

YOUNG LEARNERS



AGES 13 – 17

Whether you are looking for an English course for your teen, a full holiday + English + activities deal or a tailored group package, IELTS offers many options for young learners.

WELFARE

We support and care for our young learners from the moment they arrive until they are back at the airport. When it comes to our students, we have very strict procedures in place to keep them safe. To name a few:



Easily identifiable staff uniform



Airport meet and pick-up



One activity leader for every 15 students



Welfare Staff



24/7 emergency helpline

WHY CHOOSE IELTS YOUNG LEARNERS' PROGRAMME

- Malta is considered to be one of the safest countries in the world
- Our top priority is students' safety and well-being
- Our welfare staff ensures each student is happy throughout their entire stay
- Students are accompanied by our activity leaders on activities and excursions
- Constant care and support
- Carefully selected staff and host homes
- Many years of experience with Young Learners
- Excellent school facilities
- Multinational classes: meeting students from all over the world will give them the opportunity to practise their new language skills, make friends and have experiences that will last a lifetime
- IELTS designed its own course material to appeal specifically to younger learners
- Our passionate and experienced teachers make lessons fun and engaging
- We can accommodate closed groups at any time of the year



YOUNG LEARNER COURSES

Students can book full packages including course, accommodation, meals and transfers or "Day Programme" and "Tuition only" options if travelling with Parents/Guardians.

VACATION ENGLISH +

For ages 13-17

20 lessons a week (15h)

Morning classes

Average 15 (max. 17) students per class

From 1 week+

Easter, Summer, Autumn

For all levels

Available packages

- **Tuition only**
- **Daytime programme:** English lessons + packed lunch + daily activities
- **All inclusive package:** English lessons + accommodation + meals + daily activities + transport

This programme is the ultimate, blended "study plus fun" package for teenagers. Students are entertained day and night to guarantee a stimulating learning experience and environment to learn English and make new friends.

CLOSED GROUP STAYS

For ages 12-17

20 lessons a week (15h)

Morning/afternoon classes

Average 15 (max. 17) students per class

From 1 week+

Any time of the year

For all levels

Available packages

- **All inclusive package:** English lessons + accommodation + meals + optional activities + transport

We offer special packages for group bookings of 15 students or more at any time of the year. Our teachers bring a lot of experience to the classroom, while our leisure team organises safe and fun-packed activity programmes which can be tailor-made according to various needs and budgets.

ABITUR

Academic English for High School Students

For ages 16-18*

30 lessons a week (22.5h)

Morning or afternoon classes

Average 15 (max. 17) students per class

From 1 week+

Easter, Summer, Autumn

For level B1+

Available packages

- **Tuition only**
- **All inclusive package:** English lessons + accommodation + meals + evening activities + transport

This course is designed for teenagers who are doing, or will soon be doing their high school / secondary school pre-university examinations in Germany. Lessons focus on grammar, vocabulary, verbal and written communication, and examination techniques.

*18 year old students can book tuition only and choose from the accommodation options available for adults.

YOUNG LEARNER SAMPLE PROGRAMMES

Vacation English Plus Spring/Autumn (ages 13 – 17)

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
7:30	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
8:45	Arrivals/Departures Marsaxlokk Market & Blue Grotto	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Arrivals/Departures Rooftop, Pool & Chill Out Optional: Full Day Comino Cruise
10:15		Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	
10:45		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	
12:15		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
13:00		Exploring Sliema	The National Aquarium	Selfie Contest Optional: Harbour Cruise	Mellieha Bay	Bay Street Complex Optional: Bowling	
18:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
20:00	Hop on Hop off South Villages	Birgu Tour	Karaoke Night	Movie Night and Popcorn	Pizza Night	Mosta Dome & Rabat Walk	Sports Night
23:00	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time



Vacation English Plus Summer (ages 13 – 17)

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
7:30	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
8:45	Arrivals/Departures Mellieha Bay	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Arrivals/Departures Chill Out by the Pool Optional Activity - Comino & Blue Lagoon Cruise
10:15		Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	
10:45		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	
12:15		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
13:00		Sliema Insta Contest	Full Day at the Pool & BBQ	Ghajin Tuffieha Beach - Optional: Paddle Surf	Beach Volleyball	St Julians Bay Beach	
18:00	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner
20:00	Sports Night	Disco Night	Cards & Board Games	Valletta Guided Tour	International Party	Pizza Evening	Sliema Hunt
23:00	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time	Bed Time

YOUNG LEARNER ACCOMMODATION

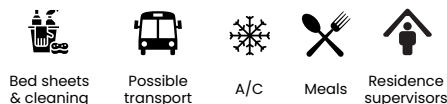
IELS representatives will meet & greet the students at the Malta International Airport upon arrival, and make sure they board the school bus to be taken to their accommodation. An IELS leader or Host Family member will welcome them on arrival and assist with checking-in. Breakfast and dinner are included in all accommodation options, and packed lunch is provided at school.

CENTRE RESIDENCE



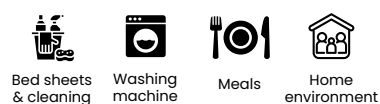
This residence is centrally located within walking distance to IELS Sliema school and minutes away from the seafront. The residence offers accommodation in modern, shared air-conditioned rooms with 2, 3 or 4 beds per room.

CLUB RESIDENCE



This residence offers accommodation in various locations. Neatly furnished, fully equipped shared rooms sleeping 3-4 students per room. Bus ride to school is included where accommodation is not within walking distance.

HOST HOME



While staying with a local family, students will experience the culture, food and traditions of a Maltese family while practising their English in a home environment. Students who live more than 30 minutes on foot from school will be provided with transport.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

These Terms and Conditions apply to all bookings for IELS Malta courses starting on or after 1st January 2024

1. Definitions

In these terms and conditions, the following terms have the meanings set out next to them (and references to the singular include the plural and vice-versa):

Agreement	These terms and conditions together with the Application Form and the Price List which are supplied by IELS.
Application Form	The form you complete and send to IELS in connection with applying for a place on a Course which shall be considered to form an integral part of this Agreement.
Confirmation	The form IELS sends you to confirm acceptance of your application.
Course	The Course of study you have applied for on your Application Form offered by IELS.
Departure Date	The date on which your Course ends.
IELS Malta	The language centres at various locations identified in the Price List.
Price List	The document entitled 'Price List' which incorporates the Application Form and these terms and conditions and which is also downloadable from the Website and which shall be considered to form an integral part of this Agreement.
Relevant	IELS's bank account identified in the Price List.
Start Date	The first day of the Course for which you are applying.
IELS	The Institute of English Language Studies Limited, Company Registration No. C7235.
Website	The Website at www.ielsmalta.com
You/Your	The applicant for a Course at IELS.

2. Accommodation

IELS will advise you on a variety of accommodation options. You should book accommodation for the Start Date until the day before your Departure Date unless you are informed to the contrary by IELS. Accommodation arrangements are your responsibility unless you indicate that you wish to book accommodation with IELS on your Application Form.

3. Agreement

This Agreement shall be legally binding between you and IELS once IELS has received a completed Application Form from you, whether by e-mail or otherwise, and has confirmed your place by sending you a Confirmation Form. This Agreement and any dispute or claim arising out of or in connection with it or its validity or its subject matter or formation is governed by and construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the legal jurisdiction in which IELS is situated.

4. Cancellations

You may cancel your booking provided you do so by written notice to IELS, which it must receive not less than 14 days before the Start Date. In such an event, any fees you have paid will be refunded except for registration fees and one week's tuition and (where applicable) accommodation fees (such fees being specified in the Price List). If you cancel your booking less than 14 days before the Start Date, no refunds will be given on tuition and accommodation, any exceptions to this rule are entirely at General Manager's discretion. A full refund of all fees paid, less Bank charges, delivery charges and registration fees will be made in the event of visa refusal provided you send written notice to IELS and documentary evidence of such refusal. If a Course is terminated after the Start Date, or if you fail to present yourself at the school on the Start Date without having previously cancelled your Course, no refunds will be given on tuition and accommodation.

5. Changes and Amendments

Once you have started a Course, no changes may be made to it other than by written agreement from IELS. If IELS opts to approve a change, the additional charge which is specified in the Price List will be incurred by you, and no change can be effected until full payment has been received.

6. Conduct

You are expected to behave in a courteous manner and to respect fellow students and staff at IELS. The illegal use of drugs, alcohol abuse and inconsiderate behaviour is unacceptable as is any failure by you to abide by the law and custom of IELS's location. IELS reserves the right to withhold Courses and accommodation from any student who fails to meet such standards and to terminate any Course or part thereof without refund in appropriate circumstances.

7. Courses

Start Dates are detailed in the Price List. In the event of an insufficient number of student bookings for a particular Course, IELS reserves the right to cancel the Course or provide you with an alternative Course which IELS, at its sole discretion, considers suitable. Such cancellation/change will be communicated 2 weeks before Start Date at the latest. IELS reserves the right for classes to take place in alternative premises of a similar standard to the school.

8. Competency Levels

Courses are offered at five levels of language learning: Elementary / Pre- Intermediate / Intermediate / Upper Intermediate & Advanced. Other teaching levels may be available by arrangement.

9. Certification & Attendance

You must attend a minimum of 80% of lessons scheduled for the Course in order to receive a certificate of attendance at its conclusion. Students whose attendance falls below this level may be asked to leave the programme. Students who require visas who fall below the required attendance level will always be reported to the appropriate government immigration authority.

10. Descriptions

IELS honestly believes that all statements made in promotional material are factual and correct. Every reasonable effort has been made to ensure such accuracy. IELS is not responsible for any changes that become known after promotional material is produced (up to date information can be found on the Website). IELS will advise you of any material changes which become known to it prior to the Start Date.

11. Entrance Test

Where a course requires a minimum level, you will be required to complete and submit an approved test. Failure to do so may result in you being unable to take the course requested. A suitable alternative will be offered.

12. Expulsion

Committing a criminal offence, insufficient attendance, the provision of false information in your Application Form, in correspondence and dealings with IELS prior to the Start Date or on enrollment, disorderly, drunken, aggressive or threatening behaviour or any other actions which could bring IELS into disrepute may result in expulsion from IELS without refund. In such case, immigration and other authorities will be informed where appropriate.

13. Health

You must be in good physical and mental health at the Start Date and IELS reserves the right to require you to leave any Course at your own expense in the event that you fail to declare any material matters relating to your health on the Application Form.

14. Immigration Regulations

You must ensure that you fully understand immigration regulations in IELS's location. It is your responsibility to ensure that you meet and comply with any such regulations and IELS will not refund any fees paid due to your having been refused entry into IELS's location by immigration authorities.

15. Insurance and Limitation of Liability

You must arrange suitable insurance in respect of travel and medical risks and may be required to provide evidence to IELS of adequate insurance at least seven days before the Start Date or at any point in time thereafter throughout the duration of your Course. It is always the responsibility of students to satisfy themselves that the provision of insurance is adequate to meet their individual needs. This also applies to students who are supplied insurance whether paid or unpaid as a consequence of booking a course at IELS.

IELS shall not have any liability to you for any loss of possessions, injury, death, costs related to medical or dental treatment, or costs related to repatriation or for any other losses, damages (whether direct or indirect), compensation, costs or expenses unless negligence can be proved in a court of law in the jurisdiction of IELS.

IELS shall not have any liability to you for any loss, damage, costs, expenses or other claims for compensation arising from any information or instructions supplied by you which is, or are incomplete, incorrect or inaccurate.

Nothing in any agreement you have with IELS affects any liability for death or personal injury caused by IELS's negligence or for fraudulent misrepresentation, or your statutory rights as a consumer.

16. Lesson Times

Indicative lesson times are set out in the Price List. IELS reserves the right to alter such lesson times at its discretion.

17. Matters Beyond IELS' Control

IELS will endeavour to provide you with the Course and service you book. However, we do not take responsibility for disruptions to the Course and arrangements associated with it resulting from forces out of IELS's control, such as (but not limited to) earthquakes, other natural disasters, war, governmental action and the like. Refunds in respect of the curtailment of the Course or the period of your stay in IELS's location will not be made in such circumstances. Students are responsible for their own personal belongings. IELS will not be held responsible for stolen, lost or damaged items belonging to students.

18. Payment

Full payment must be received by IELS not less than 14 days before your Start Date. You will not be allowed to commence your Course if payment is not made by that time. Payment may be made by bank transfer, credit or debit card or in person to the Relevant Account. Additional charges may apply depending on the choice of payment medium and such charges are identified on the Price List.

19. Photography, Filming & Sound Recording

During the course of a student's stay, IELS may arrange to record, photograph or shoot video footage for its promotional purposes only, both printed and online. Any student who does not wish to participate should indicate this on their application form and state at the time of the recording, photographing or video shooting the wish not to participate.

20. Prices

All prices stated on the Price List are valid from 01 January 2024 to 31 December 2024. IELS reserve the right to unilaterally change prices as a result of governmental regulations, tax increases, exchange rate variations or other events. 2024 prices apply to bookings received for courses which start and take place in 2025 provided the booking is received by 31 October 2024.

21. School Closures

National holidays and school closure dates may vary according to location and are detailed in the Price List. No reductions are made to prices in respect of closures on such dates. Lessons will not be made up except where Private Tuition has been booked.

22. School Rules

School rules and regulations are provided at Course inductions by IELS, in literature provided to you and/or on Supplier School notice boards and on www.ielsmalta.com. You must comply with such rules and regulations.

Additional Terms and Conditions for Young Learners are stipulated in IELS Young Learners Rules and Regulations document: <http://www.ielsmalta.com/en/rules-regulations-procedures>

23. Travel & Transfers

Course fees do not include flights or other transport to IELS, except where specified. You must make your own travel arrangements. IELS will be pleased to provide information to help you with your arrangements. IELS will offer transfers from your airport of arrival to your accommodation ("Transfers") subject to the payment of an additional charge. You must indicate whether you wish to reserve a Transfer on your Application Form and provide IELS with full details of your flight and arrival time at least 21 days before your Start Date (failure to do so or any extra costs incurred by IELS as a result of incorrect, delayed or inadequate information provided by you or your delayed arrival at the relevant airport may result in your incurring further charges).

24. Visas

Depending upon the location of IELS, you may require a visa to study in such location. IELS will assist you in connection with your initial application for a visa but in all other respects it is your responsibility to apply for and obtain a visa where necessary.

25. Students under the age of 18 years on Adult courses

Students under the age of 18 are considered as Minors under Maltese Law, and thus must abide by a curfew of 12-midnight within their selected accommodation, and are not permitted to attend certain activities/excursions sold in-house which may involve the presence of alcohol. A notarised letter from the parents/guardians must be provided before the Start Date for all Minors booked on any IELS course (adult or YL) who are not booking accommodation provided and supervised by the school.

"Our mission is to provide the perfect environment for our students to learn and practise English while enjoying the climate, traditions and culture of our country. Serious study and great fun, in other words."



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