



**Bell**

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# Bell Adult courses 2024

16+ years

Cambridge – London





# Welcome to Bell

In 1955, we opened our doors with one vision – a world united by intercultural understanding. At Bell, you will join a truly global community of students, and benefit from a strong spirit of intercultural collaboration and support. In 2023, we were proud to welcome students from over 54 different countries!

Our teaching has been recognised as ‘excellent’ by the Independent Schools Inspectorate, and all our permanent teachers are DELTA qualified and are ready to support you to achieve your full potential.

We will get to know you as an individual, and give you personalised care and support - both inside and outside the classroom.

Our year-round adult schools are based in the heart of two amazing cities - Cambridge and London and we have a range of historical buildings with contemporary facilities for you to choose from.

At Bell, we believe in putting your learning into action, which is why we offer excursions and full day trips at no additional cost. Discover a new place in the UK, see world-famous landmarks, experience British life and culture or gain a new passion or hobby, all alongside your studies.

We deliver courses - for all ages and levels - throughout the year, so we're ready to welcome you to study with us at Bell when it suits you best.

**And when that day arrives, we can't wait to meet you!**

For more information on all our courses and locations, please:

Visit [www.bellenglish.com](http://www.bellenglish.com)

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# Study at Bell Cambridge

A historic school set in beautiful grounds.

Our Cambridge school offers a picturesque campus environment surrounded by large gardens with impressive study, social and leisure facilities.

Located within easy reach of the beautiful city centre, bursting with culture and history, there is always plenty to do, including punting along the river, watching live music or exploring one of the many famous university colleges.

On-site residential accommodation is available at our Bell Cambridge campus, as well as other great options nearby.

General English

IELTS exam preparation

Cambridge exam preparation

Bell Intensive English Diploma

1-to-1 courses

## Bell Cambridge Nationality Mix 2023



### Top 10 Nationalities:










- Saudi Arabia
- Turkey
- Thailand
- Japan
- China
- Ukraine
- Belgium
- Argentina
- Italy
- France

*\*figures based on student weeks from January to August 2023*





### School facilities

-  Large learning centre
-  Two computer rooms
-  On-site sports and games facilities
-  Disabled access/facilities
-  Prayer room
-  Dining room and outside eating area
-  Higher Education Advisory Service
-  Air-conditioned classrooms with interactive whiteboards
-  On-site residential accommodation available





# Study at Bell London

A contemporary and modern school in the heart of an iconic city

Located close to the River Thames, just a short walk from Shakespeare's Globe Theatre, St. Paul's Cathedral and The Shard, Bell London provides an inspirational learning environment with high quality facilities.

Immerse yourself in a truly vibrant and multicultural city, rich in history and culture with plenty to explore and excellent transport links to other cities in the UK and Europe.

General English

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## Bell London Nationality Mix 2023



### Top 10 Nationalities:






- Thailand
- Turkey
- Saudi Arabia
- South Korea
- Japan
- Pakistan
- Brazil
- Belgium
- Russia
- Italy

*\*figures based on student weeks from January to August 2023*





### School facilities

-  Air-conditioned classrooms with interactive whiteboards
-  Learning and social zone with student computers
-  Free wireless internet
-  Higher Education Advisory Service
-  Contemporary communal area with refreshment facilities





# Put your learning into practice



FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
[bellenglish.com/our-courses/adults](http://bellenglish.com/our-courses/adults)

Learning at Bell does not stop outside the classroom. Our exclusive Language in Action programme gives you the opportunity to meet new people, try new activities, explore new places and visit famous landmarks – at no additional cost.

## What's included in the Language in Action programme?



Weekly tour of the local area for new students



London



Cambridge



Stratford-upon-Avon



Oxford



Both Cambridge and London schools run a full-day trip every two weeks to places such as Stratford-upon-Avon and Oxford



Weekly local excursion\* visiting famous landmarks and local attractions



London



Cambridge



Cambridge



Cambridge



Regular weekday workshops, clubs and team sports



Regular social evenings discovering the local culture such as theatre and pub visits, and themed parties in school



London



Cambridge



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# General English

## Overview

Improve your core reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills in engaging and interactive activities. This course is tailored to your goals and language level, with regular 1-to-1 tutorials to get the most out of your lessons.

### Choose this course to

- ▶ Improve your confidence, fluency and accuracy when communicating in English
- ▶ Enhance your pronunciation, vocabulary and ability to apply complex grammar structures in your everyday communication
- ▶ Learn to voice your opinions tactfully and share your ideas with others
- ▶ Gain useful insights and guidance to become a more independent learner

## General English at Bell London

At Bell London, the course will feature a weekly morning class in the city, such as at a museum, marketplace, or along the river. This gives you the opportunity to practise your skills in an authentic (but supported) setting.

### Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge and Bell London
- ▶ Min. age - 16 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - London 7/12 and Cambridge 10/14
- ▶ Min. language level - Beginner A1
- ▶ Start dates - Weekly, every Monday
- ▶ Weekly hours - 15 or 20 hours per week

## Add your modules:

Choose between 5 or 10 extra hours per week

### Bell Cambridge

- ▶ Skills
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ Business Skills
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

### Bell London

- ▶ English for Life
- ▶ English for Work
- ▶ English for Study
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

See p19 for more information on our additional modules.

# IELTS exam preparation

## Overview

Gain effective strategies, develop useful skills, and strengthen your understanding of exam content, to prepare for your IELTS exam. You will also receive regular 1-to-1 support and advice on your progress, so you always have a clear path to your goals.

### Choose this course to

- ▶ Strengthen your understanding of the IELTS exam content and structure
- ▶ Gain effective techniques and strategies to tackle different types of questions
- ▶ Develop useful skills like paraphrasing, analysing or describing data and interpreting meaning from context
- ▶ Learn to effectively communicate and present your opinions when speaking or writing essays for the exam
- ▶ Enhance your pronunciation, vocabulary and grammar structures
- ▶ Improve your confidence, fluency and accuracy

## Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge and Bell London
- ▶ Min. age - 16 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - London 7/12 and Cambridge 10/14
- ▶ Min. language level - Intermediate B1
- ▶ Start dates - Weekly, every Monday
- ▶ Weekly hours - 15, 20 or 25 hours per week

## Add your modules:

Choose between 5 or 10 extra hours per week

### Bell Cambridge

- ▶ Skills
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ Business Skills
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- ▶ English for Life
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- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

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# Cambridge exam preparation

## Overview

This course offers extensive preparation for both B2 First and C1 Advanced Cambridge English Qualifications, ensuring a profound understanding of the exam content and structure to improve your confidence and give you the best chance for success.

### Choose this course to

- ▶ Strengthen your understanding of the Cambridge Exam content and structure
- ▶ Learn to effectively communicate and present your opinions when speaking or writing essays for the exam
- ▶ Enhance your pronunciation, vocabulary and grammar structures
- ▶ Improve your confidence, fluency and accuracy when communicating in English

## Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge
- ▶ Min. age - 16 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - 10/14
- ▶ Weekly hours - 20 Standard and 25 Fast-track

## Add your modules:

Choose between 5 or 10 extra hours per week

- ▶ Skills
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

See p19 for more information on our additional modules.

These courses run on fixed dates, for more information please see our Dates & fees document or visit our website.



Authorised Exam Centre

# Bell Intensive English Diploma

## Overview

This course offers the best value for long-term students, providing personal learning goals, individual progress tutorials, and weekly progress reports and tests. The program also includes 20 hours' General English tuition per week, guided self-study, elective modules, guest speaker talks, and much more.

### Choose this course if:

- ▶ You want the best value long-term course Bell offers
- ▶ You have high expectations and are serious about reaching your goals
- ▶ You want to make guaranteed progress\*
- ▶ You are studying for 24 weeks or more

*\*If you attend all your classes and complete all the work set by your teacher but don't progress a CEFR level within 12 weeks, we will give you free tuition until you do\**

### The Diploma Programme includes:

- ▶ 20 hours tuition per week + 5 hours per week guided self-study online
- ▶ Afternoon electives that allow you to focus on what is most relevant to you: Reading & Writing, Listening and Speaking, Exam preparation or Business Skills (Bell Cambridge only)
- ▶ Guest speaker talks by university lecturers (Bell Cambridge only)
- ▶ Language in Action programme to help you make new friends and use your English
- ▶ Excursions and local visits
- ▶ Graduation presentation where you will receive your Academic certificate
- ▶ One free exam from Cambridge Assessment (PET, Cambridge First, Cambridge Advanced or IELTS)
- ▶ Free insurance

## Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge and Bell London
- ▶ Min. age - 16 years old
- ▶ Class size (average/max) - Cambridge 10/14 and London 7/12
- ▶ Weekly hours - 20 hours per week
- ▶ Start dates - Weekly, every Monday

## Add your modules:

Choose between 5 or 10 extra hours per week

### Bell Cambridge

- ▶ Skills
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ Business Skills
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

### Bell London

- ▶ English for Life
- ▶ English for Work
- ▶ English for Study
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ 1-to-1 tuition

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# 1-to-1 courses

## Overview

Experience a bespoke language program to suit your individual goals. Suitable for any language level, this course gives you the opportunity to identify specific areas for improvement and create a language programme that gives you the best chance for success. Extra afternoon modules are available to complement your 1-to-1 course.

### Choose this course to:

- ▶ Communicate more fluently and accurately in English
- ▶ Improve your English language skills with a focus in the areas you'd like to develop
- ▶ Address specific language needs, including expanding work-related vocabulary, English for university studies, exam preparation, and much more
- ▶ Increase your confidence as a language learner and user of English

## Course summary

- ▶ Location - Bell Cambridge and Bell London
- ▶ Min. age - 16 years old
- ▶ Min. language level - Beginner A1
- ▶ Start dates - Weekly, every Monday
- ▶ Weekly hours - 15, 20 or 25 hours per week

## Business English at Bell London

This 1-to-1 Business English option is for working people at any stage in their career, looking for a personalised course to help with specific needs, such as: preparing for an interview, delivering an international presentation, or researching and writing a successful business plan. It will give you the English language skills and confidence to communicate effectively in a working environment.

Our standard programme is 15 or 20 hours per week, but we can be flexible with this to fit your schedule.

Can also be combined with our group General English or English for Work classes.

## Add your modules:

Choose between 5 or 10 extra hours per week

### Bell Cambridge

- ▶ Skills
- ▶ IELTS
- ▶ Business Skills

### Bell London

- ▶ English for Life
- ▶ English for Work
- ▶ English for Study
- ▶ IELTS

See p19 for more information on our additional modules.

# Build your course

FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
[bellenglish.com/courses-for-adults](http://bellenglish.com/courses-for-adults)



Accelerate your progress with additional modules to suit your individual needs and help you reach your goals faster. Choose from 5 or 10 hours of afternoon lessons per week to supplement your core lessons.

## + Skills - Bell Cambridge

Focus on strengthening your speaking and listening, or reading and writing skills depending on your goals. Our dedicated team are here to support you in choosing which skills to focus on once you've arrived at the school.

5 or 10 hours



## + English for Life, Work or Study - Bell London

Improve your language and skills through project-based lessons, according to your ultimate English goals. Choose from English for Life, English for Study and English for Work to focus on your individual needs, applying new language to real-life situations, while developing vital skills such as critical thinking, creativity, collaboration and communication.

5 or 10 hours



## + 1-to-1 tuition - Cambridge and London

Accelerate your progress with individual support from a Bell teacher so you can concentrate on areas you find most challenging.

5 or 10 hours



## + Business skills - Bell Cambridge

Available for students at B1 level or above who have an interest in business. Gain essential skills to prepare for working in a business environment and learn specialist vocabulary and language.

5 hours



## + IELTS - Cambridge and London

Available for students at B1 level or above who want to gain effective strategies and techniques to achieve the best results in your IELTS exam.

5 hours





# Accommodation

During your stay with us we want you to be comfortable and feel at home. Here are some of the residential accommodation options we offer our students. Please note they are all subject to availability.



FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
[bellenglish.com/locations/school/bell-cambridge](http://bellenglish.com/locations/school/bell-cambridge)



FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
[bellenglish.com/locations/school/bell-london](http://bellenglish.com/locations/school/bell-london)



## Bell Garden House

Located within the school grounds, in view of Bell Cambridge, Bell Garden House is ideal for students looking for a peaceful home where they can relax and study. Single rooms with en-suite or shared bathroom facilities available.

- For students aged 18+



Cambridge



## Frank Bell Residence

Our popular on-campus residence has premium or standard bedrooms, a large communal kitchen and living area opening up into the garden.

- For students aged 18+



Cambridge

## Sorrento Residence

Our Sorrento Residence is part of the friendly, family-run hotel complex conveniently located between Bell and the city centre. This homely and comfortable accommodation offers access to the facilities of the hotel next door and has the advantage of a shared kitchen where students can prepare meals if they wish.

- For students aged 16+
- 25 minutes to Bell on foot/15 minutes by bus



Cambridge



## Student Castle

This modern student residence is in a fantastic city centre location, close to Jesus Green and the neighbourhood's cafes and boutique shops. There are modern en-suite studio rooms available, as well as a study area, large common area, gym and outdoor courtyard.

- For students aged 18+
- 40 minutes to Bell by bus and on foot



Cambridge

## The Railyard

The Railyard offers contemporary accommodation, with a choice of en-suite studio rooms with kitchenette, or ensuite single rooms with shared kitchen. Located next to the Cambridge train station, The Railyard is only a short public transport ride away from Bell Cambridge.

- For students aged 16+
- 11 minutes to Bell by bus/30 minutes on foot



Cambridge

## Scholars House

A short walk from the city centre, Scholars House offers individual ensuite bedrooms. It is located close to independent shops, cafes and restaurants within a university student community. Single, en-suite rooms available, with communal kitchen and lounge areas.

Students here have half-board (breakfast and dinner) in Kirby's Dining Hall, Monday to Friday only.

- For students aged 16+
- Frequent local buses available to Bell Cambridge



Cambridge

## St Barnabas Place

Located in the heart of Cambridge, St Barnabas is a great option for summer accommodation. With single and twin rooms available with single or shared bathrooms, there are also communal lounges for students to enjoy. Students stay on a half-board basis Monday to Friday, with breakfast and dinner served in the dining hall here. Weekends are self-catering.

- For ages 16+
- 28 minutes to Bell by bus and on foot



Cambridge



# Draperly Place

Draperly Place is perfectly located for you to make the most of student life in London. Close to Brick Lane and Spitalfields Market, Aldgate East Underground Station is only a 5 minute' walk away, giving easy access to the rest of the city. Each room has a small double bed, and en-suite bathroom. Students will also share a kitchen and living area with a small group of Bell students. Draperly Place also has an on-site gym, dance studio and an outdoor courtyard garden.

- For students aged 18+
- 34 minutes on foot from Bell/21 minutes by Tube/11 minutes by bicycle



London

# Vita Lewisham Exchange

Located in the heart of one of London's vibrant boroughs, Vita Lewisham Exchange is a competitively priced modern residence, offering breathtaking views of the city. Each room has a double bed, and ensuite bathroom. Vita also has an on-site gym, dance studio, games lounge and lots of public, and private study spaces.

- For ages 18+
- 27 minutes to Bell by train and foot/28 minutes by bicycle



London

# Homestay

In homestay accommodation, students have their own single bedroom. All homestays are carefully selected and visited regularly to ensure consistently high standards. Many of our host families have been working with us for a number of years.

- For ages 16+

Cambridge and London





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