

English & English as an Additional Language or Dialect

Subject	Hours	TCE credit points	EAS LIT	EAS NUM	EAS ICT	Recommended prior studies and/or entry requirements	Locations
Essential Skills Reading and Writing Level 2	100	10	✓			- an <i>Approaching Standard</i> in Year 10 English - access requirements apply to this course	DS HH
ISP Essential Skills Reading & Writing Level 2 *	100	10	✓			no entry requirements	HC
EAL/D Level 1 or 2 *	150	15				a placement test	HC
English Inquiry Level 2	150	15	✓			an <i>Approaching or At Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English	HC
English Foundations Level 2	150	15	✓			an <i>Approaching or At Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English	TH WS HC
English Studio Level 2	150	15	✓			an <i>Approaching or At Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English	HC
EAL/D Level 3*	150	15	✓			SA or above in EALD 2 or previous study of English and placement test	HC
English Level 3	150	15	✓			an <i>Above or Well Above Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English or relevant pre requisite	TH HC
English Literature Level 3	150	15	✓		✓	an <i>Above or Well Above Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English or relevant prerequisite	HC
English Studio Level 3	150	15	✓		✓	an <i>Above or Well Above Expected Standard</i> in Year 10 English or relevant prerequisite	HC

**These courses are recommended for students whose first language is not English. Entry rules apply. Please speak to EAL/D teachers for further information.*

Essential Skills Reading and Writing Level 2

What will I learn?

- develop literacy to meet TCE standards for everyday adult reading and writing.
- focus on reading and writing routine texts used in daily life and workbuilding skills for practical use and leisure

How will I learn and be assessed?

- writing routine texts for different audiences
- reading, understanding, and discussing routine texts
- access requirements apply to this course

International Student Program - Essential Skills Reading & Writing Level 2 *

What will I learn?

- reading and writing skills appropriate for everyday adult settings
- a range of common and specialised English vocabulary
- familiarity with texts in different real-world contexts

How will I learn and be assessed?

- online resources to learn, practise, and extend reading and writing skills
- reading and writing six routine text types based on a variety of practical topics
- completion of assignments and tasks

English as an Additional Language or Dialect Level 1 or Level 2 *

What will I learn?

- develop your ability to understand spoken and written Standard Australian English
- strategies, meanings and structures to support you in improving your spoken and written English skills
- skills that enable you to use and understand different levels of formality
- research, citation and referencing
- to create a variety of texts for different purposes and audiences

How will I learn and be assessed?

- reading, viewing, listening and responding to a range of texts
- creating own oral, written and multi-modal texts in a range of contexts
- regular practice of common grammatical structures
- regular in-class testing and completion of assignments and tasks

English Inquiry Level 2

What will I learn?

- to read, view, and understand a range of short contemporary texts such as media content, informative websites, short stories and films
- to research and present ideas and information through speaking, multi-modal presentations, and writing
- to inquire into a range of local and national issues

How will I learn and be assessed?

- discussing ideas, issues, attitudes and values from a range of recently produced texts
- composing a range of written, spoken and multi-modal texts
- investigating an issue of interest through an individual negotiated study

English Foundations Level 2

What will I learn?

- how texts communicate and shape meaning
- how language is used to represent ideas, attitudes and voices in texts
- how to improve skills in formal essay writing and imaginative writing

How will I learn and be assessed?

- discussing and analysing texts that explore similar ideas
- creating spoken, written and multi-modal texts
- writing formally and imaginatively

Other

- this course is an excellent preparation for further studies in English at Level 3 in Year 12

English Studio Level 2

What will I learn?

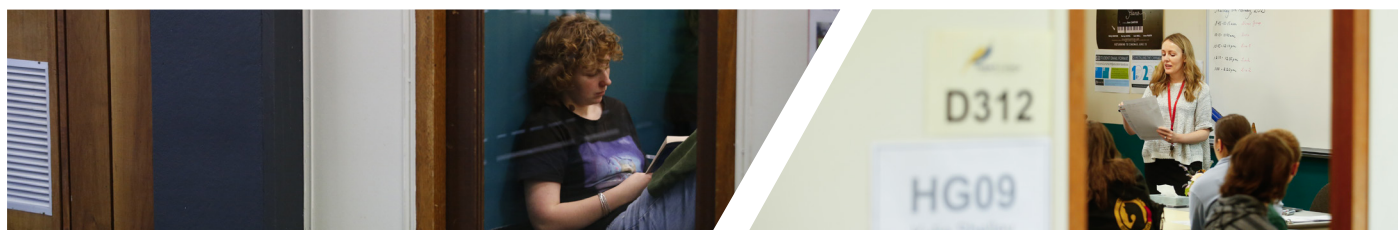
- how to write for a range of purposes and audiences
- to develop techniques to create imaginative writing and content for a range of publications, which include script and screen writing, as well as journalistic and persuasive writing

How will I learn and be assessed?

- exploring writing for a range of purposes and audiences
- developing techniques for crafting creative writing
- creating writing for a range of publications including script writing as well as journalistic and persuasive writing
- developing professional communication skills transferable to other forms of learning and workplaces

Other

- this course is ideal alongside VET Screen and Media and/or Media Production Level 2 or 3
- a good preparation course for English Studio 3



English Level 3

What will I learn?

- how ideas and issues are represented in texts
- how attitudes, values and perspectives shape texts and audience responses
- how to analyse contemporary novels, short stories, feature films and media texts

How will I learn and be assessed?

- studying a genre such as Dystopian fiction (film and novel)
- comparing how written texts have been adapted to film
- close analysis of a single play or novel
- undertaking a negotiated media study
- responding to texts through discussion and debate
- creating analytical essays and imaginative or reflective responses
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam

English Literature Level 3

What will I learn?

- how ideas, attitudes and values are conveyed in fictional texts
- how historical and cultural contexts influence text creation and the way audiences respond to them
- how texts are constructed to convey meaning

How will I learn and be assessed?

- studying a pre-20th Century play
- comparing how ideas are conveyed in a contemporary novel and film
- undertaking an Independent Study on a text chosen from a broad list
- studying six poems from different historical periods on a common theme
- composing analytical essays and imaginative or reflective responses
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam
- an Independent Study folio for external assessment

English Studio Level 3

What will I learn?

- the art and industry of writing
- to write in different styles and forms such as poetry, short stories news articles, and scripts
- to craft your writing through composition, drafting and revision techniques
- to offer and respond to feedback through reflection and workshoping
- how writers use techniques and styles to convey ideas

How will I learn and be assessed?

- studying the craft of writing including aspects such as: structure, character creation, description and dialogue
- reading widely to provide models for your writing
- creating a range of written texts including a major project
- discussing and workshoping your writing
- submitting a folio of four pieces of work including a major project for external assessment

Other

- recommended for Year 12 students who have strong results in English/Humanities subjects in Year 11
- there is no external exam however, there is a significant externally assessed folio

English as an Additional Language or Dialect Level 3

What will I learn?

- more about Standard Australian English, its structure and language features, as well as the social and cultural aspects of the language
- how to improve skills when writing and speaking in a range of contexts and for a variety of purposes
- academic skills and language to prepare you for tertiary study at university

How will I learn and be assessed?

- studying and responding to short stories, novels and films
- undertaking a negotiated task on a subject of your choice
- composing analytical, imaginative, persuasive, and interpretive texts
- using a variety of online, spoken and written resources to extend your communication skills in English
- mid-year internally assessed exam and an externally assessed exam