

ENGLISH



GENERAL ENGLISH AND ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES AND IELTS PREPARATION COURSES

- > Professional instruction by native English speakers
- > Well equipped campus in the heart of Sydney
- > Activity programs, accommodation, counselling and other support services
- > Our students have gone on to leading universities and have promising careers in Australia and overseas



**WE MAKE IT
POSSIBLE**

COURSE INFORMATION

All courses include face-to-face teaching, supervised self-access study and field trips.

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

The emphasis is on communication. Students will have the opportunity to practise what is taught through the use of task-based learning activities. The focus for course content is provided by weekly themes and topics. These provide a framework around which coursework – particularly vocabulary building and the development of the macroskills of speaking, listening, reading and writing – is structured.

COURSE DELIVERY & ASSESSMENT METHODS

A placement test is usually conducted on the first day. Formal assessment of student achievement is conducted every fortnight of the programme. Each of the macroskills is assessed separately and students are assessed on their range and control of the language in appropriate contexts. The types of assessments include multiple choice, fill-in-the-blank questions, writing of various types of texts, short answer questions and paired interviews among others. Students receive detailed feedback on their progress on a fortnightly basis. Our assessment system enables us to give students targeted remedial help in their identified weaknesses.

RESOURCES AND FACILITIES

We offer modern facilities, including audio-visual equipment and internet access. Being in the centre of the Sydney CBD, we are very well served by public transport and are close to public libraries. The student lounge is well equipped (microwave ovens, vending machines, computers with (free) internet access, etc.)

WELFARE AND GUIDANCE SERVICES

Counselling services are available to assist students on education issues as well as matters concerning adjustment to life in Australia. We have policies and procedures in place to assist students with their special and individual needs or with learning difficulties.

Now I feel much more confident with my English.

– Edward Wah, Fiji

The teachers were very friendly and helpful.

– Lucia Surleanu, Romania

OTHER FEES

Administration Fee (Non-refundable):

> **A\$ 200**

Confirmation of Enrolment Fee (Non-refundable):

> **A\$ 20** for a course no longer than 12 months

> **A\$ 40** for a course longer than 12 months

Material Fees (Vary by course length and level. Fees are subject to change)

> **A\$ 75**

TYPICAL TIMETABLE - MONDAYS TO THURSDAYS

MORNINGS*

8:30am - 10:00am	Session 1
10:00am - 10:30am	Break
10:30am - 12:30pm	Session 2
12:30pm - 1:00pm	Break
1:00pm - 2:30pm	Session 3

EVENINGS*

4:30pm - 6:30pm	Session 1
6:30pm - 7:00pm	Break
7:00pm - 10:00pm	Session 2

*Availability depends on enrolments. Where an enrolment is accepted for a particular stream and that stream is discontinued, the student will be offered a place in an alternative stream. If that is not acceptable, the student will receive a refund in respect of studies not yet undertaken.

GENERAL ENGLISH

CRICOS Course Code 0101722



	Description	Duration	Entry Level	Pathway*	Tuition Fee
Beginner	This course is for students who do not meet the entry level for the Elementary course.	10 weeks (20 hours per week)	Below IELTS 3.5 or as assessed by AOE	General English (Elementary to Pre-Intermediate)	A\$ 350 per week
Elementary to Pre-Intermediate	This course aims to provide students with the general English language skills required to engage effectively in routine forms of social interaction such as maintaining a conversation on a topic of general interest, writing a short informal letter on a topic of mutual interest and giving advice on simple procedures.	20 weeks (20 hours per week)	IELTS 3.5 (minimum 3.0 for writing) or AOE General English (Beginner) or as assessed by AOE	General English (Intermediate to Upper-Intermediate) or EAP/IELTS (Intermediate)	A\$ 350 per week
Intermediate to Upper-Intermediate	This course aims to provide students with the general English language skills required to engage effectively in advanced forms of social interaction and to effectively negotiate meaning in more complex contexts.	20 weeks (20 hours per week)	IELTS 4.5 (minimum 4.0 for writing) or AOE General English (Pre-Intermediate) or as assessed by AOE	EAP/IELTS (Advanced) or Senior High School or vocational courses	A\$ 350 per week
Advanced	This course aims to provide students with the general English skills to engage and communicate effectively in a broad range of contexts such as formal, informal and academic registers, have a deeper appreciation and understanding of the cultural dimension of contexts of language interaction.	10 weeks (20 hours per week)	IELTS 5.5 (minimum 5.0 for writing) or AOE General English (Upper-Intermediate) or as assessed by AOE	Vocational courses or undergraduate programs	A\$ 350 per week

ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES AND IELTS PREPARATION

CRICOS Course Code 0101723

	Description	Duration	Entry Level	Pathway*	Tuition Fee
Intermediate	This course is for students who are already competent users of English who wish to develop their command of English in a more academic context and develop skills needed for undertaking an IELTS exam at the Intermediate or equivalent 5.0 IELTS level of English.	10 weeks (20 hours per week)	Academic IELTS 4.5 (minimum 4.0 for writing)	EAP/IELTS (Upper-Intermediate), High School or further studies in other subjects at this level that require an IELTS Academic score of 5.0.	A\$ 350 per week
Upper-Intermediate	This course is for students who are already competent users of English who wish to develop their command of English in a more academic context and develop skills needed for undertaking an IELTS exam at the Upper-Intermediate or equivalent 5.5 IELTS level of English.	10 weeks (20 hours per week)	Academic IELTS 5.0 (minimum 4.5 for writing) or EAP/IELTS Preparation (Intermediate) or as assessed by AOE	EAP/IELTS (Advanced), vocational courses, or further studies in other subjects that require an IELTS Academic score of 5.5.	A\$ 350 per week
Advanced	This course is for students who are already competent users of English who wish to develop their command of English in a more academic context and develop skills needed for undertaking an IELTS exam at the Advanced or equivalent 6.0 - 7.0 IELTS level of English.	10 weeks (20 hours per week)	Academic IELTS 5.5 (minimum 5.0 for writing) or EAP/IELTS Preparation (Upper-Intermediate) or as assessed by AOE	Vocational, Higher Education or further studies in other subjects that require an IELTS Academic scores of 6.0 (Advanced I), 6.5 (Advanced II) or 7.0 (Advanced III).	A\$ 350 per week

START DATES

General English and EAP / IELTS Preparation

Classes run every week (Except for the two weeks over the Christmas/New Year holidays)

* Articulation and other arrangements are also in place with a number of universities and other educational institutions. Please go to www.academies.edu.au for more information.

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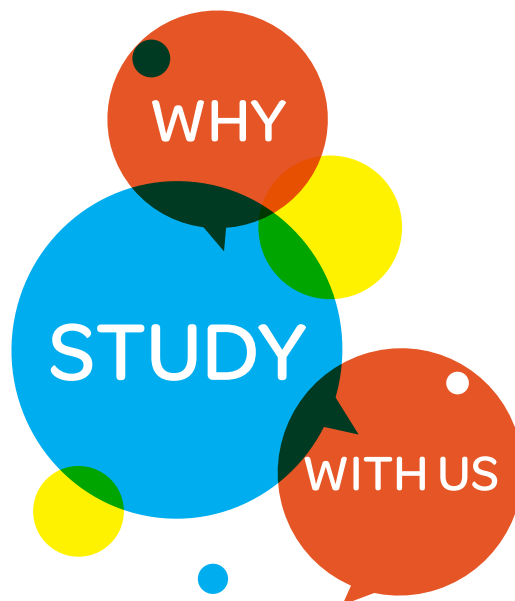
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