

DIRECT ENTRY PATHWAYS 2018

ELS Sydney has more than 30 direct entry pathways into quality vocational colleges and higher education institutions. Students who have successfully completed our Academic English Preparation (AEP) program can enter these leading educational institutions without the need to sit an IELTS or TOEFL test.

Please note that in addition to the English language requirement, students must meet the academic requirement (i.e. completion of high school/university degree with required GPA) of each institution.

AEP 2 (Academic English Preparation 2) - formerly called AE3
AEP 3 (Academic English Preparation 3) - formerly called AE4

Educational Institution	Requirement for direct entry	AEP 2 10 WEEKS	AEP 3 10 OR 20 WEEKS	Further Information
Aspire Institute (01484M/076374G)	VETAB & Provisional Education Diploma	B grade		
	Higher Education Diplomas		B grade	
Australian Institute of Music (AIM) (00665C)	Undergraduate		B grade	
	Postgraduate		A grade	
Australian Pacific College (01331F)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
	For courses requiring IELTS 6.0	A grade	B grade	
APM College of Business and Communication (03389E)	For direct entry Higher Education courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
Australian Training Academy (ATA)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
Aviation Australia (02425C)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
Bedford College (01589B)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
Brighten Institute Australia (BIA)*	Sales & Marketing Course	-	-	General English Intermediate level
	Business Fundamentals	-	-	General English Upper Intermediate level
Blue Mountains International Hotel School (00911E)	For courses requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
Evolution Hospitality Institute (02869G)	For course requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		Or completion of General English Upper Intermediate
Griffith College (01737F)	Foundation Program	B grade		
	Diploma and Associate Degrees	B grade		
International College of Management (ICMS) (01484M)	Diploma courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		A grade for speaking
	Degree courses requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
	Masters (run through Macquarie University)		A grade	
JMC Academy (01259J)	For courses requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
The Academy of Film, Theatre and Television	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
Kent Institute (00161E)	All VET courses from Cert III upwards	B grade		
	Bachelor Degree programs		B grade	
Kirana Colleges (03576B)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade	C grade	
Le Cordon Bleu (02380M)	Culinary programs requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
	Bachelor Degree programs requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
	Masters Degree programs requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	
Macleay College (00899G)	For courses requiring IELTS 6.0	A grade	B grade	
	For courses requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	

*BIA is not suitable for a student visa student

Educational Institution	Requirement for direct entry	AEP 2 10 WEEKS	AEP 3 10 OR 20 WEEKS	Further Information
Macquarie University (00002J)	Undergraduate		A grade	AEP3 with A+ grade needed for courses requiring IELTS 7.0.
	Postgraduate		A grade	
Macquarie University International College (MUIC) (00002J)	Standard Foundation Program requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		Visa packaging is available for on-shore students only.
	Intensive Program requiring IELTS 6.0	A grade	B grade	
MEGT Institute (Sydney) (02517K)	All courses	C grade		
Quality Training and Hospitality College (QTHC) (02880B)	For Certificate & Diploma courses	B grade		Or General English Upper Intermediate level
Southern Cross University (SCU) NSW (01241G) QLD (03135E)	For Programs requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	
Sydney Beauty & Dermal Institute (02425B)	For Certificate and Diploma programs requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		Or General English Upper Intermediate level
Sydney Institute of Business and Technology (SIBT) (01576G)	Diploma courses requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	Or AEP 1 grade B or higher
	Diploma courses - Provisional Entry Program requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
	Standard Foundation course requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
	Extended Foundation course requiring IELTS 5.0	C grade		
Sydney Film School (02631G)	All programs	B grade		Students need to submit a curriculum vitae and one page personal statement
TAFE NSW (00591E)	For Programs requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		Please note TAFE NSW require an IELTS score of 6.5 for entry to nursing courses.
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.0	A grade	B grade	
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	
The Hotel School (01241G)	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	
Western Sydney University (00917K)	For courses requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	Visa packaging is available for on-shore students only.
	For courses requiring IELTS 7.0		A+ grade	
Western Sydney University, College (02110M)	Standard Foundation	B grade		
	Diploma	A grade	B grade	
University of Wollongong (00102E)	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	
	For Programs requiring IELTS 6.5		A grade	
	For Programs requiring IELTS 7.0		A+ grade	
University of Wollongong College (02723D)	All course requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		
William Angliss Institute (01505M)	For courses requiring IELTS 5.5	B grade		Sydney campus only
	For courses requiring IELTS 6.0		B grade	

Academic English Preparation (AEP) Grading Table

Course	A+ grade	A grade	B grade	C grade	D grade
AEP 1		75-100%	65-74%	50-64%	
AEP 2		75-100%	65-74%	50-64%	<50%
AEP 3	85-100%	75-84%	65-74%	50-64%	<50%

The High School Preparation program at ELS Sydney allows students to develop their English skills and learn about Australian study methods and culture. Upon graduation from the appropriate level students can continue their high school studies with one of our pathway partners. Please contact us if you wish to study an alternate high school.

Educational Institution	Type of School	Boarding available	English Level Years 7-10	English Level Years 11
Masada College (00401E)	Co-ed	No	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
Pittwater House (03290E)	Co-ed	No	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
Stella Maris (03290E)	Girls	No	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
St Andrew's Cathedral School (02276M)	Co-ed	No	Upper Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
St Augustine's College (03300G)	Boys	No	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
St Scholastica's College (03337F)	Girls	Yes	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
St Paul's International College (00379J)	Co-ed	Yes	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate
The Hills Grammar School (02260G)	Co-ed	No	Intermediate	Upper Intermediate

ELS Sydney students have also attended the following schools

Educational Institution	Type of School	Boarding available
Danebank Anglican School for Girls	Girls	No
George River College (Hurstville Boys Campus)	Boys	No
Hills Adventist College	Co-ed	No
Kincoppal - Rose Bay School of the Sacred Heart (KRB)	Girls	Yes
Knox Grammar	Boys	Yes
Macquarie Grammar School	Co-ed	No
Mackellar Girls	Girls	No
Meridan	Girls	No
NSW Government High School	Co-ed/Girls/Boys	Depending on school
Pymble Ladies' College	Girls	Yes
Reddam House	Co-ed	No
Rose Bay Secondary College	Co-ed	No
St Catherine's School	Girls	Yes
St Clare's College	Girls	No
St Lukes Grammar School	Co-ed	No
St Maroun's College (02260G)	Co-ed	No
St Philips Christian College	Co-ed	No
St Spryidon College	Co-ed	No
Strathfield Girls	Girls	No
Shore School (Sydney Church of England Grammar School)	Boys	Yes
Trinity Grammar School	Boys	Yes
The King's School	Boys	No

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