intensive programme

We recommend that you take an international insurance.
The **CERAN Academy** does not offer this service.

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agnes_vdb great week, thank you so much !

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YOUNG ADULTS PROGRAMME

From 18 to 25 years old

CERAN Academy offers young people aged 18 to 25 intensive language courses during the summer. The course takes place in Belgium, at the Château du Haut-Neubois in Spa. The **YOUNG ADULTS** programme allows students to improve their command of English or French in an intensive and rapid manner. This immersion and multicultural experience offers them the opportunity to develop effective communication skills in everyday life, present themselves and their academic or professional project, debate using different arguments, prepare for an interview or an entrance exam to a higher education institution.

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CERAN Academy offers 2 weeks of continuous residential immersion training, with alternating learning, communication (breaks, meals, evenings), networking, sports and cultural activities.

Daily programme

- 3 oral communication activities
- 2 written communication activities
- 1 multimedia session
- 1 workshop on specific challenges
- 1 debate on current affairs
- 1 themed evening activity
- 2 sports, cultural and leisure activities
- breakfast, 2 breaks, 1 lunch debate and dinner led by a trainer

2 days of excursions and leisure activities at the weekend between the 2 weeks of training.

Dates and Fees*

July 02 to 14	English
July 16 to 28	French
Young Adults - summer (2 week)	4450€
Young Adults - the rest of the year (week)	2550€
Booking fee (non refundable)	75€
Serenity package (recommended)	150€

*VAT not included

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There is the possibility of joining **the programmes for adults over 25 (EXECUTIVES)** for the rest of the year for periods of at least one week and in different languages. Please contact us for more information.





[LEARN ALL YEAR ROUND]

CERAN Academy also offers individual online courses throughout the year, from Monday to Friday. In blocks of 10 to 20 hours, any young person can benefit from the **CERAN** methodology and content, which is tailor-made to meet their needs and availability.

3 programmes available

First steps in the language

- **Discovering** the language
- **Reducing** apprehension about oral communication
- **Interacting** in everyday situations (introducing oneself, asking and answering simple questions, talking about one's interests...)

Maintenance and development of language skills

- **Acquire** greater fluency and spontaneity
- **Participate** actively in general or specific conversations
- **Express** opinions with nuance and in a structured way
- **Put into practice** current academic knowledge

Academic support and exam preparation

- **Approach** school work in a calm and structured manner (summaries, articles, understanding of literary texts, current affairs, videos, etc.)
- **Targeted** exam preparation in line with needs (IELTS, TOEFL, Cambridge Certificate, TestDaf, DELE, DALF...)
- **Prepare** a study abroad programme

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