



# EMPOWERING CONNECTIONS 2019

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#### **ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS**

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



Language Cert

US



UK







#### Canada





#### Ireland





#### Malta



#### South Africa





#### **AWARDS**

We won the top award in our industry, the ST Star Chain School Award, in 2017, 2016 and 2011; and we have been nominated for this award almost every year since 2007. In 2016, we won the UK's Customer Experience Silver Star Award for our pioneering Orange Carpet Experience. We won the Star Innovation Award in 2009 and 2010.





Chain School 2011, 2016, 201



**Shortlisted** 

hain School 2007, 2008, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018 Junior Course for Under 18s 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014







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empowering
(verb) /Im'pavərIŋ/
to give (someone) the authority or power to do something; to make (someone) stronger and more confident, especially in controlling their life

#### connections

(noun)/kəˈnekʃ(ə)nz/ people with whom you have social or professional contact... especially those with influence and able to offer help





#### WHERE IS YOUR PLACE IN THE WORLD?

At EC, we can help you find it because we understand the importance of connecting through communication. We know that using the right words, at the right time and in the right way, can open the doors to a new world of opportunities.

Fluency in English, the language of the world, gives you the confidence to connect with people; and those connections—those links to new people and new ideas—can change your life.

Our mission is to help students succeed in a global community, and our goal is to provide you with the right language skills to fully engage with every community you're connected to.

Your decision to learn English is a smart choice. You will gain a new understanding of everything around you, and be able to step out with confidence in your ability to speak well and to make yourself understood.

We are inspired by your determination, and you will be inspired by EC. At every one of our schools, you will find teachers who work with you every step of the way, classmates with the same language goals as yours, and support staff who want your EC experience to be exceptional.

Our research has shown us what needs to happen inside and outside of the classroom for your success, and we apply that knowledge in everything we do: from providing instruction using the latest learning techniques, to ensuring you study in stylish and comfortable schools, filled with natural light and state-of-the-art technology. You'll be surrounded by like-minded students from more than 140 countries, which means endless opportunities to make life-long connections.

You're investing in your future and we want you to succeed—to learn how to express yourself well, so you can claim your place in the world.

Whether you want to attend university, apply for your dream job, or simply feel more confident in your ability to speak English, we're here to empower you and connect you to your new life.

# **EMPOWERING CONNECTIONS**

THAT'S WHAT WE DO.

Welcome to EC.



## **BEAUTIFUL SCHOOLS**

Ready to start your adventure? Choose from some of the world's most exciting cities in the US, Canada, UK, Ireland, Malta and South Africa as the setting for your amazing life experience. From Times Square in New York, to Miami's South Beach, to Canada's beautiful lakes, to the sunny islands of Malta, you'll find your EC school carefully designed for effective learning in the heart of the action.

Your classrooms will be equipped with the latest learning technology, whether it's interactive whiteboards (IWBs) or touchscreen TVs. You will find the library well stocked with the information you need, and student lounges and self-study areas where you can practise your skills. With free Wi-Fi and the use of numerous internet-connected computers, you can study online and stay in touch with family and friends.

#### What's your EC destination?

#### **USA**

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

#### **CANADA**

Montreal, Toronto, Toronto 30+, Vancouver

#### UK

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

#### **IRELAND**

Dublin, Dublin 30+

#### MALTA

Malta, Malta 30+

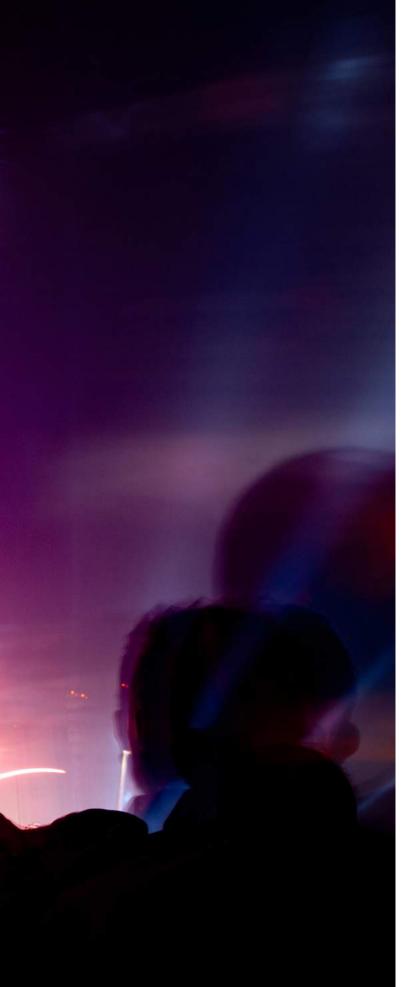
#### **SOUTH AFRICA**

Cape Town













Whether you enjoy sightseeing, sports and fitness, movies and museums, music and the arts, dining out and shopping, or you just want to chill out, our social and cultural activity programmes will immerse you in your destination, help you make new friends, and let you practise your language skills with locals so that you build your confidence.

#### Where would you like to explore?

CONNECT WITH US AND SHARE YOUR EC EXPERIENCE!











#### academic

(adjective) /,ækə ˈdɛmɪk/ of or relating to performance in courses of study

#### journey

(noun) **/'ʤɜ:ni/** an act of traveling from one place to another

## YOUR ACADEMIC JOURNEY

Your EC academic journey starts when you book your course. You will have access to a curriculum that is highly structured to meet international standards, yet personalised to meet your needs. Your results will be real and measurable.

#### EC gives you:



#### **A Fully Mapped Curriculum**

designed and mapped to the global standard, the Common European Framework for Languages, an internationally accepted measure of language learning



#### **Defined Learning Outcomes**

providing you with clearly defined skills and abilities for each level so you will know exactly what you need to do



#### **Outcome-Focused Learning**

lessons, activities, homework and personal direction that will guide you through each level, along with self-study and continued practise outside of class



#### **Regular Assessments**

you will be assessed every week in class and every five weeks on your overall progress, enabling you and your teacher to focus on areas where you need the most improvement

#### **OUR ACADEMIC METHODOLOGY INCLUDES:**

#### **AUTHENTIC COMMUNICATION**

You will learn through the Communicative Approach, which emphasises the importance of spoken and written communication, and the language needed to communicate in real-life contexts. You will learn about the systems of English and how the language functions; and you will be able to practise your English language skills in everyday settings as you complete real-world tasks.

#### **CLEAR OBJECTIVES**

Your lessons will include concise, measurable learning objectives, with clear outcomes that provide you with a 'road map' for progress. At the end of each lesson and instructional week, you will have a chance to think about what you have accomplished, and your teachers will give you feedback and additional support in the areas where you most need it.

#### PERSONALISED FEEDBACK

To help you learn the right structures and most appropriate uses of English, your teacher will provide you with individual feedback on your language skills to help you correct any errors. To help you succeed, your teacher will consider your learning needs based on various aspects, such as your native language, your cultural background, and your previous study of the language.

#### **GUIDED PROGRESS**

Your performance is actively monitored by your teachers and the academic team to make sure you stay on target with your learning. If you need help, they are available to provide support and guidance to get you back on track.

#### **CULTURAL AWARENESS**

Your EC family is sensitive to your cultural background, and the staff receives ongoing training in how to provide you with the best personalised support.

#### **CONTINUED RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT**

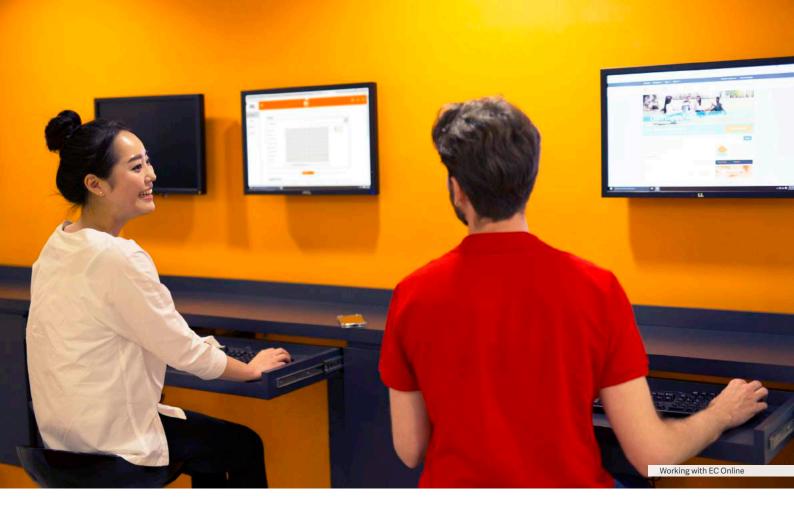
Your EC academic team is committed to providing you with the latest in learning techniques. The team is continuously involved in research and development to ensure that the most effective methodologies are used in the classroom and for your assessment. Cutting-edge technology is integrated throughout our systems to enhance your experience.

At EC we collect data on student learning through online testing and this is used to carefully target curriculum development and course improvements to ensure your learning journey is continuously reviewed.

#### **HOW YOU LEARN**

At the start of each class, your teacher will explain the objectives for the lesson. During class, you will learn and practise language skills in authentic contexts to complete real-world tasks. You learn by practising the new language and speaking to your classmates. Your teacher will give you feedback on your language use and your performance on the tasks to ensure your learning. At the end of the lesson, your teacher will again review the objectives so you can see the progress you are making.

After the class, the learning continues. You will have targeted homework which helps you to practise real conversations that include what you learnt in class.





#### A TYPICAL LESSON

**Step 1** – When class starts, your teacher says the objective of the day's lesson is to have an effective job interview where you can ask and respond to questions.

**Step 2** – In class, you listen to sample interviews, analyse language, learn key words and phrases, and practise interviewing classmates and staff. By actively participating in these tasks, you will learn the language needed to successfully conduct an interview or be interviewed.

**Step 3** – After class, your homework assignment is to interview your roommate, classmate or host family member. This additional effort outside of the classroom helps you work on problem areas and gain confidence as you realise your understanding has increased and you can effectively speak English in this context.

#### **EC ONLINE**

From the moment you book until you leave us, you will have access to EC Online, your personal learning tool which helps you manage your learning progress.

With EC Online, you can test your starting level, track your progress, get insight into your strengths and weaknesses, gain access to online practise materials, and interact with your teachers outside the classroom. EC Online also gives you access to EC Advance, the powerful needs analysis tool that diagnoses your problem areas and helps to create your personalised learning plan.

EC Online lets you:

- Begin learning and participating before you arrive: Take a
  placement test and receive learning materials based on the result.
  You can also find your first day schedule, along with weekend
  activities and information about your school and destination.
- **Tell us your goals:** Take the pre-arrival survey to help us understand your goals and customise your experience to meet your needs.
- **Personalise your learning:** Get a customised playlist of learning materials based on your needs.
- **Take tutorials:** Use the one-to-one tutorials to receive specific feedback and recommendations for improvement from your teacher.
- **Track your progress:** Use the customised assessment system to see how much progress you can expect to make and if you are on track.
- Talk to your teachers and staff: Browse the profiles of EC teachers and staff.
- **Plan your social programme:** Find out about different social events and free language workshops run by the school.
- Measure your learning: Take a final placement test to confirm your progress and receive your end of course certificate.



## FREE LANGUAGE WORKSHOPS

You will have access to additional teacher-led sessions that are free of charge. These sessions take place every week outside of the classroom.

#### **WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE AT ALL SCHOOLS**

No matter which EC location you choose, your programme will include the following sessions:



#### **CONVERSATION SESSIONS**

(at least once per week)

You can practise your conversation skills with students from different classes, levels and nationalities. In these relaxed and sociable sessions, you can choose which topics you want to discuss.



#### **SKILLS CLINICS**

(at least once per week)

Learn tips, pointers and secrets to master different language skills. Clinics in grammar, pronunciation, writing and reading are offered. Check your school's activity calendar to see what's available.

#### **ADDITIONAL WORKSHOPS**

The workshops at each school are adapted to meet the needs of the students. You may find:



#### **LECTURES**

Learn interesting facts and practise listening skills, note-taking and summary writing skills.



#### **EXAM SKILLS**

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



#### **BREAKING NEWS**

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



#### **WORK CLINIC**

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



## LOCAL CONVERSATION PARTNERS

Long-term students are matched with a native speaker in the local area to meet and chat on a regular basis.



#### **WRITING CLINIC**

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



#### **HOMEWORK CLUB**

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



#### **IMPROVISATION HOUR**

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



#### THE 'HOOD

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

#### schedule

(noun) /'fedju:l/

a procedural plan that indicates the time and sequence of each operation

## YOUR SCHEDULE

Your daily lessons in class will provide you with focused study and attention. Your learning will continue outside of class as your time will be filled with opportunities to have fun while you practise what you've learned in the classroom.

#### **YOUR LESSONS**

Your academic timetable will alternate daily between morning and afternoon lessons, so that 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.

Each lesson is 45 minutes and lessons are delivered in blocks of two.

#### • 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**

Here is a sample activity calendar from EC Brighton. Activities in **orange** and **language workshops** are free of charge!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at home Brunch & Chat 11:00, from £6 City Tour 12:00	Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at school Welcome Drink for new students, 18:00	Pronunciation Clinic 11:00 & 14:445 Street Art Walk 14:45 Pub Night 20:15	Academic Year Induction 10:00 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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24/31 Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at home Brunch & Chat 11:00, from £6 City Tour 12:00	Orange Carpet Welcome for new students at school Welcome Drink for new students, 18:00	26 Pronunciation Clinic 11:00 & 14:45 Zumba 14:45 Pub Night 20:15	University Placement 12:15 CV Clinic 11 & 14:45 Movie 14:45 Volleyball 19:00	28 Conversation 11:00 & 14:45 Yoga 14:45 Football 19:00, £3 Student Party 19:00, £4.50	Graduation Ceremony 12:15 Historic Walk 14:45 Laser Tag 20:00, £5	Excursion to Liverpool & Manchester Excursion to Bath & Stonehenge



## YOUR SUPPORT TEAM

You are not alone on your journey to fluency! At EC, there is an entire team behind you, doing their best to ensure you have the best. This team wants your EC experience to be exciting, life-changing and successful. You can ask them anything – from the best way to study, to the best place to get coffee! They know where to go and what to do, and they will guide you every step of the way.

#### YOUR TEACHING TEAM

Through direction in lessons, one-to-one guidance and using EC Online, your teachers will guide you throughout your learning journey. They will ensure your individual needs are met so that you progress at the right pace. They have a passion for teaching, and your success is their number one priority.

#### YOUR STUDENT SERVICES TEAM

This is the team that will help you to actually do what you've learnt in the classroom. This team includes Student Services Coordinators, Social Leaders and Student Ambassadors who want to make sure your EC experience is fun, rewarding, happy and exciting. This team helps to put the plans in place so that you can activate your classroom learning while exploring your chosen city and making new international friends.

#### YOUR CENTRAL ACADEMIC TEAM

This part of your team wants to make sure you make the best progress possible. The team includes published authors and education technologists who research the latest trends in learning science and work to apply these to our curriculum. These specialists regularly present at education conferences around the world and are known for their expertise in the field.

#### YOUR ACCOMMODATION TEAM

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 questions about your accommodation, you can turn to this team at any time.

## SPOTLIGHT: EC BOSTON VOLUNTEER CLUB

At EC Boston, students join the Volunteer Club to enjoy the authentic experience of talking with native English speakers while doing something amazing for the elderly members of the local community.

Every month, students travel to Hale House, a residential care home with a diverse senior population, to participate in small group discussions with the residents. The students share stories about their lives and their own culture, and hear about the life experiences of the residents. This gives students a greater understanding of the culture and community in which they are studying, and allows the seniors a chance to share their knowledge and insights.

The programme helps students practise their English skills in a real-world setting, while giving back to the local community.



## YOUR GOALS, OUR PROMISE

#### THE EC PROMISE IS VERY SIMPLE.

If you study Intensive English with us (30 lessons per week) for ten weeks and **fully commit** to your learning programme, we promise you will progress at the rate shown on the progress chart below.

Our promise is backed by science and real data. Having analysed the progress of thousands of our students\*, we know what they need to do to succeed. Students who are **fully committed** to their programme take the following three steps to progress:

- 1. attend 96% of their classes;
- 2. complete at least three homework assignments weekly and average a score of 9/10;
- actively participate in lessons and average a score of 9/10 for participation and motivation.

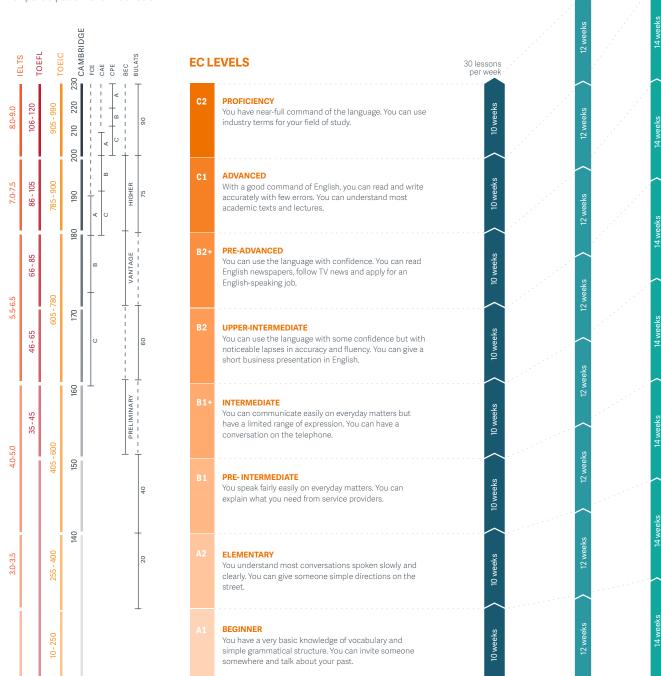
Your teachers will support you, monitor your progress, and show you how to keep moving forward. If you follow your teacher's instructions, and **fully commit** to your learning programme by taking these three steps, we promise you will succeed.

And this is our further promise to you: if you do everything required but you do not progress as expected, we will give you the additional lessons, help and support you need, at no extra cost, to maximise your progress.\*\*

20 lessons

24 lessons per week

Our science is real. Our promise is true. We believe in you and our number one goal is to help you succeed.



<sup>\*</sup> Analysis covered a 12-month period in 2016/2017, and included all EC students who took a placement and exit test.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Students who do not progress and wish to receive the EC Promise of extra lessons and support must contact their Director of Studies at least one week prior to departure. Other terms and conditions apply. Speak with your EC contact for more details.





#### home

(noun) /həʊm/ the place where a person lives; a familiar setting

## YOUR HOME AWAY **FROM HOME**

Whether you want to live with other students in a residence or experience local daily life with a homestay, we've got the perfect home away from home.

Your EC accommodation allows you to more fully integrate into the EC community so that you get the most out of your experience. Most residences offer some level of additional amenities, such as a gym and social areas, and in some locations, a swimming pool. In many residences, students are housed together, providing them with more opportunities to practise English, often with native speakers. Our goal is to offer excellent accommodation, which is why all our accommodation has been thoroughly checked by the EC team to ensure it meets our standards for safety and cleanliness.

There are great benefits to living in EC accommodation. You can make new friends by sharing a twin room with a roommate, or enjoy time on your own in a single room. Your EC home is your place to relax and recharge, so it's important that you feel 100% comfortable. That's why we have accommodation options to suit your tastes and needs. You can choose from the following ranges:

- **STANDARD**: This entry-level accommodation is perfect if you're budget-conscious. Services and facilities are limited to keep these prices affordable for you. This level is ideal for those aged 18-30.
- **COMFORT**: This mid-range offering provides a higher level of comfort and amenities. With improved design and physical attributes, this accommodation is ideal for all ages.
- **SUPERIOR**: This is our premium offering which is well-appointed and provides a wider range of facilities and a higher standard of design. This accommodation is ideal for those who are 30+ and for families.

Look for these icons on our destination pages to see the best way to travel from each accommodation to your school:

















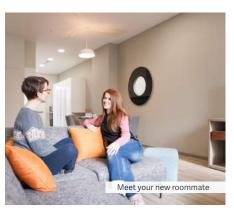
#### **HOMESTAY**

Live like a local and enjoy all the pleasures of home, from warm welcomes to home-cooked meals. Our **standard** homestays consist of a twin or single room with a host or host family, with access to a shared bathroom. Our comfort homestays offer the additional benefit of an ensuite or private bathroom. Depending on the location, homestay may provide bed and breakfast (where only breakfast is provided), half board (breakfast and dinner provided) or self-catering (available in our UK schools, providing access to a kitchen to prepare all meals).



#### STUDENT RESIDENCE

Socialise with like-minded people from all over the world in the common areas of our studentonly accommodation, and live independently while enjoying and exploring your chosen destination together.



#### STUDENT HOUSE OR APARTMENT

Share a house or apartment with other international students and enjoy your independence in a smaller setting while making friends with your new housemates.



#### **SHARED HOUSE OR APARTMENT**

Meet people from around the world as you share a house or apartment. You'll interact with students and other young professionals, giving you many opportunities to practise your English skills.





#### **APARTHOTEL**

If you're looking for an apartment with the facilities and amenities of a hotel, this is the option for you. Enjoy all the comforts of a hotel from the privacy of a self-contained apartment.



#### PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION

Private apartments/condos are also available in many of our destinations.

If you want extra time practising and learning English, try EC@Home. Book one of our selected residences and receive up to four hours of extra time with a teacher or EC team member each week, in your residence or while out exploring the city. You can attend two sessions (one with a teacher and one with an EC team member) for each week of accommodation booked.

#### Residences include:

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- Vancouver APT Living
- New York Brooklyn Co Living











#### **BEFORE YOU LEAVE HOME**

We want you to feel prepared even before you arrive at your EC destination. That's why your EC experience starts from the moment you book your course. You'll have access to EC Online, your digital study companion that allows you to test your starting level, outline your learning goals, and access study materials.

#### A PERSONAL WELCOME

We want you to know you're welcome from the moment you arrive. If you book a homestay accommodation, you will receive a warm welcome from your host. If you choose a residence option, an EC representative will be available to help you settle in. You will feel 100% at home before school starts on Monday.

#### **BREAKING THE ICE**

The weekend before school begins, you can participate in several activities, such as a city tour or a typical local dinner, while you meet your new classmates and EC team members and adjust to your new city.

#### THE ORANGE CARPET PREMIERE

It's your first day of school and we literally roll out the orange carpet for you! You will receive the best possible welcome, including refreshments, music and 100% of our team's attention. This is your one-of-a-kind VIP experience and we want you to enjoy every moment of it. The day includes a short orientation, followed by lessons to show you how you'll learn at EC, and information on what to expect during your stay in your city.







## AT EC, EVERY STUDENT IS A VIP. THAT'S WHY WE LITERALLY ROLL OUT THE ORANGE CARPET FOR YOU!

EC's Orange Carpet Experience was the Silver Star Award winner in the 2016 UK Customer Experience Awards, setting a new standard for student care in our industry. The award recognises organisations for excellence in customer service, and our goal is to continue showing you what it means to be a VIP. From the moment you book with us until you complete your journey, you will always know you're our star!









## PERSONALISED LEARNING TAILORED TO YOU

The most important part of your experience is your learning, so 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 OUTCOMES

If you follow your customised learning plan, you can be sure of your success with EC. You will take an externally recognised online test at the beginning and end of your journey, so you can be confident that your progress is confirmed by a well-known external source.

## EXPERIENCE OVERVIEW MEETING

For our long-term students, two weeks before you leave you can have a one-to-one meeting to discuss your experience and plan for your future. You can also tell us how we can make your last two weeks as productive and smooth as possible.

#### THE FAREWELL EVENT

It's time to celebrate your success! Your graduation event is a time to reflect on your achievements and experiences with your teachers and classmates. You will receive your certificate, take photos, build lifelong relationships, and celebrate your accomplishments.



#### course

(noun) / kɔ:s/ a series of lessons in a particular subject, leading to an examination or qualification

## **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

Want to explore incredible destinations and travel the world with ease? We can help you learn English and immerse yourself in a new culture!

Want to increase your communication skills to succeed in an international career? Fluency in English is a powerful addition to your CV, no matter what career you choose to pursue.

Want to gain access to the education of your dreams? Our Academic English course will prepare you for success in an English-speaking university environment.

Need to take an official exam? We can give you the skills and confidence to excel with our Exam Preparation courses.

Whatever your reasons for learning English, we have the perfect course for you.

All you have to do is choose!

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Club 50+ at EC Malta	3:
Work Experience	3:
California Dreamin'	34
The 30+ Experience	30



#### Choose this course if you:

- want to improve your language level and gain confidence in all areas of English
- want to develop fluency in real life and everyday situations and contexts

This course is available at all levels.

#### **GENERAL ENGLISH**

Each week, you will spend 12 of your 20 lessons studying Integrated Skills, developing your vocabulary, grammar and pronunciation through interactive and varied activities.

For the other eight lessons, you will study Targeted Skills. These will focus on developing each of the 'four skills' of language: speaking, listening, reading and writing. This is your opportunity to work on your skills to maximise your progress towards mastery of English.

## SEMI-INTENSIVE AND INTENSIVE ENGLISH WITH SPECIAL FOCUS LESSONS

Take an additional four or 10 Special Focus lessons each week to make further progress and tailor your studies to your specific areas of interest.

	General	Semi-Intensive	Intensive	English in the City	English for Work	Academic English
Available	All schools	US and Canada	All schools	All schools, <b>except</b> Washington, San Francisco, San Diego and Miami	All schools	Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, Boston
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 tailored to your personal reasons for learning.







#### **ENGLISH IN THE CITY**

Experience local dialects, history and famous sights while improving your English. This class is for students who want to learn more about their host city.

Experience your destination with 10 lessons per week focused on language study inspired by your chosen city.

You will spend one lesson each week outside of the classroom with your class, visiting places of interest and engaging in activities in the local area.

Classroom study will also support themes that change weekly, including 'Describing Art and Culture – Museum Tours', 'Talk like a Local – Neighbourhood Visits' and 'The Language of Sports – Stadium Visits'.

#### **ENGLISH FOR WORK**

Develop confidence in using English professionally. Improve your business English and your ability to interact with international colleagues and clients. Work on language to participate in meetings, write and read emails and project reports, and Skype confidently.

Spend 10 lessons per week developing your skills to build an international career.

Learn workplace skills, such as giving presentations and preparing for interviews, and enhance 'soft skills', such as justifying opinions, making recommendations, presenting scenarios and resolving conflict.

Lesson topics will cover negotiating, HR and management, branding and promotional strategies, project management, CSR and business ethics.

#### **ACADEMIC ENGLISH**

Focus on university-level skills such as research, academic writing, taking notes from lectures, and preparing presentations.

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

Focus on skills for success at an American university, including reading and writing for academic subjects, listening to lectures, and taking effective notes. You will also learn how to communicate with your professors, understand course descriptions and syllabi, and navigate through campus life.

University Admissions Service: With our knowledgeable staff and their network of universities across North America, you'll receive personalised counselling sessions to assist with your application to the university of your choice. This service is free for students who book Academic English for 10+ weeks.

#### **EXAMPLES OF SPECIAL FOCUS CLASSES:**

#### **SPEAKING WITH CONFIDENCE**

Develop confidence, practise conversation and increase fluency. Improve your speaking, listening and pronunciation skills to better interact with native speakers.

#### **REAL LIFE LISTENING**

Improve your ability to understand English in real situations and expand your vocabulary by listening to conversations, music, videos and podcasts. Learn how to respond to what you hear.

#### **ENGLISH FOR ONLINE COMMUNICATION**

Learn how to use social media to present yourself to your best advantage for jobs and personal branding.

#### **GLOBAL AWARENESS**

Develop critical thinking skills to better understand what's happening in current events, world issues and the news. Increase your awareness of different cultures and how communication varies between them.

Overview of Courses Available and Skills Developed:

0	Ava	ailable Le	evel	Skills Developed					
Special Focus Class	Low	Med	High	Reading	Writing	Speaking	Listening	Pron	Grammar
English in the City	~	•	•			•	~	•	
English for Work		•	~	•	~	~	~		
Academic English		•	•	•	~	~	~		
Speaking with Confidence	~	•	•			~	~	•	
Global Awareness		•	•	•	~	~	~		
Grammar for Real Communication	~	•	~	•	~	<b>✓</b>			~
Real Life Listening	~	•	•			~		•	
Expand Your Vocabulary	~	•	~	•	~	~	~	•	
Writing with Confidence		•	•		~				<b>✓</b>
Basic Reading and Writing	~			~	~				
English for Leadership		•	•	•		~	~		
Exam Skills		~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~
English for Online Communication		•	•	•	~				
Grammar Extra (30+ only)	~	•	~		~				~

Options will vary across EC schools, but there will always be classes to suit your level and interests.

## 24 WEEKS OR MORE: STUDY FOR AN ACADEMIC SEMESTER/YEAR

#### Choose this course if you:

- dream of living and studying long-term (24+ weeks) in an English-speaking country
- want to achieve a full and active understanding of English
- would like a flexible programme open to all levels that starts every week



#### **ROBUST CURRICULUM, PERSONALISED TO YOU**

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.

You will also be directed to all the support and resources you need to improve on your weaker areas to help you succeed. Your teachers and your digital learning companion, EC Online, will be with you every step of the way.



#### **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 skills. Expect interesting lectures, topical conversation sessions and practising pronunciation.

Social activities will help you to take in the best of your destination. Enjoy everything from city tours, the arts, sports, dining and nightlife.











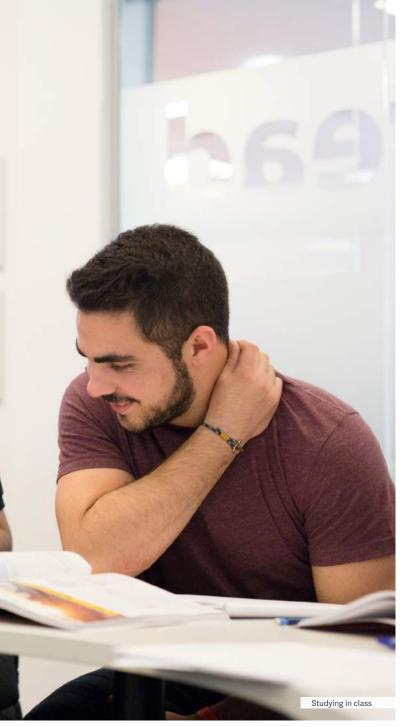


#### YOUR STEPS TO SUCCESS

From the moment you book, you can access EC Online from home to start your journey, test your starting level and get prepared.

When you arrive at EC, you will settle in to your accommodation, and meet your teachers, support staff and new classmates. In your first week, you will have a special meeting to help you make the most of your stay. Your classes will follow the EC curriculum, which is designed to help you achieve measurable results across all English language skills.

Throughout your course, you will take regular progress assessments that will monitor your progress, assess your strengths and weaknesses, and personalise your path with EC Advance.



#### **OTHER OPPORTUNITIES**







#### **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 more than 8,000 academic and professional institutions
- **TOEIC** Used by over 10,000 companies and institutions in 120 countries worldwide

Exam offerings vary by centre and require minimum language level.

#### SEE MORE OF THE WORLD

Sign up for an **EC Multi-Destination Course** and spend time in two or more EC locations. The EC curriculum will ensure your learning journey is without a break. Your records will transfer between our academic teams to ensure a smooth transition.

#### **UNIVERSITY ADMISSION**

In the US, you can take advantage of our University Admissions Service which is free of charge for students who study 24+ weeks. This service will counsel you through the application procedure to any North American institution. In Canada, there is the option to join the Canadian University Pathways programme which includes guidance for university admission in Canada.











Following your progress assessments, you will receive detailed feedback on your performance as well as guidance on how to continue moving forward.

If for any reason your progress is not on track, your teacher will give you a personalised learning plan to get you back on track. As a long term student, you will also receive continual guidance, monitoring and academic support, including personalised tutorials every 4-6 weeks.

Every week, you will have a variety of free lessons and activities that you can attend to make the most of your time outside class.

At the end of your course, you can assess your finishing level and receive a certificate confirming your progress.







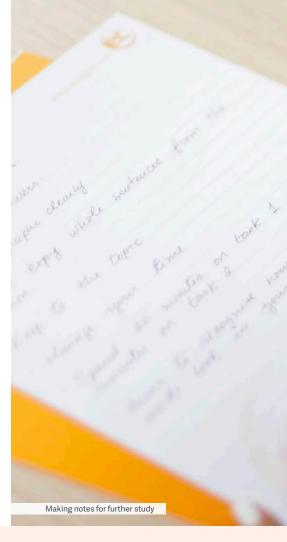




#### THE CAMBRIDGE EXAMS

B2 First, C1 Advanced, C2 Proficiency

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 help you get the best results possible.



#### **B2 FIRST [FCE]**

Prove you have the language skills to live or to work independently in an English-speaking environment.

Starting level:

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

#### **C1 ADVANCED [CAE]**

Show you have the language skills to make the most of studying, working and living in English-speaking countries.

Starting level:

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

#### **C2 PROFICIENCY [CPE]**

Prove that you can communicate with fluency and accuracy in any English-speaking context.

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.

#### **PERFECT YOUR TECHNIQUE**

On these targeted courses, you will learn the valuable exam skills needed to meet or surpass your expected result. Using sample papers and continuously practising 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.

Availability (lessons per week)

	B2 First [FCE]	C1 Advanced [CAE]	C2 Proficiency [CPE]
San Diego	20, 30	20, 30	30
Los Angeles	30	30	-
Miami	30	30	-
Toronto	20, 30	20, 30	-
Vancouver	20, 30	20, 30	30
London	20, 30	20, 30	30
Cambridge	30	30	-
Brighton	20, 30	20, 30	-
Bristol	30	30	-
Manchester	30	30	-
Dublin	20, 30	20, 30	-
Malta	20, 30	20, 30	30
Cape Town	20, 30	20, 30	-

Start dates : See Price List for specific dates.



#### **IELTS**

## INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE TESTING SYSTEM

An IELTS score can be used for entry to most universities in the UK, Canada, Australia and Malta and some universities in the US. It is often required by professional bodies, and it's one of the tests recognised for immigration purposes.

#### **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 industry professionals.

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

## DIGITALLY OPTIMISED

Our Higher Score® course content is reviewed and updated in accordance with changes to the IELTS, TOEFL and TOEIC exams.

In addition, through EC Online you will have access to an abundance of targeted digital learning content and online practise materials. With this additional exam exposure and opportunities for extra self-study, you can approach the exam with even more confidence.

#### Availability (lessons per week)

	IELTS	TOEFL	TOEIC
Boston	-	30*	-
New York	-	30	-
San Francisco	-	30*	-
San Diego	-	30	-
Los Angeles	-	30	-
Montreal	30*	-	-
Toronto	20	20	20
Vancouver	20	20	-
London	20, 30	-	-
Oxford	20	-	-
Cambridge	20, 30	-	-
Brighton	20, 30	-	-
Bristol	20, 30	-	-
Manchester	30*	-	-
Dublin	20	-	-
Malta	30	30	-
Cape Town	30*	-	-
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\*20 GE + 10 Exam Prep

Courses start every Monday.

## **CANADIAN UNIVERSITY PATHWAYS**

#### STUDY IN CANADA. STAY IN CANADA.

Choose to study English at EC Toronto or EC Vancouver, and start your journey towards university and your future in Canada!

Our Canadian University Pathway programme provides you with access to a wide range of universities and colleges to choose from across Canada, including some of the country's most highly ranked institutions.

Studying at a Canadian university is one of the first steps to staying in Canada. Once you graduate, you will be eligible for a work permit for up to three years, which may help you if you're interested in pursuing permanent residency.

#### **DEDICATED TEAM**

Our team is committed to helping you get into the university of your choice. You will receive personal guidance and support in choosing a university or college, completing the application process, determining your current level of English, and in helping you reach the required level of English to join your chosen university. And if you select one of our partner universities, your application fee will be waived.

#### NO TOEFL OR IELTS

When applying to one of our university partners, you will not have to worry about taking the TOEFL or IELTS exam. Instead, you will receive a conditional letter of acceptance to your chosen university, and you will be admitted once you reach the university's required level of English.

#### **EXPERIENCE UNIVERSITY LIFE**

While you study English at your EC school, you will have a chance to attend classes at a university. This is a perfect opportunity for you to see what student life and the classroom experience is like in Canada.

#### **HOW IT WORKS**





#### Choose an EC School

Choose your EC school in Vancouver or Toronto, then meet with our University Admissions Service counsellors to start the process of joining a university.





#### Decide on your university

Work with your EC counsellor to choose universities and complete an application.

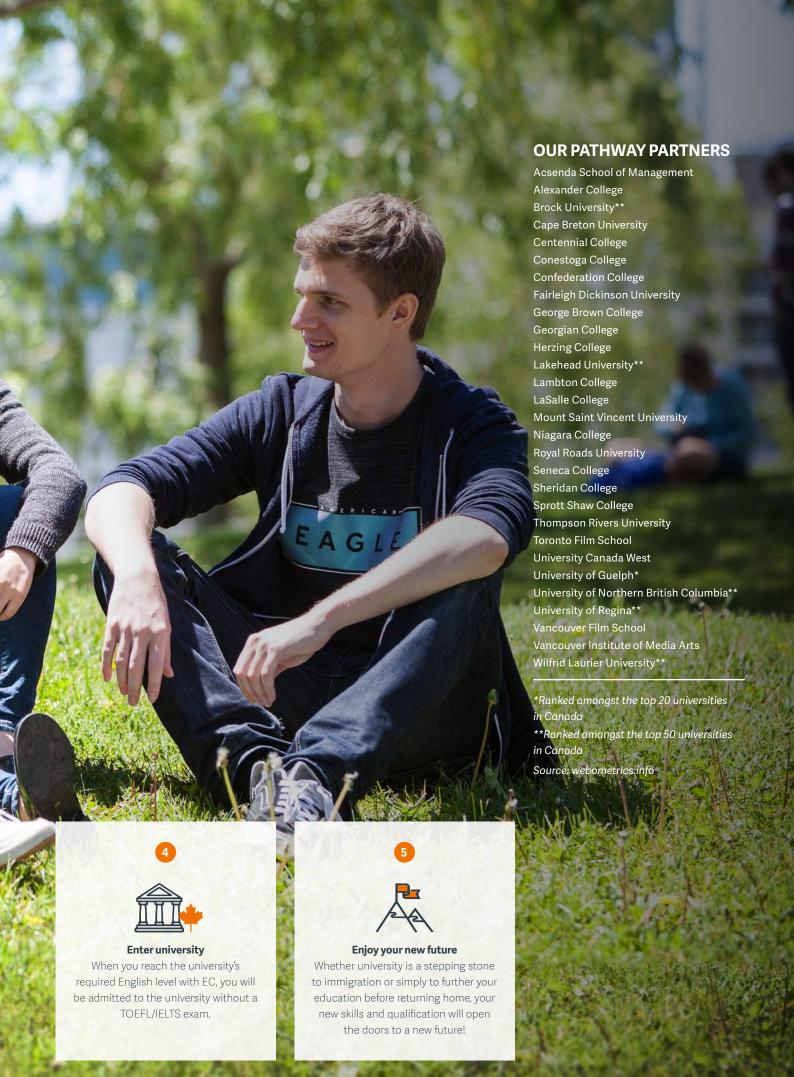
Afterwards, you will receive a conditional acceptance letter which means the university is holding your place.





#### Reach your English goal

In addition to studying English, you can take courses in study skills, note-taking and other aspects of university life to help prepare you for success at a Canadian university.



## FRENCH COURSES AT EC MONTREAL

CHOOSE FROM OUR RANGE OF FRENCH COURSES IN THE UNIQUE, BEAUTIFUL AND BILINGUAL CITY OF MONTREAL

#### **BILINGUAL PROGRAMME**

Learn English and French while fully immersing yourself in the cosmopolitan culture of the world's biggest bilingual city. The Bilingual Programme offers you many options to improve your skills in English and/or French. You can learn at your own pace, take French in the morning and English in the afternoon, or even start your course in one language and complete it in the other.

A wide range of academic extras are also available to you in both languages, including Quebecois expressions, pronunciation clinics, academic lectures and CV writing workshops. You can also add Gastronomy to your course, which is available in English and French. The culinary sessions are hands on and available at every level. Another interesting option is Farmstay, which provides an opportunity to enjoy the countryside and experience farm life while practising your English and/or French skills in a real social context.

Many students attend one of our Friday workshops and then decide which course they'd like to take, choosing either our Semi-Intensive programme with 24 lessons per week, or our Intensive programme which offers 30 lessons per week. EC makes it easy for you to learn the language of your dreams in one of the world's most exciting and vibrant cities.





#### **GENERAL FRENCH**

Improve your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills in French, whether you are a beginner or at a more advanced level. Get more out of your course with a Semi-Intensive or Intensive programme which includes a wide range of Special Focus electives.

#### FRENCH ACADEMIC SEMESTER/YEAR

On this 24+ week course, you will achieve fluency, challenge yourself and build a network of international friends. If you take the Semi-Intensive or Intensive course, you may also choose from a variety of Special Focus sessions.

#### **FRENCH FOR WORK**

Develop the skills for an international career, or simply boost your CV with this intermediate course. Build your language skills in areas such as marketing, finance, management, e-business and international trade to gain an advantage in your professional life.

#### **DELF/DALF EXAM PREPARATION**

The DELF and DALF (Diplôme d'Etudes/Approfondi en Langue Française) exams provide a diploma issued by the French Ministry of Education, demonstrating your French level. The results are valid for life, throughout the world. Our four-week preparation courses combine 20 lessons per week of General French with 10 lessons of focused preparation and practise for your exam.

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

	General French	Semi-Intensive French	Intensive French	French Academic Semester/Year	French for Work	DELF Exam Preparation	DALF Exam Preparation	Bilingual Programme
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels	Pre-Intermediate	Beginner to Upper Intermediate	Advanced	All levels
Dates	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+10)	20 General French + 10 DELF	20 General French + 10 DALF	24 or 30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5	15, 18, 22.5	22.5	22.5	22.5	18 or 22.5

<sup>\*</sup>See Price List for specific dates.

## **CLUB 50+**

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

Level	All levels
Dates	6 May to 17 May and 23 September to 4 October
Lessons per week	20
Hours per week	15
Class size	Max 6





## **INTERNSHIP** (in the UK and Cape Town)

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



#### FARMSTAY (in Canada)

Improve your English or French while experiencing life on a family farm in the Canadian countryside. This unpaid placement may be on a ranch, fruit, vegetable or mixed farm, or a vineyard.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Choose this option if you:

- will benefit from time in the classroom and in the workplace
- want to see your chosen destination from a different angle
- need to develop language skills relevant to the business world
- want to enhance your professional skills and gain a competitive edge

	Internship	Farmstay
Available	All UK Schools (except Manchester), Cape Town	All Canada Schools (French in Montreal only)
Minimum level	<b>UK</b> : Upper Intermediate, <b>Cape Town</b> : Intermediate	Intermediate
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday
Duration of work experience	UK: 4 weeks to 3 months, Cape Town: 4 weeks to 6 months	2-4 weeks
Duration of language course required	Minimum 4 weeks	No restrictions
Minimum age	18	19





## IMMERSE YOURSELF IN EXCITING STUDY AND TRAVEL EXPERIENCES IN THE US. CANADA. UK. IRELAND AND MALTA!

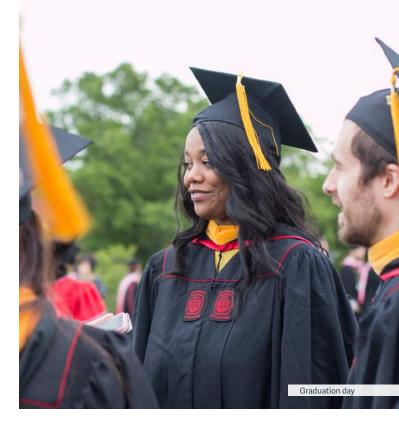
Each programme is a perfect opportunity for younger learners and teens to study English and have fun while experiencing different countries and making new international friends.

We've done a significant amount of research to find out exactly what you look for when studying abroad, and to understand how you want to learn. That's why in addition to teaching language skills, we also help you develop key life skills to help you achieve your fullest potential in life, education and your future career. Your lessons are delivered using engaging materials developed by EC's curriculum design specialists to provide a truly communicative learning environment.

For 2019, we're offering our unique Premium Programmes, which are designed to build your skills and set you on the right path to professional and academic success. These courses include Creative Minds through Science, Coding and Robotics (powered by PwC) and Exam Preparation.

Please see our 2019 Young Learners brochure for more information.







#### **ROUTES INTO HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE UNITED STATES**

Is it your dream to get a degree from a university in the United States? Let us help you reach your goal!

For decades, international students have been attracted to the reputation, diversity and prominence of the US higher education system. We provide various routes into this system, including a gateway into Silicon Valley, the global hub of technological innovation.

Students can study at the University of California, Santa Cruz's (UCSC) Silicon Valley Extension, and gain valuable work experience near global corporations such as Apple and eBay. Certifications in the fields of Biosciences, Business and Management, Software Development and Technology are available, along with unique opportunities to learn from and network with industry professionals and experts. Students may also qualify for a year of full-time work after graduation.

In addition to UCSC, we have launched International Pathway
Programmes at leading universities in the United States, including
DePaul University in Chicago, Illinois; University of Hartford in Hartford,
Connecticut; and Pacific Lutheran University near Seattle, Washington.
An on-campus programme at the State University of New York (SUNY)
at Fredonia is also offered where students may come to the US to learn
English prior to entering the university.

For more details, see our brochures from EC Higher Education.













## THE 30+ EXPERIENCE

Our 30+ schools are for students who are mature and have greater life and professional experience. You will study in highly finished, contemporary learning spaces that are designed to reflect a unique aspect of the local culture. Through speaking, listening, reading and writing, you will learn within contexts that are stimulating and relevant to you. You will also have access to an exciting social activity programme that features some of the most interesting and iconic highlights of your chosen destination.

Throughout your experience, you will be surrounded by students from all over the world, and have an opportunity to learn about their cultural, personal and professional backgrounds. By the end of your experience, your personal and professional network will be larger and much more diverse.

If you are 30 years of age or above, and want to study with like-minded students in a stylish and focused environment, this experience is designed especially for you.

#### **MASTER CLASSES**

If you want an even more focused experience, you can sign up for Master Classes. Developed specifically to respond to our students' requests for more individualised attention, these smaller intensive classes will help you to further improve your language skills. With only three to six students in each class, you will receive maximum practise by working with a teacher who will help you focus on improving your skills in pronunciation, conversation and grammar usage.



FACTS	New York 30+	Toronto 30+	London 30+	Dublin 30+	Malta 30+
Number of classrooms	6	8	8	4	7
Average students in class	12	13	11	12	10
Max students in class	15	15	12	15	12
Capacity	90	120	96	58	78
Student computers	3	12	6	4	4
Minimum age	30	30	30	30	30

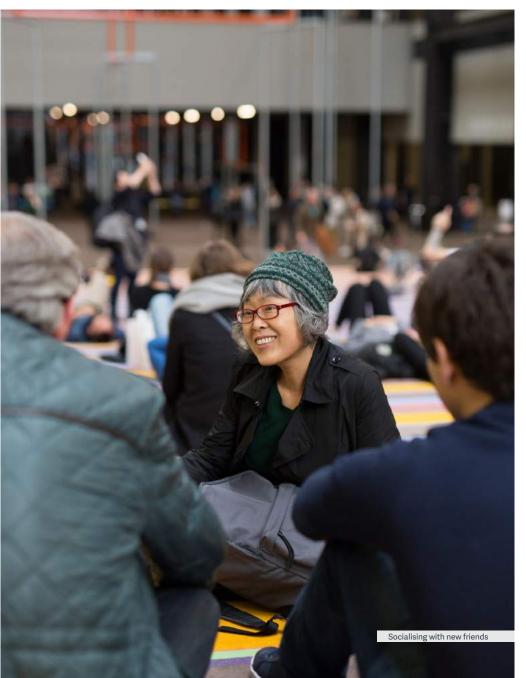
COURSES	New York 30+	Toronto 30+	London 30+	Dublin 30+	Malta 30+
General English (20)	<b>~</b>	~	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	~
Semi-Intensive English (24)	✓	✓	-	-	-
Intensive English (30)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Business English (20)	-	-	✓	-	-
English for Work (20+10)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
English in the City (20+10)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
One-to-One	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Business Mini Group (20/30)	-	-	-	-	✓
Club 50+: Mini Group 20	-	-	-	-	~

ADD TO YOUR COURSE	New York 30+	Toronto 30+	London 30+	Dublin 30+	Malta 30+
Master Class	<b>~</b>	✓	~	✓	<b>~</b>
English Plus	Dancing	Farmstay	-	-	Diving

	Orange Carpet Experience	(Co Free WiFi		Library	Self-study room	Student lounge	/// Café	* Outdoor terrace	Kitchen area
NEW YORK 30+	4	~	4	-	-	<b>~</b>	-	-	-
TORONTO 30+	<b>✓</b>	~	✓	~	✓	✓	✓ In building	-	•
LONDON 30+	<b>~</b>	~	✓ Interactive touchscreen TVs	~	~	~	✓ In building	-	-
DUBLIN 30+	<b>~</b>	~	✓ Interactive touchscreen TVs	-	~	~	✓ Next door	-	-
MALTA 30+	<b>~</b>	~	✓ Interactive touchscreen TVs	•	~	~	✓ In building	~	-

FREE WITH EVERY COURSE	Access to EC Online from booking	Online Placement Test	Course book	Extra language workshops and activities	Social and cultural programme	Airport transfers included*	Beach club membership
NEW YORK 30+	<b>~</b>	~	<b>~</b>	4	<b>~</b>	-	-
TORONTO 30+	✓	✓	-	✓	✓	-	-
LONDON 30+	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	-	-
DUBLIN 30+	✓	✓	<b>~</b>	<b>~</b>	✓	-	-
MALTA 30+	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓

<sup>\*</sup>if booking course and accommodation





#### **ACCOMMODATION**

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#### TORONTO 30+

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#### LONDON 30+

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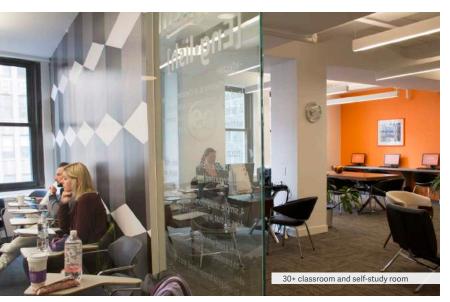
#### **DUBLIN 30+**

HOMESTAY standard ♠, comfort ♠
RESIDENCE comfort ♠

#### MALTA 30+

HOMESTAY standard ( , comfort ( SHARED APARTMENT standard ( , comfort ( STUDIO comfort (





# **NEW YORK 30+**

ENGLISH ACCETS

#### **AGE MIX**

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#### **NATIONALITY MIX**

- 29% Brazilian
- 7% Swiss
- 5% Korean

- 12% Japanese 7% Colombian
- 6% French 6% Italian
- 4% Spanish 24% Other (39)

**TORONTO 30+** 





#### **AGE MIX**

● 30-40 **●** 41-50 **●** 51+

Based on student weeks 2017/18

#### **NATIONALITY MIX**

35% Brazilian 12% Japanese

12% Colombian

- 9% Korean
- 9% Mexican
  - 5% Chilean
- 3% French 2% Spanish
- 13% Other (38)



# **LONDON 30+**







#### AGE MIX

● 30-40 ● 41-50 ● 51+

Based on student weeks 2017/18

#### **NATIONALITY MIX**

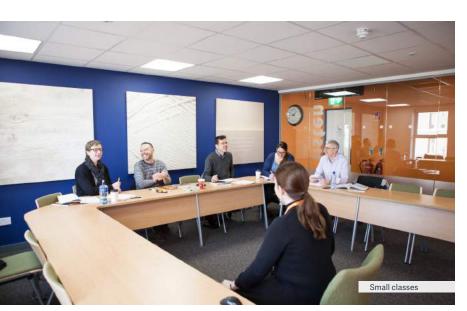
20% Brazilian 9% Japanese

8% Swiss

- 7% French
- 6% Italian
- 5% Turkish
- 5% Spanish 5% German







# **DUBLIN 30+**



Marketing English in Ireland

#### **AGE MIX**

● 30-40 ● 41-50 ● 51+

Based on student weeks 2017/18

#### **NATIONALITY MIX**

- 23% Brazilian 10% Turkish
- 9% Italian
- 8% French
- 7% Swiss 5% German

- 9% Spanish
- 8% Russian
- 21% Other (16)

# **MALTA 30+**



#### **AGE MIX**

**30-40 41-50 51+** 

Based on student weeks 2017/18

#### **NATIONALITY MIX**

- 29% Brazilian
- 10% Japanese 9% Colombian
- 6% Italian
- 5% Turkish
- 5% Russian 5% Swiss
- 5% Spanish
- 26% Other (57)





Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) is a central part of life in the EC world. We believe it's our duty to be actively involved in the communities that have welcomed us and helped EC to grow into the international presence it is today. Our Fundraising Policy allows us to match funds raised by our staff for global and local campaigns, and our centres are actively involved in local community projects for charities of their choice.

From school-specific initiatives such as environmental clean-ups, volunteering and fundraising for local charities, to larger projects like our partnership with United World Schools (UWS) to build schools in the world's poorest regions, giving back is close to the heart of the EC family.

#### **ECIN CAMBODIA**

In early 2016, we teamed up with United World Schools (UWS), an international charity dedicated to improving the lives and prospects of children in some of the world's poorest regions by giving them the opportunity to receive an education. When we met with the charity, we knew they were the right organisation, and we agreed to work together to build a school in Cambodia.

In February 2017, we sent a team of EC staff volunteers on a 10-day trip to Ban Houy, Cambodia, a remote village that's home to more than 200 children and their families. We were all eager to see the new school where the children of Ban Houy would spend their time learning their national language (Khmer), as well as numeracy, music, arts and crafts.

The EC team spent time with the local families and the children, and shared different teaching methods with the teachers at the new school. Everyone involved in the trip found the whole experience to be both humbling and very rewarding, especially after seeing the children's joy in having a school to attend.

The new school in Don Lo village

In June 2018, we completed our second school at Don Lo village, just a few miles from the school at Ban Houy; and in 2019, we plan to send a team to visit both schools to once again work with the children and teachers.

We also brought Cambodia to EC by sponsoring two UWS team members to study English at EC Brighton for six weeks. The team members enjoyed their study time and not only took back several new ideas for the local teachers in Cambodia, but also a much-improved ability to speak English with volunteers.

At our schools, we are introducing the work we do with UWS through a series of talks and the development of new teaching materials. By understanding the importance of 'teaching the unreached' – providing schools for the 60 million uneducated children around the world – our students, through awareness raising and fundraising, can truly help make a difference to young lives.

This initiative is very important to EC and we want to continue helping to provide education to children around the world. We have once again pledged that **for every student who completes a booking with EC, we will donate 1 Euro (€1) to our CSR initiatives like EC in Cambodia**. Our goal is to keep working with dynamic organisations like UWS to build more schools and help more children to fulfil their dreams of an education.

This pledge is our way of saying 'thank you' to every student who chooses EC to help them achieve their dreams of fluency.

It's how we will help change the world to a better place for those we may never meet.

It's how we give back.









# **EC BOSTON**

# ENGLISH ACCETS

#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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 the Museum of Fine Arts, trips to the Boston Public Library, and tours of Harvard University and MIT
- Enjoy a Red Sox baseball game, whale watching, boat party, and trip to Martha's Vineyard
- Excursions available to New York, Washington, DC, and Niagara Falls

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#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

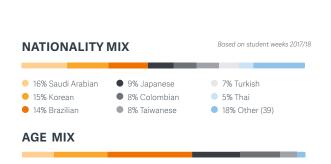
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#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

Access to EC Online from booking
Online Placement Test
Orange Carpet Experience
Course book
Extra language workshops and activities
Social and cultural programme
Conversation Partners Programme (courses 8+ weeks)

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ♀ STUDENT APARTMENT standard ★ 및



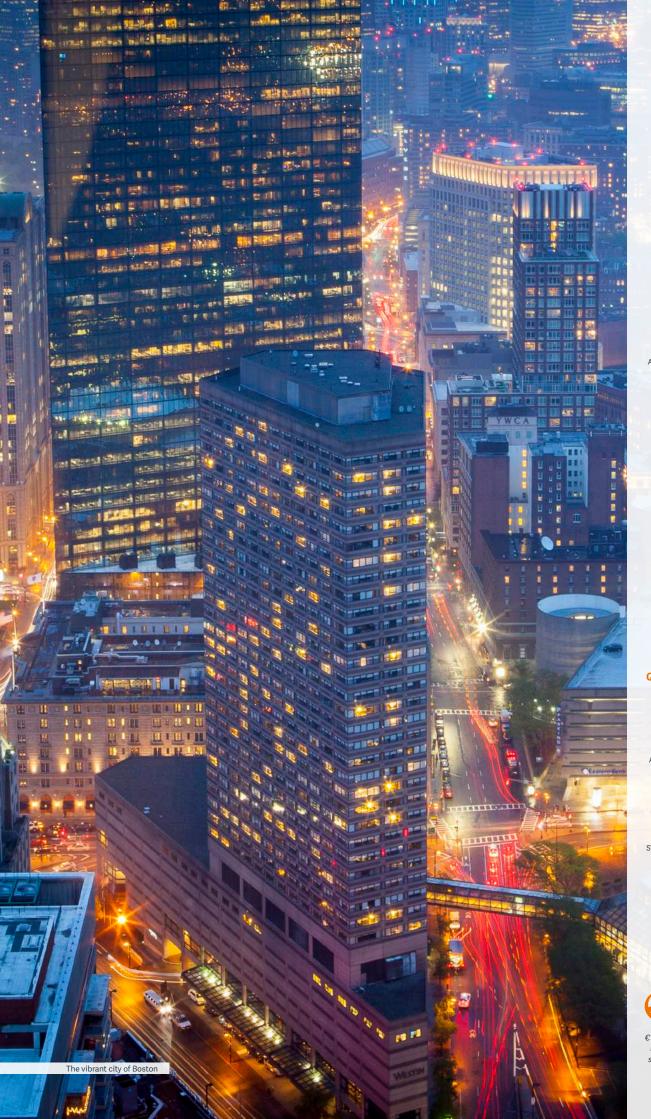
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STUDENT LOUNGE



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### **QUICK FACTS**

14

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

210

CAPACITY

19 STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC NEW YORK**

## ENGLISH ACCETS

#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Centrally located in iconic Times Square, steps from worldrenowned 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
- Students can enjoy trips to Coney Island, the 'Top of the Rock' and some of New York's legendary nightspots
- Excursions available to Boston, Washington, DC, Philadelphia and Niagara Falls

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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) One-to-One

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

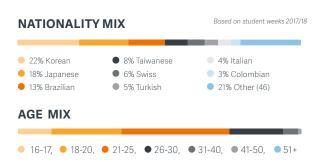
English Plus: Dancing

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

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#### **QUICK FACTS**

8 CLASSROOMS

**12** 

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

120 CAPACITY

**22** 

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# EC WASHINGTON, DC



#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Located 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
- Enjoy a Nationals baseball game, the Spy Museum or a river cruise in cherry blossom season
- Excursions to New York, Philadelphia and Virginia Beach

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

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

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

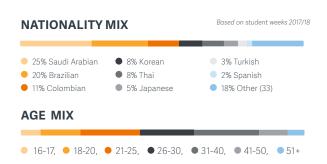
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STUDENT LOUNGE



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### QUICK FACTS

11

CLASSROOMS

12 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

165 CAPACITY

14

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **ECSAN FRANCISCO**

## ENGLISH ACCETO

#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Located downtown, a short walk from Market Street, Union Square, Chinatown, Little Italy and SoMa
- School is 18 floors up with views of the city; classrooms surround a large sun-filled lounge
- Free language workshops include pronunciation, writing and discussing California history and culture
- Free activities include neighbourhood walking tours, university visits, yoga and local street festivals
- Enjoy baseball games, BBQs, Golden Gate Park visits, Alcatraz excursions, and walks through San Francisco's iconic Fisherman's Wharf
- Experience a city embracing diversity, freedom and innovation in culture and technology
- Excursions available to Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Napa Valley, Silicon Valley, Monterey and Yosemite National Park

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

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

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

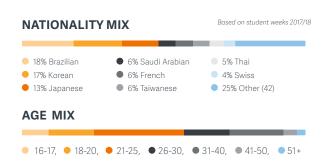
California Dreamin'

#### FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ RESIDENCE comfort ★ APARTHOTEL standard ☐















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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



CAFÉ/RESTAURANT IN BUILDING



STARBUCKS



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### QUICK FACTS

15

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

222 CAPACITY

23

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **ECSAN DIEGO**

## ENGLISH ACCET®

#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Five minutes' walk from La Jolla Cove, San Diego's best diving, snorkelling and sightseeing spot
- Free language workshops include conversation, pronunciation and grammar sessions
- Free activities include local volunteering, Balboa Park museums, volleyball and lifeguard visits
- Enjoy surfing lessons, kayaking in La Jolla Cove, and visits to the zoo or Birch Aquarium
- Excursions available to San Francisco, Las Vegas and Los Angeles

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

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

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

English Plus: Surfing California Dreamin'

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

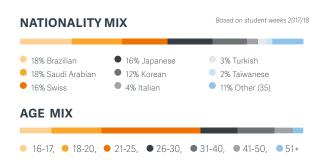
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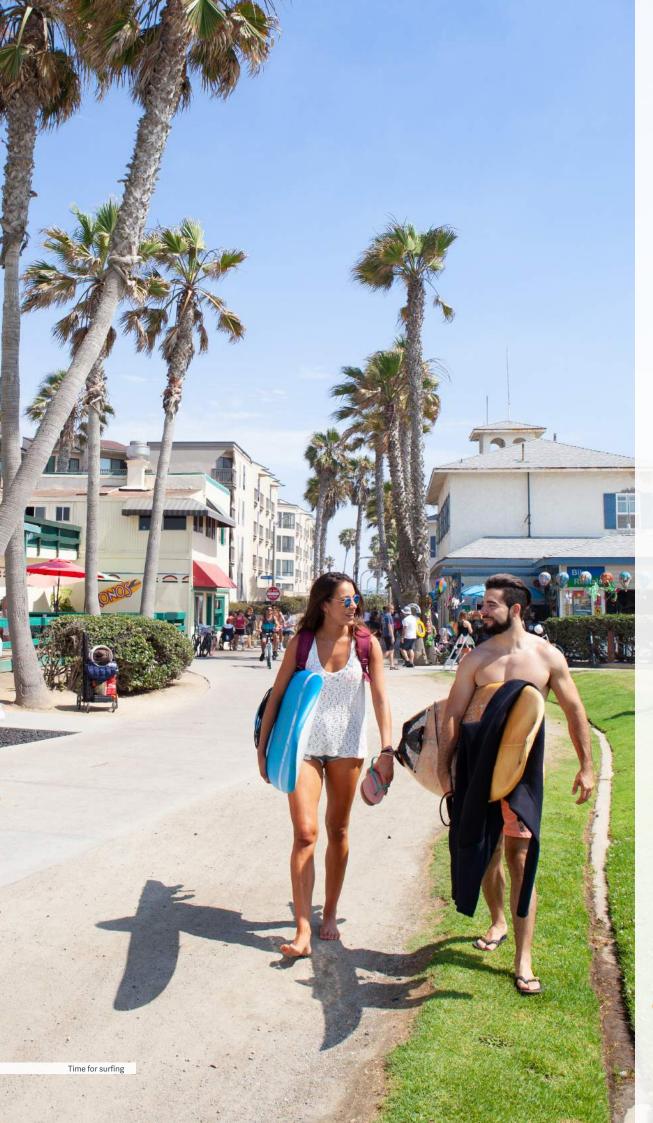














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STUDENT LOUNGE



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### QUICK FACTS

8

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

> 120 CAPACITY

> > 21

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# EC LOS ANGELES SANTA MONICA



#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- 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.

#### **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 (30) Higher Score® TOEFL (30) One-to-One

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

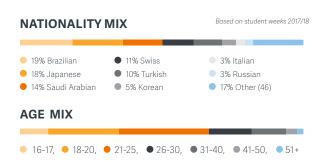
California Dreamin'

#### FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐
APARTHOTEL comfort ☐, superior ☐
SHARED APARTMENT superior ★

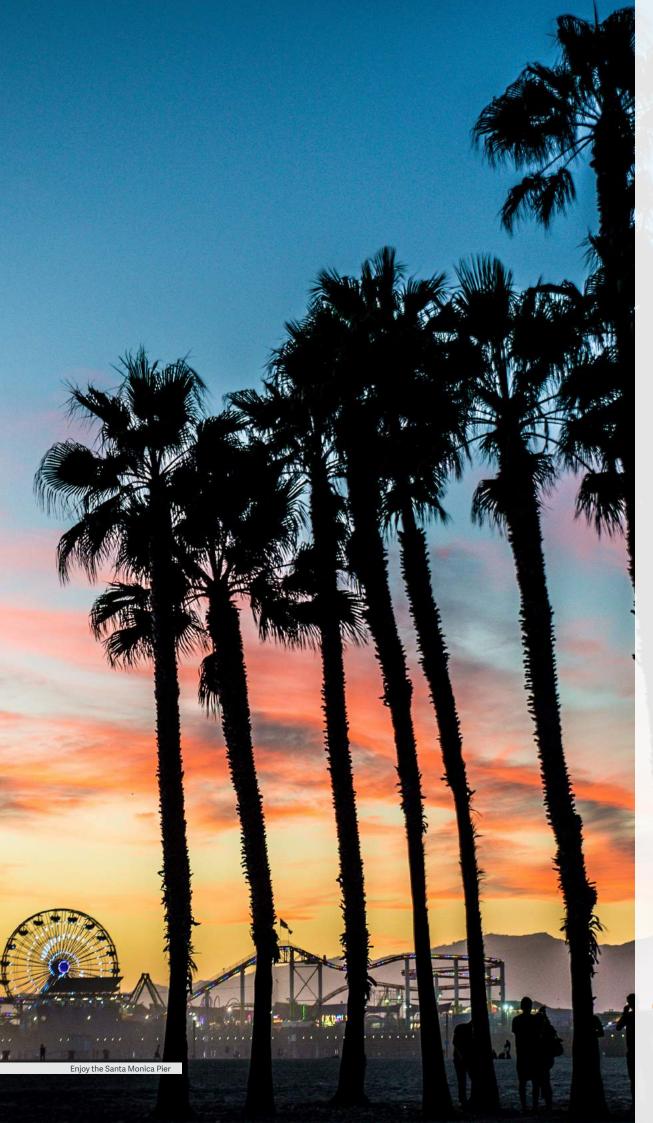














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STUDENT LOUNGE







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#### **QUICK FACTS**

21

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

**225**CAPACITY

29

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# EC MIAMI SOUTH BEACH



#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- Free activities include yoga and volleyball on the beach, and outdoor movie nights
- 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

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

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

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard RESIDENCE standard \* ECQHOTE

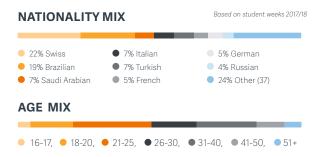
















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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



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#### **QUICK FACTS**

9 CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

135 CAPACITY

26

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC MONTREAL**





#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- 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.

#### **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+10) DELF/DALF Exam Preparation (20+10) English/French One-to-One

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

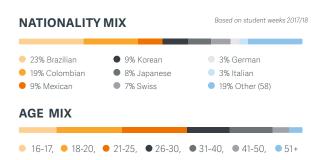
English/French Plus: Gastronomy English/French Plus: Farmstay

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

Access to EC Online from booking (English courses only) Online Placement Test (English courses only) Orange Carpet Experience Extra language workshops and activities Social and cultural programme

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard 🖨 comfort 🖨 SHARED APARTMENT superior \*















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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



KITCHEN AREA



RESTAURANTS ON SITE



STARBUCKS (ON SITE)



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### QUICK FACTS

23

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15) 290

CAPACITY

15 STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC TORONTO**













#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- 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

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

General English (20/24/30) English for Work (20+10) English in the City (20+10) Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30) Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30) Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC (20) University Pathway Programme (30) One-to-One

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

English Plus: Farmstay

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ♠, ♣ comfort ♠, ♣ RESIDENCE superior , , , SUMMER RESIDENCE comfort \( \mathbb{R} \) SHARED APARTMENT comfort 大, 是

#### Based on student weeks 2017/18 **NATIONALITY MIX** 24% Korean • 9% Turkish 3% Taiwanese 19% Brazilian • 6% Colombian 3% Swiss 18% Japanese 5% Mexican • 13% Other (51) **AGE MIX** 16-17,18-20,21-25,26-30,31-40,41-50,51+













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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



MICROWAVE OVENS



CAFÉ IN BUILDING



CAMBRIDGE, IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC TEST CENTRE



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#### **QUICK FACTS**

22 CLASSROOMS

13

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

16

HIGHER SCORE® AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 18)

330 CAPACITY

29

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC VANCOUVER**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- 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.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

General English (20/24/30) English for Work (20+10) English in the City (20+10) Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30) Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30) Higher Score IELTS/TOEFL (20) University Pathway Programme (30) One-to-One

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

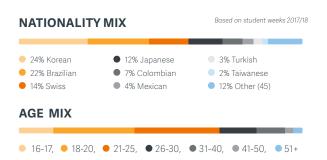
English Plus: Farmstay

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard 🖨 comfort 🖨 SHARED APARTMENT comfort 🏌 , superior 🖨 🕬















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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



KITCHEN AREA



CAMBRIDGE TEST CENTRE



UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SERVICE

#### **QUICK FACTS**

19

CLASSROOMS

13

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

16

HIGHER SCORE® AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 18)

285

CAPACITY

23
STUDENT COMPUTERS

16 MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC LONDON**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Located next to Euston station in Zone 1, with unbeatable access to all areas of the city
- 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
- 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

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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 (20/30) One-to-One Internship

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard 異 comfort 異 RESIDENCE comfort 異 superior 異 ★ SUMMER RESIDENCE comfort 異

# NATIONALITY MIX ■ 15% Brazilian ■ 15% Brazilian ■ 14% Korean ■ 14% Turkish ■ 7% Taiwanese ■ 23% Other (57) AGE MIX ■ 16-17, ■ 18-20, ■ 21-25, ■ 26-30, ■ 31-40, ■ 41-50, ■ 51+



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# Exploring this historic city

#### **AMENITIES**



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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



#### **QUICK FACTS**

14

CLASSROOMS

11 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 14)

186 CAPACITY

16

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC OXFORD**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Located close to the train station, Covered Market and Bodleian Library
- · Nestled among the many inspiring colleges of Oxford University
- Free language workshops include flexible clinics to address students' individual needs
- Free activities include discos, movie afternoons and charitable activities
- Enjoy trips to Stonehenge and to WB Studios 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.

#### **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 (20) One-to-One Internship

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ RESIDENCE standard ★, comfort ఈ SUMMER RESIDENCE standard ఈ

# NATIONALITY MIX ■ 14% Turkish ■ 7% Japanese ■ 6% Colombian ■ 13% Korean ■ 7% Brazilian ■ 12% Saudi Arabian ■ 7% Omani ■ 28% Other (39) AGE MIX ■ 16-17, ■ 18-20, ■ 21-25, ■ 26-30, ■ 31-40, ■ 41-50, ■ 51+

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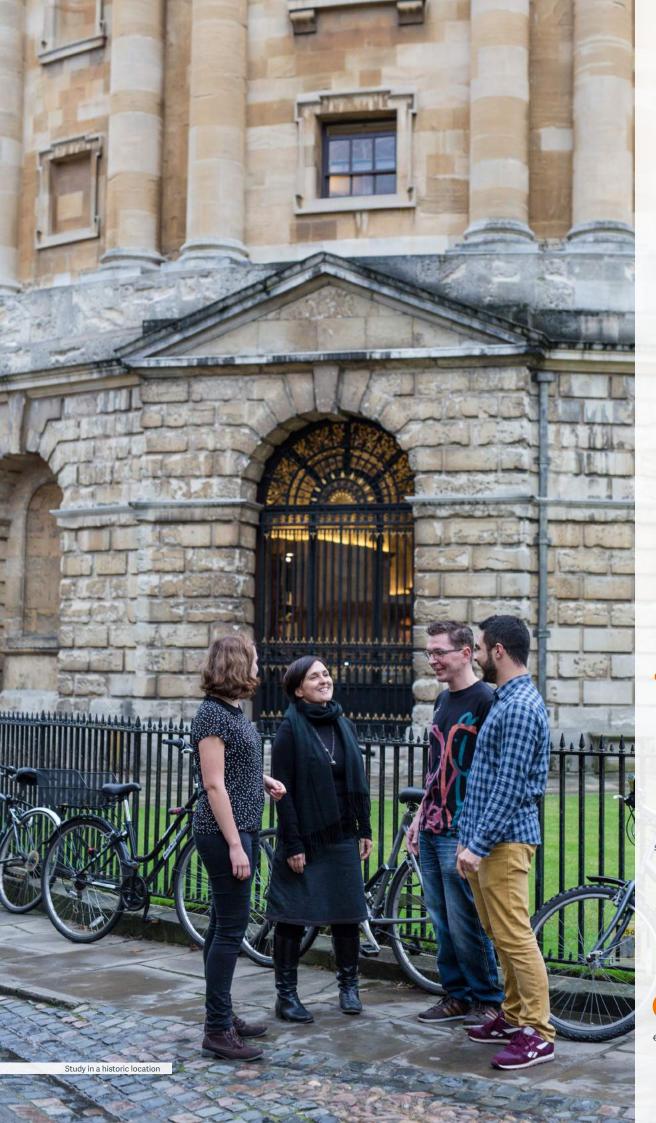
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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE

#### **QUICK FACTS**

6

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

90

CAPACITY

17 STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC CAMBRIDGE**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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 writing workshop, homework clinic and pronunciation clinic
- Free activities include tennis, summer picnics, cream tea and local museum and gallery visits
- Enjoy weekly trips to see West End musicals
- Excursions available to Oxford, Canterbury, Brighton, Windsor Castle, Edinburgh and London

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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 (20/30) One-to-One Internship

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ RESIDENCE comfort ★
SUMMER RESIDENCE comfort ॐ
STUDENT HOUSE standard ॐ

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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE

#### **QUICK FACTS**

14 CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

203 CAPACITY

20

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC BRIGHTON**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Bright, stylish and modern school in the centre of town, close to all the attractions
- Located near the seafront, moments away from the iconic Brighton Pier
- Free language workshops include CV clinic, idioms class, pronunciation clinic and conversation sessions
- Free activities include local walking tours, yoga, cream tea and trips to Seven Sisters
- Enjoy visiting London's theatres, football games, laser tag and bowling
- Excursions available to Oxford, Cambridge, Bath and Stonehenge

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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 (20/30) One-to-One Internship

#### FREE WITH EVERY COURSE

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Online Placement Test
Orange Carpet Experience
Course book
Extra language workshops and activities
Social and cultural programme

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard Comfort STUDENT HOUSE standard RESIDENCE superior SUMMER RESIDENCE standard SHARED APARTMENT standard

# NATIONALITY MIX 17% Saudi Arabian 12% Turkish 13% Korean 7% Brazilian 5% Spanish 13% Swiss 6% Italian 22% Other (51) AGE MIX 16-17, ■ 18-20, ■ 21-25, ■ 26-30, ■ 31-40, ■ 41-50, ■ 51+



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STUDENT LOUNGE





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#### **QUICK FACTS**

16

CLASSROOMS

13 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

235 CAPACITY

28

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC BRISTOL**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Located in leafy Queen Square, a green oasis of calm in the middle of the city
- Free language workshops include lectures about local history and speaking clubs
- Exciting opportunities to participate in established local volunteering projects
- Free activities include harbour side tours, local walking tours and careers advice
- · 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.

#### **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 (20/30) One-to-One Internship

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ RESIDENCE standard ऻ, comfort ऻ,

# NATIONALITY MIX ■ 19% Saudi Arabian ■ 15% Korean ■ 15% Sy Omani ■ 15% Korean ■ 15% Sy Brazilian ■ 15% Sy Swiss ■ 7% Spanish ■ 24% Other (42) AGE MIX



EC's UK locations are approved testing centres for Trinity College London's international English language qualification exams. The exams include the GESE, which assesses speaking and listening in English for study, travel or employment; and ISE exams which evaluate the four skills required for academic study and employment.













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SELF-STUDY ROOM



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# **QUICK FACTS**

18

CLASSROOMS

11

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 14)

191

CAPACITY

18 STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC MANCHESTER**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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 social meet ups
- Enjoy a Manchester United or City football match and local musical events
- Excursions available to Liverpool, Blackpool and the Lake District

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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 (20 GE + 10 IELTS Prep) One-to-One

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

## **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ RESIDENCE standard ★, superior ★ SUMMER RESIDENCE standard ★

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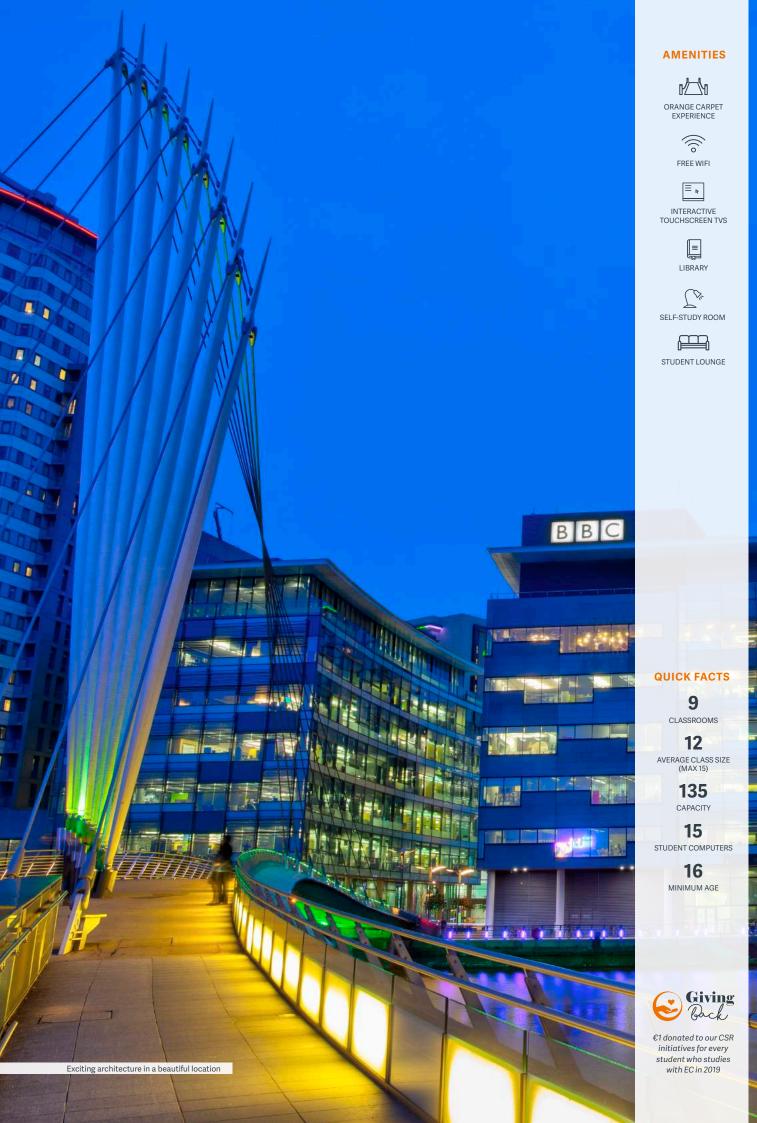
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# **EC DUBLIN**





#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- Stylish new school with state of the art facilities, close to key attractions and easy access to public transport
- Have a picnic in lush Stephen's Green, or take a bike ride in Phoenix Park, home to the Dublin Zoo
- Step back in time with a visit to the Medieval quarter or Dublin Castle, or dine in Ireland's oldest pub, the Brazen Head
- Join the locals for an Irish music session or a set dance in a traditional reel or a jig
- Free language workshops include pronunciation class, book club or CV clinic
- Free activities include pub nights, walking tours and introduction to Gaelic football and hurling in the park

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **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 (20) One-to-One

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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

## **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ RESIDENCE comfort ☐

 NATIONALITY MIX
 Based on student weeks 2017/18

 ● 29% Brazilian
 ● 7% Italian
 ● 4% Saudi Arabian

 ● 19% Turkish
 ● 5% Japanese
 ● 4% Russian

 ● 8% Korean
 ● 5% Taiwanese
 ● 19% Other (12)

 AGE MIX

 ● 16-17,
 ● 18-20,
 ● 21-25,
 ● 26-30,
 ● 31-40,
 ● 41-50,
 ● 51+



EC Dublin supports the Dublin Institute of Technology's (DIT) International Pathway Programmes (IPP) by providing English language courses to help students develop their skills for academic studies. Once students successfully complete their EC course and reach the required language level, they are accepted into the IPP and no further IELTS/ TOEFL testing is required.













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# **QUICK FACTS**

9

CLASSROOMS

12

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

12

HIGHER SCORE AVERAGE (MAX 15)

135 CAPACITY

21

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE



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# **EC MALTA**



#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- Enjoy harbour cruises, tours of Mdina and Valletta, and visits to the world's oldest temples
- Excursions available to the sister islands of Comino and Gozo

The activities above are a sample and subject to change.

#### **CHOOSE YOUR COURSE**

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

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

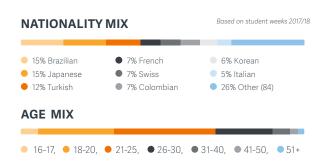
English Plus: Diving

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

Access to EC Online from booking
Airport transfers included (if booking course and accommodation)
Online Placement Test
Orange Carpet Experience
Course book
Extra language workshops and activities
Social and cultural programme
Beach club membership (in summer)

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ SHARED APARTMENT standard ★, comfort ★ STUDIO APARTMENT comfort ★















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OUTDOOR TERRACE

# **QUICK FACTS**

44

CLASSROOMS

10

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 12)

6 MINI GROUP MAX CLASS SIZE

**498**CAPACITY

23

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

MINIMUM AGE

(17 YRS FROM 15 JUN-25 AUG)



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# **EC CAPE TOWN**







#### WHY CHOOSE THIS SCHOOL?

- 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
- Free language workshops include listening and writing practise sessions
- Free activities include trips to Bo-Kaap Market, Lion's Head hike and city walks
- 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.

#### **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 (20 GE + 10 IELTS Prep)
One-to-One
Internship

#### **ADD TO YOUR COURSE**

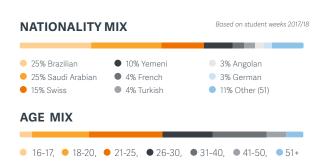
English Plus: Safari

#### **FREE WITH EVERY COURSE**

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Online Placement Test
Orange Carpet Experience
Course book
Extra language workshops and activities
Social and cultural programme

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

HOMESTAY standard ☐ comfort ☐ STUDENT HOUSE comfort ★















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SELF-STUDY ROOM



STUDENT LOUNGE



# **QUICK FACTS**

**12** 

CLASSROOMS

**12** 

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE (MAX 15)

180 CAPACITY

10

STUDENT COMPUTERS

16

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# 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 who travel abroad to study on our adult courses, and provides 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 your guard.me ID on the first day of school. If you need a visa to travel, you will receive a visa letter directly from guard.me which you can use when applying for your visa.

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 to help you understand it completely. In the unfortunate case that you may 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 as follows:

#### 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 even if you choose not 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.

#### IRELAND

This insurance will cover you for emergency medical and repatriation expenses up to a maximum of €10m, and personal liability coverage to a maximum of €2m.

### **UK AND MALTA**

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

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