



WELCOME PROGRAM

WELCOME TO YOUR NEW HOME!

We are very happy to welcome you to CESI Nanterre for this new academic adventure!

This welcome program has been specially designed to help you find your bearings, discover the campus and the city, meet other students, and start your stay in France in the best possible way. The entire CESI team is here to support you !

Weeks of September 1--14

SEPTEMBER 1-5, FROM 12:00 TO 2:00 PM

International Welcome Desk– open daily at the Student Office (Nanterre 1, ground floor)
Come ask your questions, pick up useful information, or simply stop by to say hello!

SEPTEMBER 3 AT 2:00 PM



Discover Nanterre city center, La Défense area & campus tour

Explore useful shops, the nearest pharmacy, the best local cinema, and the most student-friendly supermarket!

➤ *Sign-up required – visit our website to [register!](#)*

SEPTEMBER 7 FROM 2:00 PM

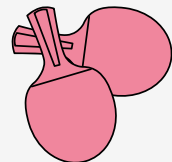
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Cultural outing – Paris museums

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SEPTEMBER 11 FROM 1:30 PM



Games afternoon & ping-pong tournament

Organized in collaboration with the [CESI International Club](#) – come relax and meet new people!

Week of September 15-21

SEPTEMBER 15-19, FROM 12:00 TO 2:00 PM

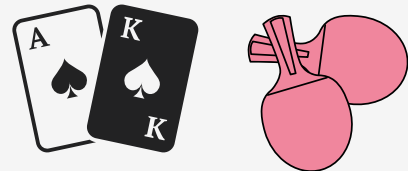
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SEPTEMBER 16 AT 5:00 PM

Discover Nanterre city center and La Défense area
(Same tour as on September 3 – perfect if you missed it!)
➤ *Sign-up required – visit our website to register!*

SEPTEMBER 18 FROM 1:30 PM



Games afternoon & ping-pong tournament
Another chance to play and meet new friends!



Week of September 22-28

25 SEPTEMBER

1:30 PM – Welcome presentation in French

Information on administrative procedures, meet the CESI teams, and Q&A session.

2:30 PM – Welcome presentation in English

Same content, for non-French speakers.



SEPTEMBER 27 FROM 12:00 PM

Picnic (weather permitting) & Montmartre tour

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OCTOBER 9 - NANTERRE 2 (GROUND FLOOR) - FROM 12:30 PM

Student clubs & associations fair

A great opportunity to discover CESI student life and join a club or association that suits you!



Not to be missed in September

Paris & Nanterre

European Heritage Days – September 20 & 21

Once a year, France opens the doors of museums, monuments, and historic or official buildings, many of which are usually closed to the public — and it's free! A great opportunity to discover the country's rich cultural and historical heritage.



- Check out the full program [HERE](#).

Nanterre Sports Associations Fair – September 6

Come and discover the city's sports clubs and register for the activity of your choice: football, climbing, yoga, dance, and much more!



- More info [HERE](#)

City of Nanterre – Events Calendar

Find all upcoming local events: concerts, exhibitions, festivals, shows, and more.

- Click [HERE](#)



Welcome Desk Paris – for International Students

The City of Paris welcomes you with a help desk for international students, offering administrative support and practical information to start your student life in France.

- Toutes les infos [ICI](#)



What's on in Paris & Île-de-France – September

Don't miss out on cultural events, exhibitions, shows, and the latest happenings around the region.

- See what's on [HERE](#)

