

YOUNG LEARNERS PROGRAM	
Sunday 23 August to Saturday 29 August 2026	
DAY 1	
Sunday 23 August 2026 Arrival Cairns International Airport	
Met at the airport by YouSTUDY staff and Homestay family. Spend day with Homestay Family, Meals Lunch and Dinner	
DAY 2	
Monday 24 August 2026 - First Day Orientation, English Class, Learn About Aboriginal Culture	
08.15 – 08.30am	Host family drops off student at YouSTUDY International College
08.30am – 12.30pm	Morning Orientation and English Classes
12.30pm - 1pm 1pm - 4.30pm	Afternoon Lunch (Host family to provide lunch) Activity: Discover Aboriginal Culture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • hands-on Dreamtime storytelling circle, learn about local traditions, creation stories, and the cultural significance of the Dreamtime. • boomerang-painting workshop using traditional techniques and symbols • learn basic greetings and words in the local Aboriginal language and practice these through simple songs or games.
5.00pm	Picked up by homestay family Overnight Homestay- Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner
DAY 3	
Tuesday 25 August 2026 - English Class and Visit Cairns Aquarium and Turtle Hospital	
08.15 – 08.30am	Host family drops off student at YouSTUDY International College
08.30am -11.30am 11.30am – 12noon	Morning English Classes Lunch (Host family to provide lunch)
12.00 – 12.15pm 12.30 – 1.00pm 1.00 – 3.00pm 3.15 – 3.30pm 3.30 – 4.30pm 5.00pm	Afternoon Activity: Cairns Aquarium Walk to Cairns Aquarium Turtle Rehabilitation Centre Tour Cairns Aquarium Tour Walk to YouSTUDY International College Activity – Review of Great Barrier Reef Animals and habitat Picked up by homestay family Overnight Homestay- Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

DAY 4	
Wednesday 26 August 2026 - Full day excursion to Green Island	
08:15 am	Host families drop off at Reef Fleet Terminal (Big Cat)
Full Day 08:30am to 5pm	Activity – Green Island Day Trip with Great Adventures Includes ferry transfers, glass-bottom boat tour, reef presentation and access to Green Island beaches and boardwalks. 9.30am Arrive Green Island 10.30am Glass Bottom Boat tour, approximately 30 minutes 11.40am Reef Presentation 12.10pm Island Walk - join the knowledgeable Reef Bio search marine biologist 12.45pm - 1.30pm Free time for lunch (provided by Homestay) 1.30pm - Free time on Island. (View the displays/shops, go for a swim in the pool) 4.00pm Board boat for return to Cairns 4.30pm Depart Green Island for Cairns, arrival time back into Cairns at approximately 5:20pm.
5.30pm	Host families pick up at Reef Fleet Terminal Overnight Homestay- Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner
DAY 5	
Thursday 27 August 2026 – English Class and Koala Experience	
08.15 – 08.30am	Host family drops off student at YouSTUDY International College
08.30am-12noon	Morning - English Classes
12noon – 1pm 1pm – 4.30pm	Afternoon Lunch (Host family to provide lunch) Activity: Visit Koalas and Creatures Walk to the Pier for an education session with animal keeper, learn about and view reptiles, photo taken with a Koala, visit the science water zone Outdoor English lesson at Lagoon Return to YouSTUDY International College at 16:30 Picked up by homestay family
5.00pm	Overnight Homestay- Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner
DAY 6	
Friday 28 August 2026 -English Class, Farewell Australian BBQ & City Tour	
08.15 – 08.30am	Host family drops off student at YouSTUDY International College
08.30am-12noon	Morning - English Classes
12noon – 12.15pm 12.15pm – 1.30pm 1.30pm – 3.30pm	Afternoon Walk to Esplanade Activity: Farewell BBQ at the lagoon (provided by YouSTUDY) Tour of city including Rusty’s Markets and souvenir shops Return to YouSTUDY International College
4pm – 5pm	Final games and activities based on Australian culture and wildlife Presentation of Certificates, Homestay family invited
5pm – 5.15pm	Picked up by homestay family at YouSTUDY Overnight Homestay; Breakfast/Dinner
DAY 7	
Saturday 29 August 2026 - Departure Day	
	Host family to provide breakfast and transfer student to Airport YouSTUDY staff members will be at the airport to assist with check-in for the return flight home.