

Cambridge Preparation Programmes 2015



- Preparation for success in Cambridge Examinations
- Advice and testing to choose the right examination
- Programmes adapted to your learning needs and interests
- Practice examinations with feedback from your teacher

- Electives to improve your English for everyday work, study or social life
- Opportunities to meet English speakers and explore London or Dublin
- Progress meetings with your teacher

Choice of Programmes

| Course | Lessons/week | Cambridge Preparation | Lunch Club | Electives | Skills |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Super Intensive | 30 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| Intensive | 25 | ✓ | | ✓ | |
| Semi-Intensive Plus | 20 | ✓ | | | ✓ |

Cambridge First Certificate and Advanced English Preparation

Cambridge Programmes prepare you for all elements of the FCE (First Certificate in English) or CAE (Cambridge Advanced English) examinations: Reading and Use of English, Writing, Listening and Speaking. Programmes include intensive practice of language and skills required as well as examination techniques.

Lunch Club

On two days a week you can enjoy a light lunch in small groups with Frances King staff or other English speakers.

Electives

Social English for Everyday Life

Focus on spoken communication through discussions, role plays, conversations and the presentation of ideas. Depending on the level, classes are based on functional, situational or topical language.

English for Work and Business

Focus on English for international business communication. Classes include language for marketing, management, financial services and human resources as well as spoken English skills for meetings, negotiations and presentations.

Academic English to Prepare for University

Focus on reading and writing skills for academic study, note-taking and summarising skills, debating techniques, carrying out research and presenting data.

Culture, Arts and Media

Develop fluency with language input related to your cultural and artistic interests, British life and media, with activities in and outside the classroom.

English and Life Skills – NEW IN 2015!

Improve your English in the context of learning life and communication skills such as presenting ideas, making presentations, taking part in meetings and teamwork, and creative thinking.

Language Skills

Conversation

Focus on speaking in a friendly, informal atmosphere. Interesting topics are discussed with time for pronunciation practice, correction and feedback.

Vocabulary Development

Learn and practise new vocabulary in varied and interesting ways with integrated skills classes. You will learn techniques to keep building your vocabulary.

Reading and Writing

Focus on reading and writing skills for those planning to study or work in English.

Multi Language Skills – NEW IN 2015!

Extra conversation, vocabulary, reading and writing.

Frances King Study Centres

The Frances King Study Centres offer you the opportunity for extra independent study, so you can really benefit from your time at Frances King. Learning activities include:

- Internet based learning exercises.
- Listening and Pronunciation.
- Reading – with graded reading books, magazines and specialist materials.
- Grammar and vocabulary practice materials.
- Examination practice materials and past papers.

Accommodation

You can choose from the range of accommodation in our brochure, but we especially recommend the following accommodation if you are taking an Examination Programme:

- In London: Homestay; Residences: Mansion Chelsea, Pure Hammersmith, Bowden Court; Flatshare. If you are on a higher budget we can also arrange studios, hotels and apartments. Additional options in summer.
- In Dublin: Homestay; Baggot Street Residence. If you are on a higher budget we can also arrange apartments and hotels. Aungier Street Residence and Trinity College Apartments and Residences available in summer.

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Minimum age: 16
Maximum class size: 15
Levels: FCE: Upper Intermediate 1 and above; CAE: Advanced and above

13/14 SUPER INTENSIVE PREPARATION FOR FCE OR CAE

Lessons per week: 30
Timetable: Monday to Friday

- 9.00-12.00 (Cambridge FCE or CAE Preparation)
- 12.00-13.00 (Lunch Club – Twice a week)
- 13.10-15.00 (Electives)
- 15.10-16.00 (English & Life Skills)

Course 13/14 fees 2014

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,444 | £2,565 | £3,141 | £3,735 |
| DUBLIN | €1,120 | - | €2,464 | €2,890 |

Course 13/14 fees 2015

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,480 | £2,629 | £3,220 | £3,829 |
| DUBLIN | €1,120 | - | €2,464 | €2,890 |

15/16 INTENSIVE PREPARATION FOR FCE OR CAE

Lessons per week: 25
Timetable: Monday to Friday

- 9.00-12.00 (Cambridge FCE or CAE Preparation)
- 13.10-15.00 (Electives)

Course 15/16 fees 2014

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,288 | £2,287 | £2,801 | £3,331 |
| DUBLIN | €960 | - | €2,112 | €2,477 |

Course 15/16 fees 2015

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,320 | £2,344 | £2,871 | £3,414 |
| DUBLIN | €960 | - | €2,112 | €2,477 |

17/18 SEMI-INTENSIVE PLUS PREPARATION FOR FCE OR CAE

Lessons per week: 20
Timetable: Monday to Friday

- 9.00-12.00 (Cambridge FCE or CAE Preparation)
- 12.10-13.00 (Language Skills)

Course 17/18 fees 2014

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,060 | £1,898 | £2,322 | £2,740 |
| DUBLIN | €800 | - | €1,760 | €2,064 |

Course 17/18 fees 2015

| City | weeks | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 4 | 8 | 10 | 12 |
| LONDON | £1,086 | £1,946 | £2,380 | £2,808 |
| DUBLIN | €800 | - | €1,760 | €2,064 |

General Notes

Examination Fees:

- **In London:**
 FCE: £130 in 2014; £135 in 2015.
 CAE: £135 in 2014; £140 in 2015.
- **In Dublin:**
 FCE: €165 in 2014; €190 in 2015.
 CAE: €175 in 2014; €195 in 2015.

Notes on Course Dates:

When Monday is a public holiday, courses begin on the following Tuesday. In London: April 7; May 5, 26. In Dublin: May 5; August 4; October 27.

Language skills and Electives in Dublin:

Language Skills: Multi Language Skills.
 Electives: Choose from a blend of Social and Business English or Academic English.

Timetable:

1 lesson = 50 minutes
 20 lessons = 16 hours 40 minutes' tuition
 25 lessons = 20 hours 50 minutes' tuition
 30 lessons = 25 hours' tuition

| Exam | Length | Starting Dates London | Examination Date London | Starting Dates Dublin | Examination Date Dublin |
|------|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| FCE | 10 | January 5 | March 13 | January 5 | March 8 |
| | 12 | March 23 | June 9 | March 23 | June 7 |
| | 8 | June 29 | August 20 | - | - |
| | 4 | July 6 | July 29 | June 29 | July 25 |
| | 4 | July 27 | August 20 | July 27 | August 21 |
| | 12 | September 14 | December 1 | September 14 | December 2 |
| CAE | 10 | January 5 | March 14 | January 5 | March 15 |
| | 12 | March 23 | June 10 | March 23 | June 11 |
| | 8 | June 29 | August 21 | - | - |
| | 4 | June 29 | July 23 | June 29 | July 24 |
| | 4 | July 27 | August 21 | July 27 | August 22 |
| | 12 | September 14 | December 2 | September 14 | December 3 |



Add two or more One-to-One lessons at reduced prices for completely individualised learning.

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1. The course book is not included in the fees but can be purchased at Frances King (£25 in London or €30 in Dublin).
2. Examination fees are not included in the course price and must be paid by end of the first week of the course.
3. It is your responsibility to register for an examination after arrival at the school, except for 4-week FCE and 4-week CAE in London and Dublin – register for the examination when you enrol for the course.
4. Details and fees are set by examination authorities and subject to change without notice.
5. These dates are for Reading and Use of English, Writing and Listening papers. The speaking test will take place on another day during the same week, either before or after the other papers.
6. Examinations are held at central London or Dublin locations.
7. Please inform the school at least 8 weeks before your examination date if you have dyslexia or if you have hearing or visual impairments so that special arrangements can be made. You will need to show translated medical evidence in a document dated within the last two years.

For more information about these programmes:

- London: <http://www.francesking.com/examination-english-course.aspx>
- Dublin: <http://www.francesking.com/examination-english-course-dublin.aspx>

SPECIAL OFFER!

**WE WILL CHARGE 2014 COURSE PRICES FOR COURSES STARTING IN 2015
IF BOOKED BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR.**

HOWEVER, WE WILL CHARGE 2015 ACCOMMODATION PRICES FOR ACCOMMODATION IN 2015