TAFE International Western Australia offers a wide range of English courses to provide a pathway into TAFE and Higher Education courses.
NORTH METROPOLITAN TAFE

North Metropolitan TAFE's Perth Campus is located in the central business district of Northbridge. It is located in Perth's cultural and entertainment district, in a modern building designed specifically for education and training. It is very close to Perth's central shopping district and central transport network. If you like the inner city life, you will enjoy studying at Perth Campus.

The ELICOS program at North Metropolitan TAFE is delivered in partnership with Navitas English (CRICOS provider code 00289M; RTO provider code 0927).

ELICOS campus location

Facilities at the Perth campus include:

- Modern, well equipped teaching and learning spaces
- Wireless internet access and fully equipped computer labs
- Library and independent learning centre with computers, international and local newspapers and journals, and thousands of relevant books, videos, CDs, DVDs specifically designed for English language learners
- Bookshop for all student needs
- Gymnasium on the premises
- Café and banking facilities
- International student kitchen, garden courtyard and outdoor eating areas
- Prayer room
- Art Gallery
- Massage + Beauty Therapy Services
English courses and study pathways

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General English

English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

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Contact details

North Metropolitan TAFE, ELICOS centre

Level 2, Station 4, 25 Aberdeen Street, Northbridge WA 6865, Australia

+61 8 9427 1096

enquiry.elicos@nmtafe.wa.edu.au
General English (CRICOS Code: 013024G)

Our innovative and dynamic General English (GE) programs deliver exceptional results, developing real-world English skills through an intensive progression pathway.

Why this English course is the best choice for you:
> Starts any Monday
> Learn with professional teachers in small, intensive classes
> Learn the language you need to interact effectively with people outside of school
> Prepare for special courses such as IELTS and EAP

General English fact file

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English for Academic Purposes (CRICOS Code: 013025F)

When you study at an English-speaking university or college, you need to speak and write English with confidence so you can communicate effectively. The English for Academic Purposes (EAP) courses are unique because they enable you to enter a wide range of vocational education programs at TAFE International Western Australia, or higher education, also leading to degree programs in leading universities and institutions around Australia. Each course includes academic study skills modules to help you achieve the best possible result in your studies.

Why is this English course the best choice for you:

> Direct entry to a TAFE college in Western Australia from EAP 4 without the need to take an international English test like IELTS, PTE-A or TOEFL.
> Curriculum includes study skills training such as: critical thinking, research techniques, exam skills and academic report writing.

Course content:

**Academic study and assessment skills**
> Planning and delivery of an academic seminar
> Interacting with others in academic discussions

**Academic writing skills**
> Planning and writing academic essays
> Conducting and writing an academic research report
> Sentence types and clause grammar
> Paraphrasing and academic style

**Academic reading skills**
> Skimming and scanning texts for key information
> Expanding vocabulary

**Course assessment**
You will be assessed by a combination of:
> Reports
> Academic essays
> Seminar presentations
> Case study and literature survey (EAP 5)
> Examinations (Listening, Reading, Writing, Speaking)
English for Academic Purposes (cont.)

English for Academic Purposes fact file

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| **Minimum requirements** | IELTS 4.5 writing (academic), other bands 4.0 | IELTS 5.0, writing 5.0 (academic), other bands 4.0 | IELTS 5.5, writing 5.5 (academic), other bands 5.0 |
| | TOEFL PBT 475 (writing minimum TWE 3.5) | TOEFL PBT 500 (writing minimum TWE 4.0) | TOEFL PBT 525 (writing minimum TWE 5.0) |
| | TOEFL iBT 53 (other skills 11) | TOEFL iBT 61 (other skills 13) | TOEFL iBT 71 (other skills 15) |
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| | PTE 30 (writing minimum 30, other skills 24) | PTE 36 (writing minimum 36, other skills 30) | PTE 42 (writing minimum 42, other skills 36) |

| **Assessments** | Factual report | Genre essays: | Literature survey |
| | Seminar | > Process description | > Collaborative task |
| | Examinations: Reading, Writing, Listening & Speaking | > Comparison essay | > Seminar |
| | | > Cause & effect essay | > Research essay |
| | | > Graph description | > Case study |
| | | Seminar | Examinations (Reading, Writing, Listening) |
| | | Research report | |
| | | Examinations: Reading, Writing, Listening & Speaking | |
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Additional details

| **Timetable** | 8.20am – 2.30pm |
| **Duration** | 10 – 30 weeks |
| **Certification** | North Metropolitan TAFE certificates are recognised by TAFE International Western Australia |
| **Hours per week** | 20 (4 hours of lessons per day, Monday to Friday) |
| **Entry level** | Your level will be determined by a placement test |
| **Minimum age** | 17 years |
| **Cost** | $300 per week |
| **Start dates** | EAP 3 & 4 – Weeks 1 and 6 of each term (10 weeks required to pass each level): 22 January, 26 February, 3 April, 7 May, 11 June, 16 July, 20 August, 25 September, 29 October, 3 December. EAP 5 (Term 2 & 5): 3 April, 29 October. |
IELTS Plus (CRICOS Code: 041750M)

The International English Language Testing System (IELTS) is accepted for entry into higher education and professional bodies, and for Australian visa applications.

IELTS tests speaking, listening, reading and writing skills to provide scores from band 1 (non-user) to band 9 (expert user). These scores are combined to provide an overall band score. Most higher education institutes, including North Metropolitan TAFE, require 5.5 for entry to certificate and diploma programs and English speaking universities and higher education institutions require students to have an overall band score of between 6.0 and 7.5 to be eligible for entry to degree programs.

Why is this English course the best choice for you:

- Starts any Monday
- Learn with professional teachers in small, intensive classes
- Learn what IELTS consists of and take practice tests under exam conditions to get a feel for what it is like to take the real test.
- Get feedback from your teacher so you can develop weak areas and build on your strengths.
- Results in the assessments for North Metropolitan TAFE’s IELTS Plus courses are accepted for entry to TAFE International Western Australia.

IELTS Plus fact file

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Additional details

- Examinations (Weeks 5 and 10)
- Seminar*
- Research essay*
- Timetable: 8.20am – 2.30pm
- Duration: 10 – 20 weeks
- Certification: North Metropolitan TAFE certificates are recognised by TAFE International Western Australia
- Hours per week: 20 (4 hours of lessons per day, Monday to Friday)
- Entry level: IELTS 5.0 or equivalent (upper Intermediate)
- Minimum age: 17 years
- Cost: $300 per week
- Start dates: Any Monday, with preferred start dates in Week 1 or 6 of each term: 22 January, 26 February, 3 April, 7 May, 11 June, 16 July, 20 August, 25 September, 29 October, 3 December

*For students on TAFE pathways only in Terms 2, 4 & 5.
Teachers and teaching resources

North Metropolitan TAFE’s English language teachers are friendly, highly qualified and experienced. As well as having excellent language teaching skills, they have expertise in particular skill areas such as pronunciation, grammar, listening and note taking, research skills etc.

Teachers at North Metropolitan TAFE use a combination of modern teaching methodologies to support the students in their learning. They use practical and authentic materials and practice a learner-centred approach. Teaching programs are adjusted to suit the needs of the individual students in class and to ensure student progress is consistent.

Classes at North Metropolitan TAFE’s International English Language Centre are compliant with Australian government ELICOS standards. North Metropolitan TAFE also meets (Australian) NEAS requirements and follows quality procedures.

Fully accredited ELICOS centre

The ELICOS centre has the following accreditation and memberships:

Accredited by NEAS Australia for the provision of the highest quality English language teaching programs.

English Australia (EA) membership: the peak professional body for all accredited English language (ELICOS) centres in Australia.
**Self-access**

**Why study outside the class is important**

Study outside the classroom is an essential part of language learning and preparing for study in North Metropolitan TAFE’s courses. Students are therefore expected to do homework every day in their own time in order to:

- improve their understanding of the English language
- develop their communication skills
- prepare for assignments and examinations
- develop responsibility for their own progress in learning English

**Extra help from teachers**

At North Metropolitan TAFE we believe it is important to provide students with opportunities to get help from teachers outside the class. Therefore North Metropolitan TAFE schedules 4 extra hours of tutorial time every week with teachers so students can:

- Ask for help with homework
- Practice listening and conversation skills in a range of fun activities
- Get help with assignments (this is very important for students in English for Academic Purposes courses)
- Practice taking reading, writing, and listening tests (this is very important for students in IELTS Plus courses)

**Clarity online self-study suite**

Students studying in ELICOS have access while on campus to a range of on-line self study activities from Clarity English. The suite of activities includes:

- Active reading
- Clear pronunciation 1 (Sounds)
- Clear pronunciation 2 (Speech)
- Practical writing
- Road to IELTS V2 (Academic Module)
- Study skills success V9
- Study skills success V11
- Tense buster

**Library**

Students can use a wide variety of self-study materials in North Metropolitan TAFE’s excellent library, including reading books specially designed for students learning English, vocabulary and grammar exercise books, newspapers and magazines, and IELTS practice tests.
Student activities
The social activities program at North Metropolitan TAFE is called 'Boomerang', and through this program you can participate in cultural, sporting and social activities with students from all over the world. Whether it’s a BBQ in Kings Park or a trip to Rottnest Island, you will have unforgettable memories to take home with you. For all students, activities are a wonderful way to make friends, practise English and have loads of fun!

Support services
Counselling
North Metropolitan TAFE has two International Student Counsellors that can provide support for personal issues, study advice and settlement in a new culture.

Airport reception
Airport pickup can be arranged at a cost of $130. Students will be taken directly to their homestay family or temporary accommodation. Please contact AHN: homestaynetwork.org to organise this service.

A taxi from the airport to central Perth costs approximately $50. An airport bus costs approximately $20, and can drop passengers at central city hotels.

Please note: Airport pick up is compulsory for students under 18.
Accommodation during your studies

There are a variety of accommodation options available to international students studying in Western Australia including:

> Temporary Accommodation
> Rental Accommodation
> Campus Living
> Homestay

Be sure to arrive well in advance of your course commencing to secure good accommodation, as per the date stated on your student visa.

Temporary accommodation

Temporary accommodation may be a good option for when you first arrive in Western Australia. There is a range of temporary accommodation on offer in Perth, which you can search for through the internet and book online. There are many backpacker hostels or budget hotels to choose from that range from $30–$150 AUD per night depending on whether you require shared or single rooms.

Rental accommodation

Many students choose to share a rental house or apartment with other students as this reduces costs. The average rental price for a furnished room in share accommodation is around $160 per week but can range from $70 - $250 per week. This cost does not usually include electricity, water or gas.

Some useful websites to search for rental accommodation are:

> realestate.com.au
> reiwa.com.au
> domain.com.au
> flatmates.com.au

You can also look in local newspapers such as The West Australian or The Sunday Times, where a large range of rentals are advertised. The International Student Centre at North Metropolitan TAFE may be able to provide assistance in identifying suitable accommodation in one of the local suburbs.

Accommodation checklist

> Make sure you have read and understood the terms and conditions of any tenancy agreement before you sign.
> If you pay a security deposit, make sure you obtain a receipt
Accommodation during your studies (cont.)

Campus living

The Edith Cowan University (ECU) Village Mt Lawley is a short distance from the North Metropolitan TAFE's Mt Lawley campus. Rooms start from $197 per person per week.

Please note this accommodation is only available to students over 18 years old. If you are under 18 years old please see the section below for Under-age Students.

For more information please visit the website tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/accommodation

Homestay

Homestay allows students to live with an Australian family. This is very popular because you can make Australian friends, embrace the Australian lifestyle and improve your English. Homestay costs between $275-$310 per week, depending on your age and level of service provided. There is also a Homestay placement fee of $250.

Bookings must be made at least two weeks in advance. Late bookings will incur additional fees.

Homestay options are:

- Full service > $310 per week, includes 3 meals per day
- Half service > $275 per week, includes 2 meals per day

The fee also includes laundry, snacks, electricity and gas. For more information about Homestay and to make a booking, contact Australian Homestay Network (AHN) at homestaynetwork.org

Under-age students

All applicants can study at TAFE in the calendar year they are turning 18. For students under 18 years of age, once AHN has identified a Homestay family they will give these details to TAFE International Western Australia (TIWA), who will issue the Welfare Letter the student will need to include in their student visa application.

Sometimes parents have relatives or friends in Perth that they would like their child (under 18) to live with. For this to be approved parents need to provide evidence of a long-term family relationship with the proposed hosts. AHN will need to visit the home and ensure it is suitable and appropriate for the child, and all adults living in the home are required to provide Working with Children and Police Criminal Screening checks. This arrangement will need to be registered with AHN and fees do apply.

Please see the website for more information for under-age students tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/under-18
Budgeting

Students should arrive in Perth with at least $1,000 and have access to another $2,000 during their first few weeks for expenses associated with organising housing. Funds may be needed to pay bond on rental accommodation or for other services.

Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

All international students studying in Australia are required to pay Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) for the entire duration of their student visa. TIWA will only process payments for Bupa. TIWA can arrange your cover for you. If you wish to use another provider, you will need to make your own payment arrangements and show evidence of the payment to immigration when you apply for your visa.

The following table gives you a guide as to the cost of cover effective 1 February 2018 (subject to change).

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- Cover for you only.
- Cover for you and your partner.
- Cover for you, your partner and your children under 18 years of age if they live with you in Australia.

More information about Bupa OSHC can be found at: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/healthcover

Additional costs

Additional study costs can vary for each student. Some courses have resource fees that need to be paid direct to the college. These are listed under each course in this guide. Students should also budget for other costs like material fees, equipment, photocopying, stationery and text books.

Employment

You may decide to find a part-time job, to increase your income and gain work experience. Your international student visa allows you to work while you are in Australia. Generally, international students are allowed to work up to 40 hours per fortnight during each semester and unlimited hours during semester breaks.

You may be able to earn $15-$20 per hour depending upon skills and experience, but you should not rely on these earnings to pay tuition fees. You can discuss work options with the International Student Coordinator after you have started your course so that you can assess them in relation to your course commitments and workload.

Sample weekly budget (AUD)

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What can I study after I finish my English language course?

Students can select from a wide range of courses at Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma level.

**Study areas to choose from**

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ELICOS and TAFE course studies can be packaged. To view the full range of TAFE courses available visit the website: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/courses

**TAFE to university packaging**

If you are considering studying an undergraduate degree after your TAFE program, you have the option of packaging that course with Curtin University, Edith Cowan University (ECU), Murdoch University or the University of Western Australia (UWA).

You can commence a Diploma, Advanced Diploma or Associate Degree pathway with TAFE and, on completion, transfer to your chosen university to complete your degree program. When you apply for a packaged program you will receive a student visa for the whole period of your study.

Packaged programs ‘lock’ you into a university and a degree program and it is difficult to change your university and visa subclass once you have commenced. It is important that you discuss your options with an approved TIWA agent before making a decision to package your program.

Please note: To submit an application for a university package you must use a Registered Agent of the relevant University and TIWA. Your agent will assist you with the packaged application and guide you through the visa process. A list of Education Agents in your country can be viewed at tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/agents

Packages can only be arranged at the time of application.
English language requirements for entry to TAFE programs

TIWA accepts a range of tests and evidence of English language equivalency for entry into TAFE courses.

For entry into most Certificate, Diploma and Advanced Diploma courses, TIWA requires the equivalent of an IELTS (academic) score of 5.5 with no band score less than 5. However, please note that some courses require higher levels of English for entry. Details can be found at: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/courses

For entry into Associate Degree courses, the equivalent of an IELTS (academic) score of 6.0 with no band score less than 5.5 is required.

Where a recognised English Test score is not available students may be able to sit the TIWA English Language Placement Test which will indicate how long they may need to study English in order to meet the required English language level.

For the full list of tests and evidence of English language equivalency that are accepted, please visit the TIWA website: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/english-requirements

Please note TIWA reserves the right to require any student, whose actual English performance is found not to be consistent with the IELTS scores they presented with their Application form, to sit an independent English test as determined by TIWA.

Please note the IELTS test is only valid for 2 years.

Approximate weeks of ELICOS to achieve required IELTS equivalent (depending on individual band score)

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Application Procedure

1. Find a course
You can choose from over 200 TAFE courses. Visit the online course catalogue at tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/courses.

2. Check the entry requirements
All applicants can study at TAFE in the calendar year they are turning 18. There are no English or Academic entry requirements to begin our English (ELICOS) programs. However, all of our Certificate and Diploma courses have specific Academic and English proficiency requirements. You can find out about these requirements by going to the TAFE International Western Australia (TIWA) website tafeinternational.wa.edu.au.

Make sure that you can meet the entry requirements of your chosen course before you proceed to the next step in the application process.

Application + Acceptance Deadlines

Deadlines for submitting applications to TIWA for admission to TAFE courses depend on your passport nationality and whether or not students are applying on or offshore.

Students should also be aware that there are deadlines for accepting offers and making fee payment. CoEs will not be issued after the cut-off date, this is to ensure that students leave a reasonable time to get their visa and arrive in time for orientation and the start of classes.

Visit the website for information on important dates and deadlines: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au.

3. Submit your application
You can apply to study at a TAFE college by completing your application online at tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/apply.

You can apply directly to TIWA or you can apply through one of our approved education agents. You pay the same fees whether you apply directly to us or through one of our education agents.

Many students choose to apply directly, especially as they can use this guide and the TIWA website to find all the information they need and submit their applications online. Other students choose to use education agents to assist them in preparing and submitting their study and visa applications. If you do not already have an agent, you can find an approved TIWA agent on our website: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/agents.

Receive your Letter of Offer

Once we have received your application and supporting documentation, we will assess your eligibility to study your selected course(s). If eligible and there are places available we will send you a ‘Letter of Offer’. This letter will be sent to you directly or through the education agent you have nominated according to your instructions on the application form.

If we have not received all of the required supporting documentation from you, for example certified copies of certificates etc. then your Letter of Offer will have conditions listed noting the information you still need to provide.

There are many high demand courses that fill up very quickly, so you should consider returning your acceptance and payment promptly.

Please note your place is subject to availability at the time of acceptance and payment.

You will also need to allow sufficient time before your course starts to obtain your visa and make arrangements to come to Western Australia. Usually at least 3 – 6 months is needed to do this.
4. Accept your offer and pay

To accept your offer, you must return your signed Letter of Acceptance with:

- Supporting documentation that you were requested to supply, in your Letter of Offer (i.e. conditions).
- Payment of your schedule of fees, as indicated on your Letter of Offer.

5. Receive your Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) and apply for your student visa

Subject to the availability of places after you have signed and returned the Letter of Acceptance, made full payment and met any conditions, we will provide you with a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) which you will need in order to apply for a student visa at the Australian High Commission or Embassy in your country.

You must have a student visa in order to enter Australia and commence your studies.

The latest and most accurate information on obtaining your student visa can be found on the Department of Immigration and Border Protection’s website: border.gov.au

If you need help obtaining your visa and other aspects of moving to Australia, which may be best provided in your own country or language, then you might like to use the services of one of our approved education agents.

6. Receive your visa and come to Australia to commence your studies

When your student visa has been granted, you are ready to come to Western Australia to begin your course. Please take note of the orientation dates for the North Metropolitan TAFE as you will be provided with important information that you need to know to successfully complete your course of study and to make the most of your time in Western Australia.

You must arrive in Australia prior to the commencement of your course or your enrolment may be deferred to the next available intake and you may have to return home.

Your enrolment

Make sure that you are familiar with the International Student Code of Conduct visit: tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/current-students/code-of-conduct

You can find other information to help you to manage your enrolment on the TIWA website including:

- changing course
- paying your fees
- semester dates
- complaints and appeals
- international student support

Visit tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/current-students

To view a copy of TIWA’s Refund Policy please visit tafeinternational.wa.edu.au/current-students/refund-policy

All TIWA refunds will be made in accordance with the refund table and conditions contained within this policy.