



# **Intensive IELTS Holiday Programme**

12 - 18 December 2021

Sit for the official IELTS exam immediately after 6-days of lectures, practice assessments and drills.



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## **Programme Details**

: 12 - 18 December 2021 Date Age : 14 years old and above

Price : RM 4, 000

Format:

Eight hours per day of immersive and practice over six teaching days followed by the official IELTS examination on the last day of the programme

# Who is this programme for?

This course is suitable for students wanting to focus and complete their IELTS examination as a pre-requisite for their university applications. Students will be shown a step-by-step method to answer different type of questions that are essential. The focus of this course will ensure that students are fully aware of the structure of the examination while providing effective revision, techniques and tips in the shortest time possible.

## What is included?

- Official IELTS Examination
- Sport Activities & Facilities
- Progress Test & Answers
- Full Boarding Including 3 Daily Meals
- Course Materials
- High-Speed Broadband



# Day Focus on Benchmarking & Introduction

01

The day will begin with acclimatising students to the Epsom campus, moving into their respective rooms, and a tour of all the facilities you will be able to utilise throughout your stay on the campus. This will be followed by lunch and an entry test to be able to set the bar for the remainder of the course - where you are at this point, and where we need to get to along with the effort that will be required. A briefing on the overall structure of the test, and the format of drills that we will be doing in order to help you reach your goal.

# Day Focus on Learning Needs and Speaking

02

Students will take part in speaking tasks and activities designed to maximise your score across all four assessment criteria: Fluency and Coherence, Lexical Resource, Grammatical Range and Accuracy, and Pronunciation. Additionally, all students registering for this course will have access to a mock speaking test conducted I-to-I with one of our expert IELTS teachers. This will give students the opportunity to practise the speaking test under real conditions, and receive individual feedback on your performance.

# Day Focus on Listening

03

Students will be equipped with listening strategies such as predicting information, identifying synonyms and antonyms and dealing with distracting information, in order to correctly answer all IELTS Listening question types. Listening is a skill very few master, so students will practise 5 different assessments to master this technique.

# Day Focus on Writing Task I

04

Students will learn to answer the different types of Task I questions, learn how to identify key features and learn how to plan, organise and paragraph your responses including how to write overviews, introductions and conclusions and the perfect body paragraphs. We will breakdown the techniques and strategy for over five different types of sample responses. The goal is to familiarise yourself with the structure, and the criteria of the examiners.



# Day Focus on Reading

Students will learn how to apply reading skills such as skimming, scanning, and techniques such as identifying synonyms and antonyms to tackle all IELTS Reading question types. Learn the importance of speed reading and get tips to maximise your reading score. Students will learn about the format and requirements for the IELTS Reading papers including strategies for reading successfully.

## Day Focus on Writing Task 2

Students will learn how to fully respond to the Task 2 prompt in order to achieve the success criteria. Thus, improving their organisation, grammar, and vocabulary marks. Students will learn about the format and requirements for the writing papers, including strategies for reading successfully and constructing high-quality essays that focus on the 5 main types of questions. This will be combined with practice tests, in addition to reading and writing tasks.

# Day IELTS Exam Day

A full-day exam conducted with the British Council at Epsom College! At the end of the day, you check out, and wait for your results.



# **Wendy Jones**

Programme Director, Deputy Headteacher - Academic

# Director's Message

IELTS is an examination where technique, structure, and familiarity are key to success. Having taught in many different schools and being an official IELTS examiner, I have been able to curate a highly accurate set of tips and strategies to ensure students are able to effectively improve. Looking forward to having each and every one of you at the Intensive IELTS Holiday Programme!

### **OVERVIEW**

Day I Benchmark Exam & Introduction

Day 2 Intensive Speaking Programme

Day 3 Intensive Listening Programme

Day 4 Task I Writing & Assessments

Day 5 Intensive Reading Programme

Day 6 Task 2 Writing & Assessments

## YOUR TYPICAL DAY AT EPSOM

Official IELTS Exam

Day 7

## **Morning Session**

8:00 am - 9:00 am Breakfast
9:00 am - 10:00 am Lecture
10:00 am - 11:00 am Group Activity
11:00 am - 12:00 pm Assessment
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Lunch

## Afternoon Session

## **Evening Session**

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Sports
7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner & Refreshment
8:00 pm - 10:00 pm Preparation Activity
10:00 pm - 11:00 pm Free Time
11:30 pm Lights Out

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Students will be allocated single or twin rooms in one of our six boarding houses. All rooms are fully furnished, air-conditioned, and have heated showers. At night, students can look forward to enjoy relaxing with a game of pool, foosball, board games, or even games on our PS4s that are readily available in all houses.



### DINING

Three buffet-style meals shall be provided alongside refreshments throughout the day. An all-day cafe and grab-and-go is also available to meet hunger pangs outside of mealtimes. Students will be provided with a wide selection of cuisines from all over the world so they can focus on your IELTS exam preparation.



## **SPORTS & FACILITIES**

During the evenings, participants will have full use world-class athletic and leisure facilities across Epsom's 50-acre campus. Enjoy tennis, football, squash, badminton, swimming, or even a jog in the evening.

