ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES

FIND YOUR NEW

ELICOS
English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students
Whether you’re here to learn English, for a short-term stay or on the pathway to further studies, we will provide you with the opportunity to find your new.

The University of Newcastle Language Centre has been offering English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) since 1989, and has established a reputation for excellence in English language education.

Our programs incorporate intensive English training, the opportunity to engage with Australian and other international students, excursions to experience Australian culture, volunteering programs, a highly regarded homestay program and much more.

NOW, MORE THAN EVER, THE WORLD NEEDS NEW.
NEW THINKING, NEW IDEAS, NEW APPROACHES TO FACE THE CHALLENGES OF TOMORROW.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE
The University of Newcastle (UON) stands as a global leader distinguished by a commitment to equity and excellence. Our degree programs are internationally recognised. Our research is world-class and diverse and our partnerships and collaborations drive innovation.

 Ranked in the top 1% of universities worldwide, the University of Newcastle has a reputation as a world-class institution making an impact within its own region, throughout Australia and across the globe.

1 QS World University Rankings Fact File 2018
2 QS World University Rankings by Subject 2017
3 Good Universities Guide 2017 (social equity, student retention, overall experience and learning resources)
STUDY ENGLISH WITH US

WE HAVE EXPERIENCE TEACHING ENGLISH TO OVERSEAS STUDENTS FOR NEARLY 30 YEARS.

15 students per class on average

20 hours per week face-to-face

Experienced teachers

THE RIGHT LEVEL OF ENGLISH FOR YOU

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE, WE HAVE CLASSES IN BOTH ACADEMIC AND GENERAL ENGLISH TO ENSURE THAT WE CAN CATER TO ANY LEVEL OF ENGLISH. EACH COURSE LASTS FOR TEN WEEKS AND STUDENTS CAN COMMENCE EVERY FIVE WEEKS.

BEGINNER ENGLISH
Focuses on the development of basic English language skills for students with little or no previous experience learning English.

ELEMENTARY ENGLISH
Develops basic communication skills for educational and social needs.

INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH
Enhances communication and language skills to a level where students can function effectively in an English-speaking environment.

UPPER INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH*
Builds language skills necessary for participation in a wide range of social and vocational activities. During this course some work on English for Academic Purposes is introduced.

ADVANCED ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP)
Develops language skills with an emphasis on skills relevant to tertiary study. Essay and report writing, note-taking, preparation for tutorials, strategies for listening to and understanding lectures, undertaking research, discussion and oral presentations are included.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT COURSES, WHAT’S INVOLVED AND AN EXAMPLE TIMETABLE VISIT NEWCASTLE.EDU.AU/ELICOS

*Students who pass Upper Intermediate English can gain direct entry into Newcastle International College (NIC) at UON.
JOIN OUR GLOBAL COMMUNITY

PARTICIPATING IN OUR STUDENT EXPERIENCE PROGRAM IN SYDNEY OR NEWCASTLE IS YOUR PASSPORT TO BECOMING A GLOBAL CITIZEN. YOU’LL GAIN A NETWORK OF OVER 35,000 STUDENTS FROM MORE THAN 105 COUNTRIES.

Practice your english outside of class
Explore the Australian lifestyle
Volunteer build your resume & portfolio
Orientate yourself & settle in
Join our University Community
STUDENT EXPERIENCE PROGRAM ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

SPEED CONVERSATIONS
This twice-weekly activity engages ELICOS and University students in casual conversation to build friendships, embrace other cultures and build a global mindset.

FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM
Students get to meet Australian students and build relationships through regular out-of-class activities at local tourist attractions such as a day out at the Museum, a picnic on the Foreshore, a visit to the Farmers Market or a tour of Nobby's Lighthouse.

OTHER EXPERIENCES
Looking for more things to do on campus? There are many activities after and between classes including pronunciation class, speech pathology sessions, sports afternoons and more.

AUSSIE MEET & GREET
We understand it takes longer than one day to settle into a new country and learning environment. Our unique three-week rolling orientation program starts with a ‘Meet and Greet’ with University students on day one, followed by a range of activities over the following few weeks to help with students’ transition to Australian life.

VOLUNTEER AND BUILD YOUR SKILLS
The volunteer activities are conducted through a range of partner volunteer organisations. There are also opportunities to volunteer at events and festivals at the University.

SUPPORT DURING YOUR STAY
As a student in the language centre your Student Experience will be arranged by our dedicated Student Experience Program Coordinator.

GLOBAL EXPERIENCE PROGRAM for overseas institutions
In addition to normal classes we offer a wide range of specialised English programs for groups or individuals who want to study English and experience Australian culture. Our short integrated and study abroad programs cater for overseas institutions and their students who are looking to learn English during their university summer or winter holidays. We can also develop a customised program to suit any budget or time frame and can include a wide range of cultural and tourism activities.

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CENTRAL LOCATIONS

NEWCASTLE CAMPUS

Our Language Centre on the University’s main campus in Newcastle is a modern building, conveniently located in the centre of the campus adjacent to the University’s library and the student services centre. Our Newcastle campus is also home to an official IELTS testing centre.

The Newcastle campus is a great place to work, study, relax and enjoy all that university life has to offer.

Our campus is a wonderful mix of award winning, architecturally designed buildings and world-class infrastructure scattered over 140 hectares of natural bushland. We have a reputation for having one of the most naturally beautiful campuses in Australia and we work hard to protect it.

The beautiful city of Newcastle is known for its spectacular coastline, its contemporary culture and enviable lifestyle and was included among the top 10 cities in the annual publication of Lonely Planet Guide to the Best Places to Travel 2011 (“Best in Travel Guide for 2011”).

IELTS TESTING CENTRE

The Newcastle Language Centre at the University of Newcastle (Callaghan campus) is an official IELTS test centre. IELTS, the International English Language Testing System, assesses the language ability of candidates who want to study or work where English is the language of communication. For more information, visit newcastle.edu.au/ielts

SYDNEY CBD CAMPUS

The University of Newcastle’s Sydney-based Language Centre allows students to balance the benefits of studying English in a high-ranking, long-established institution with easy access to the conveniences of Sydney’s CBD and surrounding areas.

The University of Newcastle (UON) Sydney has recently moved into brand new, purpose-built premises on Elizabeth Street, right near Martin Place.

This easily accessible, central location in the heart of the Sydney CBD provides world-class facilities and services that support innovation in learning and a next generation experience for our students and staff.

UON Sydney is a rapidly growing educational centre of excellence for both international and domestic students, offering a range of flexible study options, from postgraduate programs and Masters degrees, to ELICOS English Language Courses, all within a friendly, supportive environment.
WHERE CAN I LIVE?

HOMESTAY

The University of Newcastle’s Homestay Program, established since 1998, offers a safe, affordable and family-oriented accommodation that enables you to live and interact with local families.

This program is operated by the University of Newcastle Language Centre, giving us a greater level of involvement in the placement of students and the ability to manage issues swiftly and effectively.

ROOM TYPES

Fully Furnished Bedroom
Standards and facilities may vary from household to household.

CATERING

Packages are available to provide 2 or 3 meals a day. Meals may be a self-served breakfast (cereal and toast), a packed lunch (a sandwich and fruit), and a cooked meal for dinner.

For more information, visit newcastle.edu.au/homestay

ON-CAMPUS

Conveniently located 5 minutes walk to class, our accommodation enables residents to forge life-long friendships in a supportive, diverse community with a range of facilities for students.

Opened in 2015, these four multi-story residential buildings offer student living in a variety of configurations. As our newest residents, the students in each tower have begun to form their own traditions and enjoy various social get-togethers with friends on their floor.

ROOM TYPES

5 or 6 Bedroom apartment
Single bed, shared ensuite, kitchen, living and dining areas.

CATERING

Self-catered, however meal packages may be purchased.

For a list of full rates, visit newcastle.edu.au/accommodation
## COSTS AND DATES

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### ELICOS TUITION FEE

$425AUD per week

### HOMESTAY

$240AUD per week  
16 meals per week included

$255AUD per week  
21 meals per week included

$230AUD one off placement fee

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### ELICOS TUITION FEE

$440AUD per week

### HOMESTAY

$245AUD per week  
16 meals per week included

$260AUD per week  
21 meals per week included

$235AUD one off placement fee

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### ELICOS TUITION FEE

$455AUD per week

### HOMESTAY

$250AUD per week  
16 meals per week included

$265AUD per week  
21 meals per week included

$240AUD one off placement fee

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Price current at time of printing and is subject to change.

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**WOULD YOU LIKE MORE INFORMATION?**

NEW JUST DOESN’T HAPPEN. IT TAKES THE RIGHT PEOPLE TO CHASE IT. MAYBE THAT’S YOU.

For full information and to find out how to apply, visit newcastle.edu.au/elicos

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