

# 2012



## Language Specialists INTERNATIONAL

### English Language Courses

LSI's English language courses are designed, above all, to be practical, effective and enjoyable! You will not only improve your confidence and fluency in speaking, listening and understanding, but also extend your knowledge of grammar and vocabulary. You can also choose to prepare for an internationally-recognised examination or to take some additional individual one-to-one training to focus on your special needs.

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#### Course Options

- **Option 1:** *General English Course*
- **Option 2:** *Intensive General English Course*
- **Option 3:** *General English IELTS Examination Course:*
- **Option 4:** *General English Plus One-to-One Course*
- **Option 5:** *General English Plus Business English Course*
- **Option 6:** *Combination Course 50% General English 50% One-to-One*



# Excellent value for money & scholarships!

**Non-Summer Period:** Very special tuition fees apply in the Non-Summer Period which is from Tuesday 3rd January to Friday 8th June and Monday 3rd September to Friday 21st December 2012

**Summer Period:** Our summer period is from Monday 11th June to Friday 31st August 2012

**Scholarship Offer:** All year, students will also get **one free week** of tuition for every **10 weeks** they book & pay for.

Course Options	Course Fees		Special Features: In all options, one study hour = 60 minutes
	Non-Summer	Summer	
<b>Option 1:</b> <i>General English Course</i>	<b>£185</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£210</b> <i>per week</i>	22½ study hours per week: 17½ contact teaching hours plus 5 hours of optional self-access study (maximum 12 students per group)
<b>Option 2:</b> <i>Intensive General English Course</i>	<b>£235</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£270</b> <i>per week</i>	30 study hours per week: 17½ hours in General English group plus 7½ hours in Intensive General English group (maximum 10 students per group) plus 5 hours of optional self-access.
<b>Option 3:</b> <i>General English IELTS Examination Course</i>	<b>£235</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£270</b> <i>per week</i>	30 study hours per week: 12½ hours in General English group plus 12½ hours in Examination group (maximum 10 students per group) plus 5 hours of optional self-access.
<b>Option 4:</b> <i>General English Plus One-to-One Course</i>	<b>£410</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£420</b> <i>per week</i>	27½ study hours per week: 17½ hours in General English group plus 5 hours of Individual One-to-One tuition plus 5 hours of optional self-access study.
<b>Option 5:</b> <i>General English Plus Business English Course</i>	<b>£470</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£470</b> <i>per week</i>	30 study hours per week: 12½ hours in General English group plus 12½ hours in Small Business group (maximum four students per group) plus 5 hours of self-access. For this option, students should have a starting level of lower-intermediate or above and minimum age of 25.
<b>Option 6:</b> <i>Combination course 50% General English Plus 50% One-to-One</i>	<b>£735</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£735</b> <i>per week</i>	30 study hours per week: 12½ hours in General English group plus 12½ hours Individual One-to-One tuition plus 5 hours per week of optional self-access study.
<b>Homestay Accommodation</b>	<b>£115</b> <i>per week</i>	<b>£120</b> <i>per week</i>	To gain maximum exposure to the language, we encourage students to stay with one of our carefully selected English Homestays. Homestay Accommodation is on Half Board Basis (breakfast and dinner during the week, all meals at the weekend). Students normally arrive at their Homestays on Sunday and leave their Homestays on Saturday. At LSI, we are proud of our ability to recruit the very best homestays; this is helped by the fact that, in this beautiful and historic city of 200,000 people, there is only other one accredited language school.
<b>IMPORTANT NOTE:</b> Where a student's course dates include tuition weeks which are in both the Non-Summer and the Summer periods, then the Non-Summer tuition fee will apply to the Non-Summer weeks and the Summer tuition fee will apply to the Summer weeks.			
<b>Registration Fee:</b>	<b>£60</b> This is non-refundable		
<b>Airport Taxi Transfer:</b>	Heathrow or Gatwick Airport Southampton Eastleigh Airport		On Arrival: £120 / On arrival and departure: £190 On Arrival: £50 / On arrival and departure: £90
<b>Starting Dates:</b>	The minimum course duration is two weeks. General English courses start on every Monday - EXCEPT - 2nd January, 9th April, 7th May, 4th June and 27th August 2012 - these are Bank Holiday Mondays, and in these weeks courses start on the Tuesday. Good Friday 6th April is also a holiday. LSI will be closed from Friday 21th of December 2012 and re-open Tuesday 7th of January 2013.		

# Key Information

## Option 3: "General English IELTS Examination" Course

At LSI, students can choose to prepare for the following internationally-recognised English language examinations:

**The IELTS test:** The International English Language Testing System. This is the key language qualification which is required for entry into British, Australian (and many American) universities and colleges of higher education. LSI is one of the few private language schools to have been accredited by the British Council as an official testing centre. We usually hold two examinations per month. At LSI, students can be given their exam results 13 working days later. We can also assist and give advice to students with their university applications. In 2012, the cost of the IELTS exam is £125 in addition to the tuition fee. Please indicate on the Registration Form if you would like to take the IELTS test while you are at LSI and choose the test date you would like from the dates below:

IELTS Exam dates 2012:

**Academic Module:** 21 January, 4 February, 18 February, 10 March, 31 March, 14 April, 28 April, 12 May, 26 May, 9 June, 16 June, 30 June, 7 July, 21 July, 4 August, 25 August, 1 September, 15 September, 13 October, 8 November, 1 December, 8 December.

**General Training Module:** 21 January, 18 February, 10 March, 31 March, 12 May, 26 May, 9 June, 30 June, 21 July, 4 August, 25 August, 1 September, 13 October, 8 November, 1 December, 8 December.

- The main focus of the Option 3 "General English plus Examination" course is on preparation for the IELTS examination. Students who wish to prepare for one of the Cambridge Examinations will need to take the Option 4 General English Plus One-to-One Course in which the 1-1 component focuses entirely on Cambridge preparation.

Cambridge University Examinations: (1) PET - Preliminary English Test (2) FCE - First Certificate in English (3) CAE - Cambridge Advanced English (4) CPE - Cambridge Proficiency in English

## Option 5: "General English Plus Business English" Course

**The programme** The programme is divided into two parts; students spend half of their day (12.5 hours) in a General English Group and the other half day in a 'Small Business Group' which consists of a MAXIMUM of FOUR professional people from different companies. For this option, students should have a starting level of lower-intermediate or above and a minimum age of 25. The half-day Business English component is designed to improve communicative performance in a wide range of professional, business and commercial contexts and may include the language of meetings, negotiations, making presentations, dealing with numerical data, telephoning, socialising & entertaining, fax, e-mail, letter & report writing.

## Special Features for 2012

- **Scholarships and Extra Reductions** outside of the summer months!
- **The IELTS Examination** is fast becoming one of the most important internationally-recognised English language qualifications available - LSI has been an official IELTS testing centre since 1995 - you can receive specialist training in the exam skills required and then take the exam at the school on one of our fortnightly test dates -and- receive your results and certificate while you are still at the school.
- **LSI's excellent Self-Access Centre** has been further upgraded so that our suite of computers are now all instantly connected to the internet via ADSL and we have free WIFI internet connection throughout our building.
- **Our Social & Recreation programme** now includes late afternoon and evening activities on just about every day of the week. Moreover, students can now use the sports facilities of the university gym & health club and the local swimming pool.
- **Academic Placement and Advice** as an IELTS Testing Centre, LSI maintains strong links with a number of British universities & Colleges of Further Education and are able to help with advice on applications procedures & placement for both Undergraduate & Post-graduate courses in Britain.
- **Work Experience and Internship Programmes** LSI can help to arrange high quality (unpaid) Work Experience & Internship placements in a wide range of professional and vocational fields, varying in duration from 4 weeks to 1 year. All placements offer the UCLES Work Experience Certificate as an option. Please contact us for more detailed information.



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