

## UMELBP

The University of Melbourne English Language Bridging Program (UMELBP) is a 10-week course that will help you prepare for tertiary study at the University of Melbourne.

### The Course

In this course, you will participate in authentic academic activities and tasks. You will develop the English language skills you need for:

- identifying and taking notes on important information in lectures
- participating in seminars and tutorials
- writing in narrative, argumentative and analytical styles
- reading and analysing a range of authentic materials
- critiquing written and spoken texts.

### Assessment

There are four assessment tasks to be completed.

Class study and activities familiarise students with assessment criteria, and teachers will provide feedback throughout the course so that students have a good understanding of how to apply the criteria to the assessment tasks.

The following are the individual assessment tasks and their weightings:

▪ Mid-course Exam (week 5)	25%
▪ Research Assignment (due week 7)	20%
▪ End of course Exam (week 9)	30%
▪ Presentation seminar (week 10)	20%
▪ Participation	5%

### Passing the course

The pass grades of UMELBP is dependent on your planned University of Melbourne course.

If you have enrolled in a University of Melbourne course where the published entry requirement is:

#### IELTS 6.5

Successful completion of UMELBP requires:

- Minimum of 65% on assessments (overall grade)
- Pass result (65% or more) in at least one of the two exams
- 80% attendance

#### IELTS 7.0

Successful completion of UMELBP requires:

- Minimum of 70% on assessments (overall grade)
- Pass result (70% or more) in at least one of the two exams
- 80% attendance

#### IELTS 7.5

Successful completion of UMELBP requires:

- Minimum of 75% on assessments (overall grade)
- Pass result (70% or more) in at least one of the two exams
- 80% attendance

Check your Conditional Offer from the University of Melbourne for the pass requirements for your chosen program.

### Further information

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