LINK
SCHOOL OF ENGLISH





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Activities

Whether seeking fun and adventure or historical and cultural insight, our Leisure Co-ordinator and Leisure Team are there to ensure students make the most of their leisure time. Students are accompanied on excursions by our experienced and fully trained leaders and licensed guides. Private transport is provided on every excursion.

We encourage students to take part in as many different activities as possible so as to experience different aspects of Malta and maximise their time outside the classroom. Together with our Leisure Team, tailor-made excursion programmes may be planned according to the special interests of each and every student.

Activities offered include the following:

Cultural Tours
Valletta
Mdina
Gozo
Village Feast
Fort Rinella & Marsaxlokk
Harbour Cruise
Malta by Night
Neolithic Temples

Educational Activities
Film & Literature
Debates
Tutorial
Lecture Classes

Leisure Activities
Comino
Bowling
Cinema
Blue Grotto
Sandy Beach
Snorkelling
Link Beach Club
Water Park

Social Events
Barbecues
Hawaiian Night
Boat Party
Music on the Beach
Salsa Classes
International Party

Sport Activities
Horse Riding
Football
Windsurfing
Basketball
Canoeing
Sailing
Water Polo Training
Tennis
Golf
Scuba Diving

Free Activities
Zumba Lessons
Afternoon Movies
Free Weekly Tutorials
Occasional Celebrations



English Plus Courses

Our English Plus Courses allow students to practise a hobby, learn a new sport or enjoy an activity following English language lessons in the morning. Students can choose from a wide range of English Plus courses which are available throughout the year under the guidance of professionals conducting well structured programmes.

English Plus Diving	English Plus Football	English Plus Tennis
English Plus Dance	English Plus Golf	English Plus Photography
English Plus Horse riding	English Plus Sport	English Plus Drama
English Plus Canoeing	English Plus IT	English Plus Sailing

School Groups

Our full immersion programmes are popular with school groups throughout the year and we welcome the opportunity to adapt programmes according to students' interests. Groups can opt for closed group programmes where every aspect of the linguistic stay is tailored-made. Assistance can also be provided for flight reservations.

On-Line Learning

English for Special Purposes	General English	Exam Preparation

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Established in 1992, Link School of English is a private language School located in Swieqi, a quiet residential area ideal for educational purposes and close to popular entertainment facilities such as cinemas, a bowling alley, shopping complex, sports centres and a sandy beach.

Link School of English is licensed by the Malta Tourism Authority and the Ministry of Education, fully accredited by FELTOM, thus ensuring the maintenance of standards in all aspects of English language stays. Both the main building and the new annexe are open all year round and have brightly lit spacious classrooms and a vast outdoor area with large terraces and garden to provide the right environment for quality English language courses. A self learning centre, free WIFI and an internet cafe are accessible to all students in both buildings. Students are assigned to classrooms according to their age, level and nationality and also receive academic counselling by our Director of Studies throughout their course.

We pride ourselves in giving individual attention to each and every student. All aspects of our linguistic stays, tuition, accommodation and activities are adapted to students' needs and requirements, thus ensuring maximum participation of each and every student.





Tuition

Courses are held all year round and are offered to students of all levels of English.

There is a total of six levels of English which are taught at our School according to the Common European Framework reference levels:

Basic User	A1 & A2
Independent User	B1 & B2
Proficient User	C1 & C2

Courses are offered as follows:

Course	Number of lessons per week	Maximum students per class
Group	20	15
Intensive Group	30	15
Mini Group	20	6
Intensive Mini Group	30	6
Individual	20	1
Intensive Individual	30	1

Duration of each lesson: 45 minutes

General English

Our General English Courses aim at providing students with a greater understanding of natural, real English through the use of authentic material. Students are also encouraged to use and activate English in class and furthermore through weekly tutorials aimed at providing students with extra help. Students are monitored throughout their course by their teachers and our Director of Studies. General English Courses are offered throughout the year with a minimum duration of one week.

Academic Year Programme

Through our Academic Year Programme, consisting of a minimum of 24 tuition weeks, we help students build a solid foundation by constantly assessing progress, creating a specially tailored syllabus and helping every student with his/her needs.

Throughout the course, students will receive academic counselling from our Director of Studies ensuring a steady progress through regular assessment. Apart from this, students will learn how to use exam strategies effectively, be exposed to different native accents and become adept at listening to different speeds. They will also have the opportunity to attend lessons focused on pronounciation in order to deal with stress, intonation and the International Phonetic Alphabet (IPA).

Progress Reports are issued on a regular basis based on student performance. Through Progress Reports, Assessments and a Needs Analysis, our Academic Team targets students' learning requirements, thus ensuring that they reach their learning goals and objectives. Students may choose to sit for an internationally recognised examination (LCCI, Trinity College London, City & Guilds, IELTS, TOEFL, FCE and CAE) at the end of the course.

This programme is ideal for students taking a gap year in order to improve their English before furthering their studies or apprenticeship in their chosen profession.

English for Special Purposes (ESP)

As an Exam Centre for London Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI), Trinity College London and City & Guilds, we are pleased to offer a range of ESP courses leading to an examination and certification. Students learn English through the subject of their choice thus increasing their Topic Specific Vocabulary. We offer a wide range of ESP courses including Business, Marketing, Tourism, Legal and Journalism. All ESP courses are held in mini group or on an individual basis.

One of our most popular ESP courses is Business English. Through our Business English course students will have the opportunity to familiarise themselves with terminology and jargon used in business transactions. Through role plays students will also have the opportunity to activate vocabulary learnt in different business scenarios.



English for Exam Preparation

Students may choose to make the most of studying a language by sitting for an international exam at our School. Having a prestigious qualification may prove to be beneficial in the working world and as a preparation for tertiary education. Exam students are given a lot of support and advice from our Director of Studies who monitors their progress throughout their stay. As an Exam Centre for London Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI), Trinity College London and City & Guilds, we are pleased to offer proficiency tests which may be used in order to gain entry into university.

London Chamber of Commerce & Industry (LCCI)

- JETSET
- English for Business (EFB)
- English for Tourism (EFT)

City & Guilds

- International English for Speakers of Other Languages (IESOL)
- International Spoken English for Speakers of Other Languages (ISESOL)

University of Cambridge

- Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)
- First Certificate in English (FCE)

Trinity College London

- GESE
- ISE

Educational Testing Service

- Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)

IELTS- International English Language Testing System

- IELTS General – all levels
- IELTS Academic – all levels

Accommodation

Villa Fanal
Link Residence



Villa Fanal is located in High Ridge, the most exclusive and expensive area of Malta where only villas are built. This property includes a fabulous swimming pool, lovely garden, large basement with games room, four large bedrooms with one en-suite. Exceptional sea views may be enjoyed from the breakfast terrace. The common areas include a large hall, massive spacious lounge and dining room which lead to a lovely terrace with magnificent views and kitchen. Wifi is installed all around the villa. This premises is ideal for entertaining.





Villa Xiwan
Link Residence



Villa Xiwan is situated along-side Villa Fanal in High Ridge and consists of six bedrooms overlooking sun terraces with fantastic sea views, eight bathrooms, large kitchen/breakfast, spacious dining room, separate TV lounge with a surrounding 800 square metre garden soaked up in sun with ample space for sports. Outdoor areas are ideal for entertaining with garden furniture and sunbeds. An entire floor is dedicated to sports having a table tennis, table soccer and professional gym equipment. Wifi is installed all around the villa.





Villa Aurora
Link Residence



This private Villa is situated in the heart of Swieqi and accommodates around 12 students. It has four bedrooms, two with ensuite bathrooms. The common parts include a spacious dining & lounge area with separate kitchen and breakfast facilities, all ideal for educational purposes. Lemon and orange trees embellish the garden in a relaxing atmosphere. Wifi is also installed all around the villa.





Link Court Apartments



Link Court Residential Apartments are situated opposite one of our Schools in the quiet residential area of Swieqi. They consist of three fully furnished apartments having three bedrooms, two bathrooms, combined sitting and dining with a spacious kitchen. Two balconies on either side of the apartments allow the lovely sunshine to lighten up your morning. We also offer an exclusive splendid two-bedroom penthouse on the fourth floor with sea views from a distance. The basement of Link Court is being transformed in a chill-out area specially designed for students with laser display, music, games room and mini gym.



Host Family Accommodation



On a daily basis students interact in English, talking about interesting topics thereby boosting conversational skills. Our selected host families are all within walking distance from both our Schools. An added bonus is the first hand experience of discovering the Maltese way of life, including traditions values, food and culture.









Hotels



Hotels of various star categories can be offered to individuals and groups.





Closed groups may also be accommodated in any of our Link Residential Villas as long as students are accompanied by their leaders or teachers. We also accept groups of students accompanied by parents.