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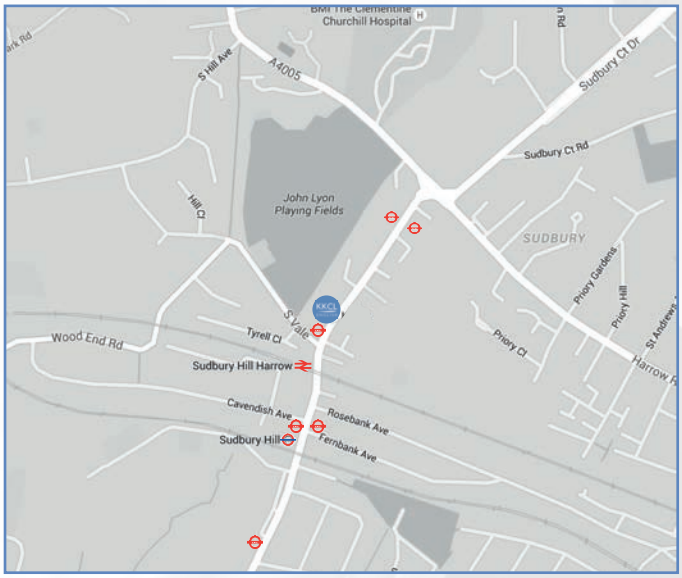

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Welcome to KKCL English

About Us

KKCL has been offering quality English classes to adults, juniors and businesses since 2002.

Throughout the last 17 years, we have been dedicated to providing quality courses to local and overseas students. We are accredited by the British Council for the teaching of English to adults and juniors in the UK. We believe strongly in the value of the teacher- that's why we select and develop teachers who have more than just qualifications. Our teachers combine a passion for education with skills and interests in a wide range of fields.

We are committed to making your learning experience practical, challenging and – most importantly – tailored to your needs, so you can benefit from lessons which are well planned, well-focused, challenging and encourage independent learning.

Our flagship school is located in a Grade II listed building in Harrow – originally a 19th-century village school house. You will find the school has excellent modern facilities, bright, cosy classrooms, a comfortable student lounge, an adjoining self-access computer room, a recording studio and our own stylish cafeteria serving a wide variety of international food. The school is less than a 5-minute walk away from the Piccadilly line into central London.

Accreditations & Memberships

Accreditation UK – The British Council

Accreditation UK is run by the British Council and English UK, and is the quality assurance scheme for the UK ELT sector.

English UK

English UK is the national association of British Council accredited language centres and the world's leading language teaching association. It issues authoritative guidelines for education and welfare to ensure that students receive the best support possible.

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Effective English Training for Adults

English is something to use, NOT to learn – why our lessons work:

Students are individuals

We develop our own syllabus, thoroughly road-tested over the years, regularly updated, and reviewed multiple times by the British Council. This has been proven to deliver more of a student-centred learning experience than following a textbook. In other words, after establishing students' individual needs, our teachers design student-centred lessons that focus on the language weaknesses and goals of the learners in the class. We aim to get as close as possible to the tailored experience of a one-to-one lesson within our group classes – a much more tailored experience than many schools can offer.

Progress is clear

From day one we build a Learner Profile for each student using our own placement test and needs analysis information. Students have weekly progress checks and regular personal tutorials with our Director of Studies, to target learning goals in a timely and precise way. Students' progress is assessed on what they can do with English as well as what they know. Each student has a personalised student portal with helpful comments from their teachers and regular tracking of their progress through the CEFR language levels, using our English Score System.

We know exams inside-out

We are a Trinity, Language Cert and TELC exam centre, with examiners as part of our staff so students can prepare for and take these exams in our school. We also offer TELC exams in fields as diverse as Business / Hotel & Restaurant / Technical English for Engineers. We work with many corporate clients including the NHS, IKEA, Sky, Red Bull, OneSubsea and many more.

General English

General English Group Classes

KEY INFORMATION	
AGE	16+
LEVEL	Beginner (A1) - Advanced (C1)
DURATION	1 week +
START DATES	Every Monday
HOURS PER WEEK	6 / 9 / 10 / 15 / 25 (All lessons are 60 minutes long)
MAX CLASS SIZE	12*
LESSON TIMES	9am-12.15pm / 1.30pm-3.30pm (Weekdays)

*Although most of the time our class size is much smaller than 12, in very rare circumstances the stated maximum class size might be exceeded. If this does happen, it will be up to 16 and for no longer than 2 days.

Doing a group General English course with us will improve your speaking, listening, reading and writing skills, focusing on your ability to communicate successfully.

We closely follow the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), and make sure your learning outcomes match these important communicative goals.

Our unique use of the TELC exam to help assess and certify our students means that we have our focus on your learning goals and guide you towards that.

The Essentials

Timetable

You can start your group General English course on any Monday during the year.

Morning Classes	Afternoon Classes	Intensive Course (5 hours per day)
09.00-10.30 Lesson	**13.30-15.30 Lesson**	**09.00-10.30 Lesson**
10.30-10.45 Break		10.30-10.45 Break
10.45-12.15 Lesson		**10.45-12.15 Lesson**
This course can be combined with extra conversation class	This course can be combined with extra conversation class	12.15-13.30 Lunch Break (lunch available in the school cafeteria)
12.30-13.30 Conversation class	**12.30-13.30 Conversation class**	**13.30-15.30 Lesson**

Your First Day

If you haven't done our online placement test before you arrive at the school, we will ask you to do a short written test to accurately determine your level. You will then be met by the Director of Studies for a short interview to decide on the most suitable class for you. A member of our staff will give you a full induction, including a tour of the school and a copy of the Student Handbook, with useful information about your course, exams, tips for learning English after class and much more, to guide you through your foreign experience.

Materials

Our syllabus is designed to be flexible, allowing our teachers to meet the student's needs no matter when they come through our doors. Content is regularly updated to include the needs of each individual student. Every lesson uses a range of resource books, workbooks, audio, video and web materials. We do not believe in limiting our students to one set of materials, so you will not have to buy a particular coursebook. All materials are included in the course fees.

Progress

During the course, your progress in all the skills will be checked weekly. Every month, you will have an individual tutorial with the Director of Studies to discuss progress, set goals and make plans for the next stage of the course. You will have your own unique Learner Profile in which the teacher tracks weekly progress and offers advice.

Certificates

Besides having the opportunity to earn a TELC certificate at the end of the course, students will also receive a KKCL certificate with a statement of their overall CEFR.

General English One To One

A One To One lesson is individual tuition where the topics of the lesson are decided between the teacher and the student. In each session, the teacher can focus intensively on areas and skills specific to the learner, making it a very popular option for students who need to make progress quickly.

This is a tailor-made, intensive and highly personalised programme to meet your needs and help you achieve your objectives. Working with your own personal teacher will maximise your speaking time and offer opportunities for correction of your errors.

We offer One To One courses in General English as well as many professional areas. The programme can also be combined with group General English courses. All materials are included in the course fees. Please note: We insist on two hours as the minimum time for a single booking, and generally would recommend against any One To One session which lasts for longer than three hours.

Exam Preparation

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IELTS Exam Preparation

KEY INFORMATION	
AGE	16+
LEVEL	Upper-Intermediate (B2) - Advanced (C1)
DURATION	1 week +
START DATES	Every Monday
HOURS PER WEEK	6 / 9 / 15 (All lessons are 60 minutes long)
MAX CLASS SIZE	12*
LESSON TIMES	9am-12.15pm (Weekdays)

*Although most of the time our class size is much smaller than 12, in very rare circumstances the stated maximum class size might be exceeded. If this does happen, it will be up to 16 and for no longer than 2 days.

IELTS is arguably the world's most recognised English exam, testing proficiency across all levels. It is run by Cambridge ESOL, IDP Education Australia and the British Council. Obtaining a high score in IELTS gives students access to a range of new education, immigration and employment opportunities around the world.

The exam comprises Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking sections and is available in two forms, General and Academic.

Academic IELTS

The Academic paper is for those who want to attend university in an English-speaking country. It is also a requirement for certain professions – such as medical workers – who wish to work in an English-speaking country.

General IELTS

The General paper is not taken as often as the Academic, and is usually for those who want to gain an English language qualification for general work experience, or wish to migrate to an English-speaking country.

The Essentials

Course Features

- Intensive practice in examination techniques
- Advice and testing to choose the right examination
- Individual tutorials with a senior member of the teaching staff to guide you through exam preparations
- Weekly progress tests
- Free pre-tests and mock exams at the start, during and at the end of the course
- Monitored and individualised homework
- Your own unique Learner Profile with weekly progress reports sent to you by your teacher

Timetable

Our IELTS exam preparation course runs on a continuous enrolment basis with intakes every Monday, so you can start and finish at any time of the year.

Morning Classes	Intensive Morning IELTS and Afternoon General English
09.00-10.30 Lesson	**09.00-10.30 Lesson**
10.30-10.45 Break	10.30-10.45 Break
10.45-12.15 Lesson	**10.45-12.15 Lesson**
You can combine your IELTS course with extra conversation class	12.15-13.30 Lunch Break (lunch available in the school cafeteria)
12.30-13.30 Conversation class	**13.30-15.30 Lesson**

Materials

Resources are compiled from different sources, including official mock exams, a variety of online resources and several popular course books such as 'Ready For IELTS' and 'New Insight Into IELTS'. All materials are included in the course fees.

The Exam

The IELTS exam will take place in an IELTS centre of the student's choosing. We can help with the booking and organising of the exam. The fee for taking an IELTS exam in the UK is usually £170-175 depending on the test centre and the time of year.

Exam Preparation

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Trinity, Cambridge & Language Cert Exams

KEY INFORMATION	
LEVEL	Beginner (A1) - Advanced (C1)
DURATION	1 week +
START DATES	Every Monday
HOURS PER WEEK	9 (Part Time), 15 (Full Time)
MAX CLASS SIZE	One To One or closed groups only (maximum 16)

Trinity

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Trinity's GESE exam tests English speaking and listening skills through a 1:1 interview with a Trinity examiner. There are 12 grades, grouped into the following four stages:

- Initial (Grades 1-3)
- Elementary (Grades 4-6)
- Intermediate (Grades 7-9)
- Advanced (Grades 10-12)

Cambridge Exams

Cambridge exams assess learner's speaking, listening, reading and writing skills in real-life situations. There are different Cambridge exams for each CEFR level: KET (A1-A2, Elementary), PET (B1, Intermediate), FCE (B2, Upper-Intermediate), CAE (C1, Advanced) and CPE (C2, Proficiency).

Language Cert Exams

KKCL Test Centre Number: 5188

LanguageCert offers flexibility, by separating the four language skills into more than one exam. You can take the exams for all four skills together, or just the exam you're ready to take and get a certificate valid for life. Your results will be available in three business days, along with an e-certificate & digital badge.

The Essentials

Dates and Times

Exam preparation courses are subject to demand and are available year-round on a One To One basis or to closed groups.

All our exam preparation courses are taught by experienced teachers who will help you develop techniques and strategies you will need to succeed in the exam.

Exam Preparation Course Features

- Intensive practice in examination techniques
- Advice and testing to choose the right examination
- Individual tutorials with a senior member of the teaching staff to guide students through exam preparations
- Weekly progress tests
- Free pre-tests and mock exams at the start and at the end of the course
- Monitored and individualised homework
- Your own unique Learner Profile with weekly progress reports sent to you by your teacher

Materials

Resources are compiled from different sources, including past exam papers, a variety of online resources and a number of recommended books. All materials are included in the course fees.

The Exam

Cambridge exams will take place in an approved Cambridge Exam centre of the student's choosing. We can help with the booking and organising of the exam. Cambridge Exams fees are listed below:

- KET Exam £120
- PET Exam £160
- FCE Exam £180
- CAE Exam £179
- CPE Exam £188

KKCL is an accredited centre for the Trinity Graded Exam in Spoken English and an accredited Language Cert Exam Centre so you can sit these internationally recognised exams in the school.

- Trinity Examination fees are £150-£180, depending on the grade
- Language Cert Examination fees are £45-£90, depending on the grade

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Cambridge English Exam Preparation Centre

Language Cert

Business English

KEY INFORMATION	
AGE	16+
LEVEL	Intermediate (B1) - Advanced (C1)
DURATION	1 week +
START DATES	Every Monday
HOURS PER WEEK	15 (Full Time), 30 (Intensive)
MAXIMUM CLASS SIZE	12 / Closed groups – flexible

Business English is for both companies and individuals, looking for the advantage that English language proficiency can give them over their competitors. Covering topics as diverse as business correspondence, sales, marketing, strategy and customer service, we make sure our lessons reflect the needs of a global workforce.

As an invaluable extra to the classes, we offer the TELC Business English test which gives students the opportunity to gain an official TELC certification.

The Essentials

Timetable

Business English courses are available year-round subject to demand, and come in three forms:

Afternoon Business English Classes (15 hours per week)	Morning IELTS and Afternoon Business English (30 hours per week)	One To One and In-company Training (Flexible Timetable)
13.00-14.30 Lesson 14.30-14.45 Break **14.45-16.15 Lesson**	**09.00-10.30 Lesson** 10.30-10.45 Break **10.45-12.15 Lesson** 12.15-13.00 Lunch Break (lunch available in the school cafeteria) **13.00-14.30 Lesson** 14.30-14.45 Break **14.45-16.15 Lesson**	Tailor-made courses at offices and conference rooms around London. Please contact us to find out about availability in your area.

Levels

We offer Business English to students studying at B1 and above. If you have an English level of A2 or lower, we recommend that you study General English before moving on to speciality Business English.

Progress

During the course, your teacher will monitor your progress closely, through projects and real-world tasks, as well as the KKCL Learner Profile and tutorials. Formal written feedback is provided on a regular basis should your company require it.

Certificates

You will receive a KKCL certificate stating your CEFR level based on the continuous assessment, tutorials and learner profiles of our Business English teachers.

You can also take a level-specific TELC Business exam at the end of your course in order to receive a TELC certificate. We offer TELC Business tests at levels between B1/B2 and B2/C1. The emphasis in each exam is on communicative ability and real-world functions, meaning that a TELC qualification is the truly reliable confirmation of a student's English level.

We have worked with groups and individuals from

IKEA NHS sky Red Bull OneSubsea A Cameron & Schlumberger Company

English for Specific Purposes

KEY INFORMATION	
AGE	16+
LEVEL	Intermediate (B1) - Advanced (C1)
DURATION	Flexible
START DATES	Flexible
HOURS PER WEEK	Flexible
MAXIMUM CLASS SIZE	ESP courses are only offered to **closed groups** and on a **One To One** basis

Alongside our Business English courses, we offer a full range of English for Specific Purposes courses, covering specialised areas in different industries and professions.

ESP courses are taught by experienced teachers with dedicated materials, which are included in your course fees.

ESP courses include but are not limited to:

- English for Medical Professionals
- English for Engineers (TELC certificate available)
- English for Hotel and Restaurant (TELC certificate available)
- English for Law
- English for Government
- English for IT Professionals
- English for Aviation

Please contact us to find out if we can provide ESP for your industry or profession.

The Essentials

Timetable

ESP group courses are available year-round, on a One To One and closed group basis. The programme is tailor-made and there is flexibility in the number and timing of lessons.

Materials

We do not believe in limiting our students to one set of materials therefore every lesson uses a range of resource books, workbooks, audio, video and web materials in order to cater to an eclectic mix of learning styles. All materials are included in the course fees.

Levels

We offer ESP lessons to students whose level of English is B1 or higher. If the student's English level is A2 or lower, we generally recommend that the student studies General English before moving on to their specialisation.

Progress

During the course, your teacher will monitor your progress closely, through projects and real-world tasks, as well as the KKCL Learner Profile and tutorials. Formal written feedback is provided on a regular basis should the student's company require it.

Certificates

Students receive a KKCL certificate stating their CEFR level based on the continuous assessment, tutorials and learner profiles.

TELC Business (B1-B2, B2-C1), TELC Hotel and Restaurant (B1) and TELC Technical for Engineers (B2) are available at the listed CEFR levels. Students can also take the exam at the end of their course in order to receive a TELC certificate. The emphasis in each exam is on communicative ability and real-world functions, meaning that a TELC qualification is truly reliable confirmation of a student's English level.

Work Experience in London

Work Experience in London for Erasmus+ students

KKCL is a multi-accredited language school based in London. We are proud to welcome Erasmus+ students to our year-round Harrow centre. We are dedicated to providing quality work-related training and vocational English lessons to visiting Erasmus+ students. Our combination of trusted accommodation, work experience and engaging social activities is sure to guarantee that your group has a successful and enjoyable programme.

We offer a range of accommodation options from leafy homestays to hotel accommodation in the areas surrounding our school and within reach of students' workplaces. Our Bookings Team will help you to choose the most suitable options to maximise your experience while fitting in with your budget.

Our work experience programme with travel and accommodation costs are eligible for funds from Erasmus+.

Additionally, excursions can be added to the programme enhancing the 'London' experience, yet giving you control over the budget for additional tickets or activities.

Give your career a head start in London!

KKCL works with European schools who want to offer a valuable opportunity to their students to gain hands-on experience in their field of studies, and a taste of the day-to-day running of a UK-based company in a real British working environment.

Each group will be allocated a dedicated Work Experience Officer as the first point of contact. Throughout the programme we meet students regularly from their arrival, starting with a full induction, during the work experience period and finally, in a performance review at the end of the programme.

Students matched with a partner company

If you want to get ahead in your career, you should consider doing work experience within the sector you are interested in. This is an invaluable way of gaining the relevant, professional experience and knowledge of a particular industry, as well as potential references. We match each student with one of our partner companies in the London area, based on their profile, academic background, and level of English.

Full and part-time options

Our Work Experience Programme is available in two different options – part-time (15-20 hours per week) and full-time (30-40 hours per week). We specialise in providing a tailor-made programme to suit the students' needs and cultural background.

Our English courses can be added as part of this Work Experience Programme, allowing students to study an English course at our Harrow school and participate in our part-time Work Experience Programme at the same time.

Tailor-made Programme for students

The timetable can be scheduled to meet any specific requirements. A typical week could be English lessons in the first week, with afternoons free to explore and discover London. Each programme would vary but the minimum length of stay is two weeks.

A small number of work experience positions are offered at our Harrow school office.

Who is eligible?

Erasmus +

- ✓ European nationals*
- ✓ Aged 16+
- ✓ Reasonable English level - i.e. CEFR A2 / B1 level. You should be able to use English in familiar/everyday situations
- ✓ Able to participate in our programme for a minimum of 2 weeks

*All EU Member States are included in the programme, as well as Iceland, Turkey, Macedonia, Liechtenstein and Norway.

Study English while doing a placement

Focused English lessons can be arranged in conjunction with the work experience programme. For Erasmus+ students, we offer dedicated vocational English exams in the school, along with engaging work experience and industry visits.

It is possible to do exam preparation alongside the work placement, which will not only bridge the gap between the class and the exam but also prepare students to use English in real-world situations.

All English lessons take place inside KKCL's Grade II listed building, with its modern facilities including a cafeteria, free Wi-Fi, an IT lab and a relaxing student lounge. As an examination centre for Trinity, Language Cert and TELC, we know these exams inside-out, so your students will be very well prepared for the big day.

Unique Advantage: TELC Vocational English Qualifications

We offer TELC (The European Language Certificates) exams in fields as diverse as Business, Hotel & Restaurant and Technical English for Engineers. Approved by the Association of Language Teachers in Europe and based on the real-world communication skills set out in the Common European Framework of Reference, TELC is a truly reliable statement of a student's language proficiency.

Vocational Skills Workshop / Seminars

In addition to our English courses, we also offer industry-related workshops and seminars. These give students valuable insight into their chosen fields, while factory visits give a fascinating glimpse into the inner workings of some of the world's most famous corporations.

Student Support and Welfare

KKCL has comprehensive welfare policies and procedures – reviewed by both the British Council and the Independent Schools Inspectorate – and a team of dedicated staff who do their very best to ensure the safety and well-being of our students. Students carry a 24-hour emergency telephone number at all times.

Our Work Experience Officers are here to assist students and group leaders throughout the entire programme, from pre-arrival preparation to the final performance review. In each workplace, there will be one main contact person who is responsible for introducing the students to their working role and supporting them where needed as their Line Manager.

We will also provide preparatory material as part of the induction on arrival, and our Work Experience Officer will be on hand to give practical advice on how to deal with different situations in the workplace. One To One mentoring sessions at KKCL will be scheduled to ensure all the students are settling in and given helpful guidance on how to be successful within their chosen role.

What do you achieve upon completing this programme?

At the end of the programme, all students will be given a Work Experience Completion Certificate certifying the date, duration and host company name of their work experience, and a reference letter issued by KKCL detailing the description of their work experience position and activities performed during the programme.

Why KKCL for Erasmus+ Work Experience Programme?

- ✓ Tailor-made programme to fit students' needs
- ✓ Links with local businesses providing appropriate work placements
- ✓ A full suite of vocational English TELC exams
- ✓ Experienced TELC examiners as part of our academic team
- ✓ Final reports for each student
- ✓ Private space for Group Leaders to prepare documentation
- ✓ Experience with Erasmus documentation + tenders
- ✓ Industry visits to local, national and multinational companies around the UK

What is Erasmus+?

Erasmus+ is the EU funding programme for education, training, youth and sport, and replaces all previous funding programmes such as Comenius, Leonardo Da Vinci and Grundtvig. As part of the Lifelong Learning Programme, grants are available to enable students to participate in a work experience programme in a country other than the country in which they normally live. This funding is administered by National Agencies who represent the European Commission in each EU member state.

All Erasmus+ applications must be made through your school or institution, and can only be made provided they have a partner abroad who is able to receive their students. Individual grants are still available, but the application must go through your school.

Erasmus+ (Key Action 1: Mobility of Individuals) is the funding programme available for all EU nationals. Please refer to the Erasmus+ website for deadline and further details regarding Erasmus+ funding that is available for this programme:

https://erasmusplus.org.uk/

Erasmus +

At KKCL, we offer work placements in these fields:

- Business Administration
- Retail / Customer Service
- Hospitality & Catering
- Health & Social Care
- Information Technology (IT)
- Media
- Beauty & Hairdressing
- Accounting & Finance
- Human Resources
- Event Management
- Marketing / PR
- Education
- Engineering
- Electronics - computer repairs
- Graphic Design
- Interior Design
- Architecture
- Tourism / Travel Agency
- Mechanics / Mechatronics (Subject to availability)
- Mechanic - car repairs (Subject to availability)

Teacher Training

Professional Development Programmes For Teachers

KEY INFORMATION	
AVAILABILITY	Year-round for closed groups Set dates for individual bookings
DURATION	One or two week courses, Monday to Friday 25 hours per week
MAX CLASS SIZE	16

Within the EU Funded Professional Development Programme we offer a selection of courses for English and Subject Teachers, School Managers and Administrative Staff. Our courses are aimed at staff at all stages of education (primary, secondary, vocational and adult education), and have been developed to help participants grow professionally by exploring their own experience, and sharing ideas with colleagues from other European countries.

We offer Professional Development courses throughout the year with set dates for individual bookings in international groups. Closed group courses can be organised at any time.

Courses are one or two weeks, Monday to Friday. We offer help with accommodation and provide you with a 24 hour emergency number during your stay at KKC

All courses are taught by experienced Delta qualified Teachers and Teacher Trainers, most notably:

- **Steven Hirschhorn**, who is our specialist in Humanistic Approaches and a winner of the Walpole Prize for innovation in teaching. Steven published and lectured widely in Europe, South America, the Far East and the Middle East
- **Charles Goodger**, the founder of FunSongs Education which, in 2011, was shortlisted by the British Council and Cambridge English for an ELTons award for innovation and excellence. In 2018 Charles Goodger was nominated for the International Yidan Prize for new developments in education by Bologna and Osnabruck Universities
- **Lonny Gold**, a Suggestopedia expert and the founder of the National Council of Suggestopedia

The Essentials

Objectives

The objectives of the Professional Development Programme include:

- Further development of the participants' own language skills
- Sharing experiences with the tutors and other participants
- Gaining a better understanding of the different educational systems in Europe
- Reflecting on teaching methodologies and different school practices around Europe
- Exploring British life and culture

For detailed course specific objectives, please refer to individual course descriptions.

Methodology

All of the Professional Development courses are interactive, practical and designed to ensure variety in the delivery methods, from tutor-led input sessions in the form of hands-on workshops, group and pair-work, role-plays, discussion groups, to state school visits, lesson observations and optional cultural visits and activities. All courses are taught by experienced DELTA qualified Teachers and Teacher Trainers.

After The Course

At the end of your course, you will receive a Certificate of Completion and a Europass Mobility Certificate.

You will also be invited to a post-course online participants' discussion group. Our aim is to provide further opportunities for networking, facilitate the sharing of ideas with the trainers, fellow colleagues and participants from other courses and to make links for potential partnership work.

Funding Through Erasmus+

European Teachers applying for our Teacher Training courses are eligible for funding through Erasmus+.

KKCL PIC NUMBER: 934797149

See http://www.kkcl.org.uk/funding-for-teacher-training for more details.

Accommodation

Homestays

Homestays are a perfect way to experience a friendly atmosphere, with the chance to practise English and learn about the British way of life. London is a city bursting with diversity and different cultures, and this is reflected in the homestays that we use. Hosts can come from any number of ethnic backgrounds, but English is always the main spoken language at home.

We always do our best to match the needs and requests of students during the allocation process. All our homestays are within reasonable distance of the school, with convenient access to public transport. Every homestay is pre-inspected by KKCL or our partner agencies to guarantee a happy and rewarding experience.

Generally, breakfast and dinner is provided by homestays, with lunch provided by the school, although these can be provided by homestay as well.

The benefits of homestays are many:

- Immersive British experience
- English language used throughout the stay
- Meals provided (at homestay or school)
- Weekly laundry service
- Shared bathroom or en suite
- Access to the house's facilities as if a family member
- 24-hour emergency number

Hotels

Some students prefer the familiarity of a hotel. All our partner hotels are within convenient travelling distance from the school and are checked and inspected prior to arrival to ensure the rooms and services meet our quality standards.

Bookings are available for single, double and family rooms, to be shared by students of the same sex.

- Buffet breakfast provided
- Free bulk laundry service
- En-suite bathrooms
- 24-hour reception
- 24-hour emergency number

Student Support And Welfare

Full Induction

Upon arrival, new students receive the KKCL welcome pack before being taken on an induction tour of the college. They are also informed about the social activities, welfare and support available.

For example, we can help with:

- Finding accommodation
- Registering with a doctor (NHS)
- Registering for National Insurance
- Local police registration for visa nationals
- Opening a UK bank account
- Finding work (where to look for jobs, working rights etc.)
- Using local libraries or buying/ordering books
- Computer-based exams and external exam registration

Student Visa Support

Individuals can apply to study General English under a Student Visitor Visa for up to 11 months.

Contact us for more information.

Multilingual Staff

We know living in a foreign country can be difficult, so we do our best to make our students as comfortable as possible. Our staff speak many different languages – including Italian, Romanian, Chinese, Spanish, Polish and Hungarian – and are glad to help in every way they can.

Excellent Facilities

You will find the school has excellent modern facilities, bright, cosy classrooms, a comfortable student lounge, an adjoining self-access computer room, a recording studio, free Wi-Fi and our own stylish cafeteria serving a wide variety of international food.

Welfare and Safeguarding

We are committed to equal opportunities and wish to maintain a friendly community spirit within the school. Our staff are extensively trained in first aid, fire safety, GDPR, as well as having trained to relevant and/or specialist level in Safeguarding. We always have a first-aid trained staff member on hand, and at least one fire safety officer in the building at all times.

KKCL is a Bully Free Zone and we operate a zero-tolerance policy for all students and adults. Throughout our centres, we use notice boards and posters to inform students of who to speak to if they have any concerns or worries. Even if it is a common problem such as homesickness, KKCL staff are trained in how to listen and help in different situations, so that the student is able to enjoy their KKCL experience. Our staff are friendly and approachable and support students if they have any worries or concerns.

Our flagship school is in a listed building and we currently do not have full provision for disabled and wheelchair access, but we are working towards improvements in this area.

Student Social Programme

Make friends, practise English

All our students come to KKCL to improve their English. With every passing week, they will grow in confidence, communicate more effectively and get used to using English as their first language.

Still, what good are these new language skills without taking them outside of the classroom and into the real world? That is where the KKCL Social Slate comes in!

Every week our social programme has an exciting range of activities for students to try, such as:

- Cultural visits
- Sightseeing trips
- Parties & music events
- Pub quizzes
- Creative workshops
- Weekend day-trips outside London

Social Slate Calendar

Our monthly Social Slate calendar has information about all our organised trips and events for the month as well as additional offers on London attractions such as West End shows. You can find the latest calendar information around the school, on our reception TV and on our Social Programme page. You can also head over to our Facebook page. facebook.com/kkcl.org.uk

We are sure that all students will find something to enjoy in our social programme – perhaps they will even discover a new interest.

Many events are free. If there is an entry charge we will put it on the calendar. For some trips there will be a small charge to cover transportation – usually between £5-10.

Please ask reception for further details for availability and how to sign up.

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"A lovely place with lovely people inside...
I really needed an experience like this one to become more confident with the language."

Eduardo (Italy) - General English

"Teachers are very polite and kind.
The class is very cheerful and interesting...
there is no stress and I could enjoy it."

Aika (Japan) - IELTS Exam Preparation

"I learned how to interpret articles, understand medical terms and interview patients in English. I really recommend it...
it was just one month but I learned a lot."

Amanda (Brazil) - English for Medical Purposes

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