

Academic Centre For International Students:

SEMESTER 2 2018/2019

ENGLISH for ACADEMIC PURPOSES LANGUAGE SKILLS SUPPORT

EAP language skills support sessions are free to International students registered at the University of Southampton. All classes assume a starting level of IELTS 6.0 or above. Semester 2 support classes run from (week3) **Monday February 11th to (week12) Friday May 22nd 2018.** There are no classes during the Easter vacation (April).

Teaching week 2: Enrol online via the university online store short courses web page <http://store.southampton.ac.uk/short-courses>

Enrol via EAP support web page. www.southampton.ac.uk/ml/international/language_support/eap.page

*Please consult your academic subject timetable before you choose a class you are able to attend. You can attend a maximum of two classes. If you are **UNABLE TO REGISTER**, the class is full.

Teaching week 3: Skills classes begin

Block 1 groups start Monday 11th Feb & end Friday 15^h March (5 weeks)

Block 2 groups start: Monday 18th March & end Friday 17th May (5 weeks)

Weekly Skills Support Classes, Groups & Tutors

<input type="checkbox"/> Academic Writing Skills		8 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on common academic writing functions and conventions. We will also focus on aspects of grammar and there will be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.			
Academic Writing Skills		Day, Time & Location	Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	13 th Feb	Wednesday 10am-12pm	Chris Cullen
Group 5: Start Date	20 th March	65/1157	
Group 2: Start Date	14 th Feb	Thursday 2pm-4pm	Wendy Jones
Group 6: Start Date	21 st March	34/5001	
Group 3: Start Date	15 th Feb	Friday 11am -1pm	Karla De Lima Guedes
Group 7: Start Date	22 nd March	65a/2251	
Group 4: Start Date	15 th Feb	Friday 11am-1pm	Jo Dunman
Group 8: Start Date	22 nd March	2/ 3041	
<input type="checkbox"/> PGT (Masters) Dissertation Writing Skills		6 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on a number of functions common to PGT Masters dissertation writing and common writing conventions. They will also focus on aspects of grammar. There will be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.			
PGT Dissertation Writing Skills		Day, Time & Location	Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	12 th Feb	Tuesday 2pm-4pm	Chris Cullen
Group 4: Start Date	19 th Feb	65b 1005	
Group 2: Start Date	12 th Feb	Tuesday 4pm-6pm	Chris Cullen
Group 5: Start Date	19 th Feb	65/2103	
Group 3: Start Date	15 th Feb	Friday 9am-11am	Chris Cullen
Group 6: Start Date	22 nd March	65a/ 2251	

Academic Centre For International Students:

SEMESTER 2 2018/2019

ENGLISH for ACADEMIC PURPOSES LANGUAGE SKILLS SUPPORT

PGR (PhD) Thesis Writing Skills			2 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on a number of functions common to PGR research writing and common writing conventions. They will also focus on aspects of grammar. There will be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.				
PGR Thesis Writing Skills		Day, Time & Location		Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	11 th Feb	Monday	4pm-6pm	Mary Page
Group 2: Start Date	18 th March	58/1009		
Grammar for Writing Skills			4 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on a number of important grammatical features common to academic writing that help to communicate ideas clearly. There will be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.				
Grammar in Writing Skills		Day, Time & Location		Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	11 th Feb	Monday	9 -11am	Victoria Rowe
Group 4: Start Date	18 th March	65/ 2103		
Group 2: Start Date	13 th Feb	Wednesday	10am-12pm	Sarah Winspear
Group 5: Start Date	20 th March	65/2103		
Critical Thinking Skills			2 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on the skills and strategies you need to think, read and write critically. There will also be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks				
Critical Thinking Skills		Day, Time & Location		Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	15 th Feb	Friday	1pm -3pm	Linda Hurley
Group 2: Start Date	22 nd March	28/1017		
Seminar and Presentation Skills			4 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on the skills and language involved in academic oral communication: speaking in academic contexts giving presentations and participating in seminar discussions. There will also be opportunities to relate the content to work in your own discipline. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.				
Presentation & Seminar Skills		Day, Time & Location		Tutors
Group 1: Start Date	11 th Feb	Monday	12pm-2pm	Mary Page
Group 3: Start Date	19 th March	54/10037		
Group 2: Start Date	12 th Feb	Tuesday	9am-11am	Wendy Jones
Group 4: Start Date	19 th March	7/3031		

Academic Centre For International Students:

SEMESTER 2 2018/2019

ENGLISH for ACADEMIC PURPOSES LANGUAGE SKILLS SUPPORT

Everyday English Skills		4 groups	5 Weeks
Classes will focus on all the four language skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing in non-academic situations. There will also be opportunities to relate the content to your life in Southampton. Each course lasts for 5 weeks.			
Everyday English Skills		Day, Time & Location	Tutors
4 groups			
Group 1: Start Date	15 th Feb	Friday	9am-11am
Group 3: Start Date	22 nd March	28/1019	Jo Dunman
Group 2: Start Date	15h Feb	Friday	3pm-5pm
Group 4: Start Date	22 nd March	28/1017	Jo Dunman

Other Useful Study Skills Resources

☐ **SKILLS for SUCCESS**

If you are newly arrived at the University of Southampton and would like to receive some general information about academic study or wish to drop in at the academic hub at Hartley library, please go to <http://library.soton.ac.uk/english/skillsforsuccess>

☐ **LANGUAGE LEARNING & ACADEMIC ENGLISH ADVISING: INDIVIDUAL TUTORIAL HELP**

A Language Advisory Service is available in the Library & Learning Commons to give advice and support to anyone wishing to learn or already learning a language. We offer face to face advising during the academic year. For more information, please go to https://www.southampton.ac.uk/ml/cls/language_and_academic_advising.page
Contact the Language Advising Service staff at advising@soton.ac.uk

☐ **SELF-ACCESS LANGUAGE STUDY and LANGUAGE LEARNING SOFTWARE**

We have a wide selection of language learning materials and multi-media resources to help you with your English. These are located in the Library & Learning Commons area at Avenue Campus, Room 2155 where advisors are available to guide you through the material during term time. Please go to <http://library.soton.ac.uk/lc>
Contact the Language Resources Centre staff at alenqs@soton.ac.uk

☐ **THE EAP (ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES) TOOLKIT**

On your homepage of Blackboard (the University's Virtual Learning Environment), you will find a link to the EAP Toolkit. This is a set of online learning resources in Study Skills and English for Academic Purposes for self-study. The resource contains over 100 interactive learning resources or 80 hours of activity based learning and covers Learning Skills, Academic Writing, Reading and Critical Thinking, Listening and Note-taking, Communication Skills, Grammar and Vocabulary for Academic Purposes. Please go to <https://blackboard.soton.ac.uk/>

☐ **Discipline Specific English Language Skills Support.**

If your department would like additional and more specific English language skills support for students, please contact The ACIS Director of Programmes at R.M.Davies@soton.ac.uk

If you have any queries, please contact the Student Office, Room 1121 at the Avenue Campus or

Academic Centre For International Students:

SEMESTER 2 2018/2019

ENGLISH for ACADEMIC PURPOSES LANGUAGE SKILLS SUPPORT

For general enquiries email: eapcourses@soton.ac.uk

For specific information email: c.j.cullen@soton.ac.uk

Information is also available on the web at

https://www.southampton.ac.uk/ml/international/language_support/eap.page

ACIS: SEMESTER 2 2018/2019

ENGLISH for ACADEMIC PURPOSES LANGUAGE SKILLS SUPPORT