



# My Phoenix Experience...

Christophe comes from Paris, France, and has been studying at Phoenix English Language Academy since October 2004.

Before he arrived, Christophe was studying Commerce in Paris, and having already been to the USA for a short visit, decided to come to Perth to improve his English. Christophe enjoys the challenge of studying English and although it's difficult, admits it will be useful and beneficial for his future career prospects.

"I like my classes. They are friendly and communicative. The teachers offer a lot of encouragement and help me improve my English Skills".

Christophe also enjoys making new friends and socialising with other International students in the leafy courtyard. He makes use of the computer laboratory, where he can study English and keep in touch with friends. The Recreation Centre provides students with opportunities to get involved in school events such as Surf Club Carnivals and also arranges tours.

Christophe is staying in Beatty Lodge which is right next-door to Phoenix. Amenities include a self-catering cafeteria, all mod-cons and a swimming pool. Christophe said he has found it easy to settle in and has quickly adopted the friendly, relaxed lifestyle of Perth with its sunny, Mediterranean climate. When he's not studying Christophe goes to the surrounding beaches, and takes advantage of the excellent sports facilities nearby such as the gym, aquatic centre, and tennis courts. In the evening he often jumps on a train to explore the local nightlife of Northbridge and Fremantle.

"I would recommend studying at Phoenix to anyone looking for a memorable, and invaluable experience in an International environment".

Phoenix also has some interesting Study & Work Program that Christophe recommends to other French students.

