

## General English Programmes 2014-2015



- For effective communication and fluency in everyday English
- Suitable for adults of all ages
- Programmes adapted to your learning needs and interests

- 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

|                     | Lessons/week | General English | Lunch Club | Electives | Skills |
|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Super Intensive     | 30           | ✓               | ✓          | ✓         | ✓      |
| Intensive           | 25           | ✓               |            | ✓         |        |
| Semi-Intensive Plus | 20           | ✓               |            |           | ✓      |
| Semi-Intensive      | 15           | ✓               |            |           |        |
| Part-time-Evening   | 4 / 6        | ✓               |            |           |        |

### General English

The course develops practical communication skills, with emphasis on speaking and listening. By learning and practising language in imaginative and structured lessons, you achieve greater fluency and accuracy. Grammar, vocabulary and functional English are covered. Learning and progress is purposeful with clear learning outcomes assessed through speaking and writing tasks. Guidance and support is given, alongside correction and further practice.

### Lunch Club

Two days a week you can enjoy a light lunch in small groups with an English speaker.

### 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, contemporary 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, negotiating and teamwork. There is also cross cultural training and a grammar surgery.

### Language Skills

#### Essential English

Functional, spoken English for everyday life for lower level students.

#### 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 and 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 a General English 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. Augier Street Residence and Trinity College Apartments and Residences available in summer.

## General English Programmes 2014-2015

**Minimum age:** 16  
**Maximum class size:** 15  
**Starting Dates:** Every Monday

### 1 SUPER INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME

**Lessons per week:** 30  
**Timetable:** Monday to Friday  
 ▪ 9.00-12.00 (General English)  
 ▪ 12.00-13.00 (Lunch Club – Twice a week)  
 ▪ 13.10-15.00 (Electives)  
 ▪ 15.10-16.00 (Language Skills\*)  
**Levels:** Elementary and above\*\*  
**Length:** 1-48 weeks

\* In 2015: English and Life Skills in London and Dublin.  
 \*\* In 2015: Pre-Intermediate and above.

#### Course 1 Fees 2014

| City   | Weeks |      |        |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3      | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £428  | £798 | £1,137 | £1,444 | £2,565 | £3,735 |
| DUBLIN | €322  | €616 | €882   | €1,120 | €2,016 | €2,890 |

#### Course 1 Fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |        |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3      | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £439  | £818 | £1,165 | £1,480 | £2,629 | £3,829 |
| DUBLIN | €322  | €616 | €882   | €1,120 | €2,016 | €2,890 |

### 2 INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME

**Lessons per week:** 25  
**Timetable:** Monday to Friday  
 ▪ 9.00-12.00 (General English)  
 ▪ 13.10-15.00 (Electives)  
**Levels:** Elementary and above\*\*  
**Length:** 1-48 weeks

\*\* In 2015: Pre-Intermediate and above.

#### Course 2 Fees 2014

| City   | Weeks |      |        |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3      | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £382  | £711 | £1,013 | £1,288 | £2,287 | £3,331 |
| DUBLIN | €276  | €528 | €756   | €960   | €1,728 | €2,477 |

#### Course 2 Fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |        |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3      | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £391  | £729 | £1,039 | £1,320 | £2,344 | £3,414 |
| DUBLIN | €276  | €528 | €756   | €960   | €1,728 | €2,477 |

### 3 SEMI-INTENSIVE PLUS GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME – MORNING

**Lessons per week:** 20  
**Timetable:** Monday to Friday  
 ▪ 9.00-12.00 (General English)  
 ▪ 12.10-13.00 (Language Skills)  
**Levels:** Beginner and above  
**Length:** 1-48 weeks

#### Course 3 fees 2014

| City   | Weeks |      |      |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £309  | £576 | £832 | £1,060 | £1,898 | £2,740 |
| DUBLIN | €230  | €440 | €630 | €800   | €1,440 | €2,064 |

#### Course 3 fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |      |        |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4      | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £317  | £591 | £853 | £1,086 | £1,946 | £2,808 |
| DUBLIN | €230  | €440 | €630 | €800   | €1,440 | €2,064 |

### 4 SEMI-INTENSIVE PLUS GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME – AFTERNOON Course 4 fees 2014

**Lessons per week:** 20  
**Timetable:** Monday to Friday  
 ▪ 13.10-14.00 (Language Skills\*)  
 ▪ 14.10-17.00 (General English)  
**Levels:** Elementary and above\*\*  
**Length:** 1-48 weeks

\* In 2015: Multi Language Skills in London and Dublin.  
 \*\* In 2015: Pre-Intermediate and above.

#### Course 4 fees 2014

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £209  | £389 | £554 | £694 | £1,224 | £1,785 |
| DUBLIN | €161  | €308 | €441 | €560 | €1,008 | €1,445 |

#### Course 4 fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £214  | £398 | £568 | £711 | £1,255 | £1,830 |
| DUBLIN | €161  | €308 | €441 | €560 | €1,008 | €1,445 |

### 5 SEMI-INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME – MORNING

**Lessons per week:** 15  
**Timetable:** Monday to Friday  
 ▪ 9.00-12.00 (General English)  
**Levels:** Beginner and above  
**Length:** 1-48 weeks

#### Course 5 fees 2014

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £234  | £436 | £632 | £794 | £1,423 | £2,062 |
| DUBLIN | €172  | €330 | €472 | €600 | €1,080 | €1,548 |

#### Course 5 fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |        |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|--------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8      | 12     |
| LONDON | £240  | £447 | £647 | £813 | £1,459 | £2,113 |
| DUBLIN | €172  | €330 | €472 | €600 | €1,080 | €1,548 |

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### 6 SEMI-INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME – AFTERNOON

#### Course 6 fees 2014

**Lessons per week:** 15

**Timetable:** Monday to Friday

▪ 14.10-17.00 (General English)

**Levels:** Elementary and above\*\*

**Length:** 1-48 weeks

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |      |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8    | 12     |
| LONDON | £150  | £280 | £413 | £521 | £938 | £1,344 |
| DUBLIN | €126  | €242 | €346 | €440 | €792 | €1,135 |

#### Course 6 fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |      |      |      |      |        |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|--------|
|        | 1     | 2    | 3    | 4    | 8    | 12     |
| LONDON | £154  | £287 | £423 | £534 | £961 | £1,377 |
| DUBLIN | €126  | €242 | €346 | €440 | €792 | €1,135 |

\*\* In 2015: Pre-Intermediate and above.

### 7 PART-TIME GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAMME – EVENING

#### Course 7 fees 2014

**Lessons per week:** In London: 6; In Dublin: 4

**Timetable:**

In London: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday

In Dublin: Tuesday and Thursday

▪ 18.30-20.30 (General/ Business/Examination English)

**Levels:** Elementary and above

**Length:** 1-24 weeks in London. 1-25 weeks in Dublin.

| City   | Weeks |     |      |      |      |      |
|--------|-------|-----|------|------|------|------|
|        | 1     | 2   | 3    | 4    | 8    | 12   |
| LONDON | £44   | £81 | £117 | £146 | £259 | £358 |
| DUBLIN | €36   | €72 | €108 | €144 | €256 | €348 |

#### Course 7 fees 2015

| City   | Weeks |     |      |      |      |      |
|--------|-------|-----|------|------|------|------|
|        | 1     | 2   | 3    | 4    | 8    | 12   |
| LONDON | £45   | £83 | £120 | £149 | £265 | £366 |
| DUBLIN | €36   | €72 | €108 | €144 | €256 | €348 |

### General Notes

#### Notes on Course Dates:

When Monday is a public holiday, courses begin on the following Tuesday.

2014: In Dublin, October 28.

2015: In London, April 7; May 5, 26; September 1. In Dublin, April 7; May 5; June 2; August 4; October 27.

Christmas Holidays: The school will be closed from Monday December 22, 2014 and will open again on Monday January 5, 2015.

#### Minimum levels for electives:

Elementary and above for Social English for Everyday Life\*\*. Intermediate and above for English for Work and Business, Academic English to Prepare for University, Culture, Arts and Media.

\*\* In 2015: Pre-Intermediate and above for Social English for Everyday Life.

**Levels for Language skills:** Beginners and elementary only for "Essential English". Pre-Intermediate and above for all other Language Skills.

#### Language skills and Electives in Dublin:

Language Skills: Multi Language Skills.

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

**Bildungsurlaub:** Course 1 is eligible for the Bildungsurlaub.

#### Timetable:

1 lesson = 50 minutes

4 lessons = 3 hours 20 minutes' tuition

6 lessons = 5 hours' tuition

15 lessons = 12 hours 30 minutes' tuition

20 lessons = 16 hours 40 minutes' tuition

25 lessons = 20 hours 50 minutes' tuition

30 lessons = 25 hours' tuition



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



Students taking a General English Programme may switch to an Examination Preparation Programme during their course.



Professional people of age 21 and over may find a Club 8 Course more suitable

#### For more information about these programmes:

▪ London:

<http://www.francesking.com/general-english-course.aspx>

▪ Dublin:

<http://www.francesking.com/index-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