



English for all General English

Every learner is unique and has their own reason for learning English. Whether you need English to advance your career, study at university, or just for fun, our General English course gives you the knowledge and practice you need. You don't just learn English – you learn how to use it with confidence.



COURSES OFFERED

All year round



LEVELS

A1 (Beginner) to C1 (Advanced)



CLASS TYPES

Semi-intensive (20 lessons/week)
Intensive (40 lessons/week)



CLASS TIMINGS

Morning and Midday schedule



COURSE DURATION

From 1 to 52 Weeks



TIMETABLE:

Mornings

COURSE

Know more



about this
course!

GENERAL ENGLISH

Our General English programme has two classes every day:

Core class — learn new language

- Learn new grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation.
- Focus on accuracy and using the correct language with correct pronunciation or spelling.
- Success = showing you can use the **new language properly**

Supplementary class — practise your skills

- Practise using language you already know.
- Focus on fluency, communication and confidence.
- Success = showing you can **communicate effectively**

Sometimes, your Core and Supplementary classes may even be at different levels — so you always study where you learn best. You will always practice skills when learning new language and you will sometimes learn new language when learning skills — this is how we learn a language. Together, these classes cover all four skills and help you progress faster.

Why choose this course?

- Start any week at any level (A1-C1).
- Two clear steps every day: learn new language in Core, then practise fluency in Supplementary
- Classes may be at different levels, so you can study where you learn best
- Small classes with a mix of nationalities — perfect for real communication practice
- Study in the heart of London and use your English outside the classroom every day
- Provides access to IELTS, Business and other courses to focus on a path to higher education or career progression.

Who is this course for?

- Learners who have some English skills but need to become independent
- Students who need English to succeed at university — both academically and socially.
- Professionals who need to communicate internationally with confidence
- Adventurers who want a life-changing experience in London

Our enrollment process



You have to complete an online placement test to check your English writing, speaking, and reading abilities before joining any of our programmes. After enrolling in our General English language course, you will be given access to our student portal, where you will be required to complete the following English language tests:

- Enroll
- Grammar Test
- Writing Test
- Speaking Test

What you will learn

Level	Learn...	So you can...
A1 – Beginner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Basic grammar (be, present simple, can/can't, simple questions) Vocabulary for family, routines, food, and travel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Introduce yourself and your family → Ask and answer simple questions in shops, cafés or when travelling → Talk about your daily routines and likes/dislikes → Read short signs and forms Write simple notes and messages
A2 – Elementary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Grammar for past and future (past simple, going to, was/were) → Modals for rules and advice (must, should) → Vocabulary for places, free time, and journeys 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Describe people and places → Talk about past events and future plan → Make simple arrangements with friends or classmates → Take part in short social conversations → Write short emails, postcards or forms
B1 – Pre-Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Understand main ideas → Follow instructions → Take useful notes → Handle question types 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Share personal stories and experiences → Give opinions with reasons → Take part in everyday conversations with friends or colleagues → Follow the main ideas in clear speech → Write short texts such as emails, reviews or short reports → Give a short presentation on a familiar topic
B1+ – Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Grammar for detail and clarity (passive voice, reported speech, relative clauses) → Vocabulary for culture, identity, and wellbeing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Tell stories in more detail → Explain and justify opinions in group discussions → Contribute to classroom projects or team tasks → Read and understand articles and blogs → Write opinion pieces or short reports → Give an informative presentation
B2 – Upper Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Advanced grammar (mixed conditionals, speculation with modals, articles) → Extended phrasal verbs → Vocabulary for global issues, news, and technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Explain and compare complex ideas → Debate and challenge different viewpoints → Take part in group work, seminars, or professional meetings → Understand detailed news and media → Write essays and reports → Deliver structured presentations that inform and persuade
C1 – Advanced	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Complex grammar (inversion, cleft sentences, hedging) → Academic and professional vocabulary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> → Adapt your language for study, work and social life → Lead debates and discussions → Take an active role in academic seminars or workplace negotiations → Understand complex lectures and articles → Write extended essays, proposals and reports → Deliver persuasive presentations that influence and inspire

Why

choose ES?



Stunning campuses in prime locations



Student support in 20+ languages



Exciting social activities programme every month



Expert and qualified EFL teachers



A global community of 106+ nationalities



Dedicated careers office



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and experience London with students from
around the world.

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