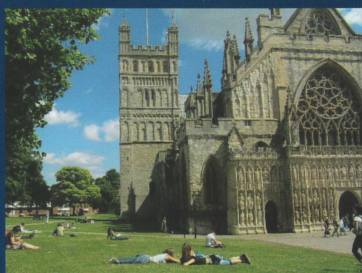


# EXETER ACADEMY

## ENGLISH COURSES for Adults Only



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# Welcome to Exeter Academy



Hi, I'm Andy Bungay

## WELCOME

We are all passionate about providing the best service and ensuring you get the most from your stay with us whether you are studying for pleasure, for exams, for business or as a retired person.

Since 1978 Exeter Academy has developed a name for quality, friendliness, individual attention and flexibility.

Our modern school is in a traditional building with gardens, beautiful views of the countryside and coast and the lovely city of Exeter, a perfect place to study.

We have excellent accommodation within walking distance of the school and our excursion programme is free of charge all year.

Andy Bungay

BSc., Cambridge RSA Dip. TEFLA

Principal



“Everything was perfect!”  
Rolf, Business student, France



“It's been brilliant!”  
Solitwong, Thailand



“Yeah! I'm so happy with my results!”  
Margit, Germany









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“ I love Exeter. It is a beautiful city,  
clean and quiet, and there are  
lots of things to do. ”

Valentina G. (Italy)



**Exeter Academy is the ideal place  
to study English**

- Quality courses
- High degree of exam success
- Varied choice of programmes
- Lovely facilities
- Relaxing study environment
- Welcoming accommodation
- No transport problems

**The city of Exeter has a 2000  
year history and culture**

- Beautiful countryside and coasts
- River and Quayside
- Theatre, cinema, festivals
- Pubs, clubs, nightlife
- Golf, football, watersports
- Walking, cycling, riding
- Boutiques and other shopping



photo courtesy of Devon County Council

Exeter

History

Arts

Shopping

Nature

Sports

Business

Culture

Theatres

Restaurants

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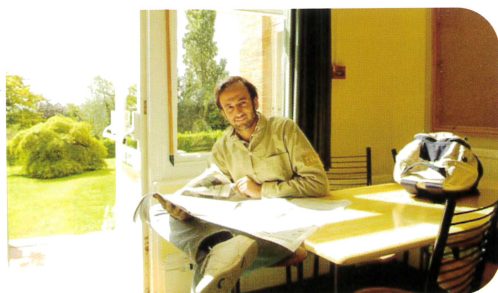
minimum age 18

## FACILITIES

The facilities at Exeter Academy are modern and comfortable and are constantly being upgraded. We have an excellent coffee bar and lounge and a table football room. Free WiFi internet and email access is available from workstations located in the coffee bar. There are well equipped and comfortably furnished classrooms both for one-to-one teaching and group lessons.

We also have video rooms and private study and listening facilities.

Exeter Academy aims to provide the highest quality English Language courses to adult learners together with the opportunity to study in a relaxed, friendly environment and in beautiful surroundings.





“A really friendly school. I have already been at the school twice and I want to come again next year.”

Javier B. (Spain)

## THE ACADEMY

The school occupies a large Victorian Villa in a quiet residential area of the city. It is located close to Exeter University and to the city centre and has wonderful views across Exeter to the sea and to Dartmoor National Park. Here you will be able to study undisturbed by traffic noise.

We are a small school (maximum 60 students, average 40 students) and accept adults only. The average age of our students is 30. We do not normally accept groups of students so there is a good mixture of nationalities in the school. On average there are 10-15 nationalities at one time.



At Exeter Academy the emphasis is on personal care and flexibility. All the staff will do everything possible to make sure your experience here is better than you expected, and you'll want to return again. (Many of our students do!).

High Quality English Language Courses

Beautiful Situation

Maximum 60 students

Adults only

Personal Care and Attention

Excellent facilities

Free WiFi Internet and email

Private study facilities



# COURSES TO SATISFY EVERYONE'S NEEDS

## GENERAL ENGLISH COURSES

- Suitable for exam and non-exam students
- 21 hours per week
- 3 sessions per day (Friday, 2 sessions)
- Equal focus on Grammar/Structure, Reading, Writing, Vocabulary, Listening & Speaking
- Students can be placed at different levels for different skills (for details, please see 'Procedure').
- Homework given regularly
- Student progress monitored continuously
- Great deal of individual attention - your progress is a priority
- From 1 week to 1 year plus
- Start any Monday
- Maximum of 12 students per class, average 8.
- Self-study centre and library to support studies
- Certificate given at the end of course

## EXAMINATION COURSES

- IELTS, Cambridge CAE, FCE, PET.
- Students follow the General English programme.
- Can start at any time - exam classes not closed
- BEC, TOEFL, TOEIC (Booked as combination courses - see 'Combination Courses').





“I had an excellent course and what I learnt at Exeter Academy has helped me a lot in my studies and my job.”

Stefan V. (Switzerland)

### COMBINATION COURSES

(General Courses + one-to-one lessons)

- Held throughout the year.
- Courses range from 21-30 hours per week.
- Offer an excellent mixture of group and one-to-one lessons.
- Different courses can be combined e.g Week 1 Early bird, Week 2 C1, Week 3 General English.

### ONE TO ONE COURSES

- Held throughout the year.
- Courses range from 15-30 hours per week.
- Taught by teams of 2, 3 or 4 teachers.
- General English, Social English and English for Business all provided and designed to fit your personal language needs.
- Suitable for those with limited time at their disposal.



## INDIVIDUAL TUITION AND COMBINATION COURSES

The individual lessons in One-to-One and Combination Courses provide tuition planned specifically for your personal, professional or academic requirements.



They can cover business (telephoning, presentations, reports etc.), literature, technical language – you decide.

These classes are also useful for students wishing to make extra progress with either an exam preparation or an area in which they are experiencing difficulties.

If you enrol for a Combination Course or a One-to-One Course we will ask you to send us as much information as possible about your language needs at least two weeks before you arrive. This will help us plan your course and it will also ensure that you get maximum benefit from your stay.

Multi Skill System

Average class size 8

Start any Monday

Open all year

Talented Teachers

General English courses

Examination courses

Summer courses

Business courses



# COURSES PLANNED FOR INDIVIDUAL NEEDS

## PROCEDURE

On your first day in class you will be given an entry test and then placed in a class according to your language level. Our special multi-skill/multi-level system allows you to be in a different class for each separate skill: grammar, reading & writing and listening & speaking. At the end of your course you will be given a Certificate of Attendance showing the level of English attained. On all courses the minimum age is 18.

We don't usually accept low level beginners onto general courses but we can offer individual tuition until you are ready to join the general class.

### Multi-level multi-skill system

Exeter Academy has a special teaching system which allows each student to be in the most suitable class for:

- grammar
- speaking and listening
- reading, writing and vocabulary

STUDENTS CAN BE AT DIFFERENT LEVELS FOR ANY OF THESE SKILLS; e.g. level 2 GRAMMAR and WRITING, level 1 SPEAKING.



## TEACHERS AND TEACHING

All of our teachers are experienced and qualified and use a mixture of authentic and original materials together with published courses. We place equal emphasis on the four language skills: reading, writing, listening and speaking – and each class is taught by a team of three or four teachers, each one responsible for a different language skill.

The whole course is co-ordinated by The Director of Studies/Principal.

A teachers' meeting is held every week to assess the progress of every student; those who are making rapid progress can move to a higher class and those who are finding the work too difficult can move to an easier level.

Sample timetable for General English, Examination & Summer Courses

DAY	9.30 - 11.00	11.30 - 1.00	2.00 - 3.30	3.45 - 5.15	EVENING
MONDAY	Grammar/	Reading	Listening	Self-access	Summer evening excursion
TUESDAY	Structural	Comprehension	Comprehension and Speaking	Centre and Video rooms	
WEDNESDAY	Work and	and	Skills	open	
THURSDAY	Writing	Vocabulary			
FRIDAY	Skills	Expansion	Self-access facilities open		
SATURDAY	Full day excursion				



“I was very pleased with my Combination Course because in the one-to-one lessons the teacher helped me with all my personal language problems.”

Roberto M. (Argentina)

## ONE-TO-ONE

Our one-to-one courses are extremely useful for anyone who has particular language requirements, for example for work or academic interest. We have had a wide range of one-to-one students who have had a variety of different language requirements, for example, business, banking, finance, translation, literature, politics and technology, from a variety of different companies including UBS, Nokia and Esab Sweden.

## COMBINATION

Courses C.1. and C.2. are often selected by those who need a few hours a week only of individual lessons to work on their personal language problems, or by those who need extra tuition for examination preparation or specialist English. Courses C.4., C.5. and C.6. are normally selected by those who have limited time at their disposal and who want an intensive individual course but with a few hours per week of group lessons.

Sample timetable for Combination Course C.2.

DAY	9.30 - 11.00	11.30 - 1.00	2.00 - 3.30	3.45 - 5.15	EVENING
MONDAY	Group lessons	Group lessons	Group lessons	One-to-One lessons concentrating on student's language needs. For example: telephoning, presentation skills, social English, exam preparation	
TUESDAY	Grammar/	Reading	Listening		
WEDNESDAY	Structural	Comprehension	and		Summer evening excursion
THURSDAY	Work and	and	Speaking		
FRIDAY	Writing	Vocabulary	Skills		
	Skills	Expansion	Self-access facilities open		
SATURDAY	Full day excursion				



## EARLY BIRD

We are now offering individual tuition from 8.00am for those who prefer starting early. Your one-to-one lesson lasts for 1 hour and you will be ready to join your class when school starts at 9.30. The Early Bird also allows you to finish at 3.30 and enjoy the rest of the afternoon sightseeing, relaxing or doing homework!

One-to-one courses

Combination courses

15 - 30 hours per week

Start any Monday

Tailor-made courses

Team of 3-4 teachers

Executive courses

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# PERSONAL ATTENTION

## ACCOMMODATION

To make the most of your stay in Exeter we recommend that you choose homestay accommodation. This will give you an opportunity to practise your English and to learn about the English way of life. All our homestay families are personally selected and inspected by our Welfare Officer and all follow the English UK Homestay Code of Practice and we add a little bit extra too!

We offer three levels of accommodation:

### STANDARD:

Our standard host families offer:

- Single room accommodation - though some families can provide a double or twin-bedded room for couples.
- Full board accommodation, which includes a packed lunch on weekdays.
- All families are within walking distance of school.
- Bed linen and towels are provided.
- Light laundry is included.

### STANDARD PLUS:

We have a number of Standard Plus host families who offer a slightly higher level of accommodation, including a larger room in a two-bathroom house.

### EXECUTIVE:

Also available are a small number of Executive host families who offer high quality accommodation with a private bathroom. All these families are within walking distance of school.

Accommodation in these families is normally reserved for those students following one of our Individual or Combination courses.



## HEALTH AND INSURANCE

If you come from an EU country or a country with reciprocal medical arrangements with Britain, there is no charge to see the doctor although you will have to pay for certain medicines. This free treatment does not apply to medical conditions that existed before your arrival in UK nor does it apply to dental or optical treatment.

It is necessary that you arrange your own personal, travel and medical insurance before you arrive in England.



“My host family were wonderful and we became very good friends.  
Akiko N. (Japan) I hope to visit them again next year.”

### FREE EXCURSION/SOCIAL PROGRAMME

In the Summer Term there are two excursions/activities per week – one evening and one full day Saturday excursion. During the rest of the year there is one excursion a week. The Saturday excursions will give you a chance to visit not only parts of Devon but also other cities such as Bath and Salisbury. You will be taken on coastal and country walks and boat trips and will visit local festivals and country houses. The evening social programme includes visits to pubs, traditional 'skittles', jazz evenings, concerts etc.

A teacher accompanies each excursion so it is a good chance to get to know your teachers outside the classroom.



All excursions are FREE OF CHARGE except for entry to places visited (for example some museums, country houses and boat trips.)



Welfare Officer

Host families:

- Near school
- Regularly inspected

Hotels/Guest houses

Free excursions

Health Arrangements

Airport Transfer/  
'Meet & Greet'

Travel Information

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## TRAVEL TO EXETER

Exeter and Bristol airports are safe and convenient. From London Heathrow Airport there are frequent express buses and good train services to Exeter (journey time 2½ - 3½ hours approx).

It is very convenient to arrive at Exeter airport direct from Paris and many other European airports.

We can arrange a taxi transfer from your arrival airport and at Heathrow a meet and greet service to take you to the coach or train stations.

When you book your course we will send you full information on how to get to Exeter and your homestay family will usually meet you at your arrival station.

