ESOL MATHS & ENGLISH GCSE CLASSES FOR ADULTS





2023/2024

Free classes may be available for students on low income.

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ESOL

English for Speakers of Other Languages

These friendly classes give students the skills and confidence to use more accurate grammar and a wider vocabulary. Students work towards their personal learning aims.

All four skills – Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening are taught throughout the course. You will be able to take Skills for Life, ESOL exams during the year and the cost of these are included in the course fees. Students will take exams at the end of each semester.

ESOL SKILLS FOR LIFE LEVEL	COMMON EUROPEAN FRAMEWORK OF REFERENCE (CEFR)	GENERAL LEVEL
Level 2	C1	Advanced
Level 1	B2	Upper intermediate
Entry level 3	B1	Intermediate
Entry level 2	A2	Pre-intermediate
Entry level 1 higher	A1	Elementary
Entry level 1 lower	Pre-A1	Beginner

COURSE DATES

First Semester

- Monday 18th September 2023
- Friday 26th January 2024
- (Exams 29th January - 2nd February 2024)
- Second Semester

Monday 19th February 2024 – Monday 24th June 2024 (Exams 26th June 2024)

LOCATION OF CLASSES

Classes take place in two locations: Woking College, Rydens Way, Woking, GU22 9DL

Old Woking Community Centre, Sundridge Road, Woking, GU22 9AT

DAYS AND TIMES OF CLASSES

You will be advised about the exact days and times at enrolment. Students attend two lessons per week for 15 weeks at one of the following times: Monday to Friday Morning: 9:30am – 11:30am Afternoon: 12:15pm – 2:30pm Evening: 7:00pm – 9:15pm



If you want to enrol for any of these courses you must attend an enrolment session. You will meet an experienced ESOL teacher who will assess your English and discuss your learning goals. The teacher will tell you when the appropriate class(es) take place.

You must bring your passport, fees, and copies of benefit papers if appropriate. You can pay by cash, bank transfer, debit card and credit card.

WHERE TO ENROL

The Learning Resource Centre (LRC)

Woking College, Rydens Way, Woking, GU22 9DL "ESOL classes offer help with practical English needed for daily life, employment and further study."

WHEN TO ENROL

First Semester

Wednesday 6th September 2023 12:00pm - 2:30pm 5:00pm - 7:30pm

Thursday 7th September 2023 12:00pm - 2:30pm 5:00pm - 7:30pm

Second Semester

Tuesday 6th February 2024 12:00pm - 2:30pm 5:00pm - 7:30pm

Places may become available at other times of the year. Please phone Woking College to ask if an appointment is available.

COURSE FEES

The cost of the course depends on your circumstances – for example whether you are from the EU or not, or whether you are on certain types of benefits. Please see the table below for details.

	COST PER 15 WEEK SEMESTER	COST PER HOUR
¹ EU/UK Students who are in receipt of certain state benefits ²	Free	Free
¹ EU/UK Students aged 19+	£350	£5
Students who are not from the EU	£675	£10
Students aged 16 – 18	Free	Free

Students may pay for each ESOL semester in two instalments. Cash, bank transfer, debit card and credit cards accepted.

	FIRST SEMESTER 18TH SEPTEMBER 2023 - 26TH JANUARY 2024		SECOND SEMESTER 19TH FEBRUARY - 24TH JUNE 2024	
	First instalment enrolment	Second instalment paid by 13th October 2023	First instalment enrolment	Second instalment paid by 8th March 2024
¹ EU/UK Students aged 19+	£225	£125	£225	£125
Students who are not from the EU	£450	£225	£450	£225

¹ EU students who have obtained either pre-settled or settled status under the EU settlement scheme and have lived continuously in the EEA, Gibraltar or the UK for at least the previous 3 years.

² EU/UK Students who receive certain state benefits or are on a low income may be eligible for free classes. You must bring printed recent benefit documents as proof of income when you enrol.



GCSE MATHS & ENGLISH

Adult Classes

These courses are for adults wanting to take GCSE English or Maths for the first time or for those wanting to re-take it. These nationally recognised qualifications are required for many careers and higher education courses.

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online at: www.woking.ac.uk/apply

Please state clearly on the form that you wish to apply for:

- the Adult English GCSE Day Class
- the Adult English GCSE Evening Class
- the Adult Maths GCSE Evening Class

You must also come to an Information, Advice and Guidance session, (see dates below) where you will meet the teacher and take an assessment test to make sure that this is the right course for you.

INFORMATION ADVICE AND GUIDANCE SESSIONS ARE HELD AT WOKING COLLEGE

GCSE ENGLISH EVENING CLASSES Wednesday 6th September 2023 5:00pm – 7:30pm

GCSE ENGLISH DAYTIME CLASSES

Thursday 7th September 2023 12:00pm – 2:30pm

GCSE MATHS EVENING CLASSES Thursday 7th September 2023 5:00pm – 7:30pm

The assessment test will take about an hour.

Please bring your passport to the Information, Advice and Guidance Evening.

You will be informed within a few days of your assessment test whether you have been accepted on the course. There are limited numbers so students will be accepted on a first come, first served basis from the date of application as long as they fulfil the course criteria.

GCSE ENGLISH

COURSE DATES - DAY CLASS

14th September 2023 – 5th June 2024

Day & Times

Thursday afternoons – 12:00pm – 2:30pm

Place

Old Woking Community Centre, Sundridge Road, Woking, GU22 9AT

COURSE DATES - EVENING CLASS

13th September 2023 – 5th June 2024

Day & Times

Wednesday evenings – 6:30pm – 9:00pm

Place

Woking College, Rydens Way, Woking, GU22 9DL

Course Fees

UK Residents: Free (for students who do not have a Grade C or Grade 4 or above at GCSE) EU Residents: Free (EU students who have obtained either pre-settled or settled status under the EU settlement scheme and have lived continuously in the EEA, Gibraltar or the UK for at least the previous 3 years.) Non-EU Residents: £650

The Course

This course is aimed at those who need or desire a recognised national qualification Grade 4 – 9 in English Language. It will develop your abilities in reading and writing, as well as your speaking and listening skills. These qualifications are essential for some career and degree courses. For a full list of criteria please visit

> www.wokingcollege.ac.uk /adulteducation

GCSE MATHS

COURSE DATES

11th September 2023 – 7th June 2024

Day & Time

Monday evenings - 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Place

Woking College, Rydens Way, Woking, GU22 9DL

Course Fees

UK Residents: Free (for students who do not have a Grade C or Grade 4 or above at GCSE) EU Residents: Free (EU students who have obtained either pre-settled or settled status under the EU settlement scheme and have lived continuously in the EEA, Gibraltar or the UK for at least the previous 3 years.) Non-EU Residents: £650

The Course

This course will help you to improve your ability to represent and analyse data, use algebra and solve problems. Many students take this course in order to progress in Higher Education courses. For a full list of criteria please visit

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WHERE TO FIND US





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