



Established in 1910, Hales Institute is one of the oldest and most reputable private educational institutes in Melbourne and has earned a reputation for providing high standards of Vocational Education and ELICOS (English Language Intensive Course for Overseas Students) education to international students.

We are located in the heart of Melbourne opposite the city square, only minutes away from public transport. We offer Certificate IV, Diploma and Advanced Diploma courses in I.T., Hairdressing and Hospitality (Commercial Cookery and Patisserie) and all courses are approved by the Australian Qualification Framework and recognized nationally and internationally.

Students can choose to study affordable and relevant courses which can lead to PR while also offering flexible payment options such as monthly installments. Understanding the needs of Central and Eastern European students, we offer them discounted fees for ELICOS courses (our regular price is 285\$/week).

Some of our unique advantages for the students:

- Highly qualified and experienced training staff.
- Student numbers are kept to a minimum so students can receive individual attention.
- Flexible timetables for students enabling students to gain valuable work experience.
- Recognizing the needs of international students, we have regular intakes during the course of the year.
- Hales Institute qualifications are fully recognized allowing our students to continue their studies at university.
- Free wifi in the students common room for students who wish to bring their notebooks
- For ELICOS we guarantee small classes with maximum students of 15, average number of students 10 – 13, 2 4 different nationalities. (I can email you our latest nationality mix if you wish).
- Efficient timetable – 15 minutes break instead of 1 or 2 hours lunch break. Teachers from many countries such as U.K, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand and Australia - many Hales teachers hold postgraduate diplomas or masters in TESOL and have long teaching experiences.
- Communicative classrooms and open door policy – peer observations amongst teachers are encouraged to develop teaching styles and methods.
- We develop our own resources and materials to suit individual student's needs and learning styles – resources gathered from Cutting Edge, Clock Wise, Market Leader, Inside Out and many more!
- Elective classes on Mondays and Tuesdays: (Business English, IELTS preparation, Grammar and EAP, Pronunciation and Conversation Strategies, Reading and Discussion, Real Australian English).
- ILC (Independent Learning Centre) with up-to-date software to meet the students' individual learning needs - IELTS preparation, grammar and listening practice, pronunciation, reading etc.
- We hold weekly consultation – one on one consultation with teachers to discuss students' progress and Students' reading, writing, speaking and listening skills are assessed weekly.
- Culture club – ran by our students e.g. language classes, dance, cooking demonstrations, chess club and many more classes.