



**English  
Language  
Company**

*Sydney, Australia*



*English  
made  
easy*

A young man and woman are sitting at a wooden table in a library, smiling and talking. The man is wearing a white t-shirt and the woman is wearing a black sleeveless top. In the background, there are bookshelves, a large yellow mural of a person, and a red banner with white text. A dark grey diagonal banner is overlaid on the bottom right of the image.

## **Welcome to ELC**

Living and studying in another country can be a life-changing and unforgettable experience. So, choosing where to study is a big decision. To help you make the right choice here are just some reasons why students choose ELC to help them succeed in their studies or careers.





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THE BEST CITIES  
IN THE WORLD



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# Live in one of the best cities in the world

Sydney is consistently rated as one of the world's best destinations for international students.



Zehra Güneş, Turkey

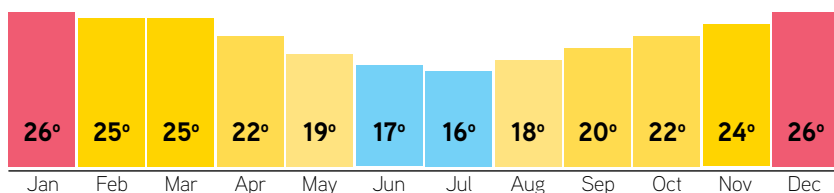
## Live in sunny Sydney

Sydney is the largest and most cosmopolitan city in Australia but it's also beautiful, safe and clean. It has a lively city centre and great nightlife. Sydney is a large city but you can go surfing, scuba-diving, bushwalking or just relax on the beach – all within the Sydney metropolitan area. Very importantly, our students always find the people very friendly and welcoming.

The climate is great with hot summers and mild winters so it's easy to enjoy the outdoors.

*"I have been studying at ELC in Sydney for 6 months and I really feel at home here! The school is close to everything and the staff organise a lot of activities which help us discover the city. All my teachers are fantastic: they have passion about teaching English. I am very happy I chose ELC and I'd like to thank all my teachers and staff in the school."*

## What's the weather like?



## Study in the heart of the city

You'll be studying right in the city centre:

- > 4-minute walk to the main train and metro station
- > 5-minute walk to the light rail stops
- > 2-10-minute walk to the bus stops
- > 8-minute walk to World Square, one of Sydney's premiere shopping centres
- > 10-minute walk to Darling Harbour
- > 8-minute by train to the Opera House
- > Close to city centre cafes, restaurants, bars and cinemas
- > 10-minute walk to Sydney's main theatre





# Study at Australia's most awarded English school

STM Lifetime Super Star Award  
– Southern Hemisphere



## Multi award-winning English school

ELC is a multi-award-winning English language school. In the Study Travel Magazine awards (this is the Oscars for schools!) ELC has won the prestigious award 'Star Language School, Southern Hemisphere' 5 times and is the only school in Australia to have achieved "Lifetime Super Star" status.

ELC is also proud to consistently achieve certificate of excellence status and feature in best school awards lists from our agency partners around the world every year.



## Accredited & quality assured

We're fully-accredited by the Australian government and quality-endorsed so you can be confident that you will receive the very best education and service.





EXCELLENT  
TEACHING AND  
INTERESTING  
LESSONS



COMFORTABLE  
STUDENT  
LOUNGES AND  
GREAT LEARNING  
ENVIRONMENT



OUR STUDENT  
EXPERIENCE TEAM  
WILL ENSURE  
YOU HAVE A  
GREAT TIME



FANTASTIC  
NATIONALITY MIX  
AND FRIENDS  
FROM AROUND THE  
WORLD



# Your ELC experience



*ELC was founded and is operated by teachers, so we know what it takes to make a great school - engaging courses; excellent teachers; personal attention and lots of activities to choose from! All of this shared with students from around the world and delivered by people who are passionate about what they do. ELC is a fun school that is serious about learning!*

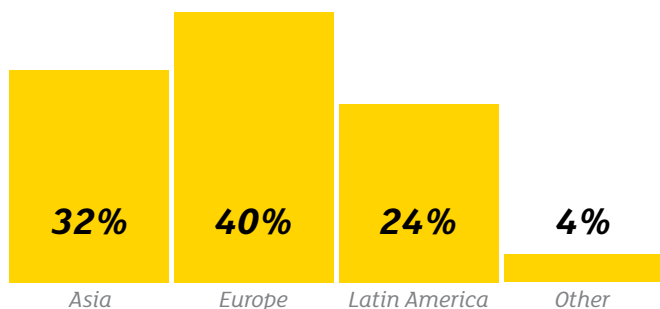
## Learn in a great environment

Comfortable, well-equipped classrooms and collaborative learning spaces create an effective learning environment. Our unique eat, meet and speak spaces are the perfect places to break out and use your English.

- › 24 bright and large well-equipped classrooms
- › 2 comfortable student common areas
- › Chill spaces for quiet learning, reading or relaxing
- › Kitchen and dining area
- › Quiet study room with computer access
- › Information and travel desks
- › Free WiFi

## Fantastic nationality mix

ELC students come from over 50 countries so you will have to speak English to communicate and it'll be easy to make lifelong friends from around the world.



Average nationality mix of daytime classes.



## Excellent teachers

Our students consistently rate ELC teachers as excellent. All teachers are qualified and experienced with university degrees and specialist TESOL qualifications.

They will deliver lessons that are engaging and fun and relevant to your daily life. They'll also make sure that you get personal attention in class and through tutorials to make sure that you make maximum progress in your English.

## Student support

ELC has dedicated professional and friendly staff who are there to support you and ensure you have the best experience possible.

They can help you with academic matters but also your accommodation, transport, medical care, travel or just general everyday life in Sydney.







# English made easy



*Studying abroad is a once in a lifetime opportunity for you to accelerate your learning and progress to the level you want to achieve. It may seem difficult, but it's our job to make it easy! So how do we do it?*

## **The right level for you**

Before you arrive or on your first day at ELC you'll take a placement test. You'll also have a spoken interview so we can place you in the class that's right for you. You'll then choose your elective classes which are also streamed by level.

## **Our methodology**

You will have many opportunities to communicate throughout the lesson with your teacher and classmates. Your teacher will use a variety of approaches to present and practise language and skills in real-world contexts.

## **Collaborative learning**

Our classrooms and learning spaces have been specifically designed to facilitate communication and comfort and give you variety in your learning day.

## **Learning and technology**

Lessons are all face-to-face but teachers use the latest digital resources to ensure that your lessons are varied, up-to-date and dynamic. You can also access free online lessons to complete in your own time if you want.

## **Fast pace, maximum progress**

Our classes are intensive but it's the whole experience that will ensure that your English improves a lot in a short time. Speaking English all day, taking part in our activities around Sydney, socialising with your classmates will all assist your progress.

## **Customised courses**

We offer a range of major English courses which are complemented by your choice of electives so that you can learn exactly what you need. Choose your core course when you enrol and then the electives once you are at ELC. It's easy!

## **Assessment methods**

You'll take weekly short progress tests to revise what you've just studied. You'll also take language and skills tests in the middle and at the end of each level of your course to assess your progress and ensure that you are on track to achieving your study goals.

## **Optional activities, classes and workshops**

On Fridays we offer a range of classes and activities you can join. They are the perfect opportunity to do the things that interest you most and which are the most relevant to you.

## **Coursebook to keep**

On the first day of your new class and if you change course or level, you'll be given a coursebook. This is your choice of paperback or e-book. We think that it is important that classes follow a coursebook to give their program structure and for you to use as a reference in the future.

## **Small classes**

We have small classes so that you can get the attention you need. Our maximum class size is 16 students with an average of 13.

## **Study plans**

Longer term students are encouraged to attend our course options seminars and draw up an individualised plan of study with our senior academic team. We discuss your goals and help you plan your route to them, including which electives and English Extras discuss to choose as well as any external examinations.

## **Certificates and level records**

On your last day you'll receive a certificate. This is a record of the course(s) you completed at ELC, which you can show to prospective employers or higher education institutes. You'll also receive a record of your current level of language proficiency when you complete a level/course.

# Your Australian experience



Outside of class time, you'll be immersed in English and have the chance to make new friends, do amazing things and discover Australian life. Our dedicated student experience team are here to help you achieve this. As soon as you start your course, you'll have the opportunity to join excursions and events organised by the school, to plan and book onwards travel, as well as to meet new people and open up to new experiences.

## Enjoy Sydney

### SOCIAL, CULTURAL AND SPORTING ACTIVITIES

Every week ELC students meet after school for our new student welcome. This is a great opportunity to get to know your classmates. Then every week and weekend we organise great things for you to do to ensure that you make the most of your time with ELC!

- › Museums, exhibitions and galleries
- › Beach barbecues
- › Parties and bars
- › Sightseeing trips
- › Excursions
- › Soccer, beach volleyball, surfing

## Explore Australia

### TRAVEL DESK

Australia is a fantastic place to travel with amazing sights and experiences, good accommodation and transport. Check out the travel desk at school and gather information on the best places to go and book your trips and tours at exclusive prices. Or come along to our free presentations on Australia's best destinations.

## Find yourself

### STUDENT EXPERIENCE TEAM

Always wanted to learn to scuba-dive? Love to take up paddle boarding? Keep up your soccer skills. Take up pilates. Volunteer your time. Let our student experience team know what you're interested in and we'll connect you to the clubs, places, classes and people to make it happen.



# English Plus Packages



Package your English language course with one of the following bundles of activities:

## English Plus Discovery

### HAVE UNFORGETTABLE ADVENTURES

Experience the beauty of New South Wales and discover Sydney's iconic landmarks.

You will:

- > Immerse yourself in Australian culture
- > Take memorable day trips and enjoy some of the best sights and experiences in New South Wales
- > Get the chance to visit Sydney's top attractions

The program includes:

- > Four weekend daytrips around NSW
- > Four Sydney must-visit attractions

## English Plus Surfing

### EXPERIENCE AUSSIE BEACH LIFE

Dive into Aussie culture and learn to catch the perfect wave under the beautiful Sydney sunshine.

You will:

- > Learn to surf in the iconic Sydney & soak up the Aussie surf culture
- > Discover Sydney's most famous and hidden surf spots
- > Raise your awareness of marine conservation

The program includes:

- > 16 hrs of surf lessons (8 x 2-hour)
- > A full weekend surf camp
- > A full day surf trip
- > All surf equipment hire

## English Plus Yoga

### DEVELOP IN MIND AND BODY

Make the most of your time in beautiful Sydney to unwind and recharge.

You will:

- > Reduce stress and enhance your wellbeing, while cultivating inner peace and mindfulness
- > Improve your flexibility, strength and balance
- > Deepen your knowledge of holistic practices

The program includes:

- > Unlimited yoga classes at local yoga studio (Monday to Sunday)
- > Online Wellbeing course: a life InYoga
- > One night stay at yoga retreat Centre in Royal National Park
- > Equipment hire

*NB: These activities are scheduled over a period of 4 weeks. Minimum 4-week enrolment into one of ELC's daytime courses is required.*



YOUR CHOICE  
OF QUALITY  
ACCOMMODATION  
OPTIONS TO SUIT  
YOUR LIFESTYLE



### *Homestay*

LIVE AND  
LEARN WITH AN  
AUSTRALIAN  
FAMILY



### *Premium Student Residences*

QUALITY  
MODERN LIVING  
SPACES FOR  
STUDENTS



### *Student houses & apartments*

SHARE AN  
APARTMENT  
WITH OTHER  
STUDENTS





# Choose your new home



*We have a choice of quality accommodation to suit your preferences and budget. All of our accommodation options will give you a comfortable and safe environment where you can feel at home.*

## Homestay

Stay with one of our friendly families and you will experience typical Australian life.

- › Carefully selected families, with a genuine desire to welcome you
- › Comfortable and clean homes
- › Close to public transport
- › Fully-furnished single room
- › Breakfast and dinner are shared with the family (also lunch at the weekend)

## Student houses & apartments

Share a house or apartment with other international students in a convenient location.

- › Modern accommodation, well-equipped and comfortable
- › Conveniently located, either close to public transport or walking distance to the school
- › Single or twin rooms
- › Share the living and kitchen areas and bathrooms with your housemates
- › TV, laundry and free WiFi

## Premium Student Residences

Live in a large, modern student residence with great on-site facilities in a central location.

- › Share a premium apartment with other ELC students, within a large student residence
- › Stay in a fully-furnished ensuite single room with your own desk, large window and high speed WiFi
- › Share the modern and fully-equipped living and kitchen areas with 4-5 flatmates
- › Large, communal social area, outdoor terrace, gym, cinema room, games room, laundry and 24/7 security
- › All rooms are equipped with air-conditioning
- › Scape Quay Street Residence: Located in the heart of Sydney, only a 10-minute walk to school
- › Iglu Chatswood Residence: Located only a 20-minute train ride to the city and ELC



**Airport  
Welcome**

We can arrange to meet you at the airport and take you to your accommodation.



# We can help you find work



*Whether you want to work your way around Australia, find part-time work in Sydney or improve your future career opportunities we can help.*

## Why students who want to work and study choose ELC

1. Our city centre location (opposite the main train station) makes it easy for you to travel between work and school.
2. Our day and evening schedules are timed to allow day students to finish in time to go to work and evening students to travel from work to school.
3. Our Work Ready program is available to all students for free when you start at the school and our work coordinator is available to advise you.



## Did you know that in Australia:

- > Student visa-holders can work for up to 48 hours per fortnight.
- > Working holiday visa-holders can work part-time while studying or full-time after their course for the duration of their visa.



## Work Ready

We provide a free service to help you find casual work if you have a student or working holiday visa.

### WORK ORIENTATION

When you start at ELC you can take our free online course 'Getting a job in Australia' and you'll:

- > Find out where to look for work and how to apply
- > Prepare your resume
- > Practise your interview skills
- > Learn about your rights as an employee.

### WORK PREPARATION

In order to make sure that your English is up to the job you can attend Work Ready lessons every second Monday. Topics include:

- > Resumes
- > Job interviews
- > Working in a restaurant

### WORK SUPPORT

For more personal support you can:

- > Give your resume to our Work Coordinator for correction
- > Get help completing a job application
- > Discuss a work contract with our Work Coordinator.



## WORK & TRAVEL AROUND AUSTRALIA



## GAIN PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE



## WORK AND LIVE WITH AN AUSSIE FAMILY



## GET INVOLVED IN CARING FOR OUR NATIVE WILDLIFE



## Work and Travel

Your first step towards a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to become fluent and accurate in English and work and travel in Australia.

### What is Work and Travel Company (WTC)?

WTC is a dedicated Working Holiday (WH) agency offering a comprehensive package of services to meet all the needs of WH visitors to Australia - including access to casual jobs which help students fund their travel around Australia.

### What's included?

- > Bank account opening
- > Tax File number application
- > Tax Support
- > SIM card on arrival
- > Extensive job database access
- > Expert advice
- > Travelling & living support

### Main requirements

- > Hold a working holiday visa (subclass 417 or 462)
- > Minimum 4-week-course at ELC
- > Minimum upper intermediate level upon completion of English course
- > This program can only be booked before arrival in Australia

## Professional Internship

A professional internship in Australia will help you to develop the skills and knowledge required for success in your career.

### You will

- > Gain valuable experience within your field
- > Develop English skills essential for the global workplace
- > Improve your career opportunities
- > Internationalise your resume

### Internships are available in

- > Finance & banking
- > Human resources
- > Web & graphic design
- > Administration
- > Tourism
- > Information technology
- > Marketing
- > Media
- > Plus many more

### Main requirements

- > Hold a working holiday visa (subclass 417 or 462) or be eligible for internship visa (special program visa)
- > Minimum 4-week-course at ELC
- > Minimum upper-intermediate level upon completion of English course
- > Some previous study and/or experience for most internship fields

## Au Pair and Demi Pair

This is a cultural experience in which in exchange for helping out with childcare or nanny duties and light housework, you are welcomed as a member of the family and offered meals & accommodation.

### You will

- > Experience the warmth of a home away from home
- > Discover the joy of cultural exchange
- > Be a big brother/sister
- > Have your own room and meals
- > Receive pocket money (au pair only)

### Your duties may include

- > Getting children ready for school
- > Preparing meals for the children
- > Taking children to/from school
- > Some light housework/shopping
- > Helping with homework and play
- > Babysitting

### Main requirements

- > Hold a student visa or a working holiday visa (subclass 500, 417 or 462)
- > Minimum 4-week course at ELC for au pair placement (min 12 weeks for demi pair placement)
- > Minimum intermediate level of spoken English
- > Non-smoker
- > Be prepared to commit to minimum 12 weeks with the family (min 24 weeks for au pair placement)

## Wildlife Volunteering

If you are an animal lover who also wants to discover rural Australia then this is the perfect program for you.

### You will

- > Help to protect Australian wildlife
- > Visit places tourists don't normally see, including remote areas
- > Have the chance to make a volunteer contribution, earn references and certificates

### Projects may include

- > Wildlife care & exercise
- > Harvesting & food collection
- > Food preparation & animal feeding
- > Enclosure maintenance & cleaning
- > Wildlife surveys & monitoring of animal behaviour

### Main requirements

- > Minimum 4-week-course at ELC
- > Minimum pre-intermediate level upon completion of English course
- > Be aged between 18-70 and have a reasonable level of fitness
- > No specific visa requirements (visitor visa holders welcome)

A background image showing a group of students in a classroom setting. A young man with glasses and a blue sweater is smiling and looking towards the right. Other students are partially visible in the foreground and background, some looking at papers or books. A large blue diagonal shape is overlaid on the top left of the image.

# Choose the right course for you

*There are five main course types for you to choose from when you enrol, depending on your main purpose in learning English. However, if you want to switch courses once you're studying with us you usually can, providing you have the right level. Students who study with us for a longer period of time usually combine a number of courses in our academic semester or year programs.*

## **Included in all courses**

- › Coursebook
- › Weekly progress tests
- › Tutorials
- › Certificate of completion & record of level

### **1. General English**

- › improve your communication skills and fluency
- › improve your English for a wide range of purposes like travel and work
- › improve your general all-round English before you specialise

### **2. General + Business English**

- › use English effectively in an international workplace
- › improve your English for business studies
- › gain an advantage in your career

### **3. Cambridge Exam Preparation Courses**

- › gain an internationally recognised qualification in English
- › do a high level, very thorough exam course

### **4. IELTS Exam Preparation**

- › prepare for the IELTS examination for general or migration purposes
- › prepare for the IELTS examination for university entry

### **5. English for Academic Purposes**

- › prepare for the demands of university or college studies in English
- › access one of our pathways to higher education in Australia
- › prepare for the IELTS examination for university entry



## Course level guidelines

| CEFR       | GENERAL ENGLISH COURSE       | GENERAL + BUSINESS ENGLISH | CAMBRIDGE ESOL | ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES | IELTS         | WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH EACH LEVEL OF ENGLISH                                                   |
|------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>C2</b>  |                              |                            | Proficiency    |                               |               | > Enter most undergraduate & postgraduate degrees                                            |
| <b>C1</b>  | ↑<br>5<br>Advanced           | Business English           | Advanced       | EAP 3                         | IELTS - 6.0 + | > Enter many undergraduate & postgraduate degrees<br>> Work professionally in English        |
| <b>B2</b>  | ↑<br>4<br>Upper Intermediate |                            | First          | EAP 2                         |               | > Enter some diploma and undergraduate courses<br>> Use English confidently in the workplace |
| <b>B1+</b> | ↑<br>3<br>Intermediate       |                            |                | EAP 1                         | IELTS - 5.5 + | > Enter most vocational courses<br>> Use English at work                                     |
| <b>B1</b>  | ↑<br>2<br>Pre-intermediate   |                            |                |                               |               | > Enter some vocational courses<br>> Use limited English at work                             |
| <b>A2</b>  | ↑<br>1<br>Elementary         |                            |                |                               |               |                                                                                              |

↑  
12 weeks

Each level takes approximately 12 weeks of full-time study to complete.

## Timetables

### DAY CLASSES

Our day classes are our most popular option for students enrolling from overseas. They offer full immersion and the chance to engage with other students throughout the day, to have full access to school services and to participate in our English Extras classes and social activities. Depending on your level you will follow one of these day timetables:

#### Mon-Thurs

8.15am - 2.30pm  
8.30am - 2.45pm  
9.00am - 3.15pm  
9.30am - 3.45pm

#### Fridays

Choice of optional classes between 9am and 3.15.

### EVENING CLASSES

Evening classes are a popular choice with students who are working during the day. Our city centre location, directly opposite the train station, makes it easy for students to travel between work and school.

#### Mon-Fri

5.00pm - 9.20pm (with one 20-minute break)

Students visa holders must study for a minimum of 20 hours per week which can be completed Mon-Thurs (daytime) or Mon-Fri (evening).

## Sample Timetable (day classes)

|                                                   | MONDAY                                                                 | TUESDAY                                                                                     | WEDNESDAY                                                                              | THURSDAY                                                     | FRIDAY                                                                                    |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Major Course<br>General English<br>Lesson 1       | <b>Listening</b><br>Recounting an experience                           | <b>Speaking</b><br>Talking about an experience<br><b>Natural phrases</b><br>Adding emphasis | <b>Pronunciation</b><br>Expressing emotions and emphasising                            | <b>Writing</b><br>Blog - narrative tense practice            | <b>English Extras</b><br><br>Your choice of English Extra workshops, classes & activities |
|                                                   | Break                                                                  | Break                                                                                       | Break                                                                                  | Break                                                        |                                                                                           |
| Major Course<br>General English<br>Lesson 2       | <b>Vocabulary</b><br>Describing an experienceg                         | <b>Reading &amp; vocabulary</b><br>'A test of endurance'                                    | <b>Speaking &amp; listening</b><br>Showing interest & surprise                         | <b>Speaking</b><br>Exchanging holiday stories                |                                                                                           |
|                                                   | Break                                                                  | Break                                                                                       | Break                                                                                  | Break                                                        |                                                                                           |
| Major Course<br>General English<br>Lesson 3       | <b>Grammar</b><br>Narrative tenses & preparation for speaking          | <b>Grammar</b><br>Modifying & intensifying adverbs                                          | <b>Vocabulary</b><br>Phrases with get                                                  | <b>Weekly review &amp; test</b>                              |                                                                                           |
|                                                   | Break                                                                  | Break                                                                                       | Break                                                                                  | Break                                                        |                                                                                           |
| Special Focus Module<br>Communication<br>Lesson 4 | <b>Vocabulary &amp; listening</b><br>Jobs and responsibilities at work | <b>Speaking &amp; pronunciation</b><br>Talking about your job/<br>Stress patterns           | <b>Grammar &amp; listening</b><br>Asking questions about a job & about work experience | <b>Extended communicative task</b><br>Interviewing for a job |                                                                                           |
| Extra onversation class<br>(Optional)             | Conversation                                                           |                                                                                             |                                                                                        | Conversation                                                 |                                                                                           |

# Customise your course



Our aim is to enable you to study, work and travel anywhere in the world with fluent English as your ticket. But we understand that no two students are the same. People have different reasons for learning English and have different learning styles and interests. So, to make sure you achieve your learning goals we encourage you to customise your course to suit your own needs, goals and preferences.



## Upgrade to a Premium course

SWAP YOUR SPECIAL FOCUS MODULES OR ENGLISH EXTRAS FOR PRIVATE TUITION

For students who need to improve their English very quickly because they only have a short time in Australia or have exams approaching, we suggest our Premium course options. These combine the benefits of a communicative group class with the intensity of 1:1 lessons.



## SPECIAL FOCUS MODULES (DAY COURSES)

### Communication

This popular intensive conversation skills class will help you make fast progress with your speaking skills.

### Real English

This class teaches you to use English effectively for everyday tasks in Australia, such as shopping, banking and using public transport.

### English for further studies

You'll focus on the skills you need to study at university or college in English including presentations and assignments.

### Grammar and Speaking

Improve your accuracy and learn how to express yourself in more complex ways.

Full-time day students choose from our range of Special Focus Modules when they start at ELC and can change every 4 weeks.

Depending on your level and course, choices include:

### IELTS Testbuster

Learn tips for IELTS exam success; complete practice tests and tasks with feedback and target your strengths and weaknesses for exam success.

### Cambridge Testbuster

Learn tips for each paper of your Cambridge exam; complete practice tests and tasks with feedback and target your strengths and weaknesses to excel in your exam.

### Cambridge Writing Skills

This is for students who especially need to focus on their writing skills for the FCE, CAE or CPE exams.

### Cambridge Grammar & Vocabulary

This course is for exam students who need to improve their grammar and vocabulary.

### Cambridge Speaking and Listening

This module focusses on the skills needed to do well in the speaking test and listening exam.

## EVENING FOCUS

Evening students get to choose a 2-hour Evening Focus class every Friday evening. Choices may include Speaking, Listening and Vocabulary, Pronunciation and conversation, Discover Australia, Video talks, and more.

## ENGLISH EXTRAS (DAY COURSES)

We offer a great selection of workshops, activities and classes for all full-time day students. These classes give you the chance to personalise your course, choosing the classes that you need or which interest you the most.

| Stream              | Friday Classes                                 |
|---------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Elementary          | English for Life                               |
| Communication       | Conversation & Pronunciation<br>Speak Out      |
| English for Work    | Business English<br>Business English Workshops |
| Exam Skills         | Exam Skills Training<br>Exam Practice          |
| English in the City | City Quest<br>Walk and Talk<br>Excursion       |

Note that options vary from week to week according to student interest and demand.

### CONVERSATION & PRONUNCIATION

Practise speaking in a relaxed environment with a different topic every class with a focus on natural English and pronunciation.

### SPEAK OUT

These listening & speaking lessons are based around short videos of English speakers talking about an everyday topic. It's a great way to improve your vocabulary as well as your communication skills.

### BUSINESS ENGLISH

This class is for students who work or would like to work in a company where a good level of spoken or written English is required.

Lessons focus on practical English skills for the international workplace as well as specialists vocabulary for a range of industries and professions.

### ENGLISH FOR LIFE

This class is especially for our elementary students who need survival English and further practice in basic skills to progress quickly.

### EXAM SKILLS TRAINING AND PRACTICE

Advice and practice to perfect your skills for each paper of your chosen exam – IELTS or Cambridge.

### ENGLISH IN THE CITY

Each week you'll get to know Sydney with the guidance of an ELC teacher. Sometimes we combine a city walk with conversation practice, sometimes we arrange a team activity to discover a suburb of the city and sometimes we visit a place of interest such as the art gallery.

## CONVERSATION CLASS (DAY AND EVENING COURSES)

A 1-hour conversation class is offered to all full-time students on Tuesdays and Thursdays, bringing the total hours of tuition to up to 27 hours per week for daytime students and 22 hours for evening students.



# General English

*Learn to communicate effectively and speak English with confidence*

General English classes focus on improving all aspects of your English and in particular your communication skills, fluency and confidence.

## 1. Intensive General English CRICOS course code: 050701A

This is our popular full-time course which allows you to improve your all-round English combined with areas of individual focus according to your needs, strengths and weaknesses.

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|---------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| DAY     | <b>15hrs</b><br>GENERAL ENGLISH | <b>5hrs</b><br>SPECIAL FOCUS MODULE | <b>5hrs</b><br>ENGLISH EXTRAS | <b>2hrs</b><br>CONVERSATION |
| EVENING | <b>18hrs</b><br>GENERAL ENGLISH | <b>2hrs</b><br>EVENING FOCUS        | <b>2hrs</b><br>CONVERSATION   |                             |

## 2. Semi-Intensive General English\*

This part-time course is ideal for students who want to have more free time to explore Sydney.

\*Not available to student-visa holders

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| DAY | <b>15hrs</b><br>GENERAL ENGLISH |
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## 3. Premium English CRICOS course code: 050701A

This course is ideal for students who need to make very fast progress in a short time. It combines group study of General English with one-to-one lessons individually designed for you as well as your choice of English Extras.

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| DAY | <b>15hrs</b><br>GENERAL ENGLISH | <b>5hrs</b><br>ONE-TO-ONE LESSONS | <b>5hrs</b><br>ENGLISH EXTRAS | <b>2hrs</b><br>CONVERSATION |
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*You will make fast progress in:*

- > Everyday communication
- > Fluency
- > Pronunciation
- > Vocabulary
- > Grammar
- > Listening
- > Reading
- > Writing

| START DATES                                             | COURSE LENGTH                                               |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Any Monday                                              | 2–52 weeks                                                  |
| TIMETABLES                                              | CLASS SIZE                                                  |
| Day and evening courses. Premium course day only.       | Max 16 (average 13)<br>Premium English includes 1:1 lessons |
| COURSE LEVELS                                           |                                                             |
| 5 levels of General English from elementary to advanced |                                                             |

For a full list of Special Focus Modules and English Extras see page 19.





# General + Business English

*Develop your skills for the global workplace*

This course is designed for students who need to use English effectively in both general and business environments. Gain a competitive advantage in your career and increase your employment prospects.

## 1. General + Business English CRICOS course code: 0102025

This course is ideal for students who wish to improve their all-round English combined with a specific focus on business.

| DAY | 15hrs<br>GENERAL ENGLISH | 5hrs<br>SPECIAL FOCUS MODULE | 5hrs<br>BUSINESS ENGLISH | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
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## 2. Premium English for Business CRICOS course code: 0102025

This course allows you to combine group and individual classes and customise your program. The one-to-one lessons are an ideal option for students who have very specific professional needs. One-to-one classes are tailored to your profession and industry.

| DAY | 15hrs<br>GENERAL ENGLISH | 5hrs<br>ONE-TO-ONE LESSONS | 5hrs<br>BUSINESS ENGLISH | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
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*Business English classes take place on Fridays and include:*

- › Daily workplace language
- › Written business communication
- › Business vocabulary
- › Spoken communication at work
- › Essential soft skills
- › Workshops on specialist language for different industries and positions

| START DATES                                                                                                            | COURSE LENGTH                                               |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Any Monday                                                                                                             | 2–36 weeks                                                  |
| TIMETABLES                                                                                                             | CLASS SIZE                                                  |
| Day courses                                                                                                            | Max 16 (average 13)<br>Premium English includes 1:1 lessons |
| COURSE LEVELS                                                                                                          |                                                             |
| Intermediate to advanced<br>Minimum entry level B1+<br>Students must complete ELC's placement test prior to enrolment. |                                                             |



# Cambridge Exam Preparation

*Achieve an internationally recognised qualification from Cambridge English*

Cambridge English qualifications can help you to gain entrance to university, improve your job prospects and provide evidence of your English for employers. Our preparation courses will enable you to make progress in your all-round English ability whilst developing skills and techniques for exam success.

| DAY     | 15hrs<br>CAMBRIDGE EXAM PREP. | 5hrs<br>SPECIAL FOCUS MODULE | 5hrs<br>ENGLISH EXTRAS | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
|---------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| EVENING | 18hrs<br>CAMBRIDGE EXAM PREP. | 2hrs<br>EVENING FOCUS        | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION   |                      |

## CAMBRIDGE EXAM COURSE LEVELS OFFERED:

- > Cambridge B2 First (CRICOS course code 0102022)
- > Cambridge C1 Advanced (CRICOS course code: 0102023)
- > Cambridge C2 Proficiency (CRICOS course code: 0102024)

Upon application, you will need to complete a Cambridge Course Entry Test. This will help determine which level is most suitable for you.

## SPECIAL FOCUS MODULES FOR CAMBRIDGE STUDENTS

Our Special Focus Modules teach and practise the skills need to do well in the exam. For day courses these are offered as Special Focus Modules in the afternoons. For evening courses these are integrated into main course.

- > Cambridge Writing skills
- > Cambridge Grammar & Vocabulary
- > Cambridge Testbuster: This is our intensive exam tips and practice class.

For our day students we also offer a remedial Cambridge class on Fridays to give extra support to students who have not done as well as expected in their practice exams. Free optional exam skills workshops are also offered, including our popular Cambridge Speaking Extra which provides intensive speaking exam practice.

## Cambridge Social Activities

Join your teacher and classmates on social activities, class picnics/BBQs and enjoy a free day trip after your mock exams.

## COURSE FEATURES

- > Our Cambridge teachers have completed our ELC Cambridge Teacher Development Program
- > Cambridge coursebook
- > Regular tutorials
- > Online and paper-based exam practice
- > Regular progress tests and 2 mock exams
- > Free Cambridge exam skills workshops/ practice every Friday (daytime)
- > Additional support if you need it

## You will improve your:

- > Examination skills
- > Fluency and pronunciation
- > Grammar and vocabulary
- > Writing skills
- > Listening and reading skills

| START DATES                                                                                                        | COURSE LENGTH                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Fixed start dates (see our website)                                                                                | 9 to 12 weeks depending on exam and start date |
| TIMETABLES                                                                                                         | CLASS SIZE                                     |
| First and Advanced: Day and evening courses; Proficiency: Day course only                                          | Max 16 (average 13)                            |
| COURSE LEVELS                                                                                                      |                                                |
| B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency<br>Students must complete ELC's Cambridge placement test prior to enrolment. |                                                |





# IELTS Exam Preparation

*Get the score you need!*

This course prepares students for their IELTS examination as well as improving language and skills for academic study. Your improvement in reading, listening, writing and speaking skills as well as your improved range and accuracy of grammar and vocabulary will be reflected in your exam results.

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|---------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| EVENING | 18hrs<br>IELTS | 2hrs<br>EVENING FOCUS | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
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**IELTS EXAM PREPARATION** CRICOS course code: 0102026

- › Experienced IELTS teachers
- › IELTS coursebook
- › Regular practice tests and mock exams

## Day course options

The IELTS preparation course is offered in the evenings at ELC. However, there are 2 options for day students interested in IELTS:

- › Students who need IELTS for entry to further and higher education courses should consider our English for Academic Purposes course which has integrated IELTS preparation and practice.
- › Students enrolled in our General English day course are able to access some IELTS exam preparation, either through our IELTS Special Focus Module in the afternoons and/or through IELTS Exam practice English Extra classes on Fridays.

### You will improve your:

- › IELTS exam skills and techniques
- › Academic vocabulary and grammar
- › Academic reading and writing skills
- › Listening skills for IELTS and for academic lectures
- › Speaking skills for IELTS and fluency in academic contexts

| START DATES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | COURSE LENGTH       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Every Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 2–36 weeks          |
| TIMETABLES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | CLASS SIZE          |
| Evening course only                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Max 16 (average 13) |
| COURSE LEVELS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     |
| Each level usually requires 12 weeks to complete.<br>IELTS 1: IELTS 5.5 (Entry level 5.0/ Target exit level 5.5)<br>IELTS 2: IELTS 6.0+ (Entry level 5.5/Target exit level 6.0+)<br>Students must complete ELC's placement test prior to enrolment. |                     |



# English for Academic Purposes

*Excel in your university or college studies*

Our English for Academic Purposes (EAP) course is the best preparation for students wishing to study in English at an Australian university or college. The course blends IELTS preparation and important academic skills. Whether you want to gain entry to your course via one of ELC's direct entry agreements or by taking the IELTS examination, this program will ensure you are ready to succeed.

## 1. English for Academic Purposes CRICOS course code: 054401C

This is our popular full-time EAP course, which allows you to improve your academic English skills and prepare for study and exams. It combines a focussed academic major class with the chance to choose from our range of Special Focus Modules.

| DAY     | 15hrs<br>EAP | 5hrs<br>SPECIAL FOCUS MODULE | 5hrs<br>ENGLISH EXTRAS | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
|---------|--------------|------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| EVENING | 18hrs<br>EAP | 2hrs<br>EVENING FOCUS        | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION   |                      |

## 2. Premium English for Academic Purposes

**Intensive** CRICOS course code: 054401C

This option is ideal if you need to prepare very intensively and need individual support in specific skills or language areas. It combines group study with one-to-one lessons designed to fulfil your specific needs.

| DAY | 15hrs<br>EAP | 5hrs<br>ONE-TO-ONE LESSONS | 5hrs<br>ENGLISH EXTRAS | 2hrs<br>CONVERSATION |
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### ENGLISH EXTRAS

On Fridays you can get further focused exam practice for IELTS or attend study skills workshops as well as a range of other options.

*You will improve your:*

- > Speaking skills for tutorials and presentations
- > Academic vocabulary and grammar
- > Academic reading and listening skills
- > Academic writing skills
- > Listening skills for lectures
- > IELTS exam preparation and techniques
- > Research skills
- > Presentations

| START DATES                                        | COURSE LENGTH                                              |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Any Monday                                         | 5–40 weeks                                                 |
| TIMETABLES                                         | CLASS SIZE                                                 |
| Day and evening course. Premium course – day only. | Max 16 (average 13)<br>Premium courses include 1:1 lessons |

| COURSE LEVELS                                                                |                  |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Intermediate to advanced. Each level usually requires 10 weeks to complete.* |                  |              |
| IELTS Entry Level                                                            | IELTS Exit Level | ELC Award    |
| 5.0                                                                          | 5.5              | <b>EAP 1</b> |
| 5.5                                                                          | 6.0              | <b>EAP 2</b> |
| 6.0                                                                          | 6.5              | <b>EAP 3</b> |

\*Students must complete the ELC placement test prior to acceptance onto the course.





# Academic pathways

All higher and tertiary education institutions in Australia require international students to meet English requirements, usually by showing an IELTS test score. However, ELC also has agreements with many major universities and colleges who allow our students to enter directly into certificate, diploma, graduate and postgraduate programs without an IELTS test, providing you have successfully completed our English for Academic Purposes course at the appropriate level. For a full list of our pathway partners please see our website.



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| ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
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| <b>Direct Entry Stream</b><br><b>Compulsory Assessment</b><br><br>Written assignments, academic presentations and final test                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>IELTS Stream</b><br><b>Non-compulsory Assessment</b><br><br>IELTS reading, writing, listening and speaking exam preparation                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Direct Entry</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>IELTS Exam</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Further Studies                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Students may enter one of our partner institutions with a successful English for Academic Purposes course result. See full list at <a href="http://www.elc.edu.au">www.elc.edu.au</a>                                                                                                             | Students take the IELTS test to enter their chosen higher education institution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>DIRECT ENTRY STREAM STUDENTS</b><br>To be awarded an English for Academic Purposes certificate and gain direct entry into one of our pathway institutions, you must successfully complete a minimum of 10 weeks of classwork and assignments and complete all progress tests and a final test. | <b>IELTS STREAM STUDENTS</b><br>The English for Academic Purposes course will prepare you to take your IELTS exam in Australia as well as improve your academic skills. The course incorporates regular IELTS exam preparation and practice. Assignments are not compulsory (unlike our direct entry pathway) but are recommended. |

*"When I first came to Australia I couldn't understand or speak English. I have made a lot of improvement here at ELC and the Academic English course I am currently doing has really helped me improve my formal English and business vocabulary. I have one year left at university and this course will really help me with my university course as it focuses a lot not just on communication skills but also areas like report writing, essay writing and presentations."*

## Academic counselling

If you haven't decided yet what degree or diploma course you would like to do, our academic counsellor will be happy to provide you with all the information you need to make the right decision and will also assist you with your application.

# Business Courses

Study business at ELC Career College, upskill for your career and gain an Australian qualification.



## Gain an Australian qualification with ELC Career College

First established in 1985 under the name "SELC", ELC Career College is one of Australia's most established colleges for international students. ELC Career College offers Australian business qualifications at certificate, diploma and advanced diploma levels.

| BUSINESS                                                                                                         | LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT                                                                                                                       | PROJECT MANAGEMENT                                                                                                | MARKETING & COMMUNICATION                                                             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Certificate III</li> <li>› Certificate IV</li> <li>› Diploma</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Certificate IV</li> <li>› Diploma</li> <li>› Advanced Diploma</li> <li>› Graduate Diploma</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Certificate IV</li> <li>› Diploma</li> <li>› Advanced Diploma</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Certificate IV</li> <li>› Diploma</li> </ul> |

## Courses designed for your future

ELC Career College courses focus on essential business knowledge as well as practical skills and communication for the workplace.



## Designed for international students

ELC Career College courses are designed to make it easy for international students to achieve their further study goals.

- › Course units are carefully selected for a global audience
- › Practical tasks help students to apply their learning
- › ELC Career College trainers are specialised in teaching non-native English speakers

You'll continue to get English language support for as long as you need and can continue to attend English Extra classes at English Language Company for free.

## One study package

Trust ELC to take care of your educational journey in Australia. Enrol in your English + Vocational course using our one enrolment form. If you are not sure how long you need to study English for to reach the appropriate level to start your VET course, we can recommend a study plan for you.

## One city centre campus

Both colleges are located in the same convenient campus in the centre of Sydney. So, there's no need to change campus when you transition from your English to vocational studies.

## One dedicated team

English Language Company and ELC Career College have the same dedicated management and student services team. So, throughout your studies in Australia you will be supported by the same friendly staff who will get to know you well.