

2016 PRICES



ADULT ENGLISH COURSE PRICES



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Prices and lessons (1 lesson = 45 minutes) are per person per week.
The Summer season is from 30.05.2016 to 02.09.2016. All other dates are low season.

General Courses

Group Courses

General English (1-5 weeks)
General English (6-11 weeks)
General English (12+ weeks)

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
20 group		30 group	
€ 150	€ 200	€ 200	€ 270
€ 120	€ 120	€ 170	€ 170
€ 100	€ 100	€ 150	€ 150

Mini-group* Courses

General English Mini-group* (for beginner / advanced level only)
Business English Mini-Group

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
20 mini-group*		30 mini-group*	
€ 220	€ 280	€ 280	€ 360
€ 300	€ 360	€ 360	€ 440

Individual Courses

One-to-One General English Course
Two-to-One General English Course
One-to-One Business / Specialised English Course
Home Tuition One-to-One (including accommodation)
Home Tuition Two-to-One (including accommodation)

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
20 Individual		30 Individual	
€ 450	€ 500	€ 675	€ 750
€ 280	€ 320	€ 420	€ 480
€ 500	€ 550	€ 750	€ 825
€ 800	€ 900	€ 1100	€ 1200
€ 600	€ 700	€ 800	€ 900

Individual Lessons

Upgrade any of our English courses with extra individual lessons

Additional One-to-One General English lessons
Additional Two-to-One General English lessons
Additional One-to-One Business / Specialised English lessons

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
5 lessons		10 lessons	
€ 120	€ 130	€ 240	€ 260
€ 75	€ 85	€ 150	€ 170
€ 135	€ 150	€ 270	€ 300

Work Experience Courses

English & Work Experience (Minimum 6 weeks)
Add extra English & Work Experience weeks
Internship work placement fee

Low	Summer
20 Group	
€ 145	€ 145
€ 120	€ 120
€ 300	€ 300

Examination Preparation Courses

Cambridge (PET/KET/FCE/CAE), TOEFL, IELTS & Trinity
Cambridge BEC

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
20 group lessons + 5 One-to-One		20 group lessons + 10 One-to-One	
€ 270	€ 330	€ 390	€ 460
€ 435	€ 510	€ 570	€ 660

Combination Courses

General English Combo (1-5 weeks)
General English Combo (6-11 weeks)
Business English Mini-Group* Combo

Low	Summer	Low	Summer
20 group lessons + 5 One-to-One		20 group lessons + 10 One-to-One	
€ 270	€ 330	€ 390	€ 460
€ 240	€ 250	€ 360	€ 380
€ 435	€ 510	€ 570	€ 660

5 *Mini-group classes have a max of 5 students per class.

10 Standard group classes have a max of 10 students per class.

Additional fees:

Registration € 25
Course Resources € 35

Optional fees:

Airport Transfers (each way) € 25
Exam fees (approx) € 165
Students taking Extended / Examination courses will be required to purchase additional course books

Additional lessons (per student):

One-to-One € 30
Two-to-One € 18
Specialised One-to-One € 35
Business English One-to-One € 35
Home Tuition One-to-One € 30
Home Tuition Two-to-One € 18
Daily surcharge for lessons held outside school premises € 20

All prices include:

- Student map
- Welcome pack
- Placement test
- Final certificate
- Free WiFi access on school premises
- Mobile Sim card
- 24/7 emergency helpline

English & Work Experience

- General English 20 Course
- Work placement in a suitable company
- Certificate of Achievement
- Skills assessment certificate
- Reference letter

Home Tuition

- 20 or 30 One-to-One or Two-to-One English lessons
- Single or Double room in teacher's home on full board basis
- Return Airport Transfers

A separate price list is available for **Accommodation**.

During weeks that include a public holiday, school lessons will be held from 09:00 to 11:00 & 11:30 to 13:00 (30 minute daily extension).
The intensive lessons will be extended by 30 minutes on three days of the week. The school is closed from 26.12.16 to 06.01.17.


JUNIOR ENGLISH COURSE PRICES




2016

Prices and lessons (1 lesson = 45 minutes) are per person per week

 Group Courses (1 lesson = 45mins)	Spring 21.03.16 to 29.04.16	Summer 13.06.16 to 02.09.16	Autumn 03.10.16 to 28.10.16
Junior English (8-12) 20 group lessons.	€ 150	€ 200	€ 150
Teen English (13-17) 20 group lessons.	€ 150	€ 200	€ 150
Vacation English (13-17) 20 group lessons + 3 excursion activities	€ 200	€ 250	€ 200
Vacation English Sport (8-12) or (13-17) 20 group lessons + 2 sport activities	€ 250	€ 300	€ 250
Vacation English Gold (13-17) 20 group lessons + 8 activities. Only available from 27.06.16 to 12.08.16		€ 300	
 Teen Vacation Package (13-17) 7 nights accommodation on Full board with a host family + airport transfers + 20 Teen English lessons + 3 activities in Spring and Autumn + 5 additional activities in Summer. A sample activity programme is available on request.			
Teen (13-17) Vacation Package (1 week)	€ 455	€ 585	€ 455
Price for additional weeks	€ 375	€ 505	€ 375

 Individual Courses (1 lesson = 45mins)	Low	Summer 30.05.16 to 02.09.16	
Junior / Teen One-to-One 20 (8-12) or (13-17) 20 One-to-One lessons.	€ 340	€ 500	All year
Junior / Teen Two-to-One 20 (8-12) or (13-17) 20 Two-to-One lessons.	€ 180	€ 320	All year
Upgrade any of our Junior or Teen English courses to Combo by adding extra individual lessons.			
Combo 5 Add 5 One-to-One lessons to any course	€ 110	€ 125	All year
Combo 10 Add 10 One-to-One lessons to any course	€ 220	€ 250	All year

 Early Learning (for ages 2-8 years)	Low	Summer 13.06.16 to 02.09.16	
Playschool (for ages 2-7) Daily supervised play from 09:00 to 12:30.	€ 170	€ 220	
Kid's Club (for ages 5-8) 20 group lessons.	€ 170	€ 220	

 **Separate price lists are available for School Groups, Accommodation and Sports Activities.**

Teen and Junior group classes have a maximum of 14 students per class.

Discounts:

- 10% on all courses of 4-7 weeks
- 20% on all courses of 8+ weeks
- 20% off all family bookings
- 25% on 2nd / 3rd child for bookings of 2 or more siblings at Playschool

Additional fees:

- Registration € 25
- Course Resources € 35
- Airport Transfers (each way) € 25

All prices include:

- Free WiFi access on school premises
- Monday welcome meeting and orientation tour
- Welcome pack / Student identity card / Student map
- Supervised transport to and from activities where applicable
- Alpha School group leaders on school activities
- Final certificate
- 24/7 emergency helpline
- Mobile Sim card
- Tax

Additional lessons (per student):

- One-to-One € 30
- Two-to-One € 18
- Daily surcharge for lessons held outside school premises € 20

Public holidays:

- The school will be closed on these dates:
- 10 February, Good Friday (25 March 16), 31 March, 1 May, 7 June, 29 June, 15 August, 8 September, 21 September, 8 December and 13 December.
- The school is closed at weekends and for annual shutdown from 26.12.16 to 06.01.17.



During weeks that include a public holiday, school lessons will be held from 09:00 to 11:00 & 11:30 to 13:00 (30 minute daily extension). The intensive lessons will be extended by 30 minutes on three days of the week.

Classes and Courses

1. All group courses start on a Monday and end on a Friday. At the school's discretion, special arrangements may be made to start courses mid-week to coincide with students' flights. Lessons are held between 09:00 and 16:30.
2. Lessons are usually held as follows: standard courses: 09:00 - 10:30, 11:00 - 12:30, intensive courses: 13:00 - 14:30 or 15:00 - 16:30. However, during busy periods we reserve the right to hold standard courses in the afternoons.
3. Alpha School of English reserves the right to hold classes outside school premises and to make use of school annexes which are separate and completely independent from the main school building.
4. A minimum of two students is required to offer a standard course of 20 lessons per week. When there is only one student in the class, the student is given individual tuition and the total number of lessons is reduced by a third. There is no change to the cost of the course.
5. All students are given a certificate of achievement provided they have attended 90% of their lessons.
6. One course book and course materials are given to all students. Please note that books are not included for the following courses: Business English, Specialised English and Examination Preparation Courses. Writing materials are not provided by the school.
7. Students are advised not to write on their course books unless they are satisfied with the level of their class. In the event that a student changes class, course books that have been damaged or written on will not be exchanged.
8. Examination Preparation Courses must be booked for a minimum of four weeks. The cost of an Examination Course does not include the examination or the transfer to the examination. Students must bring a valid identity card with photo or passport to the examination.

Holidays

9. The following dates are Public Holidays in Malta and the school will be closed on these dates: 10 February, 31 March, Good Friday (date changes), 1 May, 7 June, 29 June, 15 August, 8 September, 21 September, 8 December and 13 December. During weeks that include a public holiday the first lessons will be held from 09:00 to 11:00 (30 minute daily extension). The intensive lessons will be extended by 30 minutes on three days of the week. The school is closed at weekends and for annual shutdown from 21.12.15 to 01.01.16 and 26.12.16 to 06.01.17.

Complaints & Problems

10. In case of emergencies students should phone the school representative on our 24-hour helpline: (+356) 79 999 444.
11. Any complaint should be brought to the attention of the school and registered in writing during the course of the student's stay in Malta. Alpha School of English cannot be held liable for any complaints sent to the school after the student's departure from Malta.

Cancellations

12. It is possible to cancel a course at any time before the start date. However the following cancellation charges will be incurred:
 - i) cancellation up to 30 days before start date: €150
 - ii) cancellation up to 14 days before start date: €150 + 25% of total invoice
 - iii) cancellation up to 7 days before start date: €150 + 50% of total invoice
13. No refunds will be given after the English course/vacation has commenced. Similarly, no refunds will be given for classes not attended, services (eg. accommodation/ excursions) not utilised or for 'no-shows'.

Enrolment and Accommodation Charges

14. Students wishing to change their accommodation will be charged a 6-night cancellation fee for the original accommodation booked.
15. A €50 fee will be charged for any changes to a student's enrolment after the course has begun. While we will do our best to change course or type of accommodation when requested, this may not always be possible. It is not possible to change from group lessons to One-to-One lessons after a course has begun.

Liability

16. Students are liable for any damage caused to school premises and accommodation.
17. Alpha School of English is not liable for theft or loss of students' possessions. Nor is it liable for any accident that may occur on the school premises. All students travelling to Malta should have accident, health and travel insurance.
18. Alpha School of English must be informed of any medical or psychological conditions affecting students. Failure to do so may result in the student not being accepted for an English course (no refund will be given in such cases).

Conduct & Behaviour

19. Alpha School of English reserves the right to dismiss students who behave disreputably and fail to abide by the rules of the school and/or the laws of Malta. Such students could be sent home without warning depending on the gravity of the offence. No refunds will be given. Students will have to pay for any repatriation expenses incurred.
20. No smoking or consumption of alcohol is allowed in the school building.
21. To ensure the safety of our students, juniors residing in host family accommodation and the School Guest House should return to their accommodation by the following times: students under 14 years - 22:00, students under 16 years - 23:00, students under 18 years - 24:00 unless otherwise approved by their parents or guardians.

Excursions

22. All school excursions are accompanied by a school group-leader. However, outside of school and after excursions, junior students will not be supervised.
23. Excursions are only included for those students who have booked one of our Vacation English Courses or Leisure Activity Packs.
24. Alpha School of English reserves the right to change the excursion programme without prior notice and to substitute excursions in the case of bad weather, attraction closures, road works, etc.
25. Please note that a medical declaration form must be completed for all scuba diving activities. If you have a medical condition and require an examination by a doctor in Malta then there is an additional charge for this which must be paid locally to the dive centre before you start diving.

Accommodation

26. Students who book a self-catering apartment or Host Family must also book an arrival airport transfer to ensure safe arrival at accommodation.
27. Cleaning is not included in Apartment or Villa accommodation, however bed linen and towels are changed weekly.

Airport and Harbour Transfers

28. Arrival details for airport and harbour transfers must reach our school a minimum of three days before students' arrival in Malta. Students who fail to provide the necessary information on time are not eligible for a refund in the event of a missed transfer.

Minors

29. Students under the age of 13 are only accepted by the school if they are accompanied to Malta by a parent or caregiver.
30. By enrolling your child at Alpha School of English you are providing us with consent to act on your behalf in the case of an emergency. Parents and caregivers will be informed of any such developments as soon as possible.

Photography & Filming

31. Alpha School may take photos/film footage of school lessons and activities for promotional and marketing material. Students who do not wish to participate should inform us beforehand.

Miscellaneous

32. Prices of courses, accommodation facilities and all other services listed in this price list are subject to change without prior notice. However, your price is guaranteed once you receive a booking confirmation from Alpha School of English.
33. Alpha School of English reserves the right to change services without notice. Any services provided as substitutions will be of the same standard as those originally booked.
34. Alpha School of English has one official website www.alphaschoolmalta.com. While we do our utmost to ensure that all our agents and representatives provide accurate and up-to-date information about our school and services, we cannot accept responsibility for any information found on external websites and other media.
35. Bookings/payments are non-transferable.
36. It is not possible to transfer fees paid for English courses to accommodation/ sports/leisure activities and vice-versa.

Payment

37. A non-refundable deposit of €150 is required to secure any reservation. The reservation should only be considered as confirmed after the school has issued a letter of confirmation and invoice.
38. All fees and expenses must be settled in full at least 30 days prior to arrival in Malta.
39. Students should advise the school of their credit card details (name, number and expiry date) should they wish to make payment by credit card. The following charges apply to credit card payments:

- i) 2.75% of the total amount on Visa / Mastercard / Eurocard.
- ii) 4.20% of the total amount on American Express.

40. In the case of payments made by bank transfer, we request that a copy of the bank receipt be emailed/faxed to us as proof of payment. Please note that you are responsible for all bank charges. If bank charges are not paid in full they will be added to your final invoice. Bank payments should be made to the following account:

Account Name: Alpha School of English
Account Number: 148 0747 9011
Bank Address: Bank of Valletta
Preluna Towers
The Strand, Sliema
MALTA
Swift Code: VALLMTMT
IBAN: MT18VALL2201300000014807479011
BIC Number: VALLMTMT

41. You can make a direct payment to Alpha School using PayPal. Please note that you are responsible for all PayPal transaction charges (currently 3.88% to 5.25%) and these will be added to your final invoice. PayPal payments should be sent to: payments@alphaschoolmalta.com