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WELCOME TO EC



Innovation is in our DNA

We continually invest in research and development, as we strive to make every element of the EC experience truly outstanding. We take pride in pushing standards within our industry ever higher.



Technology-led approach

Cutting-edge technology is integrated throughout our systems. We use it to enhance key aspects of your experience and ensure your requirements are being met and exceeded.



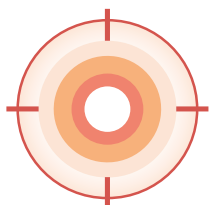
Beautiful, modern schools

We offer the best environment for effective learning and positive, informal interaction. Our schools are stylish, comfortable spaces, filled with natural light and the latest technology.



The most incredible locations

From Times Square, New York, to South Beach in Miami, to Central London, we are always located in the heart of the most exciting cities in the US, Canada, UK, Malta and South Africa.



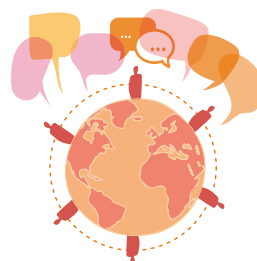
Reach your goals, guaranteed

Our personalised, outcome-focused courses are carefully designed by our professional Academic Team, using the latest science in education. We even guarantee your progress with us.



Dedicated teachers and staff

The EC team is here to support you and ensure you have an amazing time. Professional, helpful and friendly, our staff will give you the best service and care at all times.



A global community

Our students come from over 140 countries. Learn about different cultures, broaden your world view and make lasting friendships as you practise and improve your language skills together.



A complete experience

Living and learning abroad is a truly unique experience. Outside of the classroom, your diary will be full of exciting social events and excursions as you explore your chosen destination.

Accreditations & Memberships

Our schools are accredited by the leading associations in their respective countries, and members of major international organisations.

ALTO Association of Language Travel Organisations



Awards

We have been nominated for the ST Star Chain School Award in 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016. In 2011 we won this title, and in 2009 and 2010 we were awarded the Star Innovation Award. We are a finalist in the UK's Customer Service Awards 2016 for our pioneering Orange Carpet Experience.



EC AND INNOVATION ALWAYS MOVING FORWARD



WE ARE STUDENT-CENTRIC

Student satisfaction

Every day, our Student Satisfaction Team works to make our students happy. The work they do underpins every decision we take.

From our course design, to our choice of destinations, to unique concepts such as the Orange Carpet Experience, everything is decided through conversations with our students.

Feedback and action

We are the only language school to have conversations with our students via Satmetrix's Net Promoter system – the digital feedback tool used by Apple, Virgin and other companies known for great customer satisfaction.

We keep track of how you feel about your teachers, classes, progress, accommodation, social activities and life after school. If anything is less than perfect, we act immediately.



WE FOCUS ON OUTCOMES

Curriculum development

We know our students have important reasons for learning, so our Curriculum Development Team designs courses with real, measurable outcomes to match students' life plans and ambitions.

Original programmes

Our outcome-focused approach has led us to develop original programmes such as English & Global Career Development, for those who dream of international career success.

English in the City opens the door to new cultures, and our exclusive Higher Score® courses teach powerful exam technique.

30+ is another EC creation, where more mature students can study with like-minded peers in a learning environment dedicated to them. The 30+ experience is available in New York, London, Toronto and Malta.

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 EC
ADVANCE

 30+

 GLOBAL
CAREER
DEVELOPMENT

A famous athlete, Arthur Ashe, once said
"Success is a journey, not a destination"

We agree that true greatness means always moving forward.
It means realising your dreams and making the next ones even bigger.

It means an ongoing commitment to listening,
learning and improving.

This is not just what we teach, it's the ethos behind everything we do
as we work towards our mission:

Helping students succeed in a global community



WE EMBRACE TECHNOLOGY

External online validation

Our digital learning platform EC Online is with you every step of your journey, assessing your progress via the cutting-edge EC Advance system and providing targeted practice, just for you.

We are also the only language school in the world to use Oxford University Press' Online Test. This adaptive, powerfully accurate test gives you a result validated by one of the world's top universities.

Digital development

Our Education Technologists keep up to date with the latest digital advances, and use this to enhance all aspects of the EC experience.

Interactive technology is at the heart of the face-to-face experience too, with interactive whiteboards (IWBs) in almost every EC classroom.



WE LEAD THE WAY

Thought leadership

In today's global community, we know how important it is to be part of the bigger conversation.

EC is an active participant within the global education sector, meaning we are always at the forefront of advances in education design, and often leading the discussion.

Product development

Our Boston-based Product Development Team continually explores the latest trends in learning science, in a dedicated Innovation Lab. This discovery hub is where new ideas are researched, developed and piloted.

Virtual learning environments, and remote, blended and hybrid language acquisition models are the latest approaches we have put to the test, currently with several patent and trademark applications in progress.

With specialists continually assessing and refining all aspects of the EC experience, we strive to deliver **the best language learning experience in the world.**

AMAZING DESTINATIONS

*We have 22 schools in 5
countries on 3 continents.
Live and learn in the heart
of the world's coolest cities.*

CANADA

Where snow-peaked mountains join freshwater lakes, and huge forests meet thriving, cosmopolitan cities, Canada has an endless array of landscapes. As the world's second largest country, with two official languages, English and French, and an eclectic mix of cultures, Canada really has it all.

*Montreal ♦ Toronto ♦ Toronto 30+ ♦
Vancouver*



A seagull poses in front of Toronto's CN Tower



Bright totem poles in Vancouver's Stanley Park

SOUTH AFRICA

Exotic wildlife and incredible natural scenery make South Africa the ideal destination for the adventurous. Add its colourful, diverse culture and fascinating history, and South Africa makes a thrilling backdrop for language learning.

Cape Town



A pair of Cape Town's native penguins





Crystal blue waters in South Beach, Miami



Downtown Manhattan at sunset

USA

With its enormous, awe-inspiring landscapes and cities, the USA is a destination that cannot be missed. From the great Ivy League universities to the music industry and the bright lights of Hollywood, the USA's infectious culture influences the English language spoken around the world.

Boston ♦ New York ♦ New York 30+ ♦ Washington, DC ♦ San Diego ♦ San Francisco ♦ Los Angeles ♦ Miami



The Golden Gate Bridge, San Francisco



UK

With a colourful melting pot of cultures, lush countryside, and towns and cities that pulsate with life, the UK is truly unique. As the birthplace of the English language, it is no wonder the UK is the world's number one English language study-abroad destination.

London ♦ London 30+ ♦ Oxford ♦ Cambridge ♦ Brighton ♦ Bristol ♦ Manchester

The cobbled streets of historic Oxford



Turquoise sea and idyllic beaches in Malta

MALTA

Malta is an English-speaking island in the heart of the Mediterranean. Surrounded by beautiful blue sea, with flawless weather, stunning scenery and a relaxed way of life, Malta is one of Europe's favourite English language learning destinations.

Malta ♦ Malta 30+



The bridge over beautiful Bristol



Iconic Central London



Reception, EC Cape Town

BEAUTIFUL SCHOOLS

We invest actively in our school buildings and facilities. Every EC school is carefully designed for effective learning in comfort and style.

MODERN CLASSROOMS

Student-centred, airy and filled with natural light, our classrooms are modern, stylish spaces, designed with learning in mind.

STATE-OF-THE-ART TECHNOLOGY

We keep our schools fully up-to-date with the latest learning technology, including interactive whiteboards (IWBs).

LIBRARY FACILITIES

Take advantage of our extra study resources and spend time browsing our well-stocked libraries after class.

STUDENT LOUNGES

Sit back, relax and practise your speaking skills with friends in our comfortable and vibrant student lounge areas.

SELF-STUDY AREAS

These special quiet areas are places where you can retreat to and concentrate, to really enhance your classroom learning.

STAY CONNECTED

Keep in touch with people back home, study online or browse the internet with free Wi-Fi and use of numerous internet-connected computers.

WELCOMING RECEPTION

Warm and friendly staff are waiting to welcome you. Our professional team will always go the extra mile to offer their help and support.

STEP OUTSIDE

Take a step outside any EC school and find yourself in the heart of an exciting, vibrant city, with sights and attractions all around you.



EC San Diego's sunny roof terrace



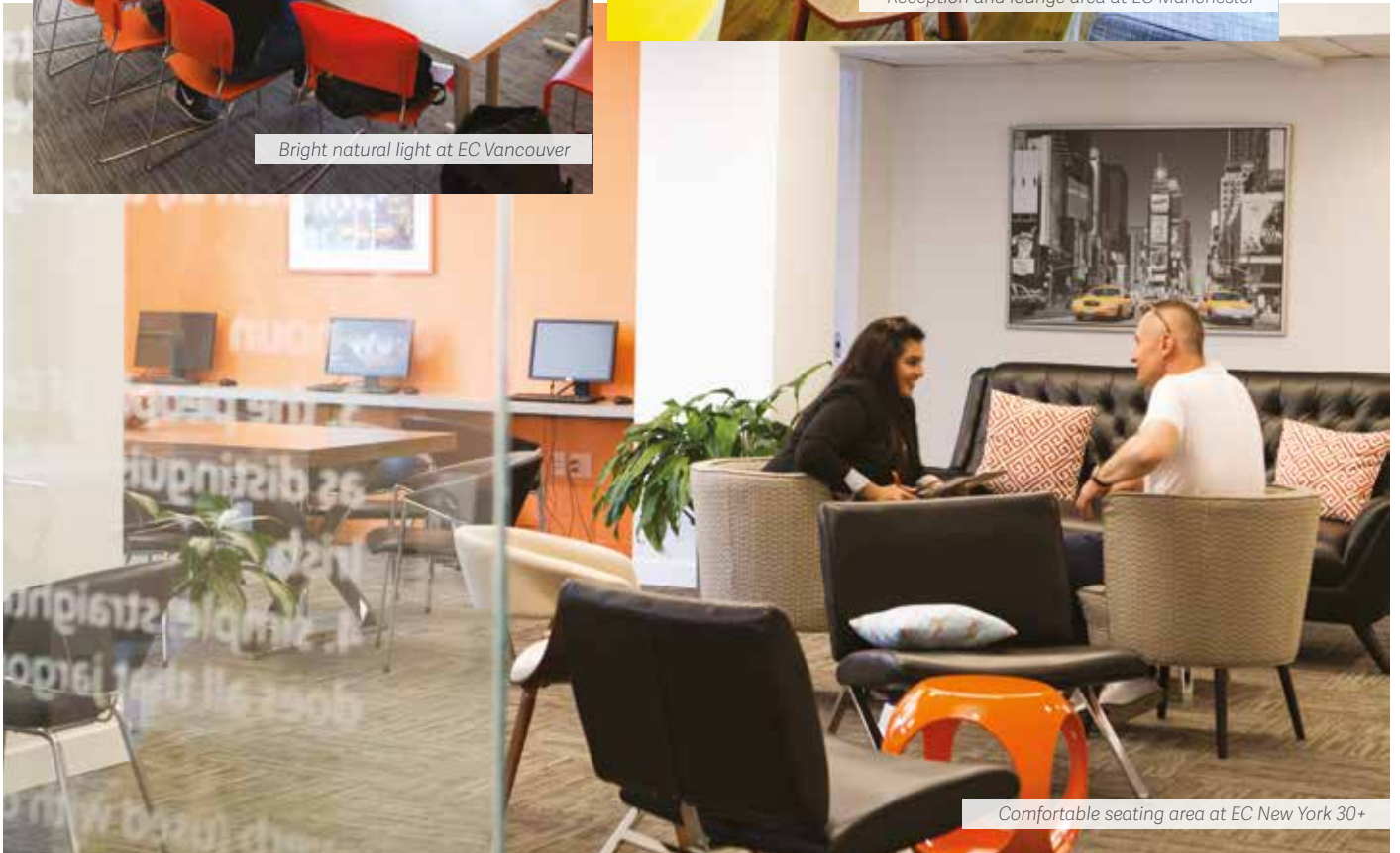
In class at EC Washington



Reception and lounge area at EC Manchester



Bright natural light at EC Vancouver



Comfortable seating area at EC New York 30+

OUR ACADEMIC METHODOLOGY



CORE CURRICULUM



Classroom learning at EC Oxford

FULLY MAPPED CURRICULUM

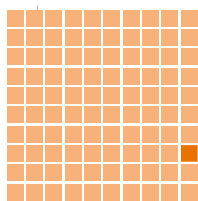
The EC curriculum is carefully designed and mapped to global standards, such as the Common European Framework for Languages.

DEFINED LEARNING OUTCOMES

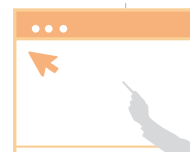
At each level, our curriculum is made up of specific, clearly defined skills and abilities. You will know exactly what you need to be able to do at each level.

OUTCOME-FOCUSED LEARNING

You will be guided to proficiency in each skill defined at your level, through lessons, activities, homework and personal direction. Supplement your learning with self-study and continued practice outside of class.



UPPER INTERMEDIATE LEVEL



Our curriculum is highly structured to meet international standards, yet it is also effectively personalised to meet the needs of every learner. We deliver real, measurable results.



Assessing personal progress with EC Advance

PERSONALISATION
powered by
EC ADVANCE

EC ONLINE

From the moment you book until three months after you leave us, you can access EC Online to:

- ◆ Discover EC Advance, your powerful personal learning tool
- ◆ Receive feedback and academic advice directly from your teachers
- ◆ Connect you with your school community and sign up for events
- ◆ Receive your end of course certificate, validated by Oxford University Press



DETAILED ONLINE ASSESSMENT

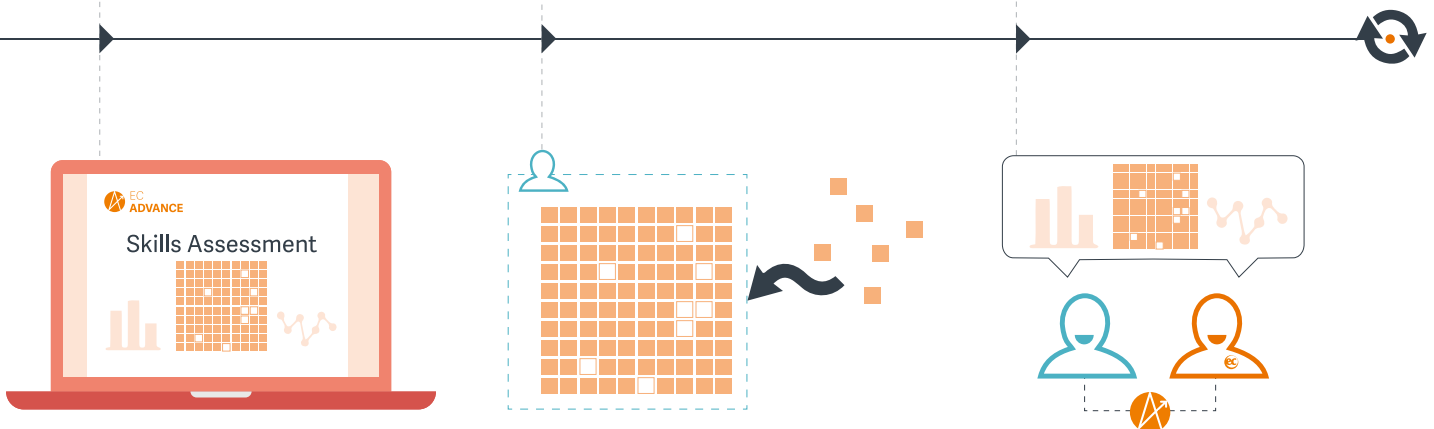
Your skills will be regularly measured against the specific skills and abilities defined at each level. EC Advance will provide you with detailed reports on your progress.

PERSONALISED RECOMMENDATIONS

Having performed this detailed needs analysis, EC Advance will direct you to the specific materials you need to progress, from an extensive library of online resources.

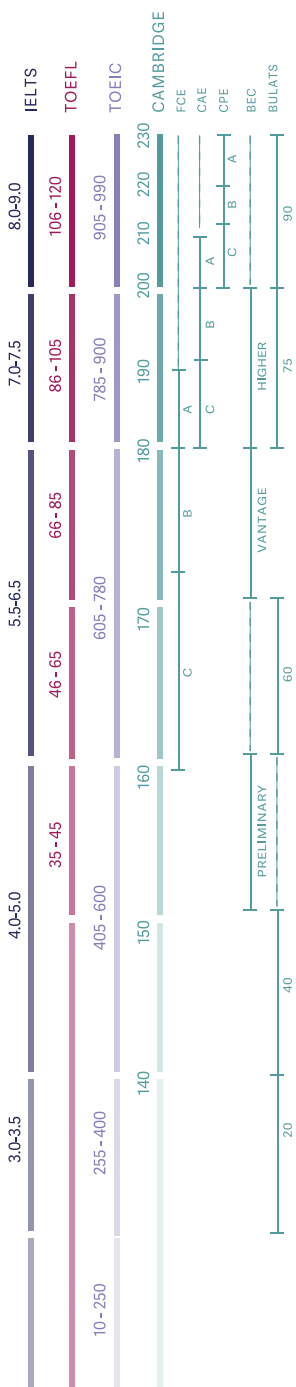
TEACHER FEEDBACK AND GUIDANCE

With shared access to your online reports through EC Advance, your teacher will also be at your side on your personal learning journey.



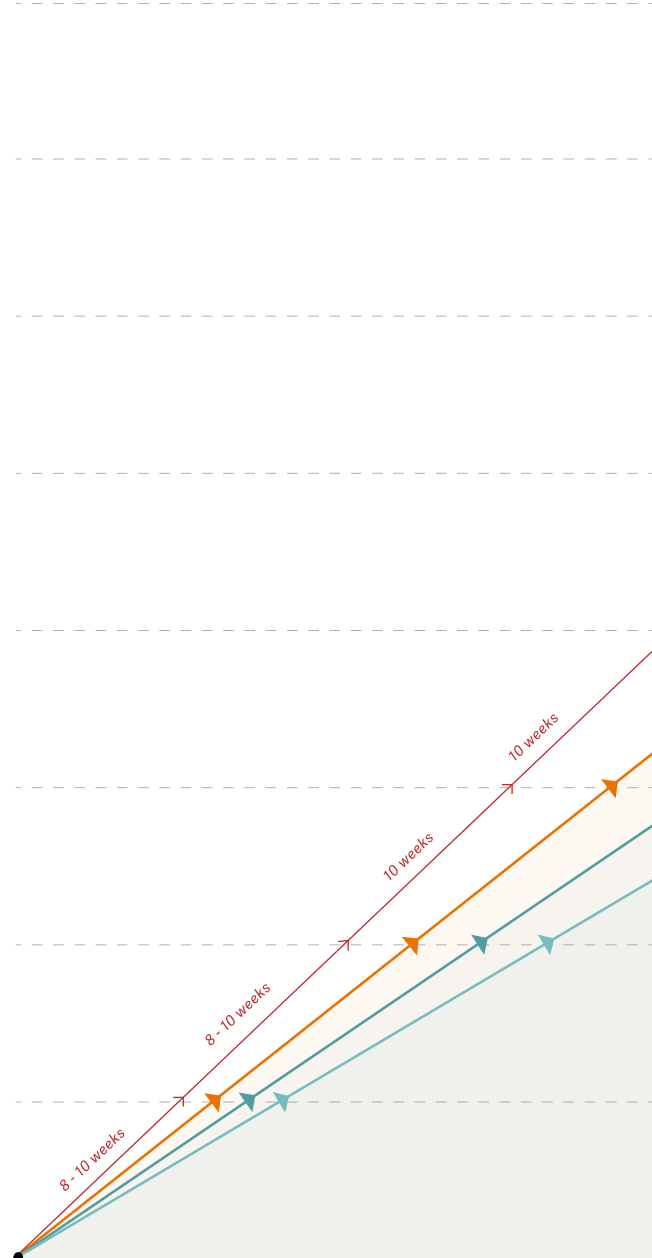
REACH YOUR GOALS, GUARANTEED

Evidenced through our continual research and data analysis, we know EC offers progress in a truly robust and time-effective way.



EC LEVELS

- C2** **PROFICIENCY**
 You have near-full command of the language. You can use industry terms for your field of study.
- C1** **ADVANCED**
 With a good command of English, you can read and write accurately with few errors. You can understand most academic texts and lectures.
- B2+** **PRE-ADVANCED**
 You can use the language with confidence. You can read English newspapers, follow TV news and apply for an English-speaking job.
- B2** **UPPER-INTERMEDIATE**
 You can use the language with some confidence but with noticeable lapses in accuracy and fluency. You can give a short business presentation in English.
- B1+** **INTERMEDIATE**
 You can communicate easily on everyday matters but have a limited range of expression. You can have a conversation on the telephone.
- B1** **PRE-INTERMEDIATE**
 You speak fairly easily on everyday matters. You can explain what you need from service providers.
- A2** **ELEMENTARY**
 You understand most conversations spoken slowly and clearly. You can give someone simple directions on the street.
- A1** **BEGINNER**
 You have a very basic knowledge of vocabulary and simple grammatical structure. You can invite someone somewhere (Let's....) and talk about your past.



BACKED BY SCIENCE

With the help of our digital learning platform EC Online, our Product Development Team spends a huge amount of time analysing the progress of our 45,000 students per year, and developing ways to improve it.

Because of this ongoing research into language acquisition, we are able to not only accurately predict how long your progress will take, we are one of the only language schools who can **actually guarantee it**.

Not only that, we make this guarantee to you regardless of your nationality, starting level or age.

THE EC GUARANTEE

Our guarantee to you is very simple.

Study Intensive English with us (30 lessons per week) and we promise you will progress at the rate shown on the progress chart below. If you do not progress as expected, we will provide you with all the additional lessons, help and support you need to reach your target at no extra cost.

All you have to do is:

- Be committed to learning
- Attend all your lessons
- Complete all of your homework, tests and assignments

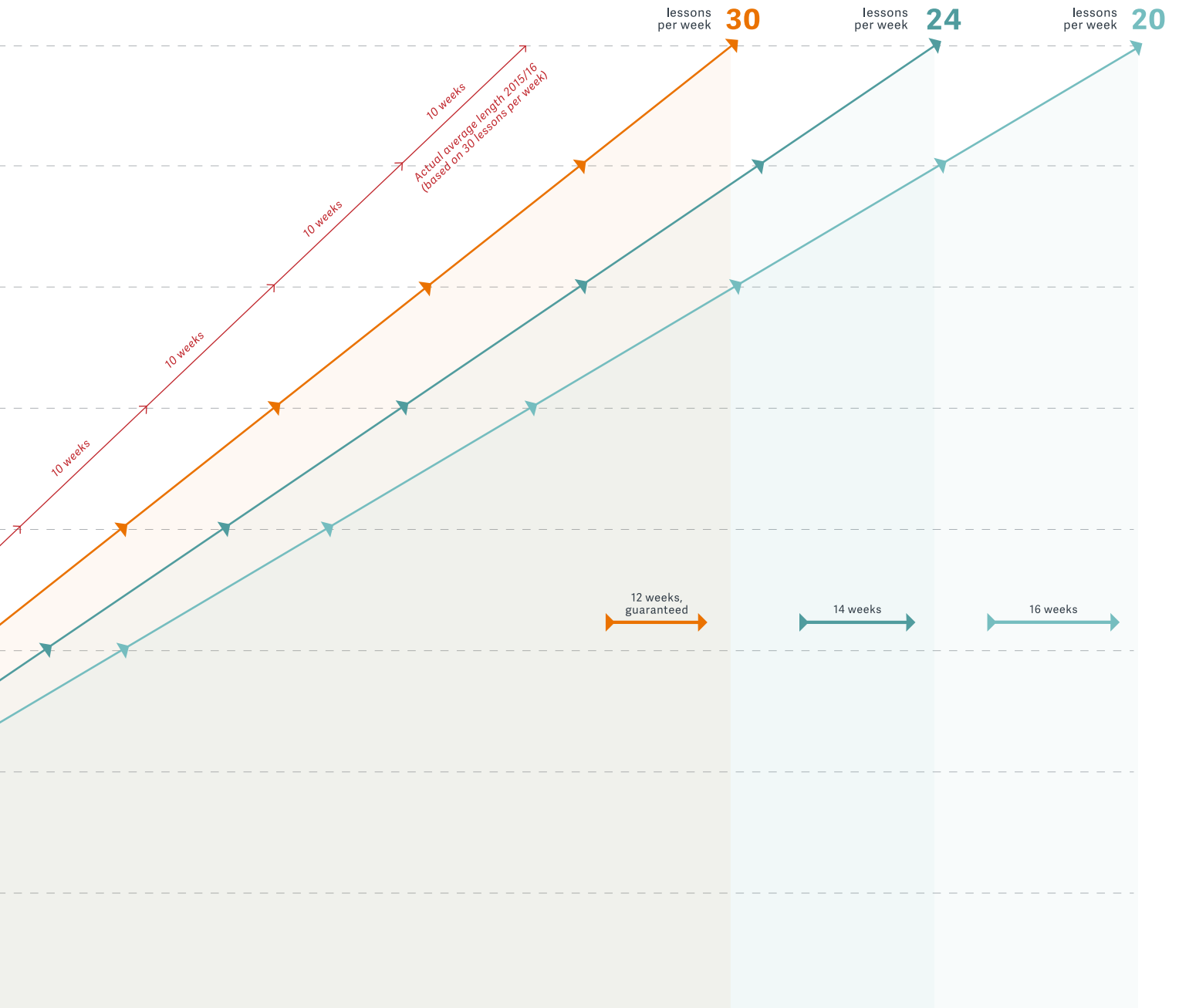
REAL DATA

We have been guaranteeing our students' progress for many years.

As we continue to invest in research and development, we have seen that our average student is improving faster.

The chart below also indicates actual average progress rates of EC students during 2015-16.

Use this chart to plan your time and your journey to fluency.





"I've always had a particular interest in the teaching of listening skills, and the encouragement and training I receive from EC allows me to really develop this specialism. Last year I spoke about my research at a major industry conference, which has been a great highlight of my career so far."

David Byrne
Director of Studies at EC London

"There are so many reasons I love teaching at EC. We're trained to think creatively, using modern teaching methods and technology. When I see my students really improving and having fun, I know I'm in the right place."

Sarah Carabott
Teacher at EC Malta



OUR PEOPLE

Meet the teams who do their best every day to make your experience special. Ask them about academic matters, social activities or the best place to get coffee! They are there for you.

OUR TEACHING TEAM

Personal and data-driven

At the heart of everything we do is our dedicated teaching team. With their direction in lessons, one-to-one and through EC Online, your teachers will guide your learning journey. They will ensure your individual needs are met in order that you progress at the optimum rate.

A passion for teaching

At EC, teaching is more than just a job; our teachers have a true passion for what they do. We encourage each member of our academic staff to identify and pursue their personal interests and talents within their field.

Teachers as writers

Since 2015, our teachers with a passion for curriculum development have been extensively trained and mentored to become professional academic writers, creating quality materials for their EC colleagues worldwide.



CENTRAL ACADEMIC TEAM

With professors, published authors and highly trained education technologists, this team continually researches and applies the latest trends in learning science to our curriculum to ensure you make the best progress possible. Our central academic team also regularly presents at education conferences around the world.



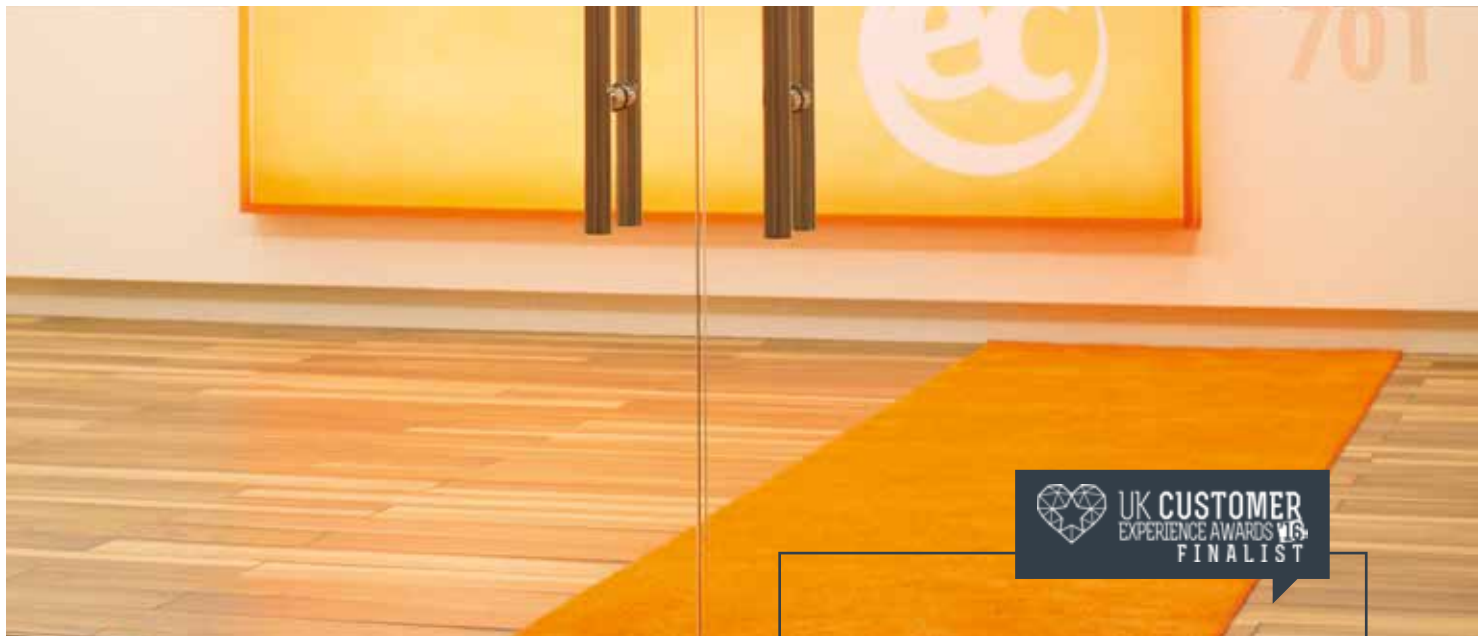
STUDENT SERVICES TEAM

With EC, you will activate classroom learning while exploring an authentic English-speaking city and making new international friends. Our Student Services Coordinators, Social Leaders and Student Ambassadors make sure your entire EC experience is exciting, happy and rewarding.



ACCOMMODATION TEAM

We know that where you live during your time with us is a vital part of your experience. Every EC school has its own Accommodation Team, who is there to ensure your home life is relaxing and supportive. If you ever have problems or questions about your accommodation, you can turn to this team at any time.



THE ORANGE CARPET EXPERIENCE



AT EC, EVERY STUDENT IS A VIP

That's why we literally roll out the orange carpet for you!

Nominated for the prestigious Customer Experience Awards 2016, the EC Orange Carpet Experience sets a new standard for student care in our industry.

The concept focuses on eight key aspects of your EC journey, to make you feel like a million dollars!



BEGIN YOUR EXPERIENCE FROM HOME Before arrival

We know how valuable your time is and how important it is to feel prepared. With EC Online you can access materials and start learning as soon as you book with us. You can also test your level, and share your goals and motivations, so we can prepare too.



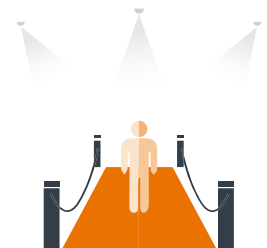
A PERSONAL WELCOME Arrival at your EC accommodation

If you have booked our Homestay accommodation, you will arrive to a warm welcome from your host. If you choose a residence option, an EC representative will be on hand to make sure you are fully settled. You will feel 100% at home before school on Monday.



BREAK THE ICE BEFORE DAY ONE First Sunday activities

You can join in with a number of activities on the Sunday before school begins. These could include brunch, a city tour and a typical local dinner – all while getting to know the EC team and your fellow students. You will receive your invite to the activities two weeks before you arrive.



THE ORANGE CARPET PREMIERE First day at school

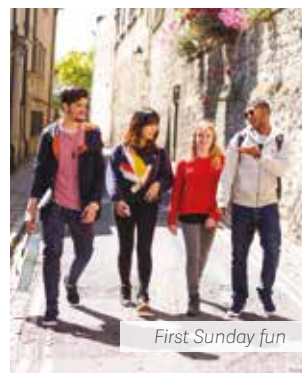
We give the best possible welcome. Refreshments, music and 100% of our team's attention creates a comfortable VIP environment on your first day. A short orientation talk is followed by lessons introducing learning at EC and local life.



Graduation and farewell at EC San Diego



Before new students arrive at EC Toronto 30+



First Sunday fun



Commemorating success



LEARNING TAILORED TO YOUR NEEDS
Personalised throughout

We know the most important part of your experience is your learning! We will analyse your individual performance and give you a customised plan. You can access your learning plan at any time on EC Online, and use it to track and measure your progress.



REAL, TANGIBLE OUTCOMES
Achieve practical results

With the EC Guarantee you can be sure of your success with us. And because you will take Oxford University Press' Online Test at the beginning and end of your journey with us, you can also be confident that your progress is externally validated.



EXPERIENCE OVERVIEW MEETING
Preparing next steps

Two weeks before you leave us, you will have an optional one-to-one meeting to discuss your whole experience and plan for the future. You can also tell us how we can make your last two weeks pass as productively and smoothly as possible.



THE FAREWELL EVENT
Reflection & celebration

In this informal 'goodbye' event, you will reflect on your achievements and experiences with your teacher and classmates. You will receive your certificate, take photos with your friends, and celebrate your accomplishments.

EXPERIENCE & EXPLORE

Whether you enjoy sightseeing, sports, the arts, shopping or you just want to relax, our varied activity programmes ensure you make friends, have fun and get the best from your destination.

Make friends and enjoy your spare time from day one.

Throughout your stay, you will be offered a wide variety of activities to choose from.

Every social and cultural programme at EC helps you to explore your destination, practise your language skills and enjoy time with your new international friends.

However you like to spend your spare time, you will find plenty to keep you entertained.



Pub afternoon at EC Brighton

CONNECT WITH US!

Join our active and friendly communities online and experience EC for yourself.



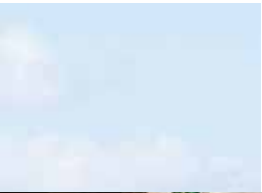
EC English Language Centres

Follow EC English Language Centres for the best of EC from around the world. Plus connect with your specific EC school to see what's going on locally, and engage with students and staff.



@ecenglish

For a true taste of the EC experience, look no further! You will be blown away by beautiful images from our 26 amazing destinations around the world, taken by EC staff and students themselves.



GET ACTIVE

- ◆ Team sports such as football and volleyball
- ◆ Fitness such as tai chi, yoga and dance lessons
- ◆ Spectator sports such as baseball and ice hockey

EXPERIENCE NEW FLAVOURS

- ◆ Regional food at local restaurants
- ◆ Group dinners and pub nights
- ◆ International parties

IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE ARTS

- ◆ Art and music classes
- ◆ Movie nights
- ◆ Karaoke and open mic nights

SOAK UP YOUR DESTINATION

- ◆ City walking tours and shopping trips
- ◆ Visits to museums and galleries
- ◆ Excursions outside of the city

BOOST YOUR FUTURE

- ◆ Visits to local businesses
- ◆ College and university visits
- ◆ Advice sessions on your future study or career



Buying ice cream in Boston



Surf's up at EC San Diego



Beach volleyball after class



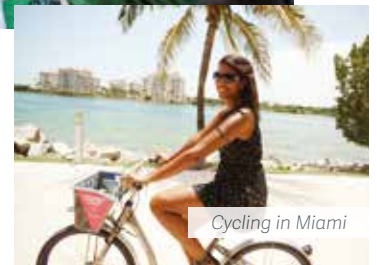
Browsing Cambridge's outdoor markets



A day in the park in London



Taking a selfie in Times Square



Cycling in Miami



@ECEnglish

Join the EC community on Twitter, where we discuss all topics from points of English grammar, to things to do in our destinations, to the best student resources available on the Internet.



EC English Language Centres

Access our wide variety of videos and learn about all aspects of the EC experience, including our destinations, activities, courses, English teaching methods and our international celebrity students!



ECsnapshots

Follow us to keep your finger on the pulse of what's going on at EC. Expect updates about our celebrity learners, lessons, student takeovers and more!

FREE LANGUAGE WORKSHOPS

Boost your course with additional teacher-led sessions, which are open to everybody and free of charge. A number of sessions take place every week outside of the classroom.

WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE AT ALL SCHOOLS

All year round at every school, we guarantee the programme will include the following sessions:



◆ CONVERSATION SESSIONS (at least once per week)

Grab a cup of coffee and enjoy practising your conversation skills with students from different classes, levels and nationalities. In these relaxed and sociable sessions, topics could be about anything.



◆ SKILLS CLINICS (at least once per week)

Learn tips, pointers and secrets to master different language skills. We offer clinics in grammar, pronunciation, writing and reading – check your activity calendar at school to see what's on.



◆ MOVIE SERIES (at least once per month)

Enjoy watching movies in English with the added benefit of discussion sessions and comprehension activities with an EC teacher afterwards.

ADDITIONAL WORKSHOPS

Each school's programme adapts to the needs of our students at any given time. You may find:



LECTURES

Learn interesting facts and gain listening practice while developing note-taking and summary writing skills.



WORK CLINIC

CV and interview clinics will help you develop the skills you need to apply and interview for jobs in English.



HOMEWORK CLUB

An organised gathering with other students, where you can help each other with homework and practise your English in a group setting.



EXAM SKILLS

Practise and master the skills that will help you attain a better score in your English language exams.



LOCAL CONVERSATION PARTNERS

We match our long-term students with a native speaker in the local area, to meet and chat on a regular basis.



IMPROVISATION HOUR

Improve your speaking skills while gaining confidence and having lots of fun through improvisation activities.



BREAKING NEWS

Get together with your fellow students to discuss and debate the local and international issues of the day.



WRITING CLINIC

Practise your written English skills and develop a practical understanding of both formal and informal writing styles.



THE 'HOOD

Learn about how literature, history and political movements have shaped the city in which you are studying.

YOUR SCHEDULE

Every day your lessons provide you with focused study, and outside of class your time is filled with opportunities for additional learning, fun and relaxation. Learn English while having the time of your life.

YOUR LESSONS

Your academic timetable will alternate daily between morning and afternoon lessons, ensuring you can fill your time outside of lessons with a variety of activities. Starting times vary slightly between schools. You will receive your timetable on your first day.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:30 - 10:00		Lessons Specific Skills		Lessons Specific Skills	
10:00 - 10:15	Break				
10:15 - 11:45		Lessons Specific Skills		Lessons Specific Skills	
11:45 - 12:30	Break				
12:30 - 14:00	Lessons Special Focus				
14:00 - 14:15	Break				
14:15 - 15:45	Lessons Targeted Skills		Lessons Targeted Skills		Lessons Targeted Skills
15:45 - 16:00	Break				
16:00 - 17:30	Lessons Targeted Skills		Lessons Targeted Skills		Lessons Targeted Skills



Each lesson is 45 mins and they are delivered in blocks of 2. ♦ **General English students** 15 hours per week (no Special Focus lessons) ♦ **Semi-Intensive students** 18 hours per week (Special Focus lessons 2 days per week) ♦ **Intensive students** 22.5 hours per week (Special Focus lessons 4 or 5 days per week, depending on EC school)

OUTSIDE OF CLASS

Take a look at this sample activity calendar from EC Brighton. Activities in **orange** and **language workshops** are free of charge!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
3 Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at home Brunch & Chat 11:00, from £6 City Tour 12:00	4 Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at school Welcome Drink for new students, 18:00	5 Pronunciation Clinic 11:00 & 14:45 Street Art Walk 14:45 Pub Night 20:15	6 Volleyball 14:45 Wimbledon Quarter Finals Men's Singles Student Lounge 13:00	7 Conversation 11:00 & 14:45 Seven Sisters 14:45 Football 19:00, £3 Under 18s Party 19:00, £4.50	8 Graduation Ceremony 12:15 Laser Tag 19:00, £5 Excursion to Scotland	9 Excursion to Oxford, Windsor & Eton Excursion to Bath & Stonehenge
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WELCOME HOME



Studying in a residence, London



Be part of a vibrant student community in a Residence



Cosy and colourful Studio Apartment in Bristol

Whether you would like to live with other students in a residence or experience local daily life with a homestay, we ensure the perfect home away from home.

Your EC home is your place to relax and recharge, and it's important you feel 100% comfortable. That's why we have accommodation options to suit your personal priorities.

If **comfort** or **budget** is your priority, you can choose from the following ranges:

- STANDARD** This option offers great value for money for the budget-conscious student.
- COMFORT** This is our mid-range accommodation, offering a higher level of comfort.
- SUPERIOR** Our premium range is for those seeking well-appointed accommodation and ideal for our 30+ students.

If **location** is the most important factor to you, we have options close to school and the heart of the action. Look out for these icons on our destination pages to see the best way to travel from each accommodation to school:

- Walk
- Bus
- Train
- Cycle

◆ HOMESTAY

Gain a unique cultural experience in your chosen destination and use your English in a natural environment outside of the classroom. You will enjoy all the pleasures of home with your host family: a welcoming environment, comfort and home-cooked food.

NEW! ACADEMIC HOMESTAY

In this special Homestay option, one of your hosts will be a qualified English teacher. You will receive five personal, one-to-one English lessons each week. You will also enjoy a weekly excursion with your host, enjoying local highlights together.

◆ STUDENT RESIDENCE

Nothing beats a staying in a student residence to get the full international student experience! Live independently in dedicated student accommodation, while enjoying and exploring your chosen destination with like-minded people from all over the world.

◆ STUDENT HOUSE OR SHARED APARTMENT

Enjoy the independence of a residence on a smaller scale. Sharing a house or apartment with other international students will give you lots of opportunities to practise your English language skills and make lasting friendships with your new housemates.

◆ STUDIO OR ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT

Choose this option for the most independent lifestyle. Suitable for a single person or two people booking together, these self-contained apartments offer comfort as well as a higher level of privacy in the heart of your chosen destination.



Share your experiences with others in a Student House



Enjoy a warm local welcome in a Homestay

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FINALIST

THE ORANGE CARPET
EXPERIENCE 

Accommodation is a central part of our Orange Carpet Experience. Let us take the worry out of finding the best option for you.

With choices to suit all tastes and budgets, we can help tailor your perfect accommodation experience.

We know our cities well, and carefully select the best local options so you can relax and focus on enjoying your studies and destination to the full.

Whichever option you choose, you will arrive to a warm and friendly welcome. Either your Homestay host or a member of the EC team will be available to help settle you in and answer any questions you may have. We make sure you are happy, rested and fully prepared for your first day at school.



CHOOSE YOUR COURSE



Whatever your reasons for learning, we have the perfect course for you. Let us help you reach your goal.

English for

EXPERIENCE & LIFE

Learning a language while immersing yourself in a new culture is an amazing experience. Explore an incredible destination, make friends and memories to last a lifetime, and go on to travel the world with ease. English is a tool that will improve your life in countless areas.

English for

CAREER SUCCESS

Gain the communication tools you need to shine in an international arena. English is the primary language of international business, the Internet, science, technology, diplomacy, sport and advertising. It is a powerful addition to your CV, no matter what career you choose to pursue.

English for

EDUCATION & EXAMS

Access the education of your dreams. Our Academic English course will prepare you for success in an English-speaking university environment. Or if you need to take an official exam, we can give you the skills and confidence to excel with our Exam Preparation courses.

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GENERAL SEMI-INTENSIVE & INTENSIVE ENGLISH

Your complete route to confidence in English. Master the four language skills – speaking, listening, reading and writing – and practise integrating them for a robust and effective route to fluency.

Choose this course if you:

- are at any level
- want to improve your level and gain confidence in all areas of English
- want to develop your fluency in everyday situations and contexts



GENERAL ENGLISH

Each week, you will spend 12 of your 20 lessons studying *Integrated Skills*, specifically improving your vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation through varied activities that will also engage your 'four skills' of language: speaking, listening, reading and writing.

For the other 8 lessons you will study *Targeted Skills*. These will focus on developing the 'four skills' themselves. Every language learner is different, and this is your opportunity to work on the skills you most need as you progress towards fluency.

SEMI-INTENSIVE AND INTENSIVE ENGLISH WITH SPECIAL FOCUS LESSONS

Take an additional 4 or 10 Special Focus lessons each week, to progress faster and study within your personal areas of interest.

Options will vary across EC schools, but there will always be a wide variety to choose from, such as: Media Studies, Film Studies, Grammar in Real Contexts, the Language of Music, Creative Writing, Listen Up!, Comparative Culture and Communication, Research and Presentations, Global Citizenship and more.

	General	Semi-Intensive	Intensive	English in the City	English for Work	Academic English
Available	All schools	US and Canada schools	All schools	All schools	All schools	Boston, San Diego, Los Angeles, Toronto, Vancouver
Minimum level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels	Pre-Intermediate	Intermediate
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Minimum length	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week	1 week
Lessons per week	20	24	30	30	30	30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5	22.5	22.5	22.5

SPECIAL FOCUS PROGRAMMES

These courses combine 20 lessons of General English with one of our 10-lesson Special Focus options, for a complete intensive experience that is tailored to you and your personal reasons for learning.



EXPERIENCE & LIFE

ENGLISH IN THE CITY

Get outdoors and learn English while directly experiencing the sights and spirit of your chosen destination

Experience real immersion learning, as 10 lessons per week are focused on language study inspired by your chosen city.

Each week you will spend some of these lessons outside of the classroom with your class, visiting places of interest and engaging in activities in the local area.

Some classroom study will also support each theme, with themes changing weekly. These could include: 'Business English – Tours of Local Businesses', 'Describing Art & Culture – Museum Tours', 'Talk like a Local – Neighbourhood Visits' and 'The Language of Sports – Stadium Visits'.

CAREER SUCCESS

ENGLISH FOR WORK

Gain the fluency, accuracy and specific communication skills you need to succeed in the workplace

Spend 10 lessons per week developing your linguistic skills in the context of building an international career.

You will learn within such areas as: negotiating contracts, management and HR, branding and promotional strategies, project management, company budgets, business ethics and CSR.

You will also learn workplace skills such as giving presentations and preparing for interviews, and enhance 'soft skills', such as justifying opinion, making recommendations, presenting different scenarios and conflict resolution.

EDUCATION & EXAMS

ACADEMIC ENGLISH

Learn the language and specific academic skills required for successful study at an English-speaking university

Spend 10 lessons per week refining the skills you need for transition into university.

You will focus on areas such as: writing assignments on specific topics, listening to lectures and taking effective notes, and preparing and giving academic presentations. You will also understand issues such as referencing, how to avoid plagiarism, and other 'dos and don'ts' you will need to know at university.

Study for 11+ weeks and take advantage of our University Admissions Service free of charge. Benefit from our IELTS/TOEFL waiver agreements we have with many universities across North America.

ACADEMIC SEMESTER/YEAR

Living and learning abroad is an extraordinary experience. Achieve fluency in English, challenge yourself and develop long-term friendships with people from all around the world.

Choose this course if you:

- dream of living and studying long-term in an English-speaking country
- want to achieve a full and active understanding of English
- want to achieve certification for entry into university
- would like a flexible programme open to all levels that starts every week



ROBUST CURRICULUM, PERSONALISED TO YOU

Nothing is random at EC. Everything you do on your course, from classroom activities to homework, is mapped to specific learning outcomes, which are the building blocks to fluency. You will be regularly assessed on these outcomes and receive detailed analyses of the gaps in your knowledge.

From there, you will be directed to all the support and resources you need to improve on your weaker areas and succeed! Your teachers and your digital learning companion, EC Advance, will be with you every step of the way.



GET QUALIFIED

Along your learning journey, you will have the opportunity to prepare for and sit an internationally recognised exam, which certifies your language level:

Cambridge ♦ Recognised by employers, universities and colleges all over the world

IELTS ♦ Required by many universities and colleges worldwide

TOEFL ♦ Recognised by over 8,000 academic and professional institutions

TOEIC ♦ Used by over 10,000 companies and institutions in 120 countries

At the end of your course you will receive a certificate stating your English language level, validated by the prestigious Oxford University Press.



LIVING AND LEARNING 24/7

Outside of lessons, there is a full calendar of social, cultural and academic activities to make this the experience of a lifetime.

Free language workshops take place in an informal setting and target specific linguistic skills. Expect interesting lectures, topical conversation sessions and pronunciation practice.

Social activities will take in the best of your destination. Enjoy everything from city tours, the arts, sports, eating & drinking, and nightlife.



EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

Learning English while being immersed in an English-speaking country is a truly exciting and enriching experience. Along the way, you will gain a new international network of friends.

With the language skills required for international study, work and travel, you will find that new opportunities will open in many areas of your life.

INTENSIVE/SEMI-INTENSIVE WITH SPECIAL FOCUS LESSONS

Add Special Focus lessons to progress faster and study within your personal areas of interest.

Options will vary across EC schools, but there will always be a wide variety to choose from, such as:

EXPERIENCE & LIFE

ENGLISH IN THE CITY

(available in all schools)

Get outdoors and learn English while experiencing the sights and spirit of your chosen destination.

CAREER SUCCESS

ENGLISH FOR WORK

(available in all schools)

Gain the fluency, accuracy and specific communication skills you need to compete successfully in the workplace.

EDUCATION & EXAMS

ACADEMIC ENGLISH

(available in selected schools)

Learn the language and academic skills required for successful study at an English-speaking university.



...and many others including **Media Studies, Culture and Communication, Grammar in Real Contexts, Write Now, and The Language of Music.**



EC ONLINE YOUR DIGITAL STUDY COMPANION

You will have access to EC Online from the moment of booking until three months after you leave EC. With this cutting-edge system you can:

- ◆ Test your starting level and tell us all about your goals, before you even leave home
- ◆ Access EC Advance, the powerful needs analysis tool that will diagnose your problem areas and create your personalised learning plan
- ◆ Access our enormous bank of online learning resources
- ◆ Communicate directly with your teachers
- ◆ Connect with your school community and sign up for events
- ◆ Receive your End of Course Certificate, certified by Oxford University Press



	General	Semi-Intensive	Intensive
Available	All schools (except US)	US and Canada schools	All schools
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels
Length	24+ weeks	24+ weeks	24+ weeks
Lessons per week	20	24	30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5

EXAM PREPARATION

THE CAMBRIDGE EXAMS

FCE, CAE AND CPE

Cambridge exams are recognised and respected by employers, universities and colleges all over the world. Whether you are taking a Cambridge exam for work, study or as a personal measure of achievement, we will ensure you get the best result possible.

Choose your exam based on your starting level

FCE

FIRST CERTIFICATE IN ENGLISH

Suitable for those who can deal confidently with a wide range of spoken and written English.

Starting level:

- Intermediate
- Upper-Intermediate for 8 week course
- Pre-Advanced for 4 week course

CAE

CERTIFICATE IN ADVANCED ENGLISH

For high-level users who can use English comfortably for most professional and academic purposes.

Starting level:

- Pre-Advanced
- Advanced for 4 week course

CPE

CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH

Aimed at students who can function comfortably and effectively in most English-speaking contexts.

Starting level:

- Advanced

IMPROVE YOUR LEVEL

With plenty of core English training, at the end of your course, your exam results will reflect a significant improvement across all aspects of your speaking, listening reading and writing.

You will learn:

- ♦ the skills needed to speak confidently and succeed in a one-to-one interview
- ♦ listening strategies such as listening for gist and for detail
- ♦ methods and strategies for successful integrated and independent writing
- ♦ skim reading for meaning, scanning for detail, paraphrasing, making inferences, and more

PERFECT YOUR TECHNIQUE

On these thorough, targeted courses, you will learn the valuable exam skills needed to meet or surpass your expected result.

Using sample papers and with continuous practice of specific tasks, you will become familiar with the exam you are taking.

On the day of the test, you will enter feeling prepared with the confidence to succeed.

CHOOSE MULTI-DESTINATION

Sun, sea, sand and skyscrapers! Soak up the best of the US while you prepare for either your CAE or CPE exam.

Four weeks of your eight-week course will be spent in the electric metropolis of New York City, and four basking in the sun and crystal sea of South Beach, Miami.

You can choose which destination you would like to experience first and where you would like to take your final exam.

Availability (lessons per week)

	FCE	CAE	CPE
New York	20, 30	20, 30	-
San Francisco	30	30	-
San Diego	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30
Los Angeles	20, 30	20, 30	-
Miami	20, 30	20, 30	-
New York > Miami	20, 30	20, 30	-
Miami > New York	20, 30	20, 30	-
Toronto	20, 30	20, 30	-
Vancouver	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30
London	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30
Cambridge	30	30	-
Brighton	20, 30	20, 30	-
Bristol	30	30	-
Manchester	30	30	-
Malta	20, 30	20, 30	30
Cape Town	20, 30	20, 30	-

Start dates: See price list for specific dates

HIGHER SCORE®

FOR IELTS, TOEFL AND TOEIC

Reach your full potential with this powerful training in pure exam technique. Exclusive to EC, the Higher Score® system is targeted to your choice of IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC exam.

Choose your exam

IELTS

INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE TESTING SYSTEM

An IELTS score is needed to enter most universities in the UK, Canada, Australia, Malta, and some in the US. It is also often required by professional bodies, and immigration to Canada, Australia and the UK.

TOEFL

TEST OF ENGLISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

TOEFL measures your ability to use English at university level. It is recognised by over 8,000 institutions in over 130 countries, including most North American universities.

TOEIC

TEST OF ENGLISH FOR INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION

TOEIC test scores are used by over 10,000 companies, government agencies and English language learning programmes in 120 countries.

HIGHLY REFINED EXAM TRAINING

The Higher Score® system works by focusing on three key areas to help you achieve your best score: helpful exam strategies, effective exam thinking, and studying only the English you need for the exam itself.

We combine the best commercially-available course books with specifically designed materials, developed by people who have worked with Oxford University Press and ETS (the organisation that develops TOEFL and TOEIC).

All of our Higher Score® teachers have an expert working knowledge of the exams and are specially trained.

DIGITALLY OPTIMISED FOR 2017

All of our Higher Score® course content has been freshly reviewed and updated in accordance with updates to the IELTS, TOEFL and TOEIC exams themselves.

In addition, through EC Online, we are now able to provide our Higher Score® students with an abundance of targeted digital learning content and online practice materials. With this additional exam exposure and vast opportunity for extra self-study, students can approach their final exam with even more confidence.

Availability (lessons per week)

	IELTS	TOEFL	TOEIC
Boston	-	24, 30	-
New York	-	30	-
San Francisco	-	30	-
San Diego	-	30	-
Los Angeles	-	30	-
Montreal	20	-	-
Toronto	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30
Vancouver	20	20	20
London	30	-	-
Oxford	30	-	-
Cambridge	30	-	-
Brighton	30	-	-
Bristol	30	-	-
Manchester	30	-	-
Malta	30	30	-
Cape Town	30	-	-

Courses start: Every Monday



ENGLISH FOR GLOBAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Learn English while you identify your perfect career path, gather insights from business leaders and authentic contexts, and receive tangible outcomes to validate your development. This programme will give you a solid foundation for professional success.



Choose this course if you want:

- an advanced level of English
- to develop your career prospects
- to learn first-hand, from local business people and authentic situations
- a working understanding of business concepts

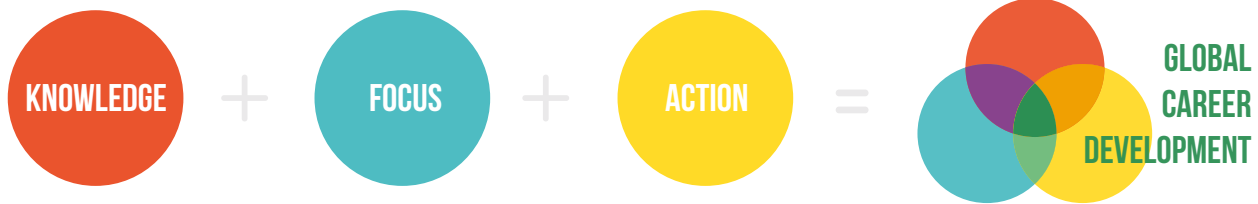
This exclusive programme is available in three classic destinations and divided over three terms. As you raise your English level, each term prepares you for a different cornerstone of career success: essential business skills, personal focus and real professional experience.

Within each term, you will acquire new English language skills while engaging with a group of focused, like-minded students and authentic business people. You will develop key professional skills and a working understanding of many different corporate concepts and situations.

By the end of the programme, you will have gained:

- ♦ an advanced level of English
- ♦ an employer reference
- ♦ an online professional profile highlighting your achievements and abilities
- ♦ an increased international network

Available	New York, Toronto, London
Minimum age	18
Minimum level	see individual terms
Complete programme starts	9 Jan, 3 Jul, 4 Sep
Length	24 weeks (8 weeks per term)
Lessons per week	30 (20 General English, 10 Global Career Development)



TERM 1

21ST CENTURY BUSINESS ESSENTIALS

Learn English while gaining an in-depth insight into the key areas a company must focus on in order to thrive.

Each week of this term will focus on a different area of the world of business, such as 'Mission Planning: Setting a Company Vision', 'Using Customer Feedback' and 'The Product Development Cycle'. You will learn directly from industry experts through authentic case studies and lectures.

During this term you will:

- ◆ Examine areas such as strategic planning, finance, HR, marketing and operations
- ◆ Learn about real-life business situations through real-life case studies
- ◆ Engage directly with local professionals

Minimum level: Intermediate

Starts: 9 Jan, 3 Jul, 4 Sep

TERM 2

FIND YOUR FOCUS

ROADTRIP NATION

This term is all about you. Develop your language skills while planning your career and your professional future.

EC has partnered with the organisation RoadTrip Nation, specialists in empowering individuals to find their path in life. In this term you will use cutting-edge profiling techniques to determine your perfect career, identify and interview local leaders in the field, and create a profile to begin your own journey.

During this term you will:

- ◆ Discover the perfect career for you, through research and profiling
- ◆ Interview and film local experts explaining how to turn a passion into a career
- ◆ Practise the professional skills of cold-calling, interviewing and presenting

Minimum level: Intermediate

Starts: 6 Mar, 4 Sep, 30 Oct

TERM 3

CAREER SKILLS IN ACTION

Use your English language and put your professional skills to use in an authentic business context.

During this term you will be actively involved with a local enterprise, as you develop and implement a project to transform a business idea into reality. Your project could include designing, marketing and running an event, establishing and executing a customer service strategy, or digital awareness building.

During this term you will:

- ◆ See an authentic professional project through, from conception to completion
- ◆ Create a digital portfolio online showcasing your work
- ◆ Refine your networking skills as you engage directly with the local business community

Minimum level: Pre-Advanced

Starts: 9 Jan, 8 May, 30 Oct, 8 Jan 2018



WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMMES

Combine your studies with a placement in an authentic workplace. Practise your language skills, boost your CV and get even more out of your experience.



Choose these programmes if you:

- would benefit from both classroom and workplace contexts
- want to see your chosen destination from a different angle
- need to develop the language skills relevant to the world of work
- would like to enhance your professional skills and gain a competitive edge





CAREER ENGLISH IN PRACTICE in the USA

After your English course, activate your language in a real-life professional environment, and gain the skills you need to develop an international career. You will receive ongoing support throughout your placement and an official letter of completion to recognise your achievement.

INTERNSHIP in the UK, Malta and Cape Town

Develop your English and enhance your CV with an internship opportunity, offered in a wide range of companies and organisations. These positions are unpaid and available to EEA, EU or Swiss students only.

CHARITABLE VOLUNTEERING in Canada

Study English or French and volunteer within a registered charity. Your unpaid placement may be within community service, environmental conservation, or wildlife protection. Full-board accommodation is provided for students on wilderness placements.

FARMSTAY in Canada

Only for the fit and active! Improve your English or French and experience life on a family farm in the Canadian countryside. Your unpaid placement could be on a ranch, fruit, vegetable or mixed farm, or a vineyard.

	Career English in Practice	Internship	Charitable Volunteering	Farmstay
Available	New York <i>(other US schools on request)</i>	All UK schools, Malta, Cape Town	All Canada schools <i>(French in Montreal only)</i>	All Canada schools <i>(French in Montreal only)</i>
Minimum level	Intermediate	UK: Upper Intermediate Malta: Intermediate Cape Town: Intermediate	Intermediate	Intermediate
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Duration of work experience	4-8 weeks	UK: 4 weeks to 3 months Malta: Minimum 8 weeks Cape Town: 4 weeks to 6 months	4-16 weeks	2-4 weeks
Duration of language course required	Minimum 8 weeks	Minimum 4 weeks	No restrictions	No restrictions
Minimum age	18	18	19	19

FRENCH COURSES

at **EC MONTREAL**

Choose from our range of French courses in the unique, beautiful and bilingual city of Montreal.



GENERAL, SEMI-INTENSIVE & INTENSIVE FRENCH

Improve all your linguistic skills and gain a solid understanding of the French language. Semi-Intensive and Intensive students will also choose from a wide range of Special Focus sessions.

FRENCH ACADEMIC SEMESTER/YEAR

Living and learning abroad is a wonderful experience, especially in this exciting, cosmopolitan city. On this course of 24+ weeks you will achieve fluency, challenge yourself and build a network of international friends. Semi-Intensive and Intensive students will also choose from a range of Special Focus sessions.

FRENCH FOR WORK

Perfect if you want to gain an advantage in your professional life, this course builds your language skills within such areas as marketing, finance, management, e-business, international trade and CSR.

DELTA/DALF EXAM PREPARATION

The DELTA and DALF (Diplôme d'Etudes/Approfondi en Langue Française) are diplomas issued by the French Ministry of Education. The results are valid for life, throughout the world. These 4-week courses combine 20 lessons per week of General French with 10 lessons of focused preparation and practice for your exam.

BILINGUAL PROGRAMME

Be immersed in the cosmopolitan culture and two languages of the world's biggest bilingual city. This course allows you to study both English and French, with either language as your primary focus.

If you choose our Homestay accommodation in Montreal, you can also choose to stay with a French- or English-speaking family.



	General French	Semi-Intensive French	Intensive French	French Academic Semester/Year	French for Work	DEL F Exam Preparation	DAL F Exam Preparation	Bilingual Programme
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels	Intermediate to Advanced	Beginner to Upper Intermediate	Advanced	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	See below*	See below**	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 24 weeks	Minimum 1 week	4-5 weeks	4-5 weeks	Minimum 1 week
Lessons per week	20	24	30	20, 24 or 30	30	20 General French + 10 DEL F	20 General French + 10 DAL F	24 or 30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5	15, 18 or 22.5	22.5	22.5	22.5	18 or 22.5

*DEL F Exam Preparation: 9 Jan - 3 Feb, 6 - 31 Mar, 1 - 26 May, 3 - 28 Jul, 31 Aug - 25 Sep

**DAL F Exam Preparation: 3 - 28 Apr, 31 Jul - 25 Aug, 6 Nov - 1 Dec

CLUB 50+

Level	All levels
Dates	01 - 12 May and 25 Sep - 06 Oct
Lessons per week	20
Hours per week	15
Class size	Max 6

at EC MALTA

Exclusive to EC in Malta, this complete package of lessons and activities is exclusively for people aged 50 and over who want to travel, socialise and improve their English in the Mediterranean sunshine.



California DREAMIN'

Sun, sea, sand and the USA at its finest. Travel the Golden State with us, learning English as you go.



Study English at EC San Francisco, EC San Diego and EC Los Angeles, while experiencing the best of these cities and breathtaking surrounding areas.

California Dreamin' is available as a three- or six-week programme.

It includes 20 lessons per week of General English, accommodation in a twin room, and weekend road trips as you travel through the Golden State to your next stunning destination.

Available

Experience THREE WEEKS 02 - 22 Jul, 23 Jul - 12 Aug, 13 Aug - 02 Sep

Experience SIX WEEKS 03 Sep - 14 Oct, 15 Oct - 25 Nov

Experience THREE WEEKS

week

1

Study at **EC San Francisco** and enjoy a **California coastal road trip**



2

Study at **EC Los Angeles** and enjoy **Disneyland plus a San Diego tour**



3

Study at **EC San Diego** and enjoy an **optional Baja Mexico beach trip**



Experience SIX WEEKS

week

1

Study at **EC San Francisco** and enjoy the **weekend at Yosemite**



2

Study at **EC San Francisco** and enjoy a **California coastal road trip**



3

Study at **EC Los Angeles** and enjoy a **weekend in Las Vegas**



4

Study at **EC Los Angeles** and enjoy **Disneyland plus a San Diego tour**



5

Study at **EC San Diego** and enjoy a trip to **SeaWorld and a San Diego dinner cruise**



6

Study at **EC San Diego** and enjoy an **optional Baja Mexico beach trip**



Routes into Higher Education in North America

Dream of getting a degree from a North American university? Let us help you reach your goal.

We provide various routes into higher education in North America. With dedicated schools on campus at the State University of New York and UCSC Silicon Valley Extension, we also have many IELTS/TOEFL waiver and conditional admission agreements across a large and growing network of university partners.

We can also counsel students through the application procedure to any North American institution with our University Admissions Service.

For more details see our brochures from:



UCSC Silicon Valley Extension

SUNY The State University of New York



Partner Universities in the USA



Partner Universities in Canada

Young LEARNERS



ACTION-PACKED STUDY AND TRAVEL experiences in the US, Canada, UK and Malta

From Summer Camp for our littlest learners, to Freestyle for teens and young adults, each of our programmes is a perfect opportunity to learn and have fun, while seeing a new, exciting part of the world and making lots of international friends.

NEW IN 2017, our English Plus Programmes offer the chance to further personalise the EC Young Learner experience with classes in exam skills, football, basketball, computer animation, and much more.

For more details see our brochure: **Young LEARNERS 2017**



30+

THE EXPERIENCE



In class at EC Malta 30+

Exclusively for those aged 30 years and over who want to share their experience with like-minded students in a stylish, focused environment



Stylish lounge area at EC Toronto 30+

LEARN IN BOUTIQUE SURROUNDINGS

Learn and socialise in style: our 30+ schools are highly finished, contemporary learning spaces. From Art Deco Chic in New York to Mediterranean Geometric in Malta, each school is designed to reflect a unique aspect of the local culture.

DEVELOP AN INTERNATIONAL NETWORK

You will be surrounded by students from all over the world. During your experience you will learn about your classmates' cultural, personal and professional backgrounds. And by the time you leave, your network will be bigger and broader than ever.

INTERACT WITHIN RELEVANT CONTEXTS

We design our 30+ programmes specifically for more mature students, who have greater experience of life and the world of work. Through speaking, listening, reading and writing, you will learn within contexts that are stimulating and relevant to you.

EXPLORE AND ENJOY

Benefit from a high-quality social activity programme featuring the top cultural highlights of your chosen destination. Mould it to your own tastes to take in the arts, sports, shopping, relaxation, nightlife, action and adventure.



A tour over the Brooklyn Bridge with EC New York 30+



Studying together at EC London 30+



Relaxing in style at EC London 30+

**FREE
WITH EVERY
COURSE**



Access to EC Online from booking



Orange Carpet Experience



Extra language workshops and activities



Social and cultural programme



Course book*

*excl. EC Toronto

ACCOMMODATION

New York 30+

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠
 MANHATTAN HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠
 RESIDENCE *comfort* 🚶
 SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🏠

Toronto 30+

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠, *comfort* 🚶
 RESIDENCE *standard* 🏠
 APARTMENT *standard* 🏠
 SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🏠

London 30+

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠, *comfort* 🚶
 RESIDENCE *comfort* 🚶
 SHARED HOUSE *standard* 🏠
 SUMMER RESIDENCE *comfort* 🚶
 STUDIO APARTMENT *superior* 🚶 or 🏠

Malta 30+

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠, *comfort* 🚶
 SHARED APARTMENT *standard* 🚶, *comfort* 🚶, *superior* 🚶
 ONE BED APARTMENT *comfort* 🚶
 SUMMER SHARED APARTMENT *standard* 🚶

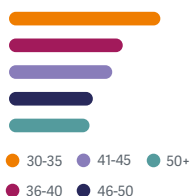
FACTS

	New York 30+	Toronto 30+	London 30+	Malta 30+
Number of classrooms	6	8	8	16
Average students in class	11	13	10	10
Max students in class	15	15	12	12 (Mini-Group 6)
Capacity	90	120	122	180
Student computers	3	12	6	5

COURSES

	New York 30+	Toronto 30+	London 30+	Malta 30+
General English (20)	✓	✓	✓	✓
Semi Intensive English (24)	✓	✓	-	-
Intensive English (30)	✓	✓	✓	✓
English for Work (20+10)	✓	✓	✓	✓
English in the City (20+10)	✓	✓	✓	✓
One-to-One	✓	✓	✓	✓
Club 50+	-	-	-	✓

AGE MIX



Spacious classroom at EC Toronto 30+

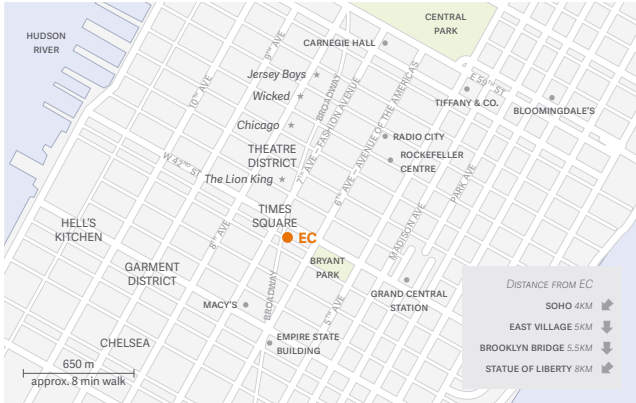
NEW YORK 30+

ART DECO STYLE

Study at EC New York 30+ and look out over Times Square, one of the most iconic destinations in the world. Once you have been immersed in the exhilarating sights and sounds of the Big Apple, no experience will ever match it!



In class



Lounge area

- Free WiFi
- IWBS throughout

NATIONALITY MIX



In class



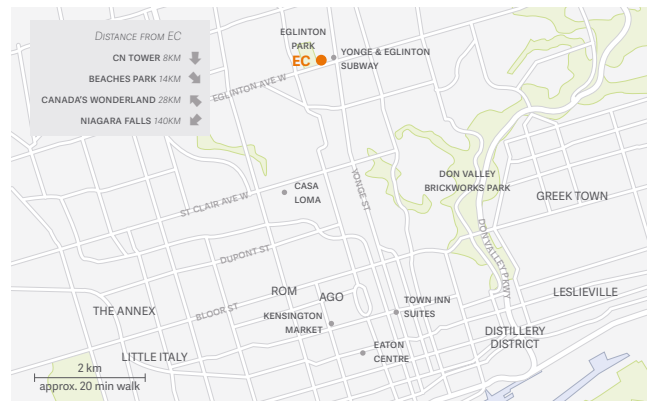
Lounge area

- Free WiFi
- IWBS throughout
- Library
- Self-study room
- Student lounge
- Café in building
- Kitchen area

TORONTO 30+

MID-CENTURY MODERN STYLE

Toronto is Canada's largest city, and a global centre for business, finance, arts and culture. Take this perfect opportunity to discover all that Toronto has to offer, and why it is consistently ranked one of the world's most liveable cities.



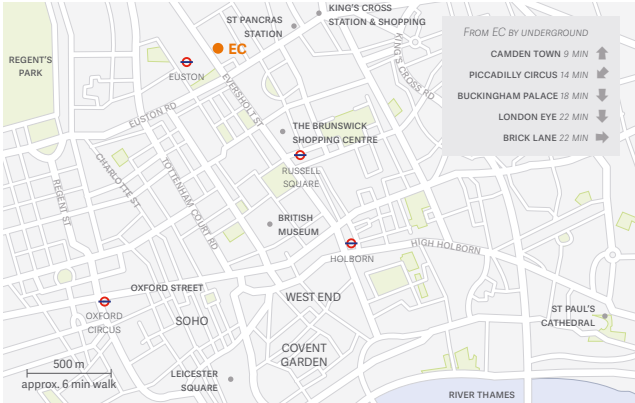
NATIONALITY MIX



LONDON 30+

CLASSIC METROPOLITAN STYLE

Located in Zone 1, right next to Euston station, EC London 30+ is an excellent option if you want to be in the heart of the capital, and within easy reach of everything it has to offer: world-class attractions, galleries, shopping, restaurants and more.



NATIONALITY MIX



- Free WiFi
- IWBs throughout
- Library
- Self-study room
- Student lounge
- Café in building
- Starbucks



MALTA 30+

MEDITERRANEAN GEOMETRIC STYLE

The perfect destination for more mature students looking to learn English in relaxed, sun-drenched surroundings. Enjoy cocktails on the beach, visit the world's oldest temples, and soak up 5,000 years of history in this 'jewel of the Mediterranean'.

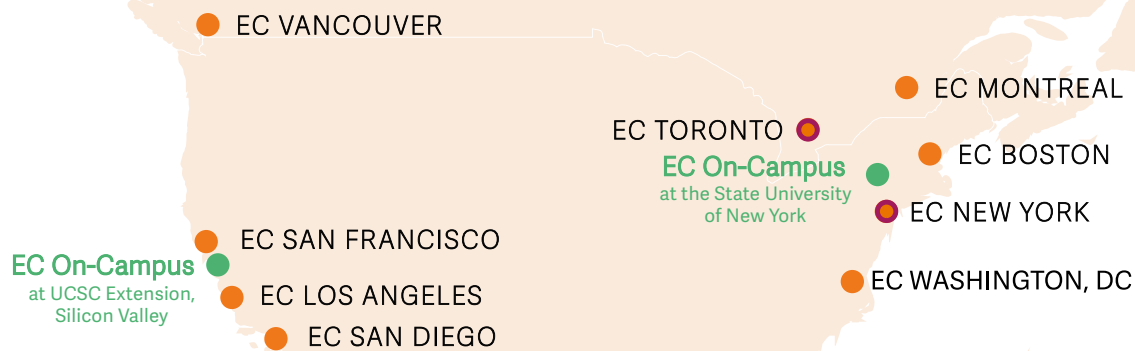


NATIONALITY MIX



- Free WiFi
- IWBs throughout
- Library
- Self-study room
- Student lounge
- Café in building
- Outdoor terrace





CHOOSE YOUR DESTINATION

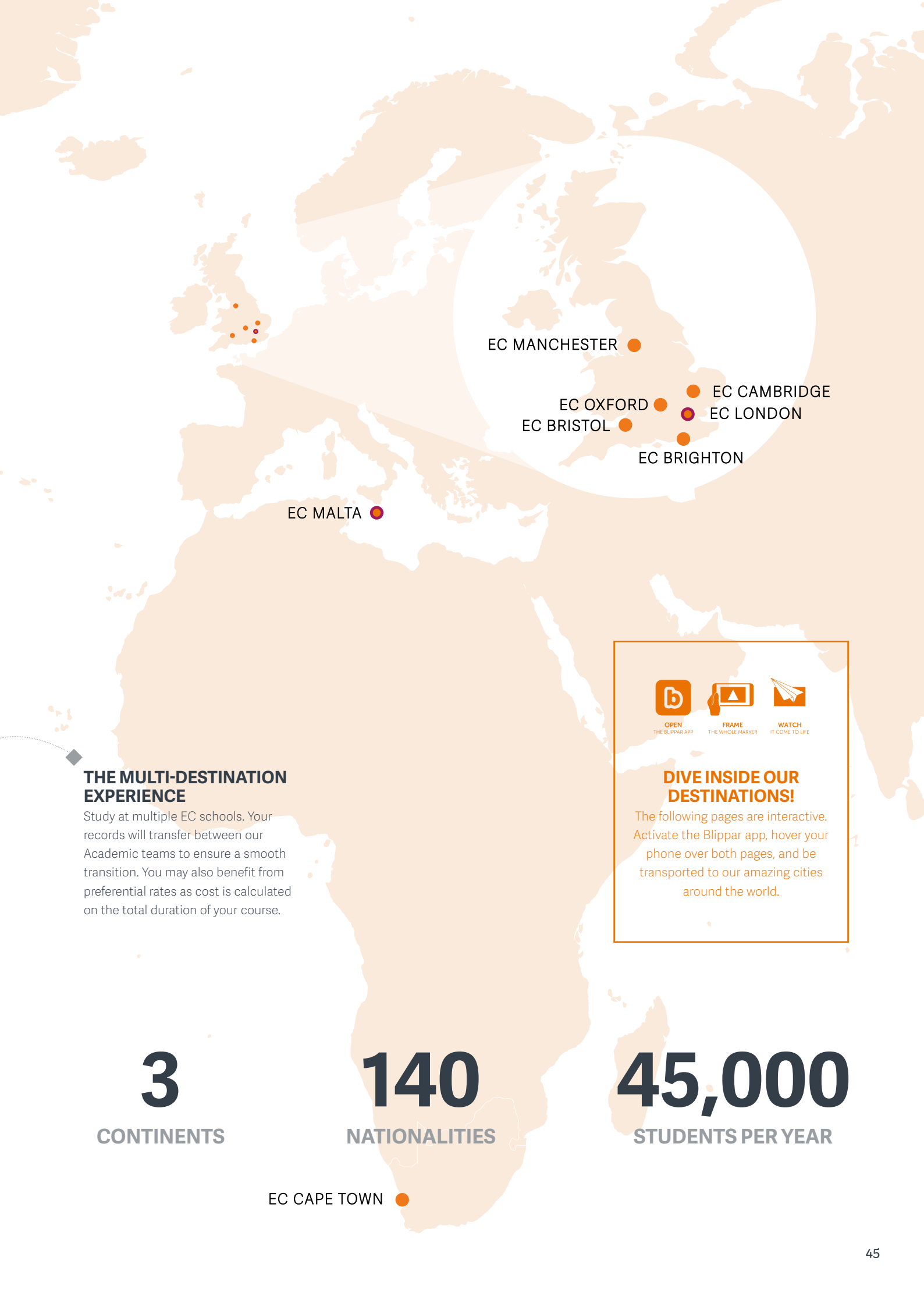
Explore our range of the world's most amazing English-speaking destinations. From sun-drenched seaside locations to exciting cosmopolitan cities and leafy university campuses – the choice is yours.

18[°]
CITIES

4[°]
30+ LOCATIONS

2[°]
SCHOOLS
ON CAMPUS

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COUNTRIES



EC MANCHESTER ●

EC OXFORD ●
EC BRISTOL ●

● EC CAMBRIDGE
● EC LONDON

● EC BRIGHTON

EC MALTA ●

EC CAPE TOWN ●

THE MULTI-DESTINATION EXPERIENCE

Study at multiple EC schools. Your records will transfer between our Academic teams to ensure a smooth transition. You may also benefit from preferential rates as cost is calculated on the total duration of your course.



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FRAME
THE WHOLE MARKER



WATCH
IT COME TO LIFE

DIVE INSIDE OUR DESTINATIONS!

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CONTINENTS

140

NATIONALITIES

45,000

STUDENTS PER YEAR



Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



University Admissions Service

18

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

270

Capacity

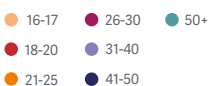
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Boston

One of the most important cities in US history and, with world-class universities such as Harvard and MIT, Boston is a true centre of academic excellence. Safe, friendly and a wonderful city to wander around, this is where modern skyscrapers meet historic landmarks, cobbled streets, amazing restaurants and a vibrant art scene.

EC BOSTON



Reception



Outside EC Boston

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Right next door to Faneuil Hall Marketplace, the city's heart of food and shopping
- Located on Boston's famous 'Freedom Trail' and five minutes from the waterfront
- Conversation Partners: exclusive programme for long term students to partner with a local native speaker
- Free activities include trips to local markets, universities and Boston Public Library
- Also enjoy a Red Sox baseball game, boat party, and trip to Martha's Vineyard
- Excursions available to New York, Washington, DC and Niagara Falls

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Student lounge

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY standard 🏠

APARTMENT standard 🏠, comfort 🚶

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Sunset over the Zakim Bridge

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic English (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Higher Score® TOEFL (24/30)
- One-to-One



Picnic in the park



Outside Quincy Market

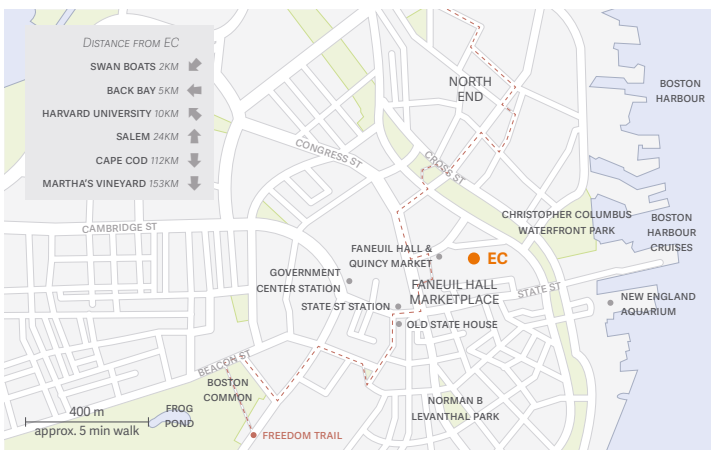


In class



FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

- Course book
- Access to EC Online from booking
- Orange Carpet Experience
- Extra language workshops and activities
- Social and cultural programme





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Self-study room



Student lounge



University Admissions Service

10

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

150

Capacity

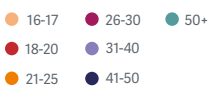
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



New York Home to some of the world's most iconic sights, such as the Statue of Liberty and Times Square, and with its famous unstoppable energy, the 'Big Apple' is a city experience unlike any other. This fun and fast-paced world leader in art, shopping, culture, finance and fashion is where global trends are set and dreams are made.

EC NEW YORK



SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Centrally located in iconic Times Square, steps from world-renowned Broadway shows
- A short walk from 5th Avenue, the Empire State Building and Grand Central Station
- Free language workshops include conversation classes and targeted grammar sessions
- Free activities include city walks, picnics and dance lessons in Bryant Park
- Also enjoy trips to Coney Island, the 'Top of the Rock' and legendary New York nightspots
- Excursions available to Boston, Washington DC, Philadelphia and Niagara Falls
- Students 30 years and over can also choose to study at EC New York 30+

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠

MANHATTAN HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠

RESIDENCE *comfort* 🏡

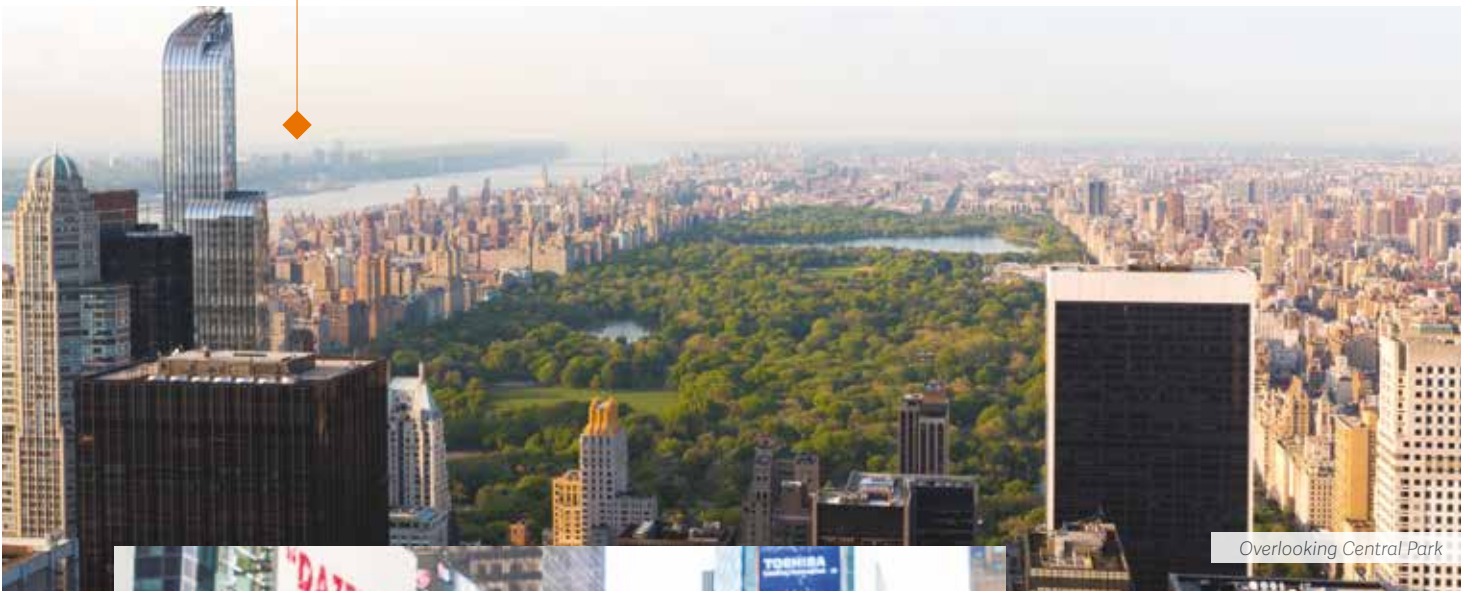
SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🏠

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Overlooking Central Park

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

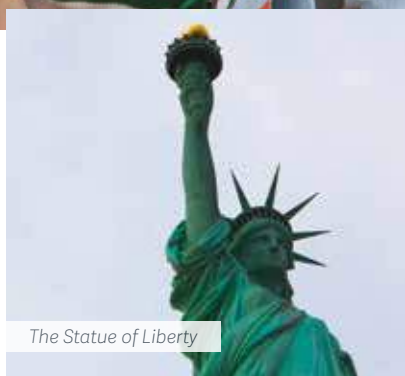
- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Higher Score® TOEFL (30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- English for Global Career Development (30)
- Career English in Practice
- English Plus: Dancing
- One-to-One



Iconic Times Square

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

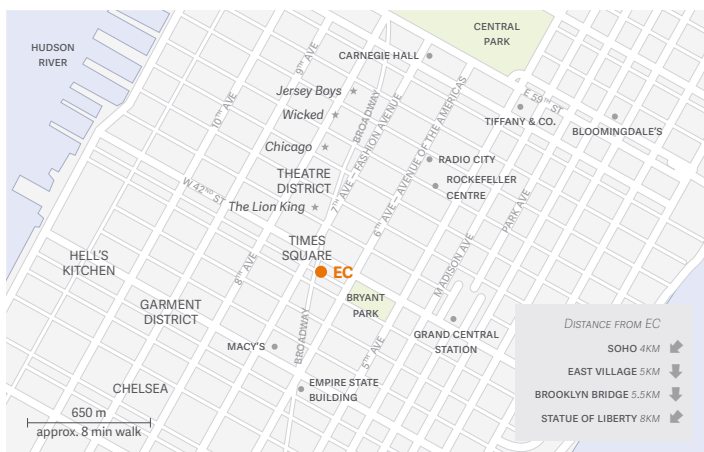
-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



The Statue of Liberty



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



University Admissions Service

11

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

165

Capacity

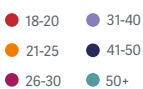
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Student computers

18

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Washington, DC This city is the epicentre of political power and the ultimate showcase of American history and culture. The world-class museums of the Smithsonian Institute and a host of famous landmarks are waiting to be explored. With its grand architecture, the US capital is a home to many leading national and international organisations.

EC WASHINGTON, DC



SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- In the heart of the city, next to two metro stations and five minutes from the White House
- Boutique interior features beautiful murals of US presidents and spacious student lounge
- Free language workshops include conversation, pronunciation and writing sessions
- Free activities include visits to the US Capitol, the Pentagon and the Smithsonian museums
- Also enjoy a Nationals baseball game, the Spy Museum or a river cruise in cherry blossom season
- Excursions to New York, Philadelphia and Virginia Beach

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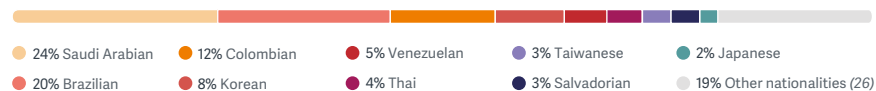


ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠

RESIDENCE *superior* 🏠

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





View of the Washington Monument



In class

CHOOSE YOUR **COURSE**

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- One-to-One

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

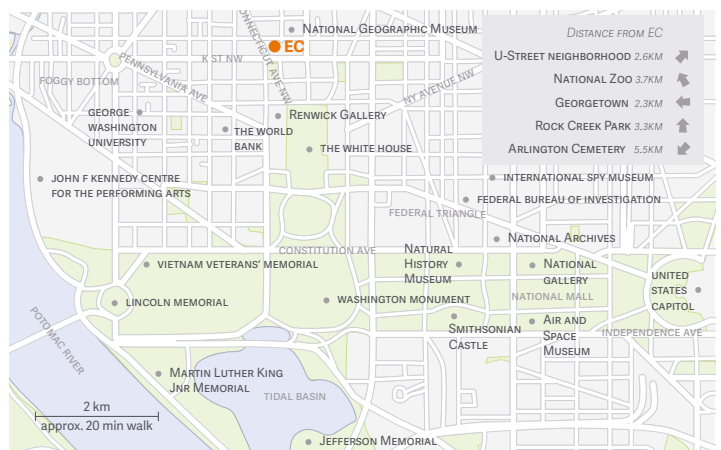
-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Grand, neoclassical architecture



Plenty of natural light in the classrooms





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Café in building



University Admissions Service

15

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

222

Capacity

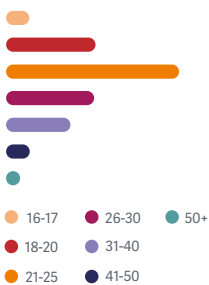
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



San Francisco Famous for the sweeping Golden Gate Bridge, high-tech 'Silicon Valley' and its quirky local culture, San Francisco offers something different at every turn. Take a ride on the world's last manually-operated cable car system, tuck into fresh Dungeness crab and visit the former Alcatraz prison that once housed notorious criminals such as Al Capone.

EC SAN FRANCISCO



Reception



Outside EC San Francisco

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in the centre of Downtown, on Market Street and five minutes' walk to Union Square
- School is 18 floors up with views of the city; classrooms surround a large sun-filled lounge
- Free language workshops include The 'Hood – tours in English of local neighbourhoods
- Free activities include BBQs, trips to local universities and the Botanical Garden, and yoga
- Also enjoy a brewery tour, and golf, baseball and paddle boats in Golden Gate Park
- Excursions available to Las Vegas, Los Angeles and Yosemite National Park

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Student computers

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY standard 🏠

RESIDENCE standard 🏠, comfort 🏠 or 🏠

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Sunset over the Golden Gate Bridge

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- Higher Score® TOEFL (30)
- One-to-One
- California Dreamin'



Fun in downtown San Francisco

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

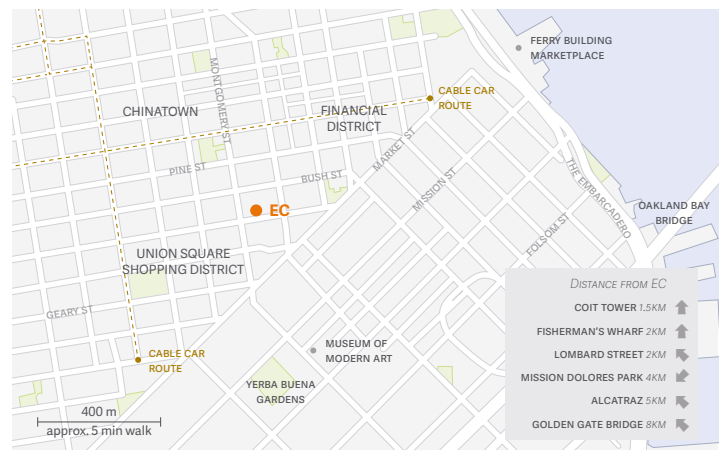
- Course book
- Access to EC Online from booking
- Orange Carpet Experience
- Extra language workshops and activities
- Social and cultural programme



Riding a cable car



In class





Free WiFi



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Outdoor terrace



University Admissions Service

19

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

228

Capacity

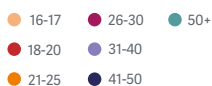
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



San Diego Welcome to beautiful La Jolla in San Diego, one of the Golden State's most popular beach destinations. Surrounded on three sides by sparkling blue ocean, you can swim, scuba dive, surf, snorkel or simply bathe in the sun. Visit Balboa Park's museums and gardens, take in world-class art and amazing food, and when the sun goes down head to the historic Gaslamp Quarter.

EC SAN DIEGO

LA JOLLA BEACH



Reception



Outside EC San Diego

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Five minutes' walk from La Jolla Cove, San Diego's best diving, snorkelling and surfing spot
- Beautiful outdoor terrace, where you can enjoy the sun and views across the ocean
- Free language workshops include regular conversation sessions with local native speakers
- Free activities include local volunteering, and basketball, soccer and volleyball games
- Also enjoy surfing lessons, kayaking in La Jolla Cove, and visits to the Zoo and Aquarium
- Excursions available to San Francisco, Las Vegas and Los Angeles

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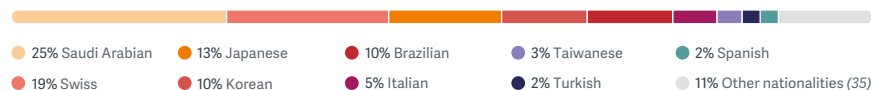
Computer area

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *academic* 🚗

SHARED APARTMENT *comfort* 🚗, *superior* 🚗

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Lovely La Jolla



EC San Diego's beautiful, sunny terrace

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic English (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® TOEFL (30)
- One-to-One
- English Plus: Surfing
- California Dreamin'

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Surfing!



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



University Admissions Service

21

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

225

Capacity

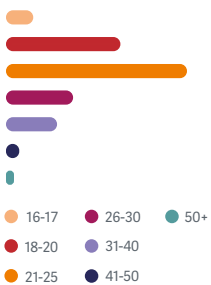
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Los Angeles

Santa Monica Beach is the ultimate stretch of golden South Californian coastline where the sun shines for 90 per cent of the year. Don't miss the zany street performers, artists and skateboarders on Venice Beach, shopping until you drop at Third Street Promenade, and of course, spotting your favourite A-list celebrities in Hollywood and Beverly Hills.

EC LOS ANGELES



SANTA MONICA



Reception



Outside EC Los Angeles

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in the heart of Santa Monica, five minutes' walk from the beach
- Steps away from Third Street Promenade, an eating, shopping and nightlife paradise
- Free language workshops include Writing Wonders and Breaking News sessions
- Free activities include picnics, dress-up days, beach soccer and ping pong
- Also enjoy an LA Dodgers game, sunset yoga and rollerblading on the boardwalk
- Excursions available to Hollywood, Disneyland, Universal Studios and Las Vegas

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Student lounge

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *academic* 🚗

SHARED APARTMENT *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗, *superior* 🚗

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Colourful Santa Monica Pier




A morning at the beach

CHOOSE YOUR **COURSE**

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic English (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® TOEFL (30)
- One-to-One
- California Dreamin'

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE


Access to EC Online from booking


Extra language workshops and activities


Course book


Orange Carpet Experience


Social and cultural programme



Fun and vibrant streetlife



In class



DISTANCE FROM EC
 VENICE BEACH 4KM
 BEVERLY HILLS 11KM
 HOLLYWOOD WALK OF FAME 19KM



Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



University Admissions Service

9

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

135

Capacity

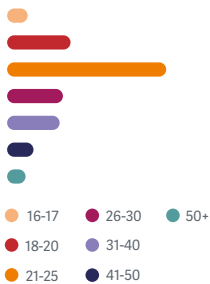
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Miami

Known to many as 'The Magic City', Miami is a melting pot of cultures and sights, where pastel-coloured Art Deco architecture meets sizzling neon nightlife. Take a stroll down world-famous Lincoln Road to the soft white sands and turquoise sea of South Beach – the Sunshine State's hottest place to see and be seen.

EC MIAMI SOUTH BEACH



Reception



Outside EC Miami

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in a spectacular landmark building in the heart of South Beach
- Surrounded by the shops, bars and cafés of Lincoln Road Mall
- Free language workshops include extra teacher time in Tutoring Centre sessions
- Free activities include yoga and volleyball on the beach, and outdoor movie nights
- Also enjoy salsa dancing, a Miami City boat trip, and a Miami Marlins baseball game
- Excursions available to Key West and the scenery and wildlife of the Everglades

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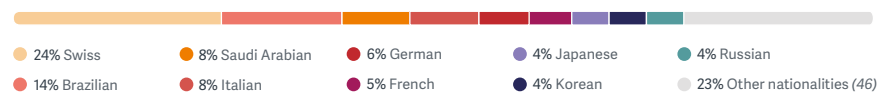
Student lounge

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗

STUDIO APARTMENT *comfort* 🚶

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Miami's famous palm trees

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- One-to-One



A stroll down Lincoln Road Mall

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

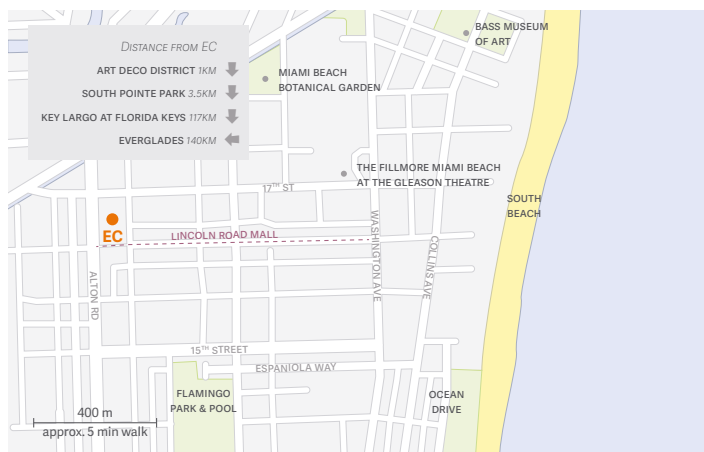
-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Vibrant colours on South Beach



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Restaurants on site



University Admissions Service

22

Classrooms

13

Average class size (max 15)

16

Higher Score® average class size (max 18)

285

Capacity

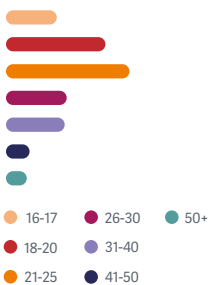
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



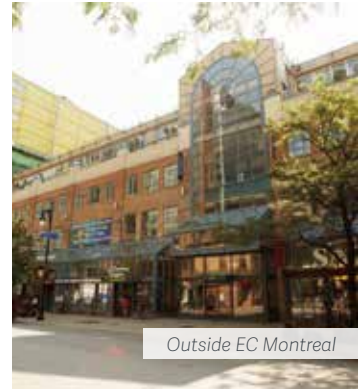
Montreal

This picturesque, bilingual city has a classic European charm, and is home to one of the most multicultural communities in the world. Wander through old cobbled streets and indulge in some of the best restaurants and galleries the country has to offer, or kick back and experience a sensational performance in the birthplace of the world-famous Cirque du Soleil.

EC MONTREAL



Reception



Outside EC Montreal

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in downtown Montreal, on St Catherine's Street, the city's main shopping street
- The school specialises in teaching both languages of this bilingual city: English and French
- Free language workshops include interview and IELTS skills, and round table discussions
- Free activities include fitness classes, local festivals, hikes, picnics and Taste of Montreal
- Also enjoy bowling, go-karting, and tours of Little Italy and other colourful local areas
- Excursions available to Niagara Falls, Toronto, Ottawa and Quebec City

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Kitchen area

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* *comfort*

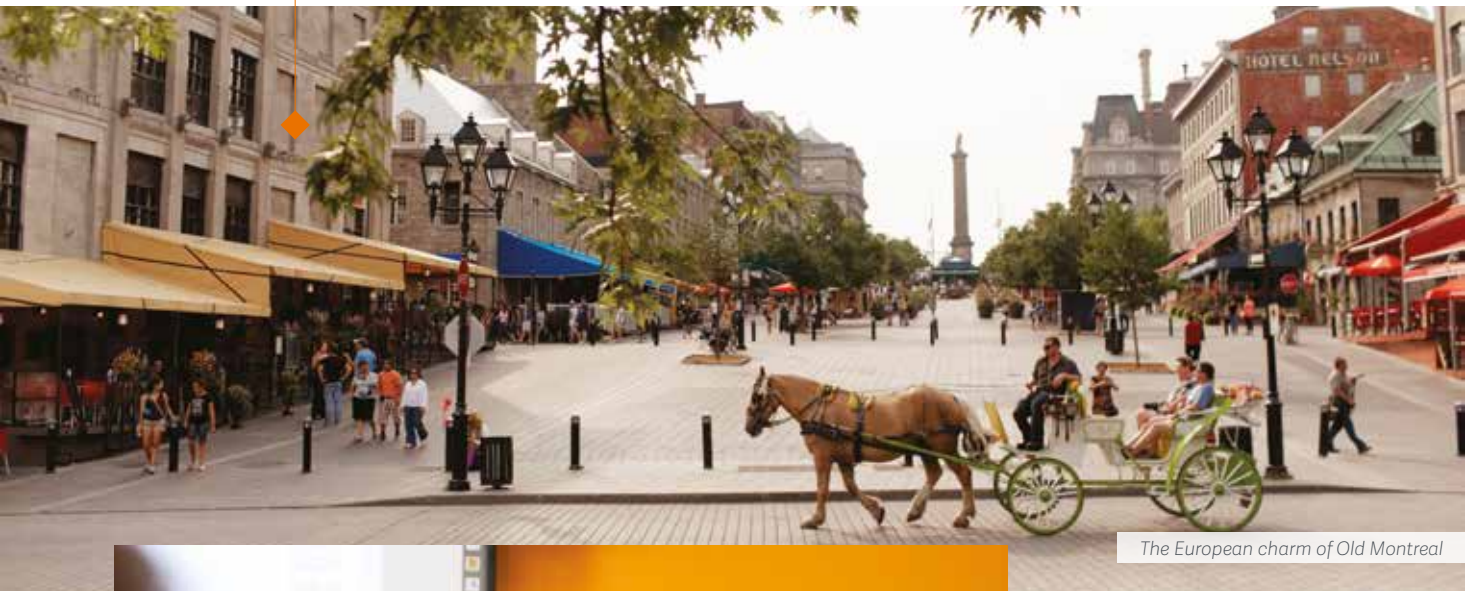
SHARED APARTMENT *superior*

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





The European charm of Old Montreal







In class

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English/French (20/24/30)
- Bilingual (24/30)
- English/French for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- English/French Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (20)
- DELFDALF Exam Preparation (20+10)
- English/French One-to-One
- English/French Plus: Gastronomy
- English/French Plus: Farmstay
- English/French Plus: Charitable Volunteering

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

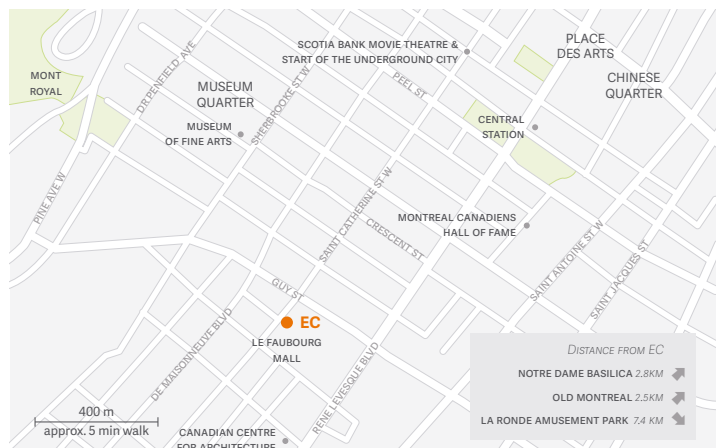
-  Access to EC Online from booking (excl. French)
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Spectacular fireworks



Plenty of natural light





Free WiFi



WBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Café in building



Cambridge, IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC test centre



University Admissions Service

22

Classrooms

14

Average class size (max 15)

16

Higher Score® average class size (max 18)

330

Capacity

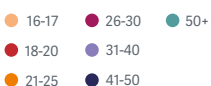
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Toronto

As the fourth largest city in North America, Toronto is home to around 2.8 million people in approximately 240 culturally diverse neighbourhoods, each with its own distinctive flavour. The city is a hotspot for thrill-seekers, offering unforgettable experiences like the CN Tower's Edgewalk, daytrips to the legendary Niagara Falls, and the chance to visit Canada's Wonderland, the country's largest amusement park.

EC TORONTO

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Reception

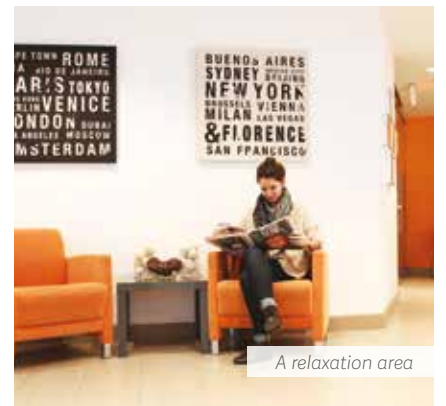


Outside EC Toronto

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- A friendly, spacious and modern school with plenty of natural light
- Located in the Yonge & Eglinton area, a bustling midtown intersection full of shops and restaurants
- Free language workshops include Writing Wonders and Breaking News
- Free activities include local walking tours, soccer and trips to museums and art galleries
- Also enjoy a trip up the CN Tower, a Blue Jays baseball game and boat parties
- Excursions available to Niagara Falls, Boston, New York and Montreal
- Students 30 years and over can also choose to study at EC Toronto 30+

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



A relaxation area

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

RESIDENCE *standard* 🚗

APARTMENT *standard* 🚗

SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🚗

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Toronto's unique skyline

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic English (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC (20/24/30)
- One-to-One
- Career English in Practice
- English for Global Career Development
- English Plus: Farmstay/Charitable Volunteering



Enjoying Toronto

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

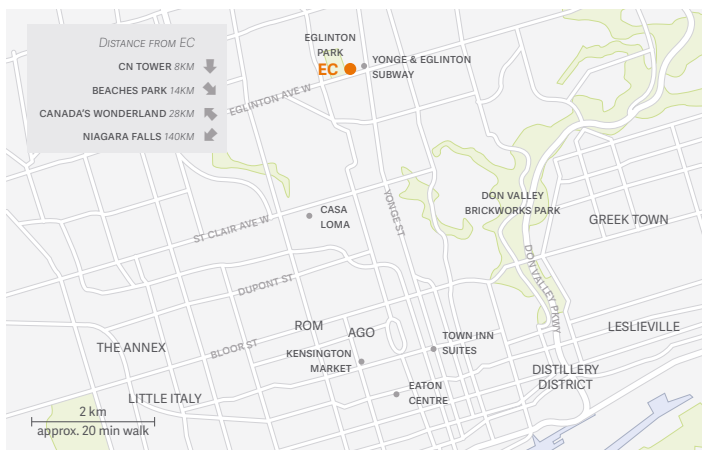
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



A rainbow over Niagara Falls



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Cambridge test centre



University Admissions Service

19

Classrooms

14

Average class size (max 15)

16

Higher Score® average class size (max 18)

285

Capacity

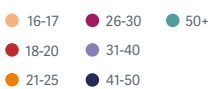
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Vancouver

Recognised as one of the best places to live in North America, Vancouver has some of the friendliest people in the country to welcome you. This cultural hub is truly picturesque, offering nature-lovers both majestic mountains and sparkling water, a lush rainforest and one of the biggest parks in North America just waiting to be explored.



EC VANCOUVER



Reception



Outside EC Vancouver

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Based in a landmark building with large, airy classrooms offering lots of natural light
- Downtown location with attractions, shops and outdoor activities all within walking distance
- Free language workshops include extra help and conversation sessions at different levels
- Free activities include movie nights, soccer, volleyball and student parties
- Also enjoy trips to the Chinese Garden, Richmond night market and farmers' market
- Excursions available to Whistler, Victoria, The Rocky Mountains, Seattle and Portland

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Relaxation area

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY standard , comfort

RESIDENCE standard , comfort

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Impressive totem poles in Stanley Park

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic English (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC (20)
- One-to-One
- English Plus: Farmstay/Charitable Volunteering



On the beach at sunset

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

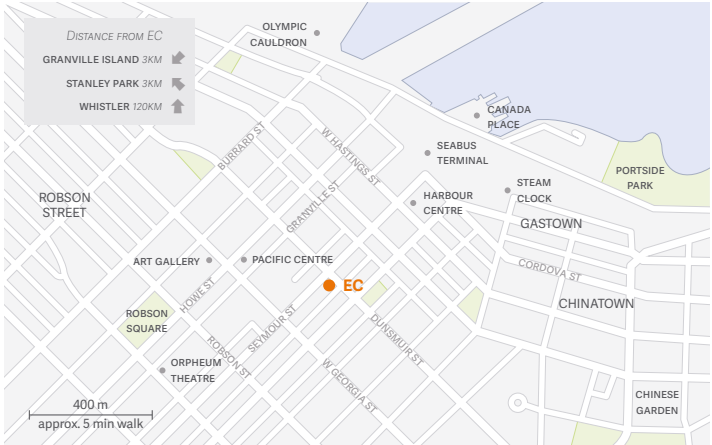
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-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



In class



Engaging lessons





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Café in building



Starbucks

14

Classrooms

11

Average class size (max 14)

168

Capacity

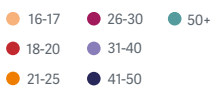
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



London England's glorious capital has arguably the richest urban history in the world. Today, this financial and cultural hub is full of creative energy, boasting world-class theatres, live musical performances, galleries and architecture. Bring your appetite for food, fun and adventure to London, where there is something new and thrilling to experience every day of the year.

EC LONDON



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Reception



Outside EC London

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located next to Euston station in Zone 1, with unbeatable access to all areas of the city
- Very reasonably-priced café serving a delicious range of international homemade meals
- Free language workshops include CV and interview clinics, and university and careers advice
- Free activities include picnics in the park, walking tours, and Eat & Meet with fellow students
- Also enjoy trips to musical shows, the London Dungeon, London Eye, and Madame Tussauds
- Excursions available to Windsor, Stonehenge, Oxford, Bath and the Isle of Wight
- Students 30 years and over can also choose to study at EC London 30+

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Student lounge

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🏠, *comfort* 🏠

RESIDENCE *comfort* 🏠

SHARED HOUSE *standard* 🏠

SUMMER RESIDENCE *comfort* 🏠

STUDIO APARTMENT *superior* 🏠 or 🏠

NATIONALITY MIX



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UK flags at Piccadilly Circus

CHOOSE YOUR **COURSE**

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- English for Global Career Development
- Internship

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

Access to EC Online from booking

Extra language workshops and activities

Course book

Orange Carpet Experience

Social and cultural programme



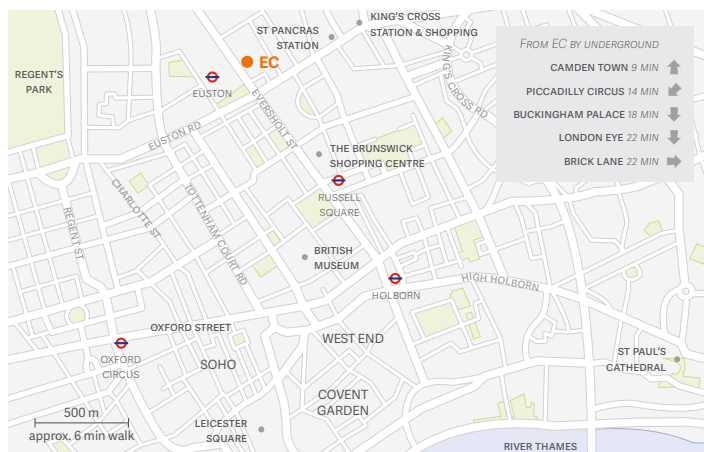
Outside the Houses of Parliament



Computer area



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area

Oxford Experience classic British tradition, academia, and excellence. This world-leading university city is packed with stunning classical architecture and dotted with traditional pubs and cafés, where students can unwind and take a well-deserved break from their studies. If you're looking for a truly inspiring learning environment, Oxford is it.

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Reception



Outside EC Oxford



Pool in the student lounge

15

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

204

Capacity

17

Student computers

16

Minimum age

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located close to the train station, Covered Market, and Bodleian Library
- Nestled among the many imposing colleges of Oxford University
- Free language workshops include flexible clinics to address students' individual needs
- Free activities include discos, movie afternoons and charitable activities
- Also enjoy trips to Stonehenge and WB Studio to learn about the making of Harry Potter
- Excursions available to London, Manchester, Ireland, Brighton and Paris

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

STUDIOS *comfort* 🚲

SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🚲

AGE MIX



● 16-17 ● 26-30 ● 50+
● 18-20 ● 31-40
● 21-25 ● 41-50

NATIONALITY MIX

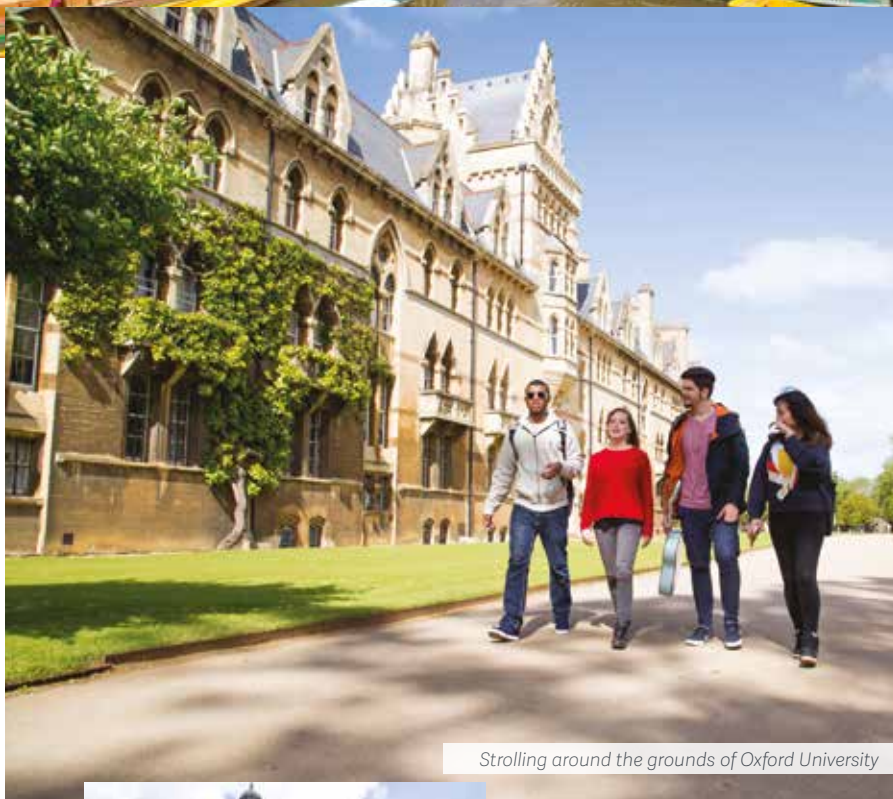


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Punts on the river



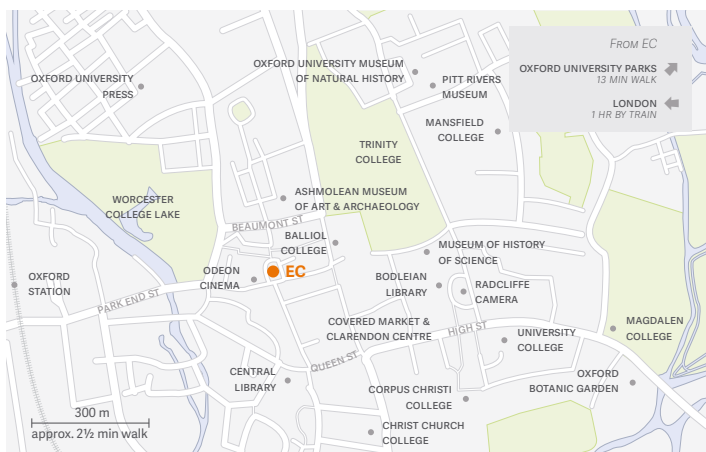
Strolling around the grounds of Oxford University



The Radcliffe Camera



In class



CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge

Cambridge

As the stomping ground of countless prime ministers, poets, scientists, and writers, Cambridge is overflowing with academic and creative achievements. Its striking architecture and beautiful gardens provide an idyllic backdrop to student life, and whether punting along the River Cam, or heading to one of many historic pubs after a long day of studying, you will always find something rewarding to do here.

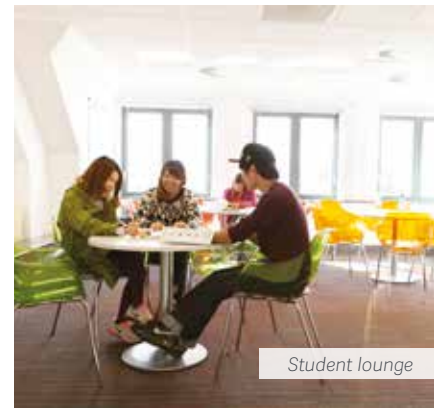
EC CAMBRIDGE



Reception



Outside EC Cambridge



Student lounge

14

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 14)

203

Capacity

20

Student computers

16

Minimum age

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- One of the few English schools operating in the centre of Cambridge
- Situated in a very modern building next to one of Cambridge's main shopping areas
- Free language workshops include Debating Society, British Culture, Current Affairs and CV Skills
- Free activities include kayaking, tennis, summer BBQ and local museum and gallery visits
- Also enjoy weekly trips to see West End musicals
- Excursions available to Oxford, Canterbury, Brighton, Windsor Castle, Edinburgh and London

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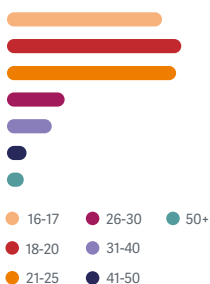
ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

STUDENT HOUSE *standard* 🚲, *superior* 🚶

SUMMER RESIDENCE *comfort* 🚲

AGE MIX



NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Emmanuel College Chapel

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship



Strolling around the historic city centre

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

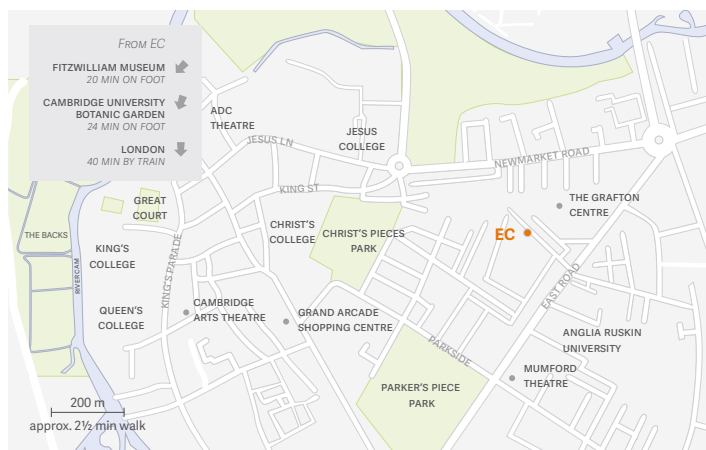
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-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Student using the IWB



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge

Brighton The seaside town of Brighton is one of the UK's most unique and colourful destinations. With its pebbly beach dotted with deck chairs, and the smell of fresh fish and chips in the air, this has long been an entertainment capital, with countless clubs, pubs, cinemas, shops, and fairground rides all comfortably within walking distance.

EC BRIGHTON

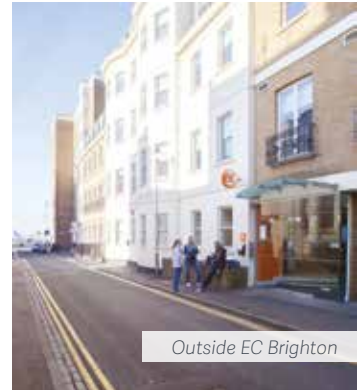


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Reception



Outside EC Brighton



Student lounge

17

Classrooms

13

Average class size (max 15)

235

Capacity

28

Student computers

16

Minimum age

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Bright, stylish and modern school in the centre of town, close to all the attractions
- Located opposite the seafront, moments away from the iconic Brighton Pier
- Free language workshops include CV Clinic and conversation sessions
- Free activities include local walking tours, yoga, beach volleyball and student parties
- Also enjoy visiting London's theatres, and games of football, laser tag and bowling
- Excursions available to Oxford, Cambridge, the Isle of Wight and Stonehenge

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY standard , comfort

STUDENT HOUSE standard , comfort , superior

SUMMER RESIDENCE standard

AGE MIX



● 16-17 ● 26-30 ● 50+
● 18-20 ● 31-40
● 21-25 ● 41-50

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





The famous Brighton Pier

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship



A walk on the beach

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



Brighton Pavilion



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge

Bristol

Birthplace of famous street artist Banksy and home of the world-famous hot air balloon fiesta, Bristol offers an eclectic mix of culture, creativity and traditional Britishness. Bristol was recently named 'Britain's Best City to Live In', and with its lush green countryside all around, has also been awarded the UK's first ever European 'Green Capital' award.

EC BRISTOL



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Reception



Outside EC Bristol



Student lounge

18

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 14)

191

Capacity

21

Student computers

16

Minimum age

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in leafy Queen Square, a green oasis of calm in the middle of the city
- Spacious, modern school with bright, buzzy communal areas
- Free language workshops include lectures about local history and speaking clubs
- Free activities include harbour side tours, local walking tours and careers advice
- Also enjoy boat parties, mini golf, yoga and indoor climbing
- Excursions available to Oxford, Glastonbury, Stonehenge, Bath and Cardiff

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

STUDENT HOUSE *comfort* 🚲

'TWODIO' APARTMENT *standard* 🚲

STUDIO APARTMENT *comfort* 🚲

AGE MIX



● 16-17 ● 26-30 ● 50+
● 18-20 ● 31-40
● 21-25 ● 41-50

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16





Green countryside and the Clifton Suspension Bridge

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship



A walk around Bristol

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

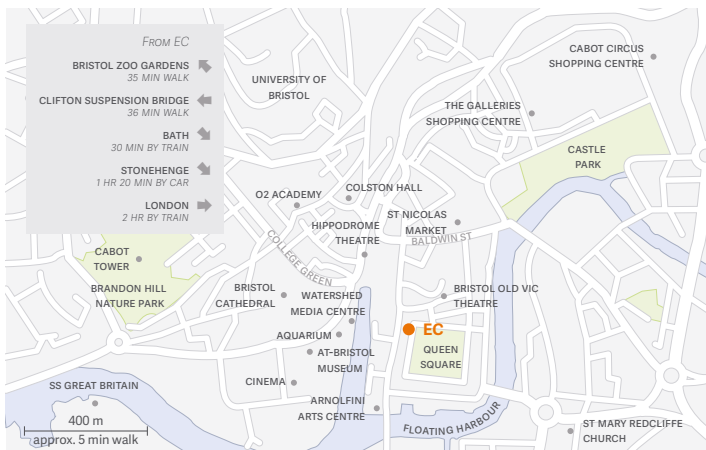
-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



In class



Students hard at work





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge

9

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

135

Capacity

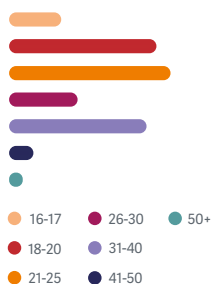
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Manchester

Today a bustling metropolis alive with innovation, art, and culture, Manchester was a key player in Britain's industrial revolution. This proud red-brick city features a network of cool neighbourhoods and locals famous for their friendliness and warmth. Football is in Manchester's blood: with two major teams and a strong reputation for producing world-class athletes, it's impossible not to get into the spirit of the game here.

EC MANCHESTER



Reception



Outside EC Manchester

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Exclusively designed boutique school celebrates the city's local culture
- Located in the very heart of the city, moments from Manchester Piccadilly train station
- Free language workshops include IELTS classes, CV clinics and Breakfast Club
- Free activities include trips to the National Football Museum, movie nights and salsa
- Also enjoy a Manchester United or City football match and local musical events
- Excursions available to Liverpool, Blackpool and the Lake District

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Lounge area

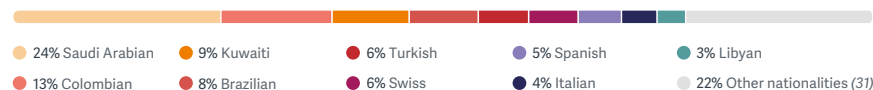
ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

STUDIO APARTMENT *superior* 🚶

SUMMER RESIDENCE *standard* 🚶

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16



Manchester's picturesque canals



Strolling around the city centre

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

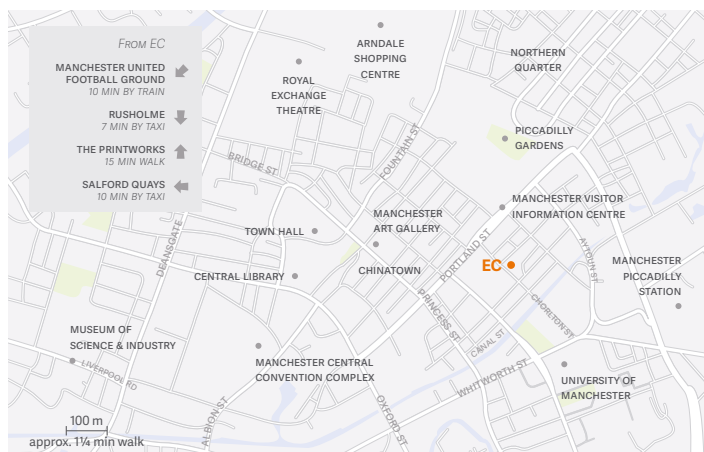
-  Course book
-  Access to EC Online from booking
-  Orange Carpet Experience
-  Extra language workshops and activities
-  Social and cultural programme



The National Football Museum



In class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Café in building



Outdoor terrace

42

Classrooms

10

Average class size (max 12)

Mini Group max 6

468

Capacity

15

Student computers

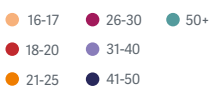
16

Minimum age

23

Business Mini Group minimum age

AGE MIX



Malta Made up of three sun-kissed islands, Malta is known to many as the gem of the Mediterranean. With countless beaches, crystal-blue seas and a wonderfully laid-back vibe, this piece of paradise is the perfect place to relax and have fun. Malta is immersed in history, with charming walled cities and museums showcasing centuries of unique culture.

EC MALTA



Reception



Outside EC Malta

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Located in St Julian's, the island's bustling entertainment capital
- Free language workshops include career sessions, grammar clinic and Café Chat
- Free activities include karaoke nights, parties and trips to local nightspots
- Also enjoy harbour cruises, tours of Mdina and Valletta, and visit the world's oldest temples
- Excursions available to the sister islands of Comino and Gozo
- Business Mini Group & Mini Group have a class size of max 6 students
- Students 30 years and over can also choose to study at EC Malta 30+

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Enjoying the roof terrace

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY *standard* 🚗, *comfort* 🚗

SHARED APARTMENT *standard* 🚶, *comfort* 🚶, *superior* 🚶

ONE BED APARTMENT *comfort* 🚶

SUMMER SHARED APARTMENT *standard* 🚶

NATIONALITY MIX



Based on student weeks 2015/16



Historic Valletta, a jewel in the Mediterranean

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Mini Group/Business Mini Group (20/30)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL (30)
- Club 50+ (20)
- One-to-One
- Internship
- English Plus: Diving

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE



Airport transfers
(if booking course & accommodation)



Access to EC Online from booking



Orange Carpet Experience



Beach club membership



Extra language workshops and activities



Social and cultural programme



Course book



A perfect day at Golden Bay



The amazing Blue Lagoon from above



in class





Free WiFi



IWBs throughout



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Cambridge test centre

12

Classrooms

12

Average class size (max 15)

180

Capacity

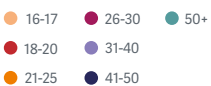
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Student computers

16

Minimum age

AGE MIX



Cape Town

Recently named the best place in the world to visit by both *The New York Times* and *The Telegraph* newspapers, the 'Mother City' is a stunning South African jewel, with breathtaking natural landscapes and adventure at every turn. Table Mountain, one of the new Seven Wonders of the Natural World, overlooks this lively multicultural town where people of different walks of life coexist peacefully.



EC CAPE TOWN



Reception



Outside EC Cape Town

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- Centrally located close to Long Street and a few blocks from the famous V&A Waterfront
- Beautiful school that captures the colourful spirit of Cape Town with a fresh, modern feel
- Free language workshops include listening and writing practice sessions
- Free activities include trips to Bo-Kaap Market, Lion's Head hike and city walks
- Also enjoy a visit to Cape Point and the Cape of Good Hope, and tour a local township
- Safari trips and wine tours available

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.



Self-study room

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY standard , comfort

STUDENT HOUSE standard , comfort

NATIONALITY MIX



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Stunning Cape Town from above



Football on the beach



Beautiful African elephants









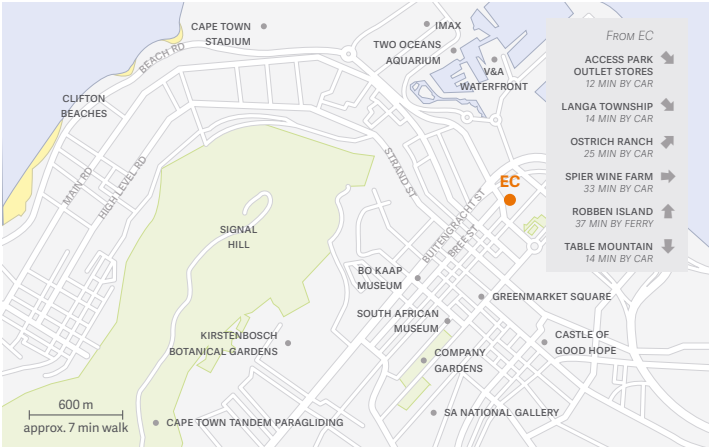
In class

CHOOSE YOUR COURSE

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (20+10)
- English in the City (20+10)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- Higher Score® IELTS (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship
- English Plus: Safari

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

		
Access to EC Online from booking	Orange Carpet Experience	Course book
		
Extra language workshops and activities	Social and cultural programme	Airport transfers (if booking course & accommodation)



STUDENT INSURANCE

We have created a special insurance policy with trusted insurance provider guard.me to ensure you feel protected and secure when you travel and study with us.

Our partner guard.me has won the Language Travel Magazine Star Award for Best International Insurance Provider five times and is the only provider with 'Super Star Status'.

This special policy has been designed to suit the specific needs of our students travelling abroad to study on our adult courses and gives a very good level of cover for all destinations.

Enrolment is extremely easy and can be done at the same time as booking your course. You will receive confirmation of your policy from guard.me, and be handed your insurance policy card on arrival at your EC location.

A mobile phone app is also available for download, to ensure you have easy access to your policy details at all times.

Your policy document is available in 13 languages so you will understand it completely. And in the unfortunate case that you need to make a claim, you will have the highest level of support from the guard.me team who can communicate with you in multiple languages.

Your insurance cover will vary slightly by your destination country:

US AND SOUTH AFRICA

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m. It is important to know that whether or not you choose to take this insurance option, by law you must have health insurance to study in the US. This insurance policy covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

CANADA

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m, without excesses or co-insurance.

UK AND MALTA

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to £/€10m, plus cancellation or curtailment of your trip from within the EEA up to £/€7,500. This insurance covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

For further details, plus Terms and Conditions, please visit: www.guard.me

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