



**Engaging. Enriching. Empowering.**

## English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

(CRICOS Course Code: 066513G)

**Course Duration:** 4 - 24 weeks\*

### Levels Available:

- Intermediate to upper-intermediate (12-week EAP 1)
- Upper-intermediate to advanced (12-week EAP 2)

**Study Hours:** 20 hours per week Monday to Friday (9:00am-1:35pm)

**New Intakes:** Every Monday except public holidays

\* If your IELTS test score is 5.0 or equivalent, you are advised to enrol in our EAP courses for a minimum of 12 -15 weeks.



**Educating for Excellence**

**English for Academic Purposes (EAP)** aims at preparing international students for many new challenges they will face in the English-medium universities or colleges. It is more than an English language course; it is a specialised preparation to help students create their own academic success while getting them geared up for tertiary study and life in Australia.

### Course Objectives

Students successfully graduating from our EAP program at the advanced level are equipped with a range of study skills which promotes independent learning, cooperative learning through team work and discussion, research skills, analytical and critical thinking skills while sharpening their language skills that activate the growth of students' actual and tacit knowledge. As such, students will be able to perform well academically and to develop an awareness of the academic culture of English-speaking universities.

\* Depending on your current English ability, you may enrol in our EAP programs up to 24 weeks to suit your personal learning needs and study goals.

**For further information, please contact**

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## Entry Requirements

To enter our English for Academic Purposes 1 (EAP 1), students need to meet one of the requirements below for direct entry.

- an intermediate level of General English or above
- successful completion of English for High School Preparation at the intermediate level

## Free Placement Tests

New students sit the placement tests which are used 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.

## Pathways

Upon successful completion of our English for Academic Purposes (EAP 2 at Advanced level), students will be ready to progress to Certificate IV, diploma or degree courses at Australian colleges or universities.\*

\* Other conditions may apply which may include your previous academic history and others.

## Apply Now!

1. Download the Application Form for enrolment from our website.
2. Complete it and then send it to us by email, fax or mail.

[www.idealcollege.com.au](http://www.idealcollege.com.au)

## Course Contents

At Australian Ideal College, we offer two levels of EAP courses specifically designed to prepare you for tertiary studies. Using task-based activities and approaches, our EAP courses

- concentrate on academic skills needed for listening, speaking, reading and writing
- enable you to acquire more advanced grammar, vocabulary, English for the internet age, learner independence and study skills required in higher education or university courses in Australia



*Task-based activities for group work*

## Other Key Academic Skills and Areas Taught

Our EAP courses are also carefully structured to teach essential academic English skills in the following key areas.



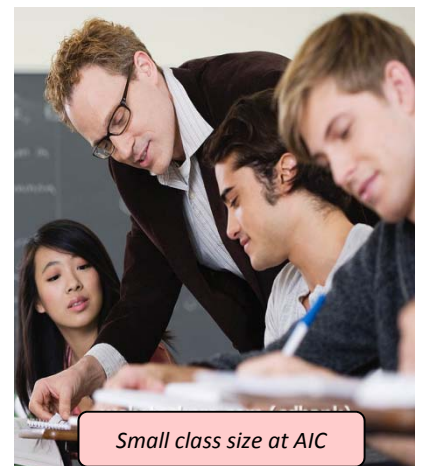
*Developing critical analysis skills*

- oral presentation skills
- essay writing
- report writing
- critical analysis
- analytical thinking skills
- research skills
- listening and note taking skills in lectures
- evaluating primary and secondary resources/data
- time management techniques

## 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 EAP program is effectively delivered through:

- Our preferred small class size
- Task-based activities for pair/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 interactions and group discussions
- 20 contact hours a week inclusive of face-to-face classroom interactions, student presentations, practical exercises and guided excursions



*Small class size at AIC*