



2011 Pre-Sessional Students

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## Preparation for Higher Education Students (Diploma Courses)

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## Preparation for Higher Education Students

(Foundation Diploma, Extended Diploma and Diploma in Photography)

The minimum entry requirement for a Preparation for Higher Education course is an overall IELTS score of 5.5.

The University College is therefore asking every student to obtain IELTS 5.5 with a minimum score of 5.0 in each of the 4 components (Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening) or to attend one of the General Intensive Courses at Anglo-Continental. If you cannot undertake one of Anglo-Continental's courses for a certain length of time or wish to study elsewhere, you will need to meet our recommended level of English to obtain an unconditional place.

Please note the University College accepts a range of English language tests including TOEFL and Pearson.

Both the 12 week and the 4 week General Intensive Courses are studied at our partner language school Anglo-Continental School of English. You will not have to take an IELTS test at the end of either General Intensive Course, but you are required to complete the language course successfully with good attendance, show progression of your English level, complete all homework and pass the on-going assessments.

The following charts show if you need to attend a 12 week General Intensive Course and / or the 4 week General Intensive Course.

### IELTS 5.0 (Overall Score)

If all components are at 4.5 or above Attendance and successful completion of the 4 week General Intensive Course at Anglo-Continental.

OR

Achieve IELTS 5.5 overall with a minimum of 5.0 in each of the 4 components.

### IELTS 4.5 (Overall Score)

If all components are 4.0 or above. Attendance and successful completion of the 12 week General Intensive Course at Anglo-Continental.

OR

Achieve IELTS 5.5 overall with a minimum of 5.0 in each of the 4 components.

## General Intensive Course

The General Intensive Course is designed to improve your level of English in the four main areas of reading, writing, listening and speaking, allowing you to progress to the level required for your creative course.

The 12 week and /or the 4 week General Intensive Course consists of the following:

20 lessons of structured English language tuition and practice **plus**

5 lessons of language extension activities **plus**

5 lessons of supplementary skills, including areas such as:

- Reading and writing
- English for work and study (intermediate to advanced level)
- British life and culture.

(30 lessons per week in total, one lesson = 45 minutes)

## Date, Price and Payment

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| 12 week General Intensive Course | 6th June 2012 - 24th August 2012  | £ 2,995 |
| 4 week General Intensive Course  | 30th July 2012 - 24th August 2012 | £ 1,105 |

All fees for the General Intensive Courses should be paid direct to Anglo-Continental School of English. Please see contact details at the beginning of this leaflet.

There are no discounts available.

## Accommodation

Carefully selected homestay accommodation is an established feature of Anglo-Continental, they ensure that you are comfortable and well looked after during your course. Homestay accommodation also provides a useful extension of your studies: the opportunity to practise your English outside the classroom and to benefit from total immersion in the English-speaking community. You'll learn more about British culture and the people of Great Britain - and it will make a real contribution to your progress.

Available for all students:

- A pleasantly furnished single bedroom
- Shared shower or bathroom and toilet facilities
- 16 meals per week
- A light laundry service will be provided

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| First week  | £ 155 |
| Each additional week  | £ 105 |
| High Season Supplement per week<br>(24th June –12th August) | £ 30  |

### Summary

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| Minimum overall IELTS score of 4.5 and a minimum score of 4.0 in each component | Attend the 12 week General Intensive Course at Anglo-Continental | 2 Visas needed |
| Minimum overall IELTS score of 5.0 and a minimum score of 4.5 in each component | Attend the 4 week General Intensive Course at Anglo-Continental  | 1 Visa needed  |

### Visa Requirements

#### 12 week General Intensive Course

If you have a conditional offer you will need to apply for a Tier 4 (General) Student visa with a Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies (CAS) which has been issued by Anglo-Continental for your General Intensive Course. Once you have successfully completed the 12 week English course and you are granted an unconditional offer, you will be issued a CAS by the University College. You can start your course at the University College whilst you are waiting for your second visa to be approved. Approval is dependent on meeting all of UKBA's criteria.

#### 4 week General Intensive Course

If you have accepted our unconditional offer and paid your required deposit (currently £1,500) the University College will issue a CAS to cover both your course at the University College and your English course at Anglo-Continental.

#### University College visits to Anglo-Continental School of English

All students enrolled on the General Intensive Courses at Anglo-Continental are classed as Arts University College students. The students are therefore part of the University College community from the first day of enrolment on their General Intensive Course and will have full access to the University College campus facilities.

Our International Student Adviser, Georgina Morrin, will be making frequent visits to Anglo-Continental School of English, and will arrange to see all students as a group during these visits. Georgina will be on hand to advise all students who need to make a new visa application, and will ensure that they have completed the form correctly and enclosed all the relevant documents needed for the visa application. Georgina will also be available to discuss any matters the students may have.

After the General Intensive Course at Anglo-Continental, students are invited to participate in a one day orientation event for all new overseas students. Georgina actively encourages all students to attend the orientation day, including those students who have been in the UK for the General Intensive course. This is a fantastic opportunity for all the students to meet, make new friends, and learn more about the University College, life as a student, studying a creative course and living in the UK. More details on how to attend the orientation event will be available in the future via the applicant portal and will be discussed during one of Georgina's visit to Anglo-Continental.

