General English Course is a specialised English language program for international students who are preparing themselves for a lifetime experience; to either work, study or to casually or permanently live in Australia.

Course Objectives
- The main aim is to give you the confidence to live and work in the English-speaking world. It is also an excellent preparation before enrolling for English for Academic Purposes (EAP) course.
- Students are equipped to indentify various English texts, to write in a range of genres, to discuss materials and present ideas/opinions in small groups, and to handle individual presentations as well as group discussions.
- Students also, learn to become familiar with the range of everyday conversations and correspondence to emerge into the Australian life style.

* Depending on your current English ability, you may enrol in our English for Academic Purposes program (EAP) for up to 48 weeks, to suit your personal learning needs and study goals to join higher education (Universities – TAFE).

English Class Levels
To ensure you are placed at the right English level you are tested on your first day. We offer 6 levels of General English classes:
- Beginner (Lower Elementary)
- Elementary
- Pre-intermediate
- Intermediate
- Upper-Intermediate
- Advanced

How Do I Move Up an English Level?
You are assessed throughout your English course. The standard of your class work and homework, and your results on end-of-unit tests, determine your class level for the next unit of study. We expect it will take between 8-12 weeks to progress from one level to the next.
General English Courses for Beginners to Advanced
(CRICOS Course Code:069362D)

Entry Requirements

There is no specific entry or minimum English language requirement for our GE program.

Free Placement Tests

We provide new students with placement tests to gauge their current English abilities and knowledge in the areas of reading, writing, listening, speaking, vocabulary and grammar.

Based on the results in the placement tests, we will be able to place students in an English course most suitable to their current language proficiency.

Apply Now!

1. Download the Application Form for enrolment from our website. Complete it and then send it to us by email, fax or mail.
2. On a tourist visa, you can study GE courses part-time for up to 12 weeks and on a working holiday visa for up to 17 weeks. On a student visa, you can study full-time for longer.

* This program is CRICOS registered and available to student visa students.

Program Delivery

Our friendly and experienced teachers are dedicated to providing our students with a very supportive and motivating learning environment to unlock their learning potential.

Our GE program is effectively delivered through:

- Our preferred small class size
- Task-based activities for pair work and group work
- Communicative Language Teaching (CLT) methodology
- Supplements of web-based language learning materials
- Flexible teaching approach to meet the learning pace of the students
- fun, dynamic and interesting classroom interactive activities
- Delivering 20 contact hours a week, inclusive of face-to-face classroom interactions and guided excursions

Course Contents

At Australian Ideal College, our GE program is especially designed to help students to develop and upgrade their four macro-skills in English language; speaking, listening, reading and writing

- lay a solid foundation for grammar, sentence structures, vocabulary, and language problem-solving skills
- achieve social success in the Australian everyday lifestyle context

Activities

There are many activities for GE students to be involved in class. These include games, quizzes, sports matches, etc.

During supervised Self Access sessions, you will be able to use the computer centres and log on and have access to online materials that directly reinforce what you have studied during your face-to-face classes.

Assessment

Assessments are weekly and monthly in addition to the exiting assessment and are held to monitor the progress of students and determine further study pathways.

Graduation

Students will be able to receive a College Certificate of proficiency at the completion of their course and a Statement of attendance.

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