




Excellence in English language training since 1955

## Complete Course Guide





Now I can really say what I  
want to say. One of the best  
experiences of my life.

*Silvia Sigalotti, Italy*

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# WELCOME TO THE WORLD OF ST GILES

Every year around 10,000 students from over 100 different countries choose St Giles for their language and learning needs. Established in 1955, we offer over 55 years' experience in providing excellence in training for people of all ages, all needs, and from all over the world.

We understand that there are many reasons why people choose to study English. Whether you want to learn for travel, to enhance your career or work life, for further study or just for fun, we can help you learn quickly and effectively.

Our years of experience, our international reputation for excellence, and the strength of our teaching staff mean you can expect an enjoyable, rewarding and successful programme, wherever you choose to study with us.

## Learning with St Giles:

- over 55 years' experience in helping our students communicate confidently in English
- an international reputation for high quality teaching, friendliness and student success

- choice of a great selection of city-centre locations in the UK, the USA, Canada and Brazil
- choice of flexible programmes designed for a range of ages, objectives and abilities
- a personal learning experience, with a focus on you, your needs and your aims
- exciting, fast-paced, and learner-centred lessons
- modern and dynamic teaching centres offering the latest equipment and resources including digital language laboratories, Self-Access Centres and interactive whiteboards
- excellent value for money





### THE ST GILES PROMISE: OUR MISSION

- to provide high quality courses for international students and trainee teachers in a positive and inclusive learner-centred environment, focusing on the students' real and practical aspirations
- to offer a range of student support services and facilities of the highest quality to enable our students to enjoy their courses to the full



Mark Lindsay,  
Managing Director



Paul Lindsay,  
Founder of St Giles

St Giles International is fully accredited and regularly assessed by the British Council for the teaching of English in the UK (only). Our Vancouver centre is accredited by Languages Canada, and our San Francisco centre by CEA and AAIEP in the USA. These are major independent bodies who control quality standards in language schools in the UK, USA or Canada. All our St Giles UK centres are also members of English UK. All St Giles adult centres in the UK are listed on the Register of Sponsors as Highly Trusted Tier 4 sponsors.

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**BRITISH COUNCIL**  
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of English

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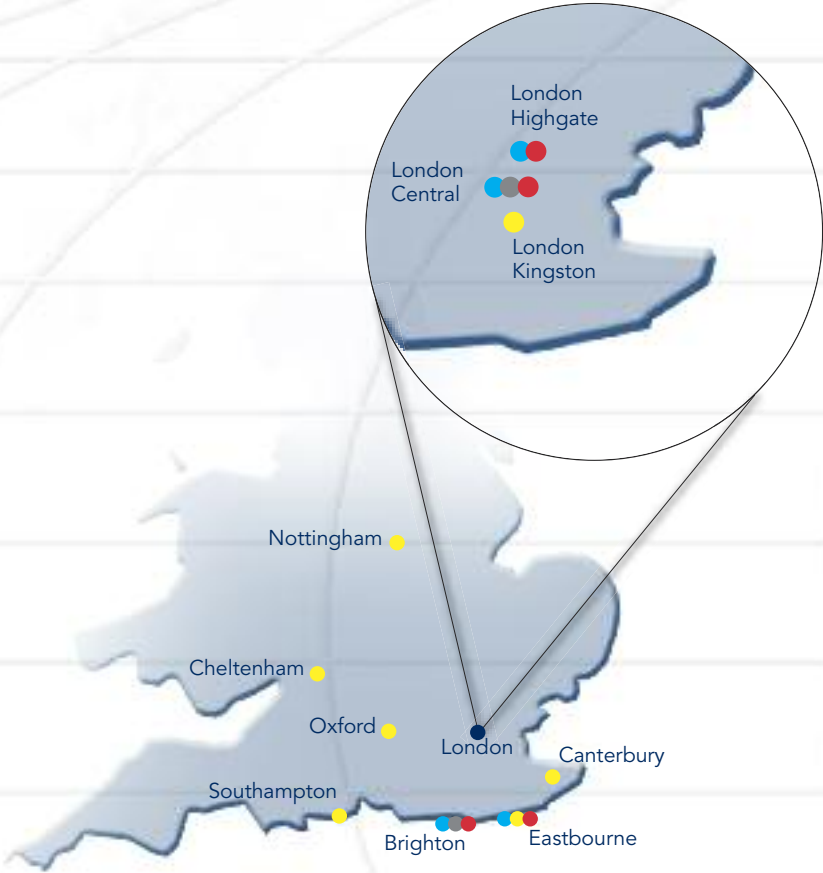
Accredited by  
**CEA**  
Leading Through Advancing Education

I chose St Giles because it is  
better quality than other  
language schools.

Orçun Matizoglu, Turkey

# OUR LOCATIONS

- Key:
- Adult Year-round College
  - Junior Programmes
  - Platinum Training Centre
  - Teacher Training Centre



United Kingdom







Canada



USA





# MORE THAN LANGUAGE LEARNING

At St Giles we offer a complete package ensuring you have all you need for a successful and enjoyable period of study.

## We take care of everything:

- a wide choice of accommodation options for all needs and budgets
- transfers to and from our colleges
- social activities
- advice on travel and medical insurance cover

## Your personal service

When you arrive at any St Giles College, on any programme, you will receive:

- a welcome talk and orientation on your first day
  - placement test and individual assessment of your language level and needs
  - an introduction to your fellow students and our school support team
  - detailed information on your school, areas of local interest, and facilities available
  - regular counselling sessions with your teacher, allowing you to influence the content of your programme and concentrate on what you want or need to learn
- free access to internet and email facilities, allowing you to keep in touch with friends and family
  - induction to our modern Self-Access and resources helping you continue your learning in your free time
  - dedicated student support and welfare services
  - an exciting and varied social programme, encouraging you to make friends and explore

## Fact File:

### Maximum Class Sizes:

Platinum Group – 5  
General English / Exam Courses – 12  
Junior Summer Camps – 12 or 15

### Minimum Ages:

- Platinum Courses – 21+ years
- University Foundation Business Courses – 18+ years
- Brighton, London Central, London, Highgate, New York City, San Francisco, Vancouver – 16+ years
- Eastbourne – 14+ years
- Junior Residential Summer Camps – 8-18 years\*

### Lesson Length:

All lessons at St Giles are 50 minutes in length

*\*Individual centres may vary*

### Levels:

- 6 levels
  - Beginner
  - Elementary
  - Pre-Intermediate
  - Intermediate
  - Upper-Intermediate
  - Advanced

### What's Included:

- welcome and induction
- level testing and individual assessment of needs
- 10% discount in our bookshops
- 1:1 tutorials with your teacher
- free internet access
- St Giles Certificate of Studies
- option to take St Giles Certificate in English
- welcome pack
- 24 hour emergency telephone number

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The facilities are perfect for keeping in touch with my friends and family back home.

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*Nami Kida, Japan*



## Accommodation Choice

We understand how important your accommodation is and this is why we offer you a wide choice.

All of your accommodation is carefully checked by our college Accommodation and Welfare Staff to ensure that you are comfortable, safe and happy during your stay. Our Accommodation and Welfare Officers are readily available should you need any help while you are with us.

	Homestay	Student Residences		Hotels	Guesthouses
		Year round	Summer only		
Brighton	•		•	•	•
Eastbourne	•		•	•	•
London Central	•	•	•	•	
London Highgate	•	•	•	•	
New York City	•	•	•	•	
San Francisco	•	•	•	•	
Vancouver	•	•	•	•	
Junior Programmes					
Canterbury			•		
Cheltenham			•		
Eastbourne	•				
London Kingston			•		
Nottingham			•		
Oxford			•		
Southampton			•		
Boston			•		
Florida			•		
New York			•		
San Francisco			•		
Vancouver			•		

N.B. Some of our London host families are carefully selected by our partner, Hosts International.

### Homestay

- Stay with a British, American or Canadian host family in their home
- Choice of single or shared rooms, and a range of meal options
- Ideal if you want to practise your English naturally and live in a more supportive environment
- Offers excellent value for money
- Special discount rates available if you are studying for 24+ weeks

### Superior Homestay

- Live with a British, American or Canadian host family in their home
- Families chosen for their professional interests and background, quality and location of their home
- Large single, well-furnished bedrooms, with TV and internet access
- Option to have your own private bathroom
- Ideal for professional and executive clients

### Student Residences

- Stay in one of our well-located student residences
- Choice of single rooms, with private or shared bathrooms, a range of meal options
- Ideal if you are looking for a more independent lifestyle and want to meet other students
- Good locations, close to the colleges

### Hotels and Guesthouses

- Choose from a range of hotels and guesthouses
- Ideal for business or executive clients
- Benefit from specially negotiated St Giles rates





## Discover the UK, the USA and Canada

Our social and excursion programmes are organised to help you have fun, make friends, practise your English, and explore the city and country you are living in. At each school there are social programme coordinators who arrange a full calendar of afternoon and evening activities.

You can choose from local weekday activities and sports, a range of full-day weekend excursions, as well as mini-breaks over the weekend. You can choose from at least five events each week. Typical excursions include:

### Local Weekday Activities:

international food nights | inter-school football | movie nights | games evenings | BBQ nights | Vancouver beach picnic | guided city tours | local festivals and celebrations | sports events and competitions

### Full-Day Weekend Excursions:

Oxford | London theatre evenings | Bath & Stonehenge | San Francisco Bay Cruise & Alcatraz Island | skiing in Whistler |

### Overnight Weekend Trips:

Paris & Euro-Disney | Edinburgh & the Highlands | Dublin | Napa Valley & Sonoma Wine Country | Yosemite National Park | Los Angeles | Seattle shopping | whitewater rafting or skiing weekend in Whistler |

Visit our website to see what's happening now at the college of your choice: <http://www.stgilesinternational.com/student-services/leisure>



## Student Welfare and Support Services

We will be there to help and support you from the moment you arrive in our Colleges, to the day you return home. Our caring support staff in every College are available to ensure your safety and well-being, while our Academic Counsellors will help you with your studies and will advise you on your future career or educational life. You will also receive a 24-hour emergency telephone number for use outside College hours.

## Transfers

To make your journey as comfortable as possible we can arrange for a private transfer to greet you at the airport and take you to your accommodation.

## Insurance

We are happy to advise you on this so that you have peace of mind during your stay. We recommend:

- course-u-can (UK)
- ISO Student Health Insurance (USA)
- Student Guard (Canada)

It is a requirement of booking a course with St Giles that you have adequate insurance cover.



My English has really progressed; especially my vocabulary and grammar. Thank you to everyone at St Giles.

*Yves Finot, France*





## MAKING PROGRESS

Your progress and results are important for us, and we are aware of the challenges. As a St Giles student you should expect to make progress whatever the length of your course.

### Expert Teaching

Our teachers are our greatest strength. All centres have a teacher development programme and sponsor teachers to improve their skills.

Many of our teachers are highly trained, with years of experience. Our teachers are supportive, professional and focused on helping you achieve your goals.

### Interactive Lessons

Your classes will be fast-paced and interactive, using real-life materials and situations, and will encourage you to participate and motivate you to learn. We focus on building your confidence in using the language and greater fluency across all skills.

### Personal Classes

Our small classes mean that our teachers can focus on you and your needs. High levels of student teacher interaction help you make progress.

### Regular 1:1 Counselling

You will have a 1:1 counselling session with your teacher every two weeks. This will allow you to influence the content of your programme, discuss your needs and manage your objectives. We keep a record of these sessions, allowing us to chart your progress through the duration of your course. Regular testing (every two weeks), enables your teachers to monitor your progress.

### Personal Progress Chart

Advanced – Proficiency  
(IELTS 9.0 + | CEFR C2) – think about  
Cambridge CPE, IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC

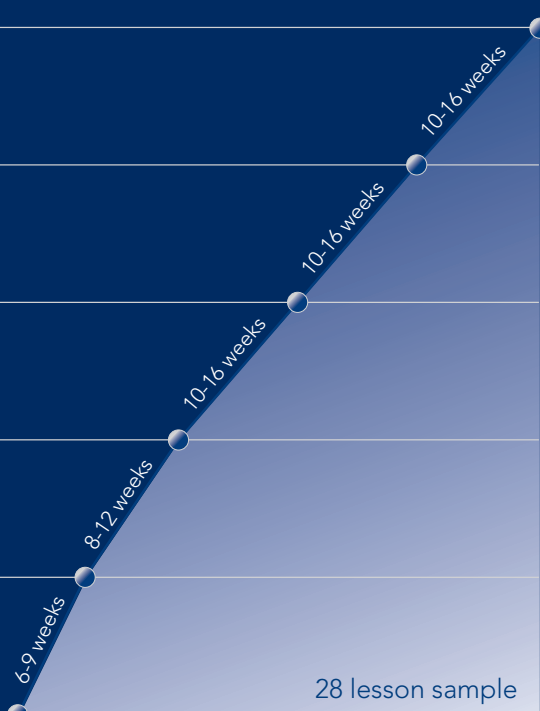
Upper-intermediate – Advanced  
(IELTS 8.0-9.0 | CEFR C1) – think about  
Cambridge CAE, IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC

Intermediate – Upper-intermediate  
(IELTS 6.0-7.0 | CEFR B2) – think about  
Cambridge FCE, IELTS, TOEFL or TOEIC

Pre-Intermediate – Intermediate  
(IELTS 4.0-5.0 | CEFR B1)

Elementary – Pre-Intermediate  
(IELTS 4.0 | CEFR A2/B1)

Beginner – Elementary  
(IELTS 1.0-2.0 | CEFR A1)



This is a guide only and your personal development will depend on the length and intensity of your programme, as well as your own motivation, attendance and ability.

### Modern Facilities

Interactive whiteboards, multi-media facilities, digital language laboratories and use of real-life materials mean you are engaged, motivated and actively participating in your lessons.

### Self-Access Centres

Make the most of your free time to improve areas you want or need to develop in our Self-Access Centres. Discuss your self-study programme with your teacher during your counselling sessions.



# OVERVIEW OF COURSES

St Giles offers you a wide choice of courses to meet your personal needs, whatever your level, your age or your interests. Whether you are learning for your career, for higher education, travel or just for fun we have a programme for you.

## General English

General English courses provide you with the confidence and skills you need to communicate more effectively in English. Small classes, carefully structured lessons, and a learner-centred approach help us to meet your needs and mean you learn faster. Choose these courses if you want to improve your fluency and confidence, or are looking for a course between 1 to 20 weeks.

**General English Programmes include:**

- 15 lessons per week (pm)
- 20 lessons per week (am/pm)
- 22 lessons per week (am/pm)
- 28 lessons per week
- General English Plus
- General English One-to-One
- English for Beginners

## Academic

St Giles’ Academic programmes are designed to help you with your future study or career paths, including entry into British or American universities. We also offer the opportunity for a perfect gap year in the UK, USA or Canada to improve your language skills or to take an international exam.

**Academic Programmes include:**

- University Foundation Business Course (UFBC)
- International Semester Courses (ISC)
- ISC Pathway Programme
- Cambridge BEC
- Cambridge FCE (+ FCE Fast-Track)
- Cambridge CAE
- Cambridge CPE
- TOEFL
- TOEIC
- IELTS
- English for Academic Purposes

## Sample Timetable

Lesson	1 & 2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	09:00-10:40	11:10-12:00	12:10-13:00	13:45-14:35	14:45-15:35	15:55-16:45	16:50-17:40
35 lessons (29.1 hours)							
30 lessons (25 hours)							
28 lessons (23.3 hours)				Not Fri			
26 lessons (21.6 hours)					1/week		
25 lessons (20.8 hours)							
22 lessons (am) (18.3 hours)				1/week	1/week		
22 lessons (pm) (18.3 hours)							
20 lessons (am) (16.7 hours)							
20 lessons (pm) (16.7 hours)							
15 lessons (12.5 hours)							



## Vacation

Vacation courses combine language learning with a structured and inclusive leisure programme. Choose these programmes if you want to learn English and explore the UK, the USA or Canada. We offer courses for both adults and juniors.

### **Vacation Programmes include:**

- California Experience Programme
- California Delights Tour
- Canadian Experience Programme
- London Experience Programme
- New York Experience Programme
- Junior Summer Camps

## Career

Our Career courses give you the skills and experience you will need for your future work and professional life. You can join the world of work and gain real life skills on our Volunteer experience Programmes, as well as improve your business and commercial English on our training programmes.

### **Career Programmes include:**

- English for Business Programme
- Cambridge BEC
- Examination Programme
- CBEI Business English Programme (Vancouver)
- English for Art & Design
- English for Hospitality & Tourism
- Volunteer Experience Programmes

## Platinum Training

Platinum Courses are for business executives and professionals, or mature and ambitious learners, looking to enhance language ability and business skills in a commercial environment. You can choose from a selection of fast-paced small group classes, or one-to-one, or a combination of the two to maximise your progress. Our expert trainers and cutting-edge methodology give you the confidence and skills you need to perform better for yourself and for your company.

### **Platinum Training includes:**

- Platinum Group Courses
- Platinum One-to-one Courses
- Platinum Plus
- Platinum Telephone Lessons
- Platinum Weekend Lessons

## Teacher Training

Native and near-native speakers can choose from one of our initial training courses giving you the qualification you will need to work internationally or in your home country, and to open up a world of career opportunities. For non-native practising teachers you can choose one of our professional development courses to build your specialised skills and develop your knowledge, and to take an internationally recognised exam.

### **Initial Training includes:**

- Cambridge CELTA
- Trinity Cert. TESOL

### **Professional Development includes:**

- Teachers of English Course (TEC)
- Cambridge ICEL Modules 1 and 2
- Cambridge Teaching Knowledge Test (TKT)

## Junior Programmes

Our junior programmes are designed to give your child or young adult a head-start in life and offer them an educational and fun programme in a carefully supported and secure environment. Caring for children and young adults means we need to think of everything and our residential programme, using the best university and independent school campuses, is all-inclusive and offers a complete package.

St Giles Eastbourne offers year-round junior courses for more independent students aged 14 years and over, living with a carefully selected British host families within walking distance of the College.

### **Junior Residential Summer Camps are available:**

#### **UK:**

- Canterbury
- Cheltenham
- London Kingston
- Nottingham
- Oxford
- Southampton

#### **USA:**

- Boston
- Florida
- New York
- San Francisco

#### **Canada:**

- Vancouver

### **Year-round Junior Courses are available:**

#### **UK:**

- Eastbourne



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There is an impressive  
range of courses and  
accommodation to choose  
from. St Giles has  
something for everyone!

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*Paniz Tayaranian, Iran*



## COURSE &amp; COLLEGE FINDER

			UK				US		CANADA						
	LEVEL	WEEKS	BN	EB	LC	LH	SF	NYC	VA	PAGES					
General English										18-19					
28 lessons per week	All	1-23	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	18-19					
20 lessons per week (am)	All	1-23	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	18-19					
20 lessons per week (pm)	All	1-23	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	18-19					
22 lessons per week (am)	All	1-23					•	•		18-19					
22 lessons per week (pm)	All	1-23					•	•		18-19					
15 lessons per week (pm)	All	1-52	•	•	•	•				18-19					
General English Plus	All	1-52	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	18-19					
General English One-to-One	All	1-52	•	•		•	•	•	•	18-19					
English for Beginners	Beginner	2-4+	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	18-19					
Academic										20-27					
International Semester Course (ISC)	All	24,36+	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	20-21					
University Foundation Business Course	Intermediate +	24	•			•				22-23					
	Mid-Intermediate +	36	•			•				22-23					
ISC Pathway Course	Pre-Advanced + at end of course	24,36+					•			24					
English for Academic Purposes	Intermediate +	8							•	25					
Cambridge FCE	Intermediate +	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26					
Cambridge FCE Fast-Track	Upper Intermediate	6, 8	•		•					26					
Cambridge CAE	Pre-Advanced	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26					
Cambridge CPE	Advanced +	8,10,12	•		•	•	•	•		26					
Cambridge BEC (Vantage and Higher)	Intermediate + (Vantage)	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26					
	Advanced + (Higher)	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26					
IELTS Preparation	Intermediate	4 +	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26					
TOEFL Preparation	Intermediate	4 +	•		•		•	•	•	27					
TOEIC Preparation	Intermediate	4 +		•			•	•	•	27					
Vacation										28-31					
California Experience	All	2					•			29					
California Delights Tour	All	2,3,4					•			29					
Canadian Experience	All	2							•	30					
New York Experience	All	2,3,4						•		30					
London Experience	All	2,3,4				•				31					
Career										32-35					
English for Business	Intermediate	2-8	•	•	•	•	•	•		33					
		2-12	•	•	•	•	•	•		33					
CBEI Business English	Intermediate	4-40							•	33					
Cambridge BEC (Vantage and Higher)	Intermediate + (Vantage)	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•		33					
	Advanced + (Higher)	8,10,12	•	•	•	•	•	•		33					
English for Tourism	Intermediate	4	•	•		•		•		34					
English for Art & Design	Intermediate	4				•	•			34					
Volunteer Experience Programme	Intermediate +	Variable	•	•	•	•	•		•	35					
Platinum Training										36-37					
Group	Elementary +	1+	•		•		•	•	•	36					
One-to-one	Beginner +	1+	•		•		•	•	•	37					
Teacher Training										38-39					
Cambridge CELTA	Advanced	4	•			•	•			39					
Trinity Cert. TESOL	Advanced	4		•	•					39					
Teachers of English Programme (TEC)	Intermediate +	2	•	•	•	•	•			39					
Cambridge TKT	Intermediate +	Variable	•							39					
Cambridge ICELT Modules	Intermediate +	Variable	•							39					
			UK CENTRES				US		CAN		PAGES				
Junior Programmes			EB	CA	CH	LK	NO	OX	SO	BO	FL	NYJ	SF	VJ	40-47
Summer Residential	All	2-8	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	40-46
Year Round Homestay	All	1-52	•												46

BN = BRIGHTON CA = CANTERBURY CH = CHELTENHAM EB = EASTBOURNE LC = LONDON CENTRAL  
 LH = LONDON HIGHATE LK = LONDON KINGSTON NO = NOTTINGHAM OX = OXFORD SO = SOUTHAMPTON  
 BO = BOSTON NYC = NEW YORK NYJ = NEW YORK JUNIORS SF = SAN FRANCISCO  
 VA = VANCOUVER VJ = VANCOUVER JUNIORS



## OUR COURSES: GENERAL ENGLISH

Our General English courses are designed to help you communicate more effectively and confidently in everyday situations.

- Ideal if you are looking for a shorter period of study (from 1 to 20 weeks)
- Choice of flexible full-time intensive or part-time courses to suit your needs
- Focus on speaking and listening skills and using English in real-life situations
- Small classes, maximum of 12 students per class, mean you get lots of attention from your teacher
- Personalise your programme with a choice of elective Study and Exam Modules
- Flexible weekly start dates every Monday

We offer a variety of programmes for everyone – whether you are looking for an intensive, full-time programme to maximise your progress, or prefer a part-time course allowing you to explore your new city. Choose from any of the following options.

### General English 28 lessons per week (full day)

Our most intensive programme offers complete immersion in the English language. Ideal for focused or ambitious learners, you should choose this course if you want to make fast progress and reach your objectives quickly and effectively. Our 28 lessons programme is our most popular course choice.

Available at: all colleges

### English Plus (flexible times)

Combine the dynamics of our group classes with the personal attention that comes with one-to-one coaching. Choose 5 or more one-to-one lessons per week in combination with your group classes. Lessons are designed to target what you want or need to learn. Choose this programme if you want to make fast progress.

Available at: all colleges

### English for Beginners 28 lessons per week (full day)

Choose this course if you are starting to learn for the first time or if you want to start again from the very beginning. This is a carefully structured 4 week programme giving you the extra support you need. After 4 weeks you can progress onto any other longer programme.

Available at: all colleges

### General English 20 and 22 lessons per week (mornings or afternoons)

The perfect course if you are looking to combine studying with leisure. You have free time in either the morning or the afternoon for private study in our Self-Access Centres or to join our activities and excursions with your new friends and enjoy American, British or Canadian culture.

20 lessons available at: all colleges,  
22 lessons available in the USA

*Combine this programme with English Plus for more intensive learning*

### General English One-to-One (mornings or afternoons)

The best way to maximise your progress. One-to-one lessons are designed only for you, and for what you want or need to learn. Lessons can focus on a range of skills from developing fluency or building special vocabulary, or international exam preparation.

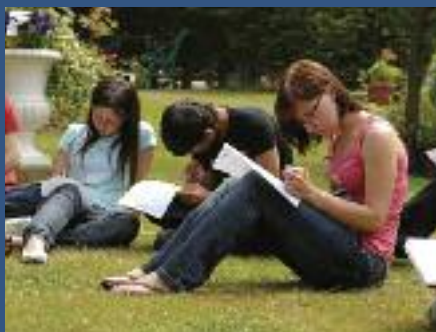
Available at: all colleges except London Central

### General English 15 lessons per week (afternoons)

Our budget programme offering excellent value for money. Study for 15 lessons per week in the afternoon with spare time in the mornings for private study, or to explore your new city with friends.

Available at: all UK colleges

*Combine this programme with English Plus for more intensive learning*



## Study and Exam Modules

Our modules help you to personalise your programme to best fit your needs and objectives and offer variety to your course. Choose from modules which focus on your career or international exams.

### Career Modules

- English for Business
- Cambridge BEC
- CBEI Business English Programme (Vancouver)
- English for Art & Design
- English for Tourism
- Internship Programme

### Exam Modules

- Cambridge FCE
- Cambridge CAE
- Cambridge CPE
- Cambridge Business English Certificate (BEC)
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- TOEIC

*Please note that some modules may have specific start dates, may only be available on full-day programmes, and may have entry level requirements, or additional exam fees. Please see our Course Dates and Prices for these details.*

## Course Objectives:

By the end of our General English courses you should:

- speak with greater confidence, fluency and accuracy
- have a greatly increased active vocabulary
- have developed your listening and comprehension skills
- have learnt and reviewed the grammatical structure of the English language
- have grown your use of everyday English – language that you will use in real-life situations, both written and spoken
- have more confidence in reading and writing

## Courses Designed for:

- students looking to improve their overall effectiveness and performance in using English

### Course Facts:

Level:	All levels, from Beginner* to Advanced
Course Duration:	1 week +
Start Dates:	Every Monday *
Lesson Length:	1 lesson = 50 minutes
Maximum in Class:	12 (average 9)

*\* Please note that there are dedicated start courses and dates for Beginner Level students. Please see our Course Dates and Prices for these dates.*





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## OUR COURSES: ACADEMIC

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Our Academic Courses are designed to help you achieve your goals for school, college, or to further your education with pathways to undergraduate degree courses with British or American universities.

### International Semester Courses (ISC)

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- Ideal if you are looking for a gap year in the UK, the USA or Canada
- Choose 6 or 9 month courses to suit your learning needs
- Excellent value for money for long-term study including specially discounted accommodation rates
- Choose from full-time intensive or part-time courses
- Focus on improving your language skills and combine with choice of elective Study and Exam Modules
- Flexible weekly start dates every Monday\*
- Choose our Multi-Centre Option to experience life in different cities

#### PROGRAMME OPTIONS

- 28 lessons per week (all Colleges) (23.3 hours per week, full-day)
- 22 lessons per week (USA only) (18.3 hours per week, mornings or afternoons)
- 20 lessons per week (all Colleges) (16.7 hours per week, mornings)
- 20 lessons per week (all Colleges) (16.7 hours per week, afternoons)

#### MULTI-CENTRE OPTION (all Colleges)

Choose to study at two, three or more St Giles Colleges to experience life in different parts of the UK, the USA and Canada. You study at the centre of your choice for minimum of 12 weeks. We will help take care of everything including your accommodation in different cities. Your student records are transferred with you making sure that your progress is carefully monitored throughout the course.

Our IS Courses are ideal if you are looking to spend six months or a year to improve your language level, to experience British, American or Canadian life and culture, or to take a year out before university. Your programme is carefully structured to ensure that you improve your level, develop confidence in using English, and take at least one recognised international examination.



I was able to gain an internationally recognised qualification as part of my course. The choice at St Giles is excellent!

Romain Rossi, Switzerland

## Study and Exam Modules

Our Modules help you to personalise your programme to best fit your needs and objectives and offer variety to your course. Choose from Modules which focus on your career or international exams.

## Course Objectives

By the end of our International Semester Courses you should:

- be able to communicate more effectively and confidently, across a range of different skills
- have gained an internationally recognised qualification for your future career or academic life
- have the experience of living abroad independently

## Courses Designed for:

- students who want to follow a long-term, structured programme, and achieve international exam results

### Career Modules

- English for Business
- Cambridge BEC
- CBEI Business English Programme (Vancouver)
- English for Art & Design
- English for Tourism
- Volunteer Programme

### Exam Modules

- Cambridge FCE
- Cambridge CAE
- Cambridge CPE
- Cambridge Business English Certificate (BEC)
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- TOEIC

*Please note that some modules may have specific start dates, may only be available on full-day programmes, and may have entry level requirements or additional exam fees. Please see our Course Dates and Prices for these details.*

### Course Facts:

Level:	All levels, from Beginner* to Advanced
Course Duration:	24 weeks +
Start Dates:	Every Monday *
Lesson Length:	1 lesson = 50 minutes
Maximum in Class:	12 (average 9)
Available at:	• Brighton • Eastbourne • London Central • London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver

*\* Please note that there are dedicated start dates for Beginner Level students. Please see our Course Dates and Prices for these dates.*



## University Foundation Business Course (UFBC)

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- Intensive academic preparation for university life
- A guaranteed pathway to a British University
- Recognised by several reputable British universities
- An excellent record of placement at a range of high ranking universities
- Take a range of modular courses in business related fields
- Choose from fast-track 6 month or 9 month programmes

This course is for ambitious and focused students looking to obtain an undergraduate degree from a British university, and is your first step towards a successful international career.

You will study core modules including:

- Business Basics
- Business Organisation
- Economics
- Management
- Accounting and Finance
- HR in the Workplace
- International Business
- Business Law (optional)

You will take supporting modules designed to help you succeed in your future university life. These will include:

- Undergraduate Study Skills
- English for Academic Purposes
- IELTS preparation
- Introduction to British academic methods and learning culture

You will combine these with practical field visits to local universities, guest lectures, and project work.

On successful completion of our UFBC you are eligible for entry to a choice of undergraduate courses run by our partner universities. Our UFBC will prepare you for degrees in subjects such as:

- International Business
- Marketing
- Business Studies
- Business Administration
- Tourism
- Hospitality
- Law with Business
- Management
- Finance & Accounting
- Social Sciences
- Economics

## Support and Application to University

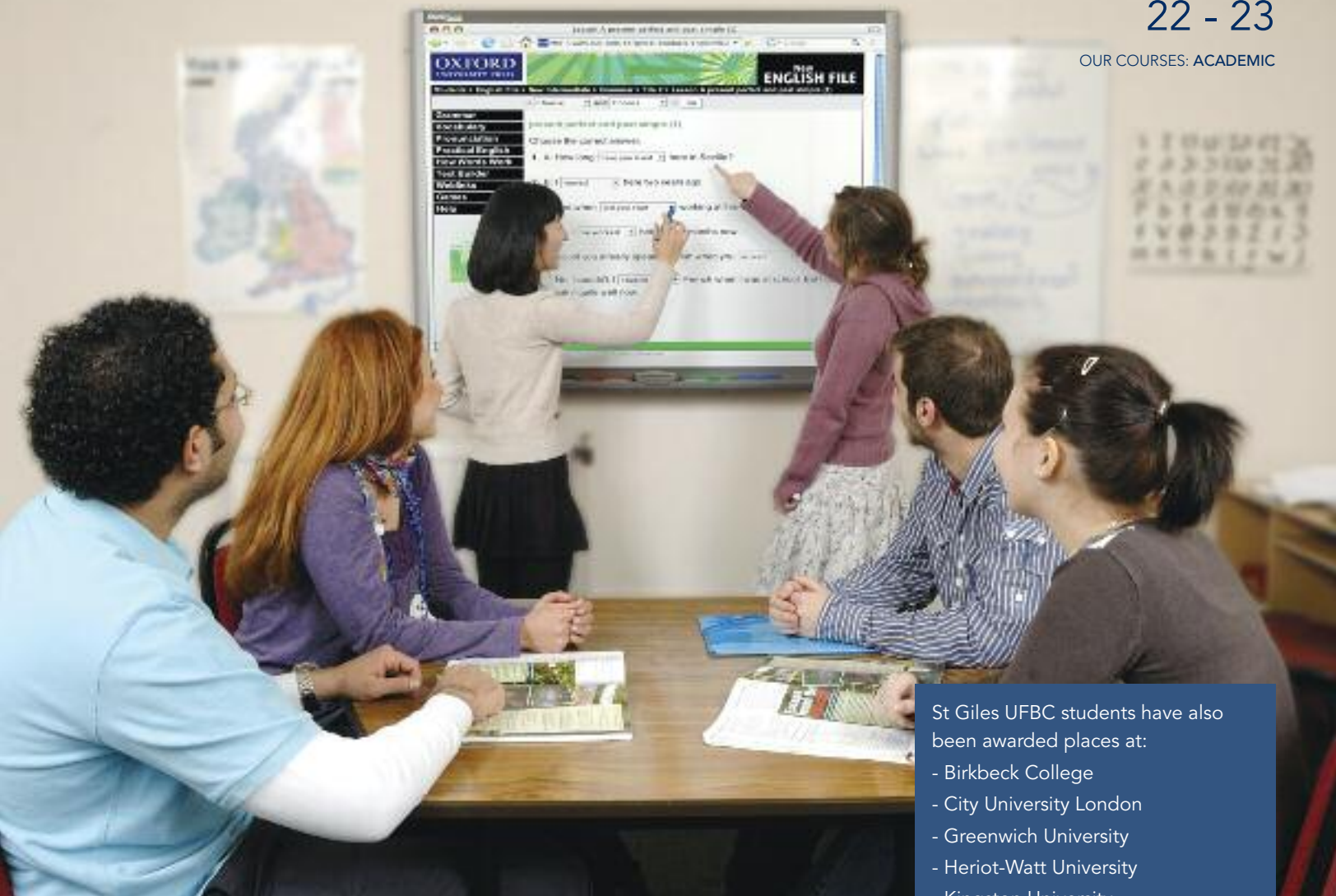
Our expert academic counsellors will assess your skills and will advise on the best courses and university for you, as well as supporting you through every stage of the application process.

## Course Objectives:

On successful completion of our University Foundation Business Course you should:

- have gained access to a British University, on your choice of degree course
- be able to demonstrate independent study skills and a comprehensive understanding of key business and management concepts
- have the language and study skills and confidence you need to succeed at a British University
- have the experience of living abroad independently





St Giles UFBC students have also been awarded places at:

- Birkbeck College
- City University London
- Greenwich University
- Heriot-Watt University
- Kingston University
- London Guildhall University
- The London Institute
- The London College of Fashion
- London Metropolitan University
- Middlesex University
- Reading University
- South Bank University
- University of the Arts, London
- University of Birmingham
- University of Bristol
- University College London
- University of Coventry
- University of Essex
- University of Kent
- University of London
- (Queen Mary College)

#### Course Facts:

Entry Requirements:	Good Secondary or High School Certificate - <i>please check with us</i> Letter of Recommendation from your college or school IELTS 5.0 or equivalent for standard 9 month courses IELTS 5.5 or equivalent for fast-track 6 month courses 18 years and over
Course Duration:	24 weeks (fast-track course) or 36 weeks (standard course)
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Lessons Length:	30 lessons per week (25 hours per week) 1 lesson = 50 minutes
Maximum in Class:	12 (average 8)
Available at:	• Brighton • London Highgate

Please see our Course Dates and Prices for these dates.

#### Courses Designed for:

- students who are looking for UK university entry, but do not have A levels or equivalent qualifications
- higher level applicants who want to study business related undergraduate degrees at a British University

#### PARTNER UNIVERSITIES

The following universities offer guaranteed places for UFBC graduates with suitable grades and IELTS scores:

- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Brighton
- University of Plymouth
- University of Sussex
- University of Chichester
- University of Winchester



University of Brighton





## International Semester Pathway Programme

- Earn credits while studying at one of our attractive partner colleges in the USA
- A pathway to graduation from a US university
- Enhance your CV and interact with US college students
- Choose from a range of Associate Degrees leading to a Bachelors Degree
- Free counselling and placement service to help you with your application
- Unconditional entry to our partner colleges for Advanced Level students

Available at St Giles San Francisco this course is designed to give you access to your choice of US Colleges and Associate Degree programmes. Join one of our IS Courses and benefit from having free placement counselling and advice from our trained university counselors.

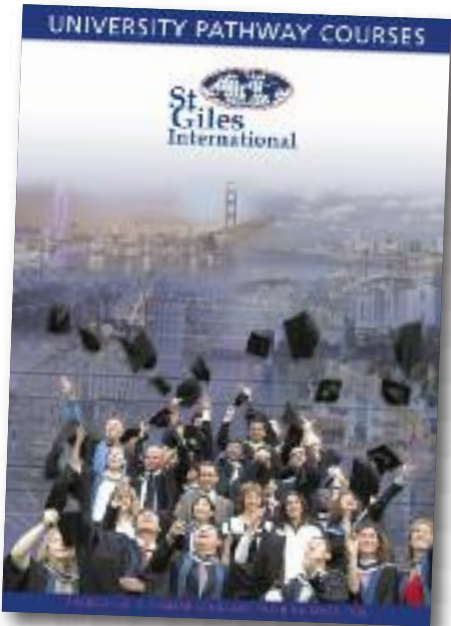
When you achieve advanced level in English we will start your application process to join any one of our partner colleges, for any subject that you choose.

A two-year Associates Degrees can be used as either a stand-alone qualification to improve your CV and career opportunities, or can be used as a credit to transfer directly into the third year of an American University.



Shorter programmes are available for higher level students.  
Please see our *University Pathway Courses* brochure for more details

Course Facts:	
Entry Requirements:	At Advanced level by the end of the ISC programme Good Secondary or High School Certificate Letter of Recommendation from your college or school 18 years and over by end of the programme
Course Duration:	24 weeks +
Start Dates:	Every Monday
Lesson Length:	20 or 22 lessons per week
Maximum in Class:	12 (average 8)
Available at:	• San Francisco





My teachers are friendly, experienced, and well-qualified. I had a fantastic time at St Giles!

*Dafne Segulin, Venezuela*

## English for Academic Purposes

Our English for Academic Purposes programme is a systematic and rigorous course designed to give you the key skills you will need for university life in Canada.

The course is designed to get you to a level of fluency where you can comfortably follow a course at an Anglophone university. The course also prepares you for college life, with a strong focus on your academic writing style (including note taking), study skills, practise in taking standardised exams, and an introduction to the local culture.

### Course Format

- Choose from 8 or more weeks of EAP
- 28 lessons per week of intensive preparation

### Course Content:

- listening skills such as extended listening, active listening and note-taking.
- reading skills such as finding information quickly in texts, summarising and paraphrasing
- writing skills such as planning and linking ideas, essay structure and presenting an argument
- speaking skills such as presenting ideas, leading discussions or seminars, debating and expressing an opinion
- introduction to North American academic methods and learning culture
- study skills including essay writing, independent research, critical analysis and thinking skills, advanced reading and presentation skills
- exam skills for the TOEFL exam including vocabulary and grammar work useful for the exam, and preparation for the different question types



### Combine this course with:

- as a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)

#### Course Facts:

Entry Requirements:	Intermediate + (lower level students will be placed in General) language training first, with progression to EAP)
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Available at:	• Vancouver



# Cambridge Exam Programmes

Every year over 1.5 million international students take a Cambridge Exam, and these are some of the best known and most respected formal qualifications recognised by commercial and academic institutions worldwide.

- Gain excellent exam results and improved career prospects
- Small classes ensure lots of support and attention from your tutor
- Taught by experienced and specialist tutors

## Course Format

- Choose from 8, 10 or 12 weeks of Exam Preparation
- Choose from 6 or 8 weeks of Exam Preparation for FCE Fast Track
- 20 or 28 lessons per week of intensive exam preparation
- Designed to cover all papers in the exam

## Course Content:

- exam techniques
- test-taking strategies
- preparation in each of the 4 skill areas: listening, reading, writing and speaking

Cambridge Examination and Preparation Courses	Entry Level	Start Dates	Exam Dates	Available
First Certificate in English (FCE)	Intermediate +	Jan   Mar   Sep	Mar   Jun   Dec	All Colleges
FCE Fast-Track (6 weeks)	Upper Intermediate +	Jul	Aug	Brighton, London Central
Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)	Pre-Advanced +	Jan   Mar   Sep	Mar   Jun   Dec	All Colleges
Certificate in Proficiency (CPE)	Advanced +	Jan   Mar   Sep	Mar   Jun   Dec	Brighton, London Central, London Highgate, San Francisco, New York City
Business English Certificate (BEC)	Intermediate + (BEC Vantage) Advanced + (BEC Higher)	Mar   Sep	Mar   May Jun   Dec	All Colleges

# IELTS Preparation Courses

The International English Language Testing Service (IELTS) is internationally recognized and is the entry requirement for universities and further education in the UK, Ireland, Australia and New Zealand. It is also recognised as a proficiency guide by many governments and employers.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Exam Dates:	Every 4 weeks (Every 2 weeks in London)
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	All Colleges

## Course Format

- Take 4+ weeks of IELTS preparation
- 20 morning lessons per week with the option to add 8 additional afternoon General English lessons (or 2 lessons of supervised study at our US centres)

## Course Content:

- exam techniques
- test-taking strategies
- preparation in each of the 4 skill areas: listening, reading, writing and speaking

## University Pathways

If you are thinking of going to College or University in the USA or Canada, or onto an undergraduate degree at a British university please see:

- University Foundation Business Courses (UFBC)
  - Brighton
  - London Highgate page 22-23
- ISC Pathway Programme
  - San Francisco, page 24
- English for Academic Purposes
  - Vancouver, page 25

## TOEFL Preparation Courses

The Test of English as a Foreign language (TOEFL) is the most popular exam for North American English, and the preferred English language qualification and entry requirement for universities in the USA and Canada.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Exam Dates:	Every 4 weeks
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brighton • London Central • New York City</li> <li>• San Francisco • Vancouver</li> </ul>

### Course Format

- Take 4+ weeks of TOEFL preparation
- 20 morning lessons per week with the option to add 8 additional afternoon General English lessons (or 2 lessons of supervised self study at our US centres)

### Course Content:

- exam techniques
- test-taking strategies
- preparation in each of the 4 skill areas: listening, reading, writing and speaking



## TOEIC Preparation Courses

The Test of English for International Communication (TOEIC) is an English proficiency test widely used to establish skills for the workplace, across all four language skills. It is a proficiency guide for many employers.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Exam Dates:	Every 4 weeks
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eastbourne • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver</li> </ul>

### Course Format

- Take 4+ weeks of TOEIC preparation
- 20 morning lessons per week with the option to add 8 additional afternoon General English preparation lessons (or 2 lessons of supervised self study at our US centres)

### Course Content:

- exam techniques
- test-taking strategies
- preparation in each of the 4 skill areas: listening, reading, writing and speaking

### Course Objectives

By successfully completing any exam preparation course you should:

- have achieved an internationally recognised exam result
- be able to demonstrate independent study skills and a comprehensive understanding of the structure of the English language at your level

### Courses Designed for:

- students looking for an internationally recognised exam
- motivated and focused students looking to improve all areas of their English language abilities
- students looking to enter an English speaking university either at home or abroad
- students on our IS Courses looking for a structured exam programme





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## OUR COURSES: VACATION

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Our vacation courses offer a range of language programmes which are combined with a variety of structured leisure and cultural activities to give you the time of your life.

- Choose from courses in the UK, Canada and the USA
- Enjoy an educational language holiday of a lifetime
- Explore the real Britain, Canada and USA
- Meet and get to know new friends who have similar interests



## California Experience Programme

Improve your English while exploring San Francisco and California with your teacher and your new friends.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Elementary +
Available at:	San Francisco

### Course Format:

- 2 week course with start dates throughout the year
- 20 lessons per week of general English in the afternoons with daily local sightseeing and leisure activities accompanied by your teacher in the morning
- Free time on weekends to explore on your own or with your new friends, or to join our exciting excursion programmes

### Activities may include:

- walking tour of downtown San Francisco
- shopping in Union Square or Fisherman's Wharf and Pier 39
- Bay Cruise and visit to Alcatraz Island
- MOMA
- visit to the artists quarter in Haight-Ashbury
- wine tasting
- North Beach
- tour of Chinatown
- Golden Gate Bridge walk

### Programme Objectives

By the end of the California Experience Programme you will have:

- improved your communication skills and be more confident and accurate in English
- explored famous San Francisco with your teacher
- learned about local arts, museums and culture
- made new friends and improved your conversational English skills

### Combine this programme with:

- California Delights tour for an unbeatable language holiday.

## California Delights Tour

An optional third week to your California Experience Programme, our Delights Tour offers you the opportunity to explore this beautiful state. Our all-inclusive package means that we take care of everything allowing you to relax and enjoy.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Elementary + 18 years +
Available at:	San Francisco

### Programme Format

- 1 week guided tour of California
- Package programme includes all transportation, accommodation for 7 nights, guides and entry charges, and a farewell gala dinner
- Returns to San Francisco International Airport for easy departure

### Activities may include:

- Santa Cruz
- Monterrey & Carmel
- Hearst Castle
- Santa Barbara
- Los Angeles Tour (with Disneyland option – entrance not included)
- Hollywood
- shopping in Beverly Hills and Rodeo Drive
- Long Beach
- Bakersfield and Yosemite National Park (2 days)

### Programme Objectives

By the end of the California Delights Tour you should have:

- made new friends with like minded people
- improved your conversational English skills
- learned more about California and explored some of the state's most interesting attractions

# Canadian Experience Programme

Improve your English while exploring Vancouver and British Columbia with your teacher and your new friends.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Elementary +
Available at:	Vancouver

## Course Format

- 2 week course with start dates throughout the year
- 20 lessons per week of general English in the mornings with local sightseeing and leisure activities in the afternoon
- Free time on weekends to explore on your own or with your new friends, or to join our exciting excursion programmes

## Activities may include:

- Vancouver City Tour
- Stanley Park and Vancouver Aquarium
- walking tour of artistic and vibrant Granville Island
- Forest top views from the Capilano Suspension Bridge
- Vancouver Harbour Cruise
- Whistler for skiing, snowboarding or white water rafting (supplements apply)
- Mountain biking in Whistler
- visit to Grouse Mountain with Gondola ride
- tour of University of British Colombia and the Museum of Anthropology
- trip to historical Burnaby Village
- Chinatown
- Vancouver Science Museum

## Programme Objectives

By the end of the Canadian Experience Programme you should have:

- improved your communication skills and be more confident and accurate in English
- explored beautiful Vancouver with your teacher
- learned about local arts, museums and culture
- made new friends and improved your conversational English skills



# New York Experience Programme

Improve your English while exploring New York City and state with your teacher and your new friends.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Elementary +
Available at:	New York City

## Course Format

- 2 week course with start dates throughout the summer
- 20 lessons per week of General English in the afternoons with daily local sightseeing and leisure activities accompanied by your teacher in the morning
- Free time on weekends to explore on your own or with your new friends, or to join our exciting excursion programmes

## Activities may include:

- Central Park
- Times Square
- NYC Public Library and Bryant Park
- Rockefeller Center
- Greenwich Village
- South Street Seaport
- Grand Central Station
- Wall Street
- Staten Island Ferry

## Programme Objectives

By the end of the New York Experience Programme you will have:

- improved your communication skills and be more confident and accurate in English
- explored the Big Apple with your teacher
- learned about local arts, museums and culture
- made new friends and improved your conversational English skills

## London Experience Programme

Improve your English while exploring London, one of the world's greatest capital cities, with your teacher and your new friends.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Every Monday from mid-June to end-August Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Elementary +
Available at:	London Highate

### Course Format

- 2, 3 or 4 week courses with start dates throughout the summer
- Choose from 15 or 20 lessons per week of general English in the afternoons with daily local sightseeing and leisure activities accompanied by your teacher in the mornings
- Free time on weekends to explore on your own or with your new friends, or to join our exciting excursion programmes

### Activities may include:

- central London walking tours to include Royal London and the Changing of the Guard
- Westminster and Houses of Parliament
- London Aquarium
- British Museum
- Tate Modern Art Gallery
- National Gallery
- The Tower Bridge Experience
- London Dungeon
- Tour of the BBC
- shopping in Oxford and Regents Street
- visit to artistic Notting Hill, Portobello Road and Holland Park
- River Thames Cruise
- London's Theatre Land and backstage tour of West End theatre

### Programme Objectives

By the end of the London Experience Programme you should have:

- improved your communication skills and be more confident and accurate in English
- experienced the buzz and vibrancy of Britain's capital with your teacher
- learned about local arts, museums and culture
- made new friends and improved your conversational English skills

### Vacation courses for young learners

See page 40-47

### Special Christmas Experience Courses

are also available for group bookings (14 or more students) at all Colleges. Please contact us with your request.

### Thirty Plus Programmes

An educational holiday with an activity programme carefully designed for mature adults. Courses available on request for group bookings (12 or more students) at St Giles Eastbourne. Please contact us with your request.





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## OUR COURSES: CAREER

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Our career courses are intended to keep you one step ahead in the international career market by giving you the skills and experience you need to communicate effectively and confidently in the world of business.

- Improve your skills for the world of work, or for an important promotion
- Gain valuable volunteer experience in an English speaking organisation
- Add an international dimension to your CV and enhance your career prospects
- Practical, skills based training to give you a competitive advantage



## English for Business

Learn new communication skills for the workplace.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Every Monday
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	• Brighton • Eastbourne • London Central • London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco

### Course Format:

- Choose from 2 to 12 weeks of Business English
- 8 Business English lessons combined with 20 additional lessons per week of General English

### Course Content:

- managing business meetings
- negotiation skills
- using the telephone for business
- delivering presentations
- writing professional reports, emails and letters

### Course Objectives

By the end of your English for Business Course, you should be able to:

- communicate more confidently in business meetings and over the telephone
- have a good understanding of key business concepts
- make a presentation in English
- speak more accurately and fluently

### Combine this course with:

- Volunteer Experience Programmes in the UK or USA
- the Cambridge Business English Certificate (BEC)
- as a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)

## Canadian Business English Institute (CBEI) Business English Programme

Practical content-based business English programme.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Every Monday
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	Vancouver

### Course Format:

- Choose from 4 to 40 weeks
- Full-time 28 lessons per week of Business English and Business Skills

### Course Content

This highly intensive programme is practical, hands-on and task-based with an emphasis on frequent role plays and real-life simulations. Learning also takes place outside of the classroom with team project work, field visits and practical case studies.

- meetings and communication strategies
- business language fluency
- making internal and external presentations
- understanding cultural differences
- marketing
- negotiation and selling
- using the telephone

### Course Objectives

By the end of your CBEI Business English programme, you should be able to:

- work successfully in an international business environment
- communicate effectively in high level business situations
- present information confidently with enhanced PowerPoint skills
- network and socialise naturally

### Combine this course with:

- Volunteer Experience Programmes in Vancouver
- as a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)

## Cambridge Business English Certificate (BEC)

Take an internationally recognised exam in business English skills.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please contact the College of your choice
Exam Dates:	March   May   June   November
Entry Level:	Intermediate + for BEC Vantage   Advanced for BEC Higher
Available at:	• Brighton • Eastbourne • London Central • London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver

### Course Format

- Choose from 8 to 12 weeks of general English + BEC exam preparation
- 8 BEC exam preparation lessons combined with 20 additional lessons per week of general English

### Take this exam as part of:

- English for Business
- CBEI Business English Programme
- a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)
- Volunteer Placement Programmes

# English for Tourism

Combine your general English course with English for the travel, tourism and hospitality industry.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	• Brighton • Eastbourne • London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver

## Course Format

- 4 week programme
- 8 travel and tourism lessons combined with 20 additional lessons per week of general English

## Course Content

You will study and practise the specialist vocabulary and communicative skills needed in tourism. The emphasis is on using language, particularly speaking, and a variety of authentic materials and situations are included. Topics include:

- the development of tourism
- holiday types
- jobs in tourism
- tour operators
- business travel
- cabin crew
- sales and marketing
- accommodation
- dealing with complaints
- future developments

## Course Objectives:

By the end of your Tourism programme, you should be able to:

- show a greater knowledge of the world of the travel, tourism and hospitality industry.
- communicate confidently in a range of different tourism-based situations

### Combine this course with:

- Volunteer Experience Programmes in hospitality in the UK, USA or Canada
- As a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)
- London Chamber of Commerce & Industry (LCCI) Certificate in English for Tourism

# English for Art & Design

Combine your general English course with English for Art & Design. Ideal if you are looking for experience in this field before going to university or just for leisure.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to Course Dates & Prices
Entry Level:	Intermediate +
Available at:	• London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco

## Course Format

- 4 week programme
- 8 art and design lessons combined with 20 additional lessons per week of general English

## Course Content

You will have the opportunity to accompany your teacher on Study Visits to local art and design museums, galleries and exhibitions (entry charges are not included). Topics include:

- contemporary art and artists
- history of art
- graphic design
- interior design
- fashion
- photography
- new media
- painting
- drawing
- textiles
- typography

## Course Objectives

By the end of your Art & Design programme, you should be able to:

- show a greater knowledge of the world of art, design and fashion
- have more experience in a variety of Art & Design subject areas

### Combine this course

- as a module on your International Semester Course (28 lessons only)



Volunteer Experience Programmes

Combine language learning with valuable volunteer experience with an English-speaking organisation for your future career.

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Every Monday
Entry Requirements:	Upper Intermediate at start of placement CV and Letter of Motivation 18 years and over
Available at:	All Colleges except New York City



Course Format:

	English Course	+	Placement
UK	4 weeks	+	4+ weeks
USA	4 weeks	+	12 weeks
CANADA	Minimum 4 weeks	+	4 weeks for unpaid
	6 months	+	6 months for paid

Visa Requirements:

UK:	EEA students only
USA:	Full Student Visa
Canada:	Full Study and Work Permit (Work Permit is available in Canada)

Placements Available (unpaid)

UK	Regular	Business Administration	Education	Fashion	Graphic Design	Hotel & Catering	Marketing	Media	Tourism
	Specialised	Architecture	Engineering	Finance	IT	Law			
USA	Regular	Business Administration	Catering	Hospitality	Legal Services	Sales & Marketing	Theatre & The Arts	Tourism	
	Specialised	Architecture	Engineering	Finance	IT				
CANADA		Business Administration	Banking & Finance	IT	Graphic Design	Hotel & Catering	Marketing	International Trade	Tourism

Placements Available (paid) – Vancouver Only

CANADA	Tourism & Hospitality or Restaurants & Retail
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# OUR COURSES: PLATINUM TRAINING

Our exclusive language and skills courses are designed for business professionals, or mature and ambitious learners, looking to develop their language and professional skills in the shortest amount of time.

- Improve your skills to perform better for yourself, your career, or for an important promotion
- Small group training in a focused environment ensuring you learn faster
- Choose from flexible and specialised one-to-one courses concentrating on what you want or need to learn
- Learn in our dedicated Platinum Centres offering the exceptional facilities, support and service that professional clients expect

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Every Monday
Entry Requirements:	21 + years Elementary + for Group classes Beginner + for One-to-one classes
Available at:	• Brighton • London Central • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver

As a Platinum client, you will have full use of our exclusive Platinum Lounges at any of our four locations. We offer you an environment that is elegant, calm and welcoming, with a range of complimentary business facilities and services.

- Free email and internet access with both desktop and wireless facilities
- Access to printers, copiers and fax machines allowing you to keep in touch with your business
- Complimentary refreshments, including coffee and tea, soft drinks, and light snacks
- An environment in which you can relax, practice your English naturally, and network with like-minded professionals from all over the world
- A dedicated social and leisure programme designed for you as a professional



## Platinum Group

Course Facts:	
Course Duration: 1 week +	Lesson Length: 1 lesson = 50 mins
Level: Elementary +	Maximum in Class: 5

### Course Format

- Choose from 15, 20, 25, 30 or 35 lessons per week
- Small classes mean the highest levels of personal attention and interaction with your trainer

### Course Content:

- meetings and communication strategies
- business language fluency
- making internal and external presentations
- understanding cultural differences
- marketing
- negotiation and selling
- using the telephone
- writing business communications
- general language coaching

### Course Objectives

By the end of your Platinum Group programme, you should be able to:

- communicate more confidently
- participate more successfully in meetings
- expand your professional vocabulary
- socialise and network with greater confidence
- work successfully in an intercultural environment

### Combine this course with:

- Platinum One-to-One Courses for a more intensive and tailor-made programme
- Platinum Telephone Training after your course to maintain your learning momentum

# Platinum One-to-one

Course Facts:	
Course Duration: 1 week +	Lesson Length: 1 lesson = 50 mins
Level: Beginner +	Maximum in Class: 1

## Course Format

- Choose from 15, 20, 25, 30 or 35 one-to-one lessons per week
- Lessons are completely tailor-made, designed exclusively to meet your needs
- Flexible objectives – linguistic, skills-based, or specialised industry focused lessons – depending on your needs
- Ideal if you are short of time and want to maximise your progress

## Course Content:

Course content is managed by you but can typically include:

### Linguistic

- General and/or Business English options
- development of weaker areas

### Skills

- meetings and communication strategies
- business language fluency
- making internal and external presentations
- understanding cultural differences
- marketing
- negotiation and selling
- using the telephone
- writing business communications

### Specialised

- Law
- Finance
- Medicine
- Military
- Journalism
- PA and Administration
- Human Resources
- Aviation
- Management
- Marketing

Please contact us with your requirements, and for a personal training schedule.

## Course Objectives

By the end of your Platinum One-to-one programme, you should:

- have improved performance in key areas you needed to develop
- have expanded your professional vocabulary
- have identified future areas of study

### Combine this course with:

- Platinum Group classes to benefit from the dynamics of small group coaching
- Platinum Telephone Training after your course to maintain your learning momentum
- Platinum Weekend Training if you only have a limited amount of time

Please see our Platinum brochure for more details







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## OUR COURSES: TEACHER TRAINING

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St Giles was one of the first organisations to offer training for English language teachers in the UK. Each year around 450 new teachers graduate from our courses in the UK and USA. We offer training for native and near-native speakers who wish to qualify as teachers and development courses for non-native teachers who want to develop their methodology, broaden their knowledge, improve their classroom management skills, or to take an international exam.

- Over 50 years' experience in helping and training language teachers
- Programmes delivered by experienced and skilled teacher trainers, who are also practising teachers
- Benefit from learning in busy and lively language schools, with some of the latest in modern ELT multi-media resources and facilities
- Our learner-centred focus and small classes means you have lots of support from your trainers
- Advice and support in finding work and developing your career with our worldwide network of employment opportunities



## Cambridge CELTA

The Cambridge Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA) is one of the two most widely recognised international certificates in teacher training, and is the requirement for many teaching posts in reputable language schools or universities worldwide.

### Course Facts:

Start Dates: Most months

Course Duration: 4 weeks

Available at: • Brighton  
• London Highgate • San Francisco

### Course Format:

- designed for native or near-native level speakers of English
- the initial qualification needed in the UK and at well respected schools internationally
- 4-week programme of intensive study

## Trinity Cert. TESOL

The Trinity Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) is one of the most widely recognised international certificates in teacher training, and is the requirement for many teaching posts in reputable language schools or universities worldwide.

### Course Facts:

Start Dates: Most months

Course Duration: 4 weeks

Available at: • Eastbourne  
• London Central

### Course Format:

- designed for native or near-native level speakers of English
- the initial qualification needed to teach in the UK and at well respected schools internationally
- 4-week programme of intensive study

## Teachers of English Programme (TEC)

The St Giles Teachers of English programme is a teacher development programme designed for practising non-native English teachers. This short course will help you to improve both your English skills and your classroom methodology. Your input will help to shape the course and you will be able to meet other teachers from all over the world. There is no formal assessment, but you can prepare for the Cambridge TKT (see below).

### Course Facts:

Start Dates: Regular dates throughout the year

Entry Requirements: 21 + years

Course Duration: 2 weeks (4 week option available in San Francisco)

Available at: • Brighton  
• Eastbourne • London Central  
• London Highgate • San Francisco

## Cambridge TKT

The Cambridge TKT (Teaching Knowledge Test) is an award for practising English language teachers, designed to test your professional knowledge. It aims to increase your confidence, and career prospects, by focusing on the core teaching knowledge required by teachers of primary, secondary or adult learners from all over the world. It can be taken at any stage in your teacher career, including if you have not yet started.

We offer the TKT as part of our TEC and ICELT Module One Courses.

### Course Facts:

Available at:

• Brighton • San Francisco

## Cambridge ICELT

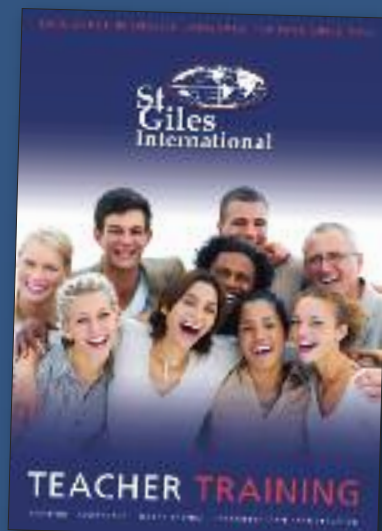
The Cambridge ICELT is an award for practising teachers of English, which aims to develop candidates' teaching knowledge and expertise. It is divided into two modules. The second can only be completed in the candidates' home country. St Giles Brighton offers both modules for closed groups – please contact us for more details.

### Course Facts:

Available at:

• Brighton

Please see our Teacher Training brochure for more details







Please see our Junior Summer Camps brochure for more details

**The programme includes:**

- 20 lessons of English per week
- all meals
- residential accommodation
- 24 hour care, supervision, and support
- airport transports (supplements apply)
- 1 full day and 1 half day excursion per week
- full daytime and evening activity programme
- all course materials and leaving certificate

## OUR COURSES: JUNIOR RESIDENTIAL SUMMER CAMPS

- Excellent levels of care and supervision, 24 hours a day\*
- Choice of centres in the UK, USA and Canada
- Fully residential programmes on attractive and safe campuses
- Fast-paced, inclusive and exciting lessons
- Action-packed, varied, and educational activity programme

St Giles offers a choice of high quality residential summer centres in the UK, USA and Canada selected for their excellent facilities and secure environments. Caring for children and young adults means we need to think of everything and we offer a complete package programme for our students.

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\* 14+ years students, with our consent, may be permitted limited unsupervised time





## Canterbury \*8 to 10 and 10-17 years

One of the world's oldest Public Schools, our King's School campus is located in the secure precincts of the world famous Canterbury Cathedral, in the centre of the ancient city of Canterbury. The School's sports facilities – including swimming pool, gym, playing fields – are just a short walk from the residences and world class teaching facilities, while the medieval College buildings make for a magical experience. A safe, self-contained campus, with a smaller capacity means that this is ideal for younger learners or those going abroad for the first time.

- Set in the grounds of world-famous Canterbury Cathedral
- A safe, secure campus ideal for younger learners
- World class sporting and educational facilities
- Maximum 12 per class, with high levels of supervision and care



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 150 students

**Ages:** 8 and 9 years in groups  
10 to 17 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
single or shared rooms (2, 3 and 4)  
with shared bathrooms (4 sharing)

**Class Size:** 12 students per class

### Facilities:

- 25m swimming pool
- Indoor sports hall
- Several tennis courts
- Outdoor playing fields



## Cheltenham 10-17 years

For over 150 years Cheltenham Ladies' College has been at the forefront of British education, and enjoys a worldwide reputation for academic excellence. The beautiful school is ideally placed in the heart of Cheltenham and is perfectly located for connections to both Oxford and London. In the summer, the College offers our young learners outstanding facilities including interactive whiteboards in all classrooms, accommodation of an excellent standard, a dedicated sports centre, a 25m award winning swimming pool and modern performing arts centre.

- Study at one of the UK's leading private schools
- World class sporting facilities
- Located in the heart of historic Cheltenham

*Our summer courses at Cheltenham are run as a co-educational young learner experience.*



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 130 students

**Ages:** 10 to 13 years  
14 to 17 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
shared rooms with shared  
bathrooms (4 sharing)

**Class Size:** 12 students per class

### Facilities:

- Indoor swimming pool
- Indoor sports hall
- Gym and fitness suite
- Tennis courts
- Arts Centre



## London Kingston 14-18 years

Our London Kingston Campus is located in the affluent, riverside suburb of Kingston-Upon-Thames, 15 minutes from Central London. Our location offers instant access to the attractions of London and the historic sites of Kew Gardens, Hampton Court Palace and Richmond Park. Based on the modern campus of Kingston University the university offers impressive teaching facilities with classrooms having interactive whiteboards, projectors and multi-media resources. Students are accommodated in modern, comfortable, private rooms with shared lounges and bathroom/showers.

- Excellent access to London’s attractions
- Ideal for more independent learners, looking for the London experience
- Modern campus with excellent facilities



Key Features:	
Capacity:	150 students
Ages:	14 to 18 years
Accommodation:	residential accommodation, single rooms with shared bathrooms (4 sharing)
Class Size:	15 students per class
Facilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Modern classrooms with projectors</li><li>• Outdoor playing fields</li><li>• Indoor swimming pool</li><li>• Large sports hall</li></ul>



## Nottingham 10-13 and 14-17 years

Our Nottingham campus is located on a self-contained modern university campus and is only minutes away from the city centre. The many attractions of the North of England are within easy distance, including Cambridge, Manchester, Warwick and York. Trips to London are also included on the programme. Our campus is located in the heart of 330 acres of sculptured lawn and parkland, with sports fields, tennis courts, an indoor sports centre and Olympic standard swimming pool all on the same site. Excellent residential accommodation is in good quality single or twin rooms. All accommodation, teaching and meals are in the same building – ensuring the highest levels of care, support and supervision.

- Safe, secure and self-contained campus ideal for younger learners or those going abroad for the first time
- Lots of personal attention in a warm and friendly atmosphere
- Ideal for access to the North of England’s many attractions



Key Features:	
Capacity:	150 students
Ages:	10 to 13 years 14 to 17 years
Accommodation:	residential accommodation, single or twin rooms with shared bathrooms (4 sharing)
Class Size:	15 (average 12)
Facilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 25m swimming pool</li><li>• Indoor sports hall</li><li>• Outdoor playing fields</li><li>• Several tennis courts</li></ul>





## Oxford 14 to 18 years

Our Oxford campus is located in beautiful private grounds on the safe Oxford Brookes Headington Hill campus. Located only a short 15 minute walk from the Oxford city centre the campus is regarded as one of the UK's most modern, offering the highest standards of accommodation, leisure and teaching facilities. On-site facilities include an indoor multi-purpose sports hall, outdoor playing fields and plenty of green outdoor space in which to relax and enjoy our social programme. Outstanding residential accommodation is in a new building with top quality single rooms, all with en-suite bathroom and shower.

- **The Classical Oxford experience**
- **Outstanding accommodation in single, en-suite rooms**
- **Set in beautiful parkland, with modern teaching facilities**



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 180 students

**Ages:** 14 to 18 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
single rooms with en-suite  
bathroom

**Class Size:** 15 students per class

### Facilities:

- Indoor swimming pool
- Indoor sports halls
- Tennis courts
- Theatre
- Outdoor sports field



## Southampton 12 to 17 years

Our Southampton Summer Camp is located on the city-centre campus of Southampton Solent University. A vibrant, lively and growing modern city, Southampton has a rich historical and cultural heritage although remains one of the UK's greenest cities. With one of Britain's largest and most exciting shopping centres, an exciting waterfront setting, Southampton is also a perfect base to see London and South Coast attractions. With a lively, action-packed programme, on a modern campus, our Southampton campus is ideal for students looking for the city experience.

- **City centre location, close to all attractions**
- **High quality, modern, single en-suite rooms**
- **Ideal location for South Coast and London visits**



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 250 students

**Ages:** 12 to 17 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
single rooms with en-suite bathroom

**Class Size:** 15 students per class

### Facilities:

- Playing Fields
- Indoor sporting facilities
- Student Union and Theatre





## Boston 12 to 13 and 14-17 years

Founded in 1636, Harvard is the oldest of all US universities and today remains at the very top of the Ivy League, enjoying a global reputation for academic excellence, leadership and innovation. Our teaching and residential accommodation take place opposite the world-famous Cambridge Common, minutes from Harvard Yard, in the safe and attractive collegiate town of Cambridge, Massachusetts. The historic city of Boston is just 15 minutes away. An open town campus means that this centre is ideal for more independent, mature learners.

- Study at the oldest and most famous Ivy League US University
- Located in the safe collegiate town of Cambridge, Massachusetts
- Only minutes to the historic heart of Boston



Key Features:	
Capacity:	110 students
Ages:	12 and 13 years in groups 14 to 17 years
Accommodation:	residential accommodation, single with shared bathrooms (6 sharing)
Class Size:	15 students per class
Facilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Indoor swimming pool</li><li>• Indoor sports halls</li><li>• Several tennis courts</li><li>• Theatre</li><li>• Athletics track</li></ul>



## Florida, Tampa Bay 14-17 years

The Admiral Farragut Academy is a leading naval school founded in 1933. The school is located in St Petersburg, Tampa Bay, and is set in an attractive 33 acre campus which includes its own private bay front for on-site sailing lessons. The school offers top class recreational and sporting facilities; whilst the beaches of Fort Desoto, Tampa Bay and Busch Gardens are all within easy reach. Orlando - with Walt Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios, and Adventure Island – is also only 75 minutes away making it a perfect excursion destination. A smaller school means excellent levels of individual care and attention, alongside a fantastic activity programme.

- Experience living and learning in ‘The Sunshine State’
- Safe and compact campus, with high levels of personal attention
- Excellent social and activity programme, including optional sailing lessons



Key Features:	
Capacity:	110 students
Ages:	14 to 17 years
Accommodation:	residential accommodation, twin or triple rooms with shared bathrooms (ratio of 1:3 or 1:4)
Class Size:	12 students per class
Facilities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Outdoor swimming pool</li><li>• Indoor sports hall and gym</li><li>• Several tennis courts</li><li>• Outdoor playing fields</li><li>• Baseball diamond</li><li>• Private bay front for sailing lessons</li></ul>



## New York 14 to 17 years

St Giles New York is based on the Queen's College Campus of the City University of New York. Located on a tree-lined, 77-acre campus with grassy open spaces, Queens College has a traditional quad and a spectacular view of the Manhattan skyline, which is only 30 minutes away. Top class sporting and recreational facilities are available on campus, including indoor sports hall, athletic tracks and swimming pool, along with a range of modern cafes, outdoor dining, and attractive communal recreational areas.

While learning takes place on a relaxed and safe campus setting, our New York centre is ideal for students looking to explore the 'Big Apple' and enjoy one of the world's greatest cities.

- High quality single and shared rooms in newly built residence
- Set in a beautiful suburban university campus, within easy reach of Manhattan
- Ideal for more independent learners looking for the New York City experience



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 200 students

**Ages:** 14 to 17 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
twin rooms with shared bathrooms  
(4 sharing)

**Class Size:** 15 students per class

### Facilities:

- Indoor swimming pool
- Indoor sports halls
- Several tennis courts
- On-campus shops and cafes
- Athletics track



## San Francisco 10 to 13 and 14-17 years

Located on the campus of California State East Bay University, our San Francisco Summer Camp offers the combination of vibrant Californian life and a safe and secure campus located 40km from the city centre. Situated in the scenic Hayward Hills and overlooking San Francisco Bay, this is a relaxed, fun and caring summer camp experience. We offer excellent facilities, high standards of accommodation, and easy access to downtown San Francisco.

- Modern university campus offering high accommodation standards
- Fun, varied and exciting activity programme
- Excellent educational and sporting facilities, including a large swimming pool
- Self-contained campus, meaning lots of support and supervision



### Key Features:

**Capacity:** 200 students

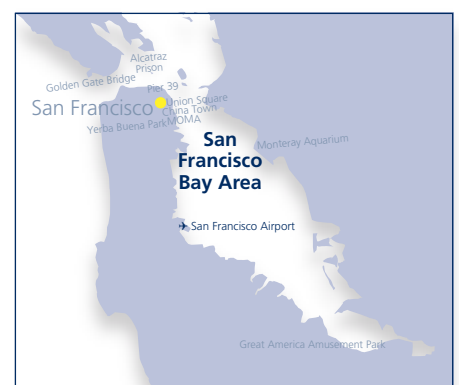
**Ages:** 10 to 13 years  
14 to 17 years

**Accommodation:**  
residential accommodation,  
twin rooms with shared bathrooms  
(4 sharing)

**Class Size:** 15 students per class

### Facilities:

- Outdoor swimming pool
- Several tennis courts
- Athletics track
- Gymnasium
- Attractive 'Food Court' and on-site shopping





## Vancouver 10 to 17 years

Founded in 1908, the University of British Columbia (UBC) today enjoys a global reputation for academic excellence. Nestled in acres of beautiful gardens, UBC is an inspiring setting for both studying and socialising, offering countless recreation opportunities. Impressive on-site facilities and attractions include the Vancouver Museum of Anthropology, an award winning Arts Centre, Botanical Gardens, the 763-hectare Pacific Spirit Park and world class sporting facilities. UBC offers the modern university experience, as well as accommodation of an extremely high standard.

- Outstanding campus with award winning facilities and attractions
- Experience Canadian University life
- Only 45 minutes to the heart of downtown Vancouver



Key Features:	
Capacity:	200 students
Ages:	10 to 13 years 14 to 17 years
Accommodation:	
residential accommodation, single or shared rooms with shared bathrooms (8 Sharing)	
Class Size:	12 students per class
Facilities:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Olympic swimming pool</li><li>• Athletics track</li><li>• Indoor sports hall</li><li>• On-campus shops and cafes</li><li>• On-campus cinema</li></ul>	



## Eastbourne 14+ years

St Giles College Eastbourne (see pages 50-51) is located on the sunny English South Coast, and only 90 minutes from London and 30 minutes from Brighton. We offer a year-round programme for young learners aged 14 years +, with a choice of carefully selected host families all of whom are within walking distance of the school. Eastbourne is a safe and peaceful town and our small College means lots of personal attention and support. Young students at Eastbourne have access to our full range of courses from 1-52 weeks and may be taught in classes with adult students.

- Year-round centre with start dates every Monday
- Homestay accommodation within walking distance of the College
- Safe and relaxing town ideal for younger learners
- Small friendly College with high levels of care and attention



Key Features:	
Capacity:	300 students
Ages:	14+ years
Accommodation:	
homestay accommodation, single or shared rooms with shared bathrooms	
Class Size:	12 students per class
Facilities:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Heated swimming pool</li><li>• Student café</li><li>• Award-winning gardens</li><li>• Self-Access Centre</li><li>• Computer room</li></ul>	









### Key Facts:

Capacity: 500

Classrooms: 40

Min. Age: 16 years +

Class Size: Max 12 (14 ISC)

Computers: 39 and Free Wi-Fi

### Travel Times

London 55 mins

Heathrow 110 mins

Gatwick 15-30 mins

Homestay 15 to 30 mins by bus

Residence 10-15 mins walk

Hotels/  
Guest Houses 5-20 mins walk



## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES BRIGHTON

- One of Britain's largest seaside cities
- Young city, with two universities, good nightlife and a varied cultural scene
- Large friendly city-centre school with an exciting atmosphere





## Our College – in the heart of this vibrant city

Our Brighton College is in the centre of the city, opposite the iconic Royal Pavilion, only minutes from the beach and the city's main shopping and entertainment.

A young cosmopolitan city with a population of 250,000, Brighton is only an hour from London and rivals the capital for its outstanding restaurants, fashionable pubs and bars, its successful arts and theatre scene and buzzing student population. An excellent nationality mix means our Brighton College is ideal for students looking for a lively and cultural experience.

## Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 39 Student Computers
- Library
- Student Café
- Self-Access Centre
- 12 Interactive Whiteboards
- Student bookshop
- Platinum Centre and lounge



## Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the UK and Europe during your time with us.

Our activities include:

- London Tours and Theatre Evenings
- Canterbury and Leeds Castle
- Oxford and Windsor
- Cambridge and Greenwich
- Scotland and The Highlands
- Premiership Football
- Paris and Disneyland/Versailles
- Amsterdam and Bruges
- Belgium and Germany

### Top 5 Brighton attractions:

- Brighton Beach and Palace Pier
- The Royal Pavilion
- South Downs National Park
- The Theatre Royal and Komedia Club
- The Brighton Festival

## Course Finder:

### General English

- 15, 20 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

### Academic

- ISC and Multi-Centre ISC
- University Foundation Business Course
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- Cambridge FCE, CAE and CPE

### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- Volunteer Experience
- English for Business
- English for Tourism

### Platinum Training

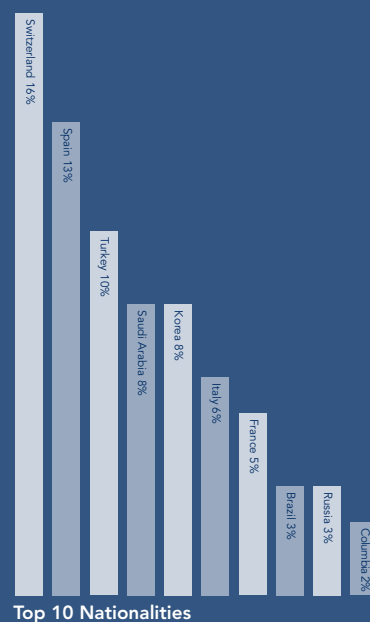
- 15, 20, 25, 30, or 35 lessons per week (mini-group or 1:1)
- Platinum Plus
- Platinum Telephone Lessons
- Platinum Weekend Lessons

### Teacher Training

- Cambridge CELTA
- Cambridge ICETL
- Teachers of English Courses

## Accommodation Finder:

- Summer Residence
- Homestay
- Superior Homestay
- Hotels
- Guest Houses



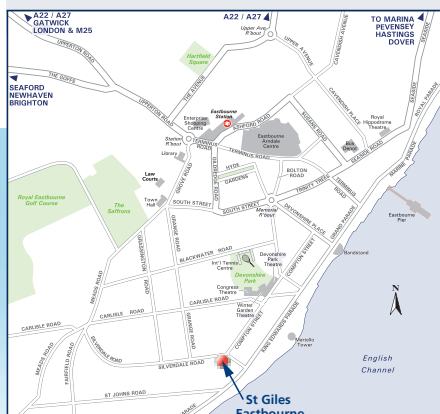


### Key Facts:

Capacity:	300
Classrooms:	16
Min. Age:	14 years
Class Size:	Max 12 (14 ISC)
Computers:	31 and Free Wi-Fi

### Travel Times

London	90 mins
Brighton	30 mins
Gatwick	60 mins
Heathrow	120 mins
Homestay	25-30 mins walk
Residence	10-25 mins walk
Hotels/ Guest Houses	5-20 mins walk



## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES EASTBOURNE

- Safe and relaxing atmosphere ideal for focused study
- All accommodation within walking distance of the College
- Smaller school with high levels of individual attention
- Excellent value for money





## Our College – peaceful, safe and relaxed

St Giles Eastbourne is only a 5-10 minute walk from the town centre and beach. Our elegant school building is surrounded by award winning private gardens and patios for relaxing outside, and also offers an outdoor heated swimming pool.

A friendly town, with a population of just 90,000, Eastbourne is considered very safe and easy to explore. The town's reputation for being Britain's sunniest attracts over 4 million visitors a year. Our College is ideal for students looking for a more personal learning experience, or for younger students going abroad for the first time.



## Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 30 Student Computers
- Library
- Student Café
- Heated swimming pool
- Garden Terrace
- Self-Access Centre
- 6 Interactive Whiteboards
- Student bookshop

## Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the UK and Europe during your time with us. Our activities include:

- London Tours and Theatre Evenings
- Canterbury and Leeds Castle
- Oxford and Windsor
- Cambridge and Greenwich
- Liverpool and Manchester
- Scotland and The Highlands
- Premiership Football
- Paris and Disneyland/Versailles
- Amsterdam and Bruges
- Belgium and Germany

### Top 5 Eastbourne attractions:

- Award Winning beaches
- Seven Sisters Country Park
- Beachy Head
- The South Downs Way
- Beach water sports

## Course Finder:

### General English

- 15, 20 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

### Academic

- ISC and Multi-Centre ISC
- IELTS
- TOEIC
- Cambridge FCE and CAE

### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- Volunteer Experience
- English for Business
- English for Tourism

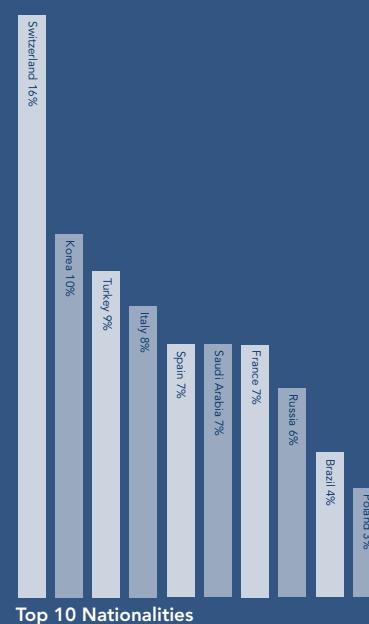
### Teacher Training

- Trinity Cert. TESOL
- Teachers of English Courses

### Junior Homestay Programmes

## Accommodation Finder:

- Summer Residence
- Homestay
- Junior Homestay
- Hotels
- Guest Houses





### Key Facts:

Capacity:	700
Classrooms:	51
Min. Age:	16 years +
Class Size:	Max 12 (14 ISC)
Computers:	58 and Free Wi-Fi

### Travel Times

Gatwick	60 mins
Heathrow	60 mins
Homestay	45-60 mins
Residences	On site or 10-15 minutes walk
Hotels	3-15 mins walk or tube





## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES LONDON CENTRAL

- Study English in one of the world's great cities
- Magnificent school located in the heart of the capital
- Option to live on-campus
- Large, busy, friendly school

### Our College – experience London life

Our London Central College occupies a magnificent 100-year old building in the heart of fashionable and artistic Bloomsbury and is situated opposite Russell Square and a 5 minute walk to the world famous British Museum. London Central is a large, lively school with a truly international feel and is perfect for students looking to benefit from modern study facilities and enjoy everything that life in the capital has to offer.

### Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 47 Student Computers
- Library
- Student Café open evenings and weekends
- Roof Terrace
- Self-Access Centre open evenings and Saturday mornings
- 13 Interactive Whiteboards
- Student bookshop
- Platinum Centre and lounge

### Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the UK and Europe during your time with us. Our activities include:

- London Tours and Theatre Evenings
- Canterbury and Leeds Castle
- Oxford and Windsor
- Cambridge and Greenwich
- Liverpool and Manchester
- Scotland and The Highlands
- Premiership Football
- Brighton
- Paris and Disneyland/Versailles
- Amsterdam and Bruges
- Belgium and Germany

### Top 5 London attractions:

- London Eye and Tate Modern
- The British Museum
- Regent and Oxford Street Shopping
- Covent Garden and Theatreland
- Palace of Westminster and Big Ben



### Course Finder:

#### General English

- 15, 20 or 28 lessons per week
- English Plus

#### Academic

- ISC and Multi-Centre ISC
- IELTS | TOEFL
- Cambridge FCE, CAE and CPE

#### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- Volunteer Experience
- English for Business
- English for Tourism

#### Platinum Training

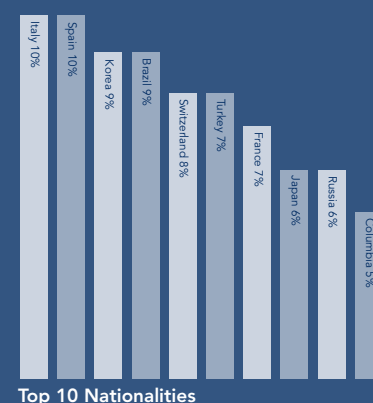
- 15, 20, 25, 30, or 35 lessons per week (mini-group or 1:1)
- Platinum Plus
- Platinum Telephone Lessons
- Platinum Weekend Lessons

#### Teacher Training

- Trinity Cert. TESOL
- Teachers of English Courses

### Accommodation Finder:

- Year-round on-site Residence
- Summer Residences
- Homestay
- Superior Homestay
- Hotels



Top 10 Nationalities

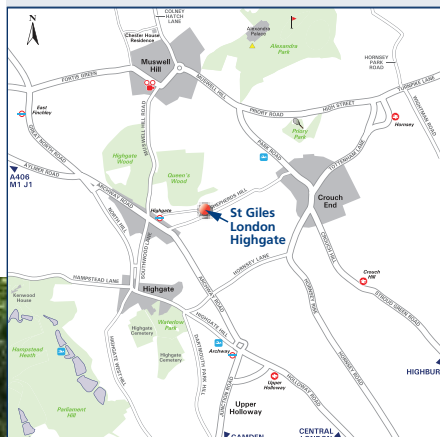


### Key Facts:

Capacity:	330
Classrooms:	23
Min. Age:	16 years +
Class Size:	Max 12 (14 ISC)
Computers:	34 and Free Wi-Fi

### Travel Times

Gatwick	60 mins
Heathrow	50 mins
Homestay	15-30 mins
Residences	15-20 mins
Hotels	15-30 mins



## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES LONDON HIGHGATE

- Safe, fashionable North London suburb perfect for focused study
- Friendly medium-sized school with high levels of personal attention
- Only 20 minutes from Central London
- Large, English garden







## Our College – safe, focused, and only minutes from Central London

Our London Highgate College occupies a beautiful classical building in the fashionable and artistic suburb of Highgate. Highgate is a leafy and prosperous part of the city with excellent transport connections to Central London, which is only 20 minutes away. Many of our host families and residences are within easy walking distance of the College and local sports, shopping and leisure facilities are excellent.

Highgate is a welcoming school and combines a relaxed atmosphere with expert teaching and high academic standards - ideal for learners looking for a focused place of study with lots of personal attention.

## Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 32 Student Computers
- Student Café and conservatory
- Garden and lawns
- Self-Access Centre and Library
- 9 Interactive Whiteboards
- Student bookshop



## Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the UK and Europe during your time with us. Our activities include:

- London Theatre Evenings
- Edinburgh
- Oxford and Windsor
- Greenwich
- Liverpool and North Wales
- York, Peak District and Bronte Country
- Isle of Wight
- Brighton
- Cambridge
- Paris and Disneyland/Versailles
- Amsterdam and Bruges
- Belgium and Germany

### Top 5 Highgate attractions:

- Open-air concerts in Kenwood Park
- Muswell Hill Village
- Kenwood House Museum and Gallery
- Alexandra Palace
- Shopping in fashionable Camden Town

## Course Finder:

### General English

- 15, 20 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

### Academic

- ISC and Multi-Centre ISC
- University Foundation Business Course
- IELTS
- Cambridge FCE, CAE and CPE

### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- Volunteer Experience
- English for Art & Design
- English for Business
- English for Tourism

### Teacher Training

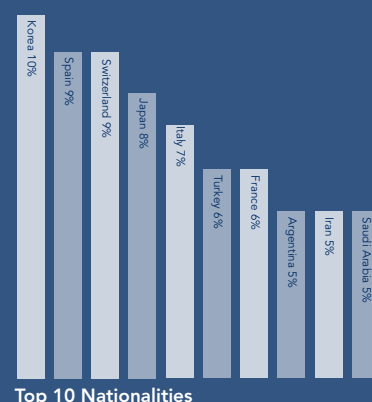
- Cambridge CELTA
- Teachers of English Courses

### Vacation

- London Experience Programme

## Accommodation Finder:

- Year-round Residence
- Summer Residence
- Homestay
- Hotels



Top 10 Nationalities



**Key Facts:**

Capacity:	250
Classrooms:	14 General
	6 Platinum
Min. Age:	16 years
Class Size:	Max 12
Computers:	35 and Free Wi-Fi

**Travel Times**

JFK	30 mins
Newark Liberty	30 mins
Nearest Subway	5 mins walk
Homestay	35-50 mins by subway
Residences	15-30 mins by subway
Hotels	15-30 mins walk or subway





## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES NEW YORK CITY

- Prime location on famous Fifth Avenue, next to the Empire State Building
- Modern, state-of-the-art language learning facilities
- Live and learn in the heart of vibrant Manhattan

### Our College – in the centre of Manhattan

St Giles New York City is situated on Fifth Avenue in the very heart of Manhattan. Our College occupies an attractive refurbished art-deco office block with views over New York's most famous avenue. The Empire State Building, Macy's department store, Greenwich Village, Times Square, and many more of New York's sights are only moments away.

Our medium-sized College offers a combination of excellent levels of personal attention and support in a truly international environment, with the excitement and vibrancy of living and learning in one of the world's greatest cities.

New York offers more than 80 world-class museums, nearly 150 on and off-Broadway theatres, 30 concert halls and world class shopping, restaurants and bars – a city with something for everyone. Our College is ideal for learners looking for the city experience right in the centre of the US's most popular study-travel destination.

### Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 35 Student Computers
- Library
- Student Café and Lounge
- Platinum Centre and Lounge
- Self-Access Centre
- Interactive Whiteboard in every classroom
- Student bookshop

### Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the city and the US during your time with us. Our activities include:

- New York Tours
- Broadway Theatre
- New York Yankees Game
- 3-day trip to Niagara Falls
- Boston Weekend
- Washington Weekend
- Museum of Modern Art (MOMA) and Guggenheim
- American Natural History Museum
- Concerts in Central Park
- Comedy Evenings in Greenwich Village/SOHO

### Top 5 New York Attractions:

- Statue of Liberty
- MOMA
- Natural History Museum
- Empire State Building
- Fifth Avenue Shopping



### Course Finder:

#### General English

- 20, 22 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

#### Academic

- ISC 22 and 28 lessons
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- TOEIC
- Cambridge FCE, CAE and CPE

#### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- English for Business
- English for Tourism
- English for Art & Design

#### Platinum Training

- 15, 20, 25, 30, or 35 lessons per week (mini-group or 1:1)
- Platinum Plus
- Weekend Lessons
- Telephone Lessons

#### Vacation

- New York Experience Programme

#### Junior Residential Summer Camp

### Accommodation Finder:

- Year-round Residences
- Homestay
- Superior Homestay
- Hotels





**Key Facts:**

Capacity:	300
Classrooms:	34
Min. Age:	16 years +
Class Size:	Max 12 (14 ISC)
Computers:	50 and Free Wi-Fi

**Travel Times**

SFO	30 mins
Homestay	30-45 mins
Residences	15-30 mins by foot or bus





## OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES SAN FRANCISCO

- Excellent city centre location close to all the attractions
- One of the USA's most cosmopolitan, vibrant and international cities
- Buzzing, friendly school with a warm and friendly feel

### Our College – a warm Californian welcome

Our College occupies two historic buildings which have been refurbished into modern business centres. The schools are opposite each other and located on famous downtown Market Street – home to some of the US's highest rated shopping and dining - and just two blocks from popular Union Square and the gates of Chinatown.

With a population of 800,000 the city combines commercial buzz with a lively and alternative 'beat' culture, making this a relaxed yet vibrant and welcoming city. Our medium-sized lively school, with a very international feel, is ideal for students looking for the Californian experience and a friendly welcome.

### Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- Digital Language Laboratory
- 50 Student Computers
- Library
- Student Cafés and lounges in both buildings
- Self-Access Centre
- 5 Interactive Whiteboards
- Student bookshop
- Platinum Centre and lounge

### Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the city, California and the USA during your time with us. Our activities include:

- Bay Cruise and Alcatraz Island
- Yosemite National Park
- Monterrey
- Lake Tahoe
- Sausalito
- Napa Valley and Sonoma Wine Regions
- Los Angeles and Hollywood
- Disneyland

### Top 5 San Francisco attractions:

- Union Square shopping
- Fisherman's Wharf and Pier 39
- Golden Gate Bridge walk
- Chinatown
- Yerba Buena Park and MOMA



### Course Finder:

#### General English

- 15, 20 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

#### Academic

- ISC and Multi-Centre ISC
- ISC Pathway Programme
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- TOEIC
- Cambridge FCE, CAE and CPE

#### Career

- Cambridge BEC
- Volunteer Experience
- English for Business
- English for Tourism
- English for Art & Design

#### Platinum Training

- 15, 20, 25, 30, or 35 lessons per week (mini-group or 1:1)
- Platinum Plus
- Weekend Lessons
- Telephone Lessons

#### Teacher Training

- Cambridge CELTA
- Teachers of English Courses

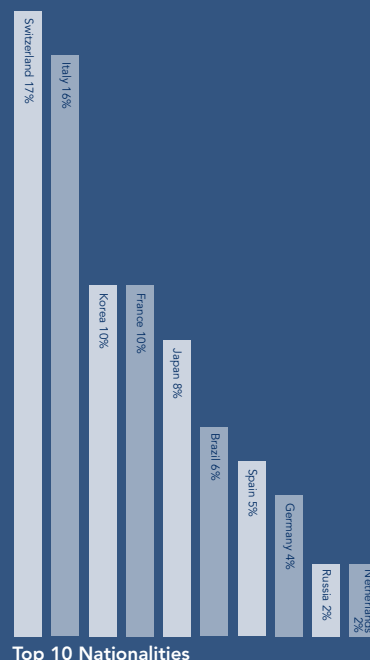
#### Vacation

- Californian Experience Programme
- California Delights Tour

#### Junior Residential Summer Camp

### Accommodation Finder:

- Year-round Residences
- Homestay
- Superior Homestay
- Hotels



**Key Facts:**

Capacity:	150
Classrooms:	14
Min. Age:	16 years +
Class Size:	Max 12 (14 ISC)
Computers:	20 and Free Wi-Fi

**Travel Times**

Vancouver International	30 mins
Whistler	120 mins
Homestay	30-40 mins
Residence	15-30 mins by foot or bus
Summer Residences	45 mins



# OUR COLLEGES: ST GILES VANCOUVER

- Learn in the heart of Vancouver
- One of the world’s most beautiful and vibrant cities
- Safe and relaxed atmosphere and high levels of personal attention







## Our College – your personal learning experience

Our centrally located school is in a popular area of the business district within easy walking distance of the main shopping and entertainment areas, and minutes from the spectacular harbour-side. The College occupies the 4th floor of a modern office building and has a professional and spacious feel.

With a population of just over 500,000 Vancouver achieves a balance of offering all the attractions of modern urban living, while being small enough to provide a safe and welcoming atmosphere. Our small, friendly College is ideal for students looking for high levels of personal attention and support.

## Facilities

- Free Wi-Fi
- 20 Student Computers
- Student Café and Lounge
- Self-Access Centre
- 1 Interactive Whiteboard
- Platinum Centre and lounge

## Your Free Time

Our exciting and varied activity programme gives you plenty of opportunity to explore the city, British Columbia and Canada during your time with us. Our activities include:

- Banff and the Rocky Mountains
- Seattle
- Vancouver Island
- Whitewater rafting
- Skiing weekends in Whistler
- Trip to ice hockey and baseball games
- Ice skating and snowboarding

## Top 5 Vancouver attractions:

- Stanley Park
- Museum of Anthropology
- The vibrant neighbourhoods of Granville Island and Gastown
- Skiing or snowboarding at Whistler or Grouse Mountain
- English Bay Beach

## Course Finder:

### General English

- General English 20 or 28 lessons per week
- General English 1:1
- English Plus

### Academic

- English for Academic Purposes
- International Semester Courses
- IELTS
- TOEFL
- TOEIC
- Cambridge FCE and CAE

### Career

- Volunteer Experience (paid/unpaid)
- CBEI Business English
- English for Tourism

### Teacher Training

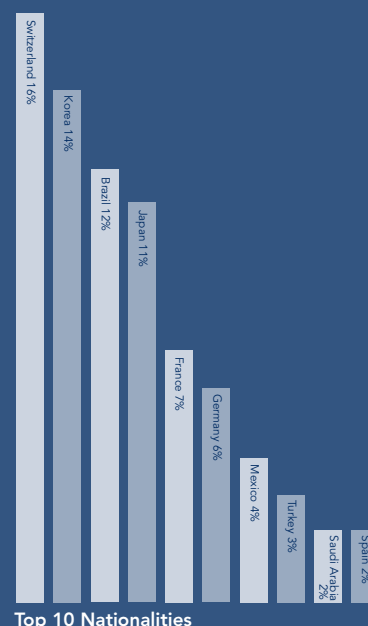
- 15, 20, 25, 30, or 35 lessons per week (mini-group or 1:1)
- Platinum Plus
- Weekend Lessons
- Telephone Lessons

### Vacation

- Canadian Experience Programme

## Accommodation Finder:

- Year-round Residence
- Summer Residence
- Homestay
- Superior Homestay
- Hotels



# OTHER ST GILES SERVICES

## St Giles Brazil

Our joint venture partnership with specialist language travel agent Central de Intercambio (CI) allows our Brazilian Colleges to combine the teaching expertise of St Giles, with CI's understanding of the needs of the Brazilian English language training market.

### St Giles Brasilia

Learn in Brazil's capital city and the country's 4th largest. A UNESCO World Heritage site, Brasilia is also famous for its modern and dynamic urban architecture and design. We have a small friendly College located in the centre of this magnificent city, as well as a College in Taguatinga, a suburb of the city.

## In-Company Platinum Training

Our Platinum Directors are happy to meet with you to discuss your needs for in-company training. In-company programmes are delivered at your premises, are designed specifically for the language training needs of your staff, and are arranged to your timeframes. Please contact us for further details, or to arrange for a bespoke programme.

Available at:

- London
- New York City
- Brighton
- San Francisco
- Vancouver

## In-Country Teacher Training

We have many years experience of delivery of teacher training programmes abroad. These programmes are designed specifically for the needs of your school, college or university. Programmes can include ICELT Module 2, the Cambridge Teacher Knowledge Test (TKT), or simply a bespoke refresher programme. Please contact us for further information.

### St Giles Campinas

Campinas is a vibrant university city, just north-west of Sao Paulo, and our contemporary College is located in the city's business and commercial centre.

### Course Finder:

**General English for adults**

**General English for juniors**

**Cambridge CELTA**

**Cambridge TKT**

**Portuguese as a Foreign Language (General and Business)**

### Accommodation Finder:

- Residences • Homestay • Hotels

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## Foreign Language Training



In partnership with Cactus Language Training we offer intensive foreign language courses in all of our Colleges. You can choose evening and weekend courses in over 13 languages:

- Arabic
- Chinese (Mandarin)
- Croatian
- French
- German
- Hebrew
- Hindi
- Italian
- Japanese
- Polish
- Portuguese (Brazilian)
- Russian
- Spanish

### Course Content

- focus on language you can use in real life situations
- preparation in each of the 4 skills areas – speaking, listening, reading and writing
- topical focus including cultural tips and advice

Course Facts:	
Start Dates:	Please refer to website
Entry Level:	Beginner +
Available at:	• Brighton • London Central • London Highgate • New York City • San Francisco • Vancouver

Please visit [www.stgiles-international](http://www.stgiles-international) for more details and information on how to book.





## YOUR NEXT STEP WITH ST GILES INTERNATIONAL

### Booking with St Giles – joining world class living and learning

- Contact your nearest St Giles representative in your home country, or
- Contact us for a list of your local representatives who will help guide you through your study and travel plans, and enrolment with us, or
- Enrol direct online at [www.stgiles-international.com](http://www.stgiles-international.com) or
- Complete our Enrolment Form and fax or mail it to us

#### Need more information?

If you need anything answered which is not in this brochure, please contact your local agent or alternatively our Student Services Team in the UK, USA and Canada.

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### Before you leave – providing everything you need

#### Passports and Visas:

We will provide you with all the support you need if you require a visa to enter the UK, USA or Canada. We will send you everything you need to make a successful visa application.

- Our UK Centres are listed on the Register of Sponsors as Highly Trusted Tier 4 Sponsors and are licensed by UKBA to issue CAS documents to assist with your visa application
- Our San Francisco and New York City centres are authorised under Federal Law to enrol international students
- As a member of Languages Canada, Vancouver is able to provide documents to support your Visa application

#### Confirming your booking

Before you leave we will send you or your agent all the detailed information you need about your travel, study and accommodation arrangements with us.

#### Paying

If you are enrolling through a local representative, you may make payment to them. If enrolling directly, please pay by direct bank transfer or credit card to St Giles International. You'll find details on the enrolment form and at [www.stgiles-international.com](http://www.stgiles-international.com)  
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