

VIRTUAL SCHOOL IELTS



WHAT'S INCLUDED:



TUITION

Tuition- 15 hours per week with a qualified and experienced teacher



ACTIVITY

3 activities per week to complement your lessons



SPEAKING

Targeted Speaking Practice- time to work with a partner to really improve your communication skills



TUTORIAL

A one to one tutorial each week to discuss your progress



SELF STUDY

A task is set each day based on the four skills to consolidate what you have learnt in class



CERTIFICATE

Initial level test and end of Course certificate

CLASS SIZE:
MAXIMUM CLASS SIZE OF 10

DATES:
29 JUNE - 28 AUGUST
(ENROLMENT ANY MONDAY)

COURSE TIMETABLE:
MONDAY - FRIDAY: 3 HOURS PER DAY
08:00-12:00 OR 14:00-18:00
(15 HRS TOTAL)

ACTIVITIES:
3 PER WEEK

AGE GROUP:
14- 17 YEARS

MINIMUM LEVEL:
B1+ (4.5 IN IELTS)

COURSEBOOK:
READY FOR IELTS*

* Each Student will need to purchase the coursebook for their studies

PRICES

GROSS PRICE:
£205 PER WEEK
+ £50 REGISTRATION FEE

SUMMARY

Stafford House's IELTS Preparation course will develop both your English skills and improve your exam technique. Your skills will improve through the use of past papers and interactive online classes. Your classes will focus on:

- Skim reading for meaning, scanning for detail & paraphrasing
- Methods & strategies for successful integrated & independent writing
- Listening strategies for gist and for detail
- Sample papers & continuous practice of your specific speaking tasks

IELTS INDICATOR ONLINE TEST

IELTS have introduced an online exam which covers each of the four skills and can be taken in the comfort of your own home. Our online IELTS preparation course is the perfect way to prepare for this test and ensure that you continue your education journey.

- The test is available once a week from 22 April 2020
- It uses live test questions and is marked by IELTS examiners
- The Listening, Reading and Writing is completed in one sitting while the Speaking test will be taken a few days before or after
- You will receive an indicative score for each section and an overall band score within 7 days of taking the test

*Please note that this is not a substitute for the in-person IELTS test and you may need to take an in-person test at a test centre once testing resumes. Contact your university or education provider for their specific requirements.

THE ONLINE WAY

- Our online classes will use the same tried & tested Stafford House IELTS teaching methodologies and create our classroom atmosphere online
- Topic-based approach to exam training
- The four skills: reading, writing, speaking & listening will be trained
- Teachers will use online "break out rooms" allowing both pair & group work to take place - essential for the speaking components of the exam and to encourage a collaborative class atmosphere
- Our online classes are designed to be interactive- videos, audio and shared boards will encourage students to collaborate with their teacher and each other
- Blended learning methods will be used and reading / writing tasks will be completed during self-study and feedback completed in class to maximise online class time
- When appropriate, tasks / projects will be shared via a forum so that students can see each other's work to help each other and get inspiration and feedback from their peers
- Online class whiteboards will be saved so students will be able to refer back to anything they may need to
- Online tutorials will encourage students to be self-motivated and will provide targeted feedback on their exam preparation progress
- Full mock IELTS test every two weeks (e.g. week 1 Reading and Listening and week 2 Writing and Speaking)
- Between 1 and 2 hours homework / private study time required per day in addition to review new language and error correction from classes



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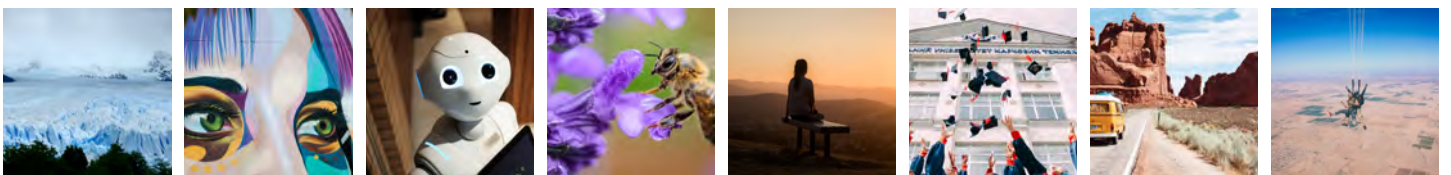
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Course runs 08:00-12:00 or 14:00-18:00

SAMPLE DAY	LESSON 1	<p>Things to get you thinking</p> <p>Ted Talk: Which country does the most good for the world?</p> <p>Debate and Discussion - IELTS Speaking Task 3</p>
	LESSON 2	<p>Language Focus</p> <p>General Nouns- adjective match: IELTS Reading summary completion questions</p> <p>Speaking Spot: Describing previous opportunities and problems - IELTS Speaking Task 2</p>
	LESSON 3	<p>Listening - IELTS Listening- analysing questions and predicting answers</p> <p>Understanding and interpreting exam questions- what information am I listening for</p>
	ACTIVITY	<p>The Stafford House Great British Virtual Quiz</p>
	SELF STUDY	<p>Extended Task- Writing Task 2</p> <p>Essay- Do you think trains could replace aeroplanes in the future? Why / Why not?</p>

TOPICS INCLUDE:



Global Issues, Is This Art?, The Future, Fruits of Nature, Money & Well-being, Work & Education, Travel, Thrill Seekers

ACTIVITIES

A Stafford House online activity will provide the perfect opportunity to mix with your classmates, use the words & phrases that you have learnt in class and even pick up a new skill.

Activities will take place 3 days per week at 18:30 UK time.

Activities include: blog writing, international event, lip sync battle, talent show, scavenger hunt, virtual city & museum tours.

TEACHERS

Teachers will have a minimum of a BA/ BSc degree and CELTA Trinity Cert TESOL qualification for the teaching of English as second language. In addition they will have prior experience of preparing students for the IELTS examination. The teachers also have regular development and training from our academic managers.

*Successful outcomes for students on the programme depend on students' motivation, completion of work outside the classroom and adherence to only communicating in English throughout the course.