English Language Course Options for the University of Melbourne
Many people know that the University of Melbourne is ranked number one in Australia, but you may not know why.

The University of Melbourne is one of the world’s finest universities. Employers worldwide seek out their graduates. Students succeed at the highest levels, and in more than one domain.

The University of Melbourne offers learning that stimulates, challenges and fulfils the potential of excellent students from around the globe, leading to personal development, meaningful careers and profound contributions to society.

That’s why some of the world’s most ambitious minds choose Melbourne.

**HAWTHORN-MELBOURNE**

As the only provider of English language pathway courses recognised by the University of Melbourne, Hawthorn-Melbourne plays an important role in helping international students meet the English requirements of their chosen degree through our English Language Bridging Programs:

- University of Melbourne English Language Bridging Program Preparation (UMELBP Prep)
- University of Melbourne English Language Bridging Program (UMELBP)

These programs provide a direct entry English language pathway from Hawthorn-Melbourne to a wide range of undergraduate and graduate degree courses at the University of Melbourne, while helping you develop the language and academic skills required to be an active and confident participant in all areas of your University degree.

**WHICH PATHWAY IS RIGHT FOR YOU?**

Depending on your current English level and University of Melbourne degree, you may be eligible for:

- UMELBP (10-week pathway)
- UMELBP Prep + UMELBP (20-week pathway)^2;

UMELBP is available to international students applying for Undergraduate and Graduate coursework Masters degrees. For full details and to check faculties recognising UMELBP as an option for meeting the English language requirements see hawthornenglish.edu.au/umelbp

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1. Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2020
2. UMELBP Prep is recognised for courses where the University of Melbourne English requirement is IELTS 6.5 with no band under 6.0. If your chosen course has a higher English requirement, you must meet the entry requirements for the UMELBP.
3. TOEFL and PTE results are also accepted. Please see website for full details.
UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE
ENGLISH LANGUAGE BRIDGING PROGRAM PREPARATION (UMELBP PREP)

Successful completion of UMELBP Prep allows you to enter UMELBP without the need for further official testing (IELTS, TOEFL or PTE).

**KEY DETAILS**

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| **Entry requirement** | IELTS: 5.5 with no band less than 5.0  
TOEFL: 46 + writing 14; speaking 14, reading 4; listening 5.  
PTE: 42 + no communicative skill below 36 |
| **Duration** | 10 weeks |
| **Hours per week** | 20 hours of face-to-face classroom teaching per week, plus 5 hours per week of self-study, workshops and independent research time throughout the program. |
| **Class times** | 8.30am – 1.00pm or 1.00pm – 5.30pm |
| **Class size** | Maximum 18 |
| **More information** | hawthornenglish.edu.au/UMELBP |

The UMELBP Prep syllabus is structured around the themes of sustainable development and global citizenship. This allows you to engage critically with contemporary global issues and to personalise your learning experience through the exploration of sustainability in the context of your future field of study.

**COURSE OVERVIEW**

- Identify and describe information in listening and note-taking exercises
- Plan, research and explain content for use in seminars and interactive discussions to develop speaking skills
- Learn to annotate, paraphrase, summarise, organise and reference information from a range of sources
- Read and analyse a range of academic reading materials
- Develop writing skills and use appropriate academic conventions in two essay genres
- Learn to navigate a Learning Management System for the purposes of course work, class work and assessment

**ASSESSMENT**

- mid-course exam
- research assignment
- two genre-based essays
- collaborative speaking task
- end of course exam
- presentation seminar
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The UMELBP uses authentic academic activities, such as lectures, seminars, research and critical thinking, to further develop your English language and study skills. Through participation in workshops, use of mobile devices and other resources, you are trained to become an effective and independent learner.

**COURSE OVERVIEW**

- Identify and analyse information through listening and note taking exercises
- Plan, research, and develop material to improve your seminar presentation skills
- Learn to summarise, paraphrase, organise, self-edit, and correctly reference information from a range of sources
- Read and analyse a range of authentic reading materials

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*Timetables are a guide only and subject to change. An evening timetable may run at peak times.*
WHEN DO THE UMELBP COURSES START?
UMELBP Prep is offered twice a year, starting in February and August, UMELBP is offered 4 times a year, with courses starting in February, May, July and November.
For full course dates see: hawthornenglish.edu.au/course-calendar

HOW LONG IS THE COURSE?
UMELBP Prep and UMELBP are each 10 weeks.

WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN UMELBP AND UMELBP PREP?
The course content of UMELBP and UMELBP Prep is similar. Both are English for academic purposes preparation courses specifically designed for entry to the University of Melbourne. UMELBP Prep is a lower level course focused on developing the language skills and academic literacies required for success with the UMELBP.

WHAT ARE THE COURSE FEES?
Fees are available at hawthornenglish.edu.au/fees

DO I NEED TO TAKE IELTS TO ENROL?
An IELTS, TOEFL or PTE result is required for entry. When you pass the UMELBP Prep, you get direct entry to the UMELBP and do not need to take another external test.

HOW WILL UMELBP PREP HELP MY ENGLISH SKILLS?
Through a variety of communicative task types, students develop active listening, collaboration, negotiation and presentation skills. The courses target essential academic vocabulary, and build academic writing and analytical reading skills which are the keys to success at undergraduate and postgraduate levels.

WHAT IS THE APPLICATION DEADLINE?
You need to allow enough time to complete the application process and apply for your student visa in time to travel for the start of the program. You may not be able to enter the UMELBP Prep or UMELBP course if you arrive late.

WHO CAN HELP ME WITH MY APPLICATION?
We strongly recommend that you use the services of an approved University of Melbourne Overseas Representative to assist with the processing of your packaged offer. These education agents can assist you when applying for your visa and this may result in a faster processing time. Please see the following link for approved representatives: study.unimelb.edu.au/how-to-apply/find-an-overseas-representative

MY UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE COURSE REQUIRES AN IELTS 7.0. CAN I ENROL IN UMELBP PREP?
Hawthorn provides a UMELBP pathway for students entering University courses requiring an IELTS 7.0. You must have an IELTS 6.5 with no band under 6.0 (or equivalent) to enter this UMELBP pathway. UMELBP Prep has been developed with assessments benchmarked to IELTS 6.0. As such it is not suitable for students who require an IELTS 7.0 or equivalent to enter the university.

MY PREFERRED COURSE DOES NOT ACCEPT UMELBP, WHAT CAN I DO?
You will need to meet your English requirements with an official test result (IELTS, TOEFL or PTE). We can help you improve your English and prepare for the test and you may still be eligible for a packaged offer for visa applications. Please contact us for more information.

MY UNIVERSITY OFFER IS UNCONDITIONAL, WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS?
We also offer an Intensive Academic Preparation (IAP) program for students with an unconditional offer for the University. See hawthornenglish.edu.au/IAP for details

NEED MORE HELP?
There are more FAQs on our website at: hawthornenglish.edu.au/faq-page
Or contact us at hawthornenglish.edu.au/contact-us to ask any questions
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