

BILINGUAL PROGRAM IN HUNGARY

We offer a special opportunity to attend an **international private school** in the capital city, where students are placed in bilingual (English-Hungarian) classes. During this special exchange year, you can easily improve your language skills and meet many international students!

About the school

Students of the bilingual program attend the **Orchidea International School**, which is located in Budapest. In this school, most of the subjects are in English and students will participate in Hungarian as a foreign language courses too.





YFU Hungary is very proud

of this partnership with Orchidea, because we share the same values and work towards the same goals: to create a more inclusive and tolerant society, a better and more peaceful world. We completely agree with their philosophy: **"The diversity of people and cultures enriches each of us."**

Orchidea focuses on student-centered education which

motivates and inspires students to develop their capacity to

the fullest. They provide a creative and encouraging environment that helps students become exemplary citizens of their country.



About the experience



"I chose the bilingual program to **practice and improve** my English skills. My family supported this idea and they were happy to see that I learned a lot and used the English language more. I really enjoyed the international school, because I **made friends from many nationalities**. The school also taught us Hungarian, but it was a bit difficult, sometimes we ended up speaking in English instead. It was **challenging**, but also **fun**. My host family was very nice and kind. We did many things together, e.g. cooking, playing board games, go walking, playing with cats and they

also helped me **learn the Hungarian language**. During the program, I always had something fun to do. I even did things that I had never done before! It was very exciting to experience the **Hungarian culture**, and to travel abroad. I will never forget my bilingual exchange year, it was a **once in a lifetime opportunity!**" **Panalee (Thailand), 2019-2020**







For more information about an exchange year in Hungary, please contact your national YFU organization.