

# ENGLISH NEWSLETTER

*Term 1 2025 Newsletter*

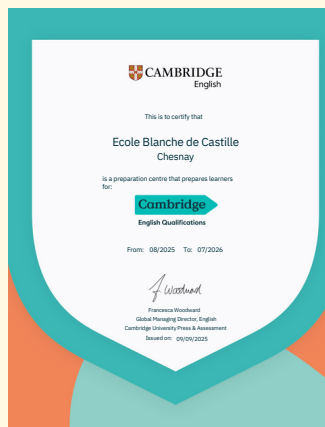


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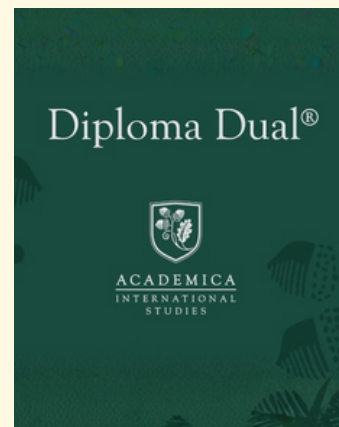
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On arrival and before heading off to the host families in Maidstone, the pupils took a rapid detour to the Docklands Museum London.

They were then treated to a guided tour of Senlac Hill in Battle, a walking tour of Rochester, a guided tour of Canterbury and Canterbury Cathedral and on the way back to France, Leeds Castle and its fantastic maze. Oh, and let's not forget the afternoon tea in Rochester! Delicious !

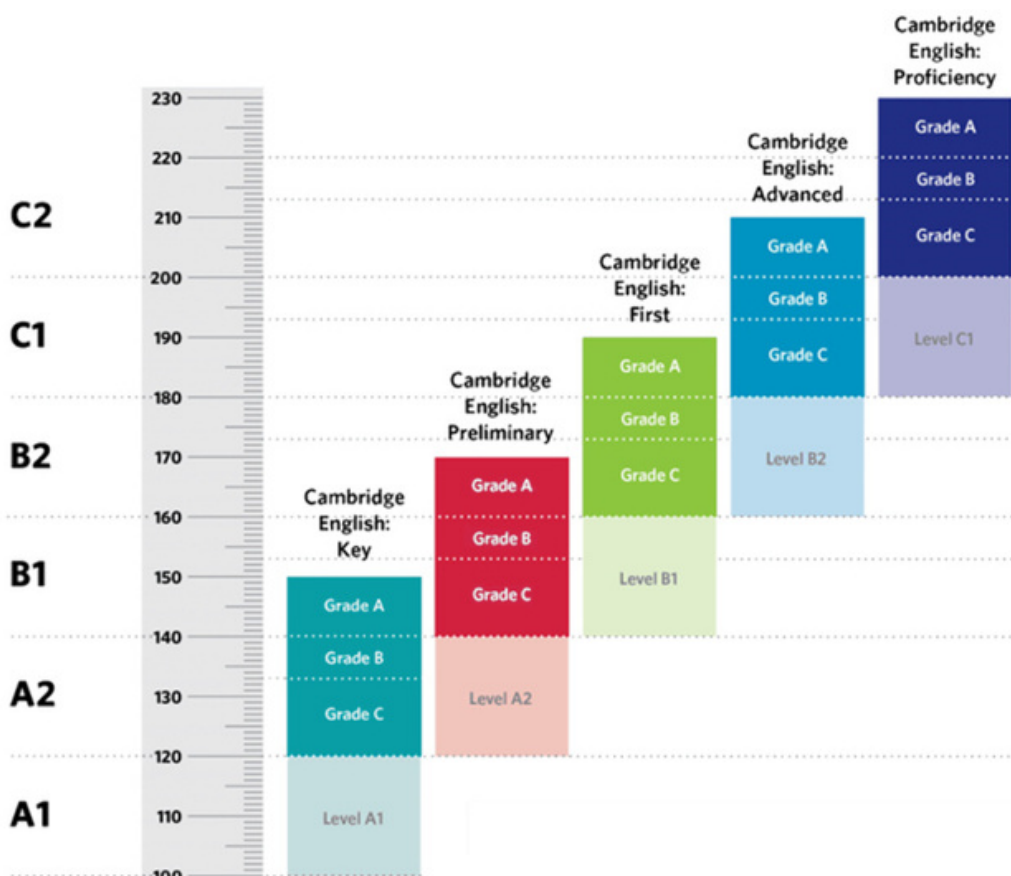




# CAMBRIDGE CERTIFICATION OPTION

**Blanche is a Gold Centre for Cambridge exams** and pupils have started their programmes to prepare for the internationally recognised Cambridge Assessment English examinations from A2 Key to C2 Proficiency.

The Year 13 Advanced group will be kicking off proceedings with their C1 exams on Saturday 29 November! Good luck to everyone!



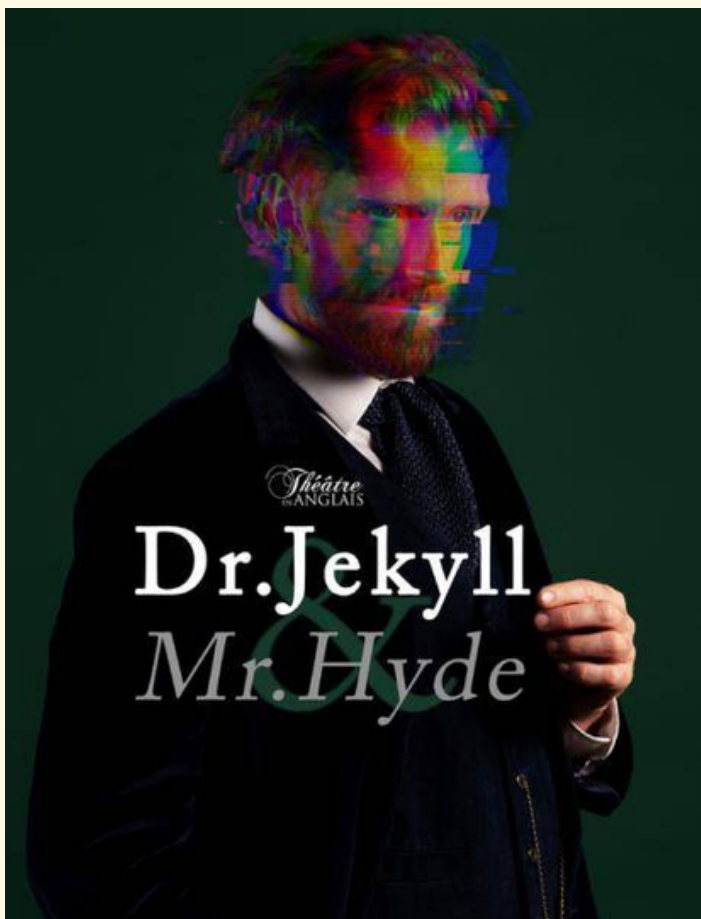


# ACADEMICA DUAL DIPLOMA

This year, Blanche de Castille became a registered centre for the preparation of the Académica Dual Diploma which allows pupils to obtain the US High School Diploma at the same time as their French baccalaureat.

Congratulations to our 53 Dual Diploma New Students in Years 10 and 11 who passed the Admission Test and began their courses in October !

And off we go again for our three Returning Students in Première and Terminale who started this year's courses in September.



## ALL ENGLISH LANGUAGE OPTIONS : PLAYS IN ENGLISH

**On Monday 24th November**, pupils in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 in the European Section, doing the Cambridge option and in the Bilingual Section are invited to the theatre !

Indeed, a theatre company is coming to Blanche again this year and the younger pupils will see Alice in Wonderland, while the older pupils will see Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde. Both plays in English of course !