# ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRES

CQUEnglish is an integral part of CQUniversity Australia. It comprises four English language centres, conveniently located on our bustling metropolitan campuses in Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney, and our vibrant regional campus in Rockhampton North.

CQUEnglish Language Centres are fully accredited by the National English Language Teaching Accreditation Scheme (NEAS) and are also active members of English Australia (EA) and University English Centres Australia (UECA).

CQUEnglish offers high quality English language courses at affordable fees. We are committed to ensuring that our courses are relevant and meet the requirements of those who wish to improve their English language skills for personal, academic or professional development. No matter what your English needs are, we can help attain your goals.

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#### WHY STUDY WITH COUENGLISH?

- » Choose from four unique locations across Australia.
- » Receive individual attention from qualified and experienced teachers.
- » Learn in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere.
- » Develop academic preparation skills such as writing research essays and public speaking.
- » Study in modern teaching spaces and computer labs with wireless Internet access.
- » Immerse yourself in Australian culture and lifestyle through on-campus activities, excursions, study tours and homestays.
- » CQUEnglish students share a building and campus space with our University students, allowing for greater integration.
- » Our student population is diverse with over 28 nationalities, so there will be many opportunities to make friends with students from countries around the world including China, Colombia, India, Mongolia, Nepal, Nigeria, Thailand and Vietnam.

#### **COURSES ON OFFER**

The following English language courses are currently on offer, and we will continue to expand our offerings to suit increasing English language needs.

- » General English (various levels)
- » English for Academic Purposes 2
- » English for Academic Purposes (Direct Entry)
- » IELTS Preparation.

#### **PATHWAY OR STANDALONE**

You can study an English language course as a pathway into a CQUniversity degree, for instance, package English with a postgraduate program. You may also be eligible to study our English language course as standalone, provided that you are on a temporary resident visa. Some examples of the visa subclasses that are eligible for standalone are:

- » 570 Independent ELICOS
- » 417 Working Holiday
- » 462 Work and Holiday, and
- » 457 Temporary Work (Skilled).

#### **CONTACT US**

For more information on CQUEnglish Language Centres, our English language courses or study tours, please visit our website at **www.cqu.edu.au/cquenglish** or email **language-enquiries@cqu.edu.au**.



# **GENERAL ENGLISH**

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

General English (GE) is offered at various levels to suit your needs. A placement test assesses your current English language ability and places you in the level that suits you. The General English course will help you develop your everyday communication skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking.

CRICOS codes	017012A; 081016K; 081015M
Levels	GE2: Pre-intermediate GE3: Intermediate
Entry requirements	GE2: IELTS 4.0 or equivalent GE3: IELTS 4.5 or successful completion of GE2
Availability	Brisbane, Melbourne, Rockhampton North, Sydney
Duration/Hours	Package students on all campuses: 10 weeks / 20 hours per week
	Standalone students on all campuses: From a minimum of two weeks up to the maximum your visa status allows
Fees (AUD)	Tuition: \$260 per week (standalone) \$350 per week (package)
	Material: Up to \$90 per course
	Enrolment: No fee

#### **OUTCOMES AND BENEFITS**

The General English course is dynamic and interactive. Participating in group projects will help you develop teamwork skills while providing a supportive and fun environment in which to improve your English. Activities outside the classroom, like regular excursions to popular tourist sites and participating in cultural and sporting activities will give you added opportunities to practise your English skills in real life settings.

When you finish your GE course, you will be able to:

 participate in conversations and discussions on a range of topics

- » speak more clearly with better pronunciation
- » use a greater range of vocabulary suitable for academic and everyday life
- » read and understand a range of written texts
- » write paragraphs of texts for a range of uses
- » give short oral presentations.

#### **KEY DATES**

Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney	
Start dates	Orientation dates
11 January	7 January
15 February	11 February
11 April	7 April
16 May	12 May
20 June	16 June
8 August	4 August
12 September	8 September
17 October	13 October
21 November	17 November
Rockhampton North	
Start dates	Orientation dates
Any Monday excluding public holidays and excluding weeks commencing: 21 March, 28 March, 4 April, 25 July, 1 August, 26 December.	Orientation occurs in the morning on the start date.

### ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES 2

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The English for Academic Purposes 2 (EAP 2) course will help you develop reading, writing, listening and speaking skills required for university study. During the course, you will also develop your critical thinking and academic skills.

CRICOS codes	069709D; 081009J; 081013B
Entry requirements	IELTS 5.0 or equivalent; or successful completion of GE3
Availability	Brisbane, Melbourne, Rockhampton North, Sydney
<b>Duration/Hours</b>	10 weeks / 20 hours per week
Fees (AUD)	Tuition: \$260 per week (standalone) \$350 per week (package)
	Material: Up to \$90 per course
	Enrolment: No fee

#### **OUTCOMES AND BENEFITS**

Material is delivered through a coursebook, audio visual equipment and online resources, and you will participate in group activities and discussions. When you finish your EAP 2 course, you will be able to:

- » read and understand academic articles for main ideas and more detailed comprehension
- » plan and write academic essays
- » present information on academic topics
- » contribute to and lead group projects
- » develop your academic study skills
- » understand academic study requirements
- » use online resources for learning more effectively
- » research a range of topics.

#### **KEY DATES**

Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney		
Start dates	Orientation dates	
11 January	7 January	
15 February	11 February	
11 April	7 April	
16 May	12 May	
20 June	16 June	
8 August	4 August	
12 September	8 September	
17 October	13 October	
21 November	17 November	
Rockhampton North		
Start dates	Orientation dates	
11 January	Orientation occurs in the	
12 September	morning on the start date	

'CQUEnglish provides convenient facilities and very passionate teachers. I improve my English everyday. Now I plan to study nursing at CQUniversity. I really appreciate this institution and strongly recommend studying here for your future.'

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## ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (DIRECT ENTRY)

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The English for Academic Purposes Direct Entry (EAP DE) course will help you develop reading, writing, listening and speaking skills required for university study at a high level.

CRICOS codes	017006K; 081011D; 081010E
Entry requirements	IELTS 5.5 or equivalent; or successful completion of EAP 2
Availability	Brisbane, Melbourne, Rockhampton North, Sydney
<b>Duration/Hours</b>	10 weeks / 20 hours per week
Fees (AUD)	Tuition: \$260 per week (standalone) \$350 per week (package)
	Material: Up to \$90 per course
	Enrolment: No fee

#### **OUTCOMES AND BENEFITS**

The course is dynamic and flexible. Resources include academic texts, journals, lectures and videos, and you will participate in authentic academic activities related to your program. You will complete tasks modelled on those found in degree programs at university.

When you finish your EAP DE course, you will be able to:

- » think critically and examine a range of issues
- » research, plan and write reports and academic essays
- » communicate and interact with your lecturers and peers in an academic setting
- » listen effectively for note taking during lectures and tutorials
- » use academic reading skills to improve your reading speed and comprehension
- » give presentations and become more confident speaking publicly.

#### **KEY DATES**

Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney		
Start dates	Orientation dates	
15 February	11 February	
11 April	7 April	
20 June	16 June	
8 August	4 August	
12 September	8 September	
17 October	13 October	
21 November	17 November	
Rockhampton North		
Start dates	Orientation dates	
11 April	Orientation occurs in the	
21 November	morning on the start date	

## **IELTS PREPARATION**

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

The International English Language Testing System (IELTS) is a universally recognised English language proficiency test.

Our IELTS Preparation classes will help you improve your English and prepare for your IELTS test. Classes are organised around the contents of a typical IELTS test and give you the opportunity to practise your test skills using IELTS test style materials.

CRICOS codes	QLD 073808M	
Entry requirements	IELTS 4.5 or equivalent of a high pass at intermediate level	
Availability	Rockhampton North	
<b>Duration/Hours</b>	10 weeks / 20 hours per week	
Fees (AUD)	Tuition: \$350 per week	
	Material: Up to \$90 per course	
	Enrolment: No fee	
Start date	20 June	

#### **OUTCOMES AND BENEFITS**

IELTS is one of the most popular high stakes English-language tests for study, work and migration.

IELTS assesses all of your English skills – reading, writing, listening and speaking – and is designed to reflect real life use of English.

The IELTS test has an excellent international reputation, and is accepted by over 9 000 organisations worldwide, including universities, employers, immigration authorities and professional bodies.

