

GEN5

# Courses for Adults

IELTS Examination  
Course



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## Overview

The Examination Course is designed to prepare students for the IELTS Examination Course.

The IELTS Examination Course is available on an ongoing basis, subject to the minimum level required.

## Timetable

**Monday - Friday mornings**

Group Tuition

**09:00 - 11:00:** Teacher - Grammar and Use of Language, Specific preparation in examination skills

**11:00 - 11:30:** mid-morning break

**11:30 - 13:30:** Teacher - Speaking, Listening and writing Skills specific to the examination

Additional material is provided during the weeks leading up to the examination. Supervised afternoon study sessions are also available for all students once a week.

## Tuition Hours

20 x 60 minute group lessons = 20 hours' group tuition per week.

## Levels

All the Examination Courses are only available subject to a minimum number of 6 participants for each level.

**We cannot accept students for any examination course until we have confirmed that they are at an appropriate level to join the class.**



## Textbooks

We use the most up-to date textbooks and teaching materials. Textbooks are not included in the course fee. Students can purchase textbooks from the school or from recommended bookstores in the city centre. Textbooks cost approximately €50. We can include the cost of a first book in your invoice on request.

## Availability

Please check availability with the Institute before confirming any courses. Once the booking is confirmed students can begin their course on the fixed start dates.



## What is included in the course fee?

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Written and oral placement test

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Tuition (60 minutes per lesson)

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Student engagement platform & app (GELnet)

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Use of multi-media facilities and free WiFi

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Ongoing support and monitoring by class teachers and Director of Studies

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Regular seminars such as “Living and Working in Ireland” and “CV Preparation and Interviews”

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Rich and varied Social Programme

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Diploma on completion of course with personalised report

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Welcome Kit Welcome Pack with ECI Student ID Card, an information handout and ECI Social Programme for that week



**We have many years of experience in preparing students for IELTS.**

If you are new to IELTS we run introductory courses. We help you to become familiar with the exam, taking you through it step-by-step, give regular feedback and personal advice on your progress, and students are professionally guided using real exam materials. We also run more advanced courses for students who have already studied for the IELTS exam and are trying to attain high scores.

**This course trains you in academic English**, so it is an ideal preparation course to do before you go on to do an undergraduate course, Master's degree or PhD. The course itself focuses on what is most necessary at university, in terms of writing, listening, reading and speaking, and puts you in a strong position to do well on an English language course at university.

However, the IELTS academic preparation course **is not only useful for university, it also prepares students to have a more professional level of English for their work or daily life.** It takes your English up to the next level, giving you the ability to do well in an English-speaking context.

Brian (Emerald Cultural Institute  
IELTS Tutor)



"Preparing for the IELTS was one of the best choices I made when I first came to Ireland. The course allowed me to successfully enter both the work and academic environments, in a way that wouldn't have been possible otherwise. The teachers understood my challenges and helped me facing them. Studying in the Emerald premises also helped me socialise and challenge my English, going out of my cultural comfort zone".

Rita, Italy

