

**Language Centre**

**Pre-sessional Academic English Application Form 2024/25**

**Please complete all sections.**

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| **Entrance requirements campus:** |
| **Course length** | **Overall** | **Listening** | **Reading** | **Writing** | **Speaking** |
| **40 weeks** | 4.5 PG 4.0 UG | 4.0 PG 4.0 UG | 4.0 PG 4.0 UG | 4.5 PG 4.0 UG | 4.0 PG 4.0 UG |
| **30 weeks** | 4.5 PG4.5 UG | 4.5 PG4.5 UG | 4.5 PG4.5 UG | 4.5 PG4.5 UG | 4.5 PG 4.5 UG |
| **20 weeks** | 5.0 PG 5.0 UG | 5.0 PG 4.5 UG | 5.0 PG 4.5 UG | 5.0 PG 4.5 UG | 5.0 PG 4.5 UG |
| **10 weeks** | 5.5 PG 5.0 UG | 5.0 PG 5.0 UG | 5.5 PG 5.0 UG | 5.5 PG 5.0 UG | 5.0 PG 5.0 UG |
| **5 weeks** | 6.0 PG5.5UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG 5.5 UG |

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| **Entrance requirements online:** |
| **Course length** | **Overall** | **Listening** | **Reading** | **Writing** | **Speaking** |
| **10 weeks** | 5.5 PG 5.0 UG | 5.5 PG 5.5 UG | 5.5 PG 5.5 UG | 5.5 PG 5.0 UG | 5.0 PG 5.0 UG |
| **5 weeks** | 6.0 PG5.5UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG5.5 UG | 5.5 PG 5.5 UG |

\*Please visit <https://www.abdn.ac.uk/study/international/language-centre.php> to see other accepted certificates.

| **Courses 2024/25** | **Start date** | **End date** | **Fees**  | **Deposit** | **Select** |
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| **10 weeks campus\*** | 14/10/2024 | 20/12/2024 | £3,800 | £760 | ☐ |
| **5 weeks campus\*** | 18/11/2024 | 20/12/2024 | £1,900 | £380 | ☐ |
| **5 weeks online** | 04/11/2024 | 06/12/2024 | £1,900 | £380 | ☐ |
| **40 weeks campus** | 14/10/2024 | August 2025 | £15,200 | £3,800 | ☐ |
| **30 weeks campus** | 13/01/2025 | August 2025 | £11,400 | £3,000 | ☐ |
| **20 weeks campus** | April 2025 | August 2025 | £7,600 | £1,520 | ☐ |
| **10 weeks campus\*** | June 2025 | August 2025 | £3,800 | £760 | ☐ |
| **5 weeks campus\*** | July 2025 | August 2025 | £1,900 | £380 | ☐ |
| **10 weeks online** | June 2025 | August 2025 | £3,800 | £760 | ☐ |
| **5 weeks online** | July 2025 | August 2025 | £1,900 | £380 | ☐ |
| **20 weeks campus** | September 2025 | December 2025 | £7,600 | £1,520 | ☐ |
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| **40 weeks campus** | October 2025 | August 2026 | £15,200 | £3,800 | ☐ |
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\*Eligible for Joint CAS.

All PSE dates are aligned with the academic year dates.

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| **Personal Details** |
| Family Name (must be same as on passport): | Title: Miss [ ]  Mrs [ ]  Mr [ ]  Other [ ]  |
| First / Given Name(s) (must be same as on passport): | Date of birth: (dd/mm/yyyy) | Age:  |
| Passport number:  |
| Nationality:  |
| Country of birth:  |
| Home address of applicant:  |
| Postcode: | Country (domicile, your permanent place of residence): |
| Telephone: | Email address: **(student not agent)** |
| Do you have a disability / special needs? Yes [ ]  No [ ] If yes, please attach details. Such details will only be disclosed to those having legitimate need to see them. |

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| **Details of your University Academic Course** |
| Pre-masters course [ ] Undergraduate [ ]  or Postgraduate [ ] What is the course title? (e.g. MSc in Immunology): Application number: Type of offer: Unconditional [ ]  Conditional [ ]  Awaiting outcome of application [ ]  |

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| **Answer ALL the following visa-related questions**  |
| I have already studied in the UK*If yes, please tick those that apply* | Yes [ ]  No [ ] English course [ ]  University course [ ]  Other [ ]  |
| I already have / have had a UK visa*If yes, please tick those that apply* | Yes [ ]  No [ ] Student visa [ ]  Short Term Student visa [ ]  Dependant’s visa [ ]  Other [ ]  |
| I have had an earlier application for a visa refused | Yes [ ]  No [ ]  |
| **If your answer is YES to any of the above, please ensure you provide full details (dates, course, institution, etc.) and evidence (visa copy, certificates, refusal letter, etc.) with this application BEFORE you pay your non-refundable deposit. Failure to do this will automatically result in any offer being withdrawn.****I have read the above statement** [ ]  |
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| **Deposit Payment (select all that apply)** |
| [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]  | I will be paying my fees myself. I understand that my application will not be processed in full until the 20 % deposit has been received.I will be paying my deposit/full fees by bank transfer using Flywire or Convera. Please see further details here: <https://www.abdn.ac.uk/students/finance/paying.php> . I will submit evidence of the transfer. I will be paying my deposit/full fees by credit/debit card through the University of Aberdeen online store: <http://www.store.abdn.ac.uk/short-courses/language-centre/daytime-classes>I will submit evidence of the payment.I will be sponsored. I will provide evidence of sponsorship with this application (letters of parental/family sponsorship are not accepted). Sponsor letters must mention the English language course specifically and not just cover a degree programme.  |

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| **Declaration** |
| **I understand that:** * The deposit is non-refundableexcept where a student’s visa has been refused and a copy of the visa refusal letter has been submitted in evidence. In this case, an administration fee of £100 will be deducted from the deposit.
* If I choose not to start the course for any reason, the deposit will be retained in full. Any remaining balance will be refunded.
* I have to pay my course fees in full in advance of the course starting or provide a sponsor letter.
* If I need a student visa, I will only be given one offer letter with CAS number. The CAS is not transferrable to a shorter course.
* If I choose to leave the course before it has ended, I understand that my student visa will be withdrawn, and fees will not be refunded.
* I must inform the Language Centre if I am already studying in the UK or have already done any English language courses in the UK and give them full details of any such courses.
* I must inform the Language Centre if I have already had a UK visa of any type or had one refused.
* I understand that if I enter the course with scores equal to or lower than IELTS 5.0 (or equivalent) I may be asked to complete additional skills tests as a part of the course.
* I understand that if I fail in any individual language skill and therefore, I am unable to pass the PSE course, I will need to take a SELT language test in order to meet the English Language conditions on my offer letter. Details at <https://www.abdn.ac.uk/study/international/english-requirements.php>
* I understand that the Language Centre takes no responsibility for students’ welfare outside class hours and does not in any way act as a guardian.
* All the information that I have provided is correct and complete.
* I understand that the deliver mode and course dates are subject to change due to pandemic restrictions.
* If possible, please submit applications in MS Word format.
* I understand that if I choose to study on campus, I’m responsible for booking my own accommodation in Aberdeen.
* I understand that to complete the online course I will need:
* Hardware
* A stable Internet connection
* A computer fulfilling the software requirements outlined below
* Speakers or headphones and a microphone connected to your PC
* A webcam set up on your PC

Software * The online course is designed to work best with Mozilla Firefox or Google Chrome
* A PDF reader such as Adobe Reader or Foxit Reader
* A .docx file compatible office suite (as a student of the University of Aberdeen you are able to

 access Office 365 for free, use this link Microsoft Office to find out more) Digital Skills* You should be familiar with using emails and Microsoft Word or similar
* You should be able to search the internet and be able to use online meeting software

I, the applicant, have read and accept the above declaration [ ]  |
| **Agent or Educational Adviser’s Details** |
| **Please complete this section only if applying through an agent. Commission will only be paid if this section is completed** Name of Agent/Adviser: Name of Agency: Email Address: Date: **Please note:** Where an application is submitted via an agent/adviser, the offer letter will be emailed to both the agent/adviser and the applicant. |

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| **Checklist** |
| **Failure to submit the required documents may result in your application being rejected.**Basic requirements:* Copy of passport [ ]
* Up to 2 copies of language certificates [ ]
* Evidence of the deposit payment [ ]  **or** Evidence of sponsorship [ ]
* Copy of your degree offer letter if you have received one [ ]
* Copy of Language Centre completed term and conditions document [ ]

Additional requirements:* Copy of visa pages if you have already studied in the UK [ ]
* Copy of course offer letter if you have already studied English in the UK [ ]

Please email your completed application form to: lc-application-submission@abdn.ac.uk |

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| **Important Notes:** |
| * You should only apply for **one course**. CAS numbers are not transferrable and only one CAS will be issued (except in exceptional circumstances). Students attending online only do not require CAS or a visa.
* We accept non-UKVI IELTS and comparable certificates for the fully online course (please see our website for more details). Please note that, if you wish to attend the course in Aberdeen, you must hold UKVI IELTS certificate or another SELT.
* You can submit up to two certificates to meet the PSE course entry requirements. Please note that if you wish to study on campus, all scores on one of the submitted certificates must be equal or higher than IELTS 4.0 or equivalent.
* Postgraduate students should submit their IELTS and/or language certificate to pgadmissions@abdn.ac.uk if this has not already been done.
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