

Programs

English Language programs

Academic Communication Skills Program (ACSP) -

CRICOS code (International applicants): 102584M

- **Resident status:** students on international student visas, or students from non-English speaking

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Articulation can occur:

- From [English for Academic Purposes](#) - EAP 2 to ACS 1 to [Category 3](#) programs
- From ACS1 to [Category 3](#) programs
- From ACS 1 (Requires 70% minimum final grade) to ACS 2.
- From ACS 2 to ACS 3 or [Category 4](#) programs
- From ACS 3 to [Category 5](#) programs.

Required time limits

Standard duration of the on-campus program is a minimum of 10 weeks and a maximum of 30 weeks.

Core courses

Each level of ACS is designed to further advance your academic English language skills and ensure you are prepared to integrate effectively in an Australian academic setting.

Course	Campus
ACS0001	Springfield, Toowoomba
ACS0002	Springfield, Toowoomba
ACS0003	Springfield, Toowoomba

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

This program is delivered in all semesters up to four times per year. Students' entry points depend on their proven, pre-existing level of English proficiency.

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- **Minimum academic requir**

Consult the Handbook on the Web at <https://www.unisq.edu.au/handbook/current> for any updates that may occur during the year.
English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELES) - ELICOS (2022)

The program is delivered across all semesters up to five times per year. Students can enter the program at Week 1 or Week 6. Students' entry points depend on their proven, pre-existing level of English proficiency.

English for Academic Purposes (EAPP) - EAPS

CRICOS code (International applicants): 069700B

	On-campus
	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (Jul159.628 582.481 159.628 628.081 159.528 12.x ary)

The full set of levels criteria and qualification type descriptors can be found by visiting www.aqf.edu.au.

Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

- **Resident status:** students on international student visas or students from non-English speaking backgrounds resident in Australia
- **Minimum academic requirements:** completion of senior secondary schooling in the home country **or** Year 12 in an Australian High School **or** completed 'A' levels.
- **English Language Entry Requirements:**
 - EAP I - An entry level of IELTS 5.0 or equivalent
 - EAP II (Undergraduate and coursework) - An entry level of IELTS 5.5 or equivalent
 - EAP II (Postgraduate research) - An entry level of IELTS 5.5 or equivalent

Program fees

Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Schedule](#)

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for [FEE-Help](#).

International full fee paying place

International students pay full fees. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken and whether they are studied on-campus, via distance education/online. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Schedules](#).

Fee exempt places

All domestic students are offered a fee-free place provided they meet the citizenship and residency requirements as follows:

- Australian citizens
- holders of a Permanent Humanitarian Visa (and resident in Australia)
- holders of a Permanent Resident Visa (and resident in Australia)
- New Zealand citizens (resident in Australia).

Program structure

EAP I

Students must enrol in:

- EAP7311 (4 units)

EAP II

Certificate of English for University Studies (CEUS) - CertEUS

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted.

	On-campus
Start:	No new admissions
Campus:	Springfield
	Commonwealth supported place

Completion of senior secondary schooling in the home country or equivalent, or Year 12 in an Australian high school.

Normally, to be eligible for enrolment in the program a person will have attained an age of at least 18 years in the year of the proposed enrolment.

Students will need to complete the online application form for entry to the program.

All students are required to satisfy the applicable [English language requirements](#).

If students do not meet the English language requirements they may apply to study a University-approved [English language program](#). On successful completion of the English language program, students may be admitted to an award program.

Program fees

Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of a students' higher education and students pay a [student contribution amount](#), which varies depending on the courses undertaken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Schedules](#).

Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [HECS-HELP](#).

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Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

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Program structure

Students must successfully complete the four level I core courses. Completion of the Certificate will enable students to enrol in the [Diploma of English for University Studies](#) and complete the [EUS1005 Language for Study 2](#), [EUS1006 Listening and Speaking Fluently 2](#), [EUS1007 Reading and Critical Thinking 2](#) and [EUS1008 Communicating Professionally 2](#).

Core courses

There are four compulsory core courses:

- [EUS1001 Language for Study 1](#)
- [EUS1002 Listening and Speaking Fluently 1](#)
- [EUS1003 Reading and Critical Thinking 1](#)
- [EUS1004 Communicating Professionally 1](#)

Program completion requirements

To graduate with a Certificate of English for University Studies students must successfully complete the four compulsory core courses.

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of two years to complete this program.

Diploma of English for University Studies (DEUS) - DipEUS

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted.

	On-campus
Start:	No new admissions
Campus:	Toowoomba, Springfield, Ipswich
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Standard duration:	1 year full-time, 2 years part-time
Program articulation:	To: undergraduate and postgraduate programs

Notes:

The number of units of credit towards an undergraduate program will depend on the major and courses studied with a maximum of eight credits being available.

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Program aims

The Diploma of English for University Studies aims to develop students' capacity to manage information, build knowledge and communicate ideas proficiently in English in both spoken and written forms, with a specific focus on enhancing academic English language skills to meet the more sophisticated communication demands of tertiary studies in particular professions. English language proficiency is benchmarked at Pearson Test of English Academic (PTE) 73 and the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) level C1+.

Program objectives

- (1) Develop students' capacity to prepare for and complete an internationally recognized test of proficiency in English language, at a level comparable to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Level C1+, which meets requirements for future professional registration.
- (2) Develop students' capacity to comprehend and produce spoken texts clearly and appropriately in English at a near-native level for fluent and spontaneous professional dialogue.
- (3) Develop students' capacity to manage written information, think critically, and build knowledge in English at a near native-like level to meet the complex communication demands of tertiary studies for particular professions.
- (4) Develop students' capacity to communicate effectively in appropriate written and oral forms at a near native-like level of communicative competence which meets acceptable requirements for professional purposes and audiences.

Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

Completion of senior secondary schooling in the home country or equivalent, or Year 12 in an Australian high school.

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