

English in:

Malta St. Julians


School & Facilities in details:




The school is simply breathtaking - a sight to behold! It is of unique architectural interest and was built in the 1930s by the British to originally serve as army barracks. This striking stone building, with its classical Greek-like elements and Roman arcades, never fails to impress our students. The school is located in a quiet part of St. Julian's Bay, yet is close to the nightlife centre called Paceville. Our campus comprises classrooms, apartments, a residence, a bar, restaurant and disco, a video room, study room, library and games room, a volleyball court, and of course, our famous swimming pool. It really is the perfect place to study and relax. The sun shines practically all year round, making it a truly memorable outdoor experience with unlimited leisure opportunities.

- Beautiful school campus with classes, apartments and a residence, as well as a restaurant, disco, gardens, a pool and much more all in one location
- Varied social programme with activities and excursions to suit all tastes
- Excellently qualified teachers with many years of experience
- Campus is just a 10 minute walk from St. Julian's, Malta's entertainment centre
- All our host families are within walking distance of the school
- Air-conditioned classrooms, studios and comfort apartments
- Very good self access facilities including DVDs, books and videos to buy or borrow, a study and video room
- Languages spoken by the staff at the school: English, German, Spanish, French, Maltese & Italian
- Student Card: A student card with photo is issued on arrival.
- Bistro, Snacks and Drinks The Bistro in the school is the ideal place for our students to have their meals. Breakfast, lunch and dinner are offered, with drinks and snacks in-between. Students who have not booked meals in advance can also eat at the restaurant and pay directly in cash.
- Internet Room 7 computers with internet access available
- Wireless internet access for students with personal laptops is also available
- Study Room: A study room where students can do their homework and revise is available.
- Library Service: Open Monday to Friday, 08:00 to 13:00 in the Education Building. Books, grammar books, cassettes, videos and DVDs can be borrowed against a deposit. Dictionaries and self-study books are also on sale.
- Safe: Safes can be rented for 2.50 EUR per week

Courses:

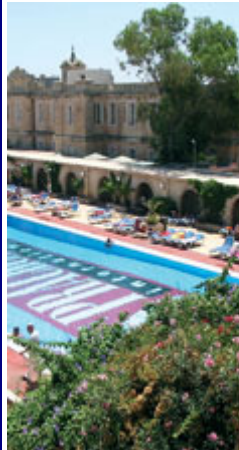
Standard Course	
<p>Characteristics</p> 	<p>The standard course offers students the perfect balance between language training and leisure time. A communicative approach developing fluency in speaking, listening, reading and writing ensures that the grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation components are applied to actual language use. Our teachers assess their students' learning needs and objectives on the first day, and then plan their lessons accordingly. In this way, our students are motivated to keep improving, while also having a good time! Minimum duration 2 weeks</p>
Timetable	<p>09:00 - 10:30 & 11:00 - 12:30 In summer, lessons can also be held from: 15:00 - 16:30 & 17:00 - 18:30</p>
Lessons	<p>4 lessons per day; 20 lessons per week; 5 days a week (Monday to Friday); 1 lesson = 45 minutes</p>
Students	<p>Max. 10 per class; minimum age for our adult programmes is 18.</p>
Business Course	
Characteristics	<p>This is the perfect option for students who want to focus on a specific language context. The course is made up of two components: the standard course for the first 4 lessons of the day, followed by 2 lessons of Business English.</p>
Timetable	<p>09:00 - 10:30, 11:00 - 12:30 & 13:00 - 14:30</p>
Lessons	<p>6 lessons per day; 20 lessons per week + 10 Business English lessons; 5 days a week (Monday to Friday); 1 lesson = 45 minutes</p>
Students	<p>Max. 10 per class; minimum age for our adult programmes is 18.</p>
Academic Term / Exam Preparation	
Characteristics	<p>The teaching approach is based on longer-term language objectives. The course also includes preparation for major internationally recognised examinations (Cambridge PET, FCE, CAE, CPE).</p>
Examinations	<p><u>Cambridge Preliminary English Test</u> PET recognises the ability to cope with everyday written and spoken communication. It indicates an ability to deal with situations which require a predictable use of language, read simple textbooks and articles,</p>



	<p>and write simple personal letters.</p> <p><u>Cambridge First Certificate in English</u> FCE recognises the ability to deal confidently with a range of written and spoken communication. Successful candidates will have a wide grasp of vocabulary, and should be able to construct an argument and use appropriate communication styles for a variety of situations.</p> <p><u>Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English</u> CAE is an advanced exam, and is for learners who have reached a standard of English that is adequate for most purposes. Success at this level indicates the ability to use English effectively and perform confidently in social and professional situations, and in higher education.</p> <p><u>Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English</u> The CPE is the highest level of the Cambridge exams and is recognised by universities and employers around the world. CPE is for learners who have achieved a high level of language skills and are approaching a standard of English similar to that of a native speaker.</p> <p>Starting dates for all above examination courses: 04.01.2009; 29.03.2009; 20.09.2009 IMP: Please note that the Cambridge Examination Preparation Courses start on the 20.09. (not on the 27.09. as published in the brochure!)</p> <p><u>IELTS Examination</u> - starting dates to be announced.</p>
Timetable	09:00 - 10:30 & 11:00 - 12:30 (Intensive: 13:00 - 14:30)
Lessons	4 lessons per day; 20 lessons per week; 5 days a week (Monday to Friday); 1 lesson = 45 minutes OR 6 lessons per day; 30 lessons per week; 5 days a week (Monday to Friday); 1 lesson = 45 minutes
Students	Max. 10 per class; minimum age for our adult programmes is 18.

Intensive Course

Characteristics	Ideal for students who want to learn the language more intensively. The additional lessons give one the opportunity to focus further on various aspects and contexts of the language - and still have time for the afternoon leisure activities!
Timetable	09:00 - 10:30, 11:00 - 12:30 & 13:00 - 14:30
Lessons	6 lessons per day; 30 lessons per week; 5 days a week (Monday to Friday); 1 lesson = 45 minutes
Students	Max. 10 per class; minimum age for our adult programmes is 18.

Individual One-to-One lessons	
	<p>The quickest and most intensive way to learn the language, our individual tuition is based on the student's learning needs and interests. The content is agreed upon between the student and the teacher, and the course is not dependent on published course starting dates. Special preparation for examinations is also possible.</p>
Timetable	To be agreed upon individually, in high season mainly in the afternoon.
Lessons	<p>2, 4 or 6 lessons daily. Lessons can be arranged from Monday to Friday to suit the student's individual plan, allowing for easy combination with leisure activities.</p> <p>Please note that if students book 2 private lessons daily, these will always be held in the afternoon.</p>
Students	Minimum age for our adult programmes is 18.

Accommodation options:

Standard Apartment



Standard self-catering apartments are shared by 5-6 students and have a bathroom, a fully-equipped kitchen, and standard furniture. Single or double rooms are available and breakfast, half board or full board can be booked additionally.

Our self-catering standard apartments are located on campus. Please note, however, that during peak season standard apartments may also be located a 10-15 minute walk from campus.

Comfort Apartment

Comfort self-catering apartments are larger and more comfortably furnished than standard apartments. They are usually shared by 5 students and have a bathroom and a fully-equipped kitchen. Single or double rooms are available and students can book breakfast, half board or full board additionally. Comfort apartments are located on campus in low and peak season and are air-conditioned.

Studio

Private, self-catering studios can be booked as single or double rooms. The studios are well furnished and nicely decorated. Students can book breakfast, half board or full board additionally. Studios are located on campus and are air-conditioned.



Hotel** / B&B**

We work together with several four-star hotels close to the school. Breakfast is included in the price.

Host Family / half board

Host families are all within walking distance of the school. Single and double rooms available. Half-board is included. Please note that during peak season, single rooms are not available.

COURSE STARTING DATES:



arrival Sunday, courses start Monday, departure Saturday
 Bold = suitable for complete beginners
 for 2010 bookings sent after 01.12.09 the new pricelist will apply

Jan				Feb				Mar		Apr			May			Jun			
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