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**COLLEGE OF
ENGLISH**

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF CANTERBURY

Welcome to CCEL



Tertiary Partnerships

CCEL is part of the Navitas Group and is the official English language provider for the University of Canterbury (UC) and UC International College (UCIC). It is the entry point for students who need to improve their English before they go on to further studies.



A Unique Campus

CCEL is located on the University of Canterbury campus. Supportive and experienced staff help students with all their learning needs and provide support for their everyday life in New Zealand.



A Range of Courses

CCEL has a range of courses including General English (day & evening), Academic English, IELTS Preparation, Group Programmes, and Teacher Training. Many courses are available face-to-face and online.



Recognition of Quality

The New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) has ranked CCEL as Category 1. The NZQA is 'Highly Confident' in CCEL's educational performance and capability in self-assessment. Please see (<https://www.nzqa.govt.nz/providers/details.do?providerId=896653001&site=1>) for CCEL's most recent NZQA EER report.



Work & Study

As a Category 1 school, students with a student visa* can work part time while studying if they are enrolled on a full time course of 14 weeks or longer.



Join us Online

For students who are currently unable to travel to New Zealand, CCEL has a range of online courses available. Become a CCEL student from your home country!



* Please check Immigration New Zealand's website www.immigration.govt.nz to learn the requirements and how to apply for a student visa.

Why study at CCEL?

CCEL is UC & UCIC's English language provider, based on UC's campus in Christchurch. CCEL is an NZQA Category 1 school, as a result of our commitment to providing the highest possible level of academic quality and student support.

Study English at CCEL and enjoy:

- a warm, friendly, lively study environment
- a university environment and the use of university facilities on the Christchurch campus
- a pathway to UC and UCIC programmes
- the chance to work part-time if you study full time on a student visa for 14 weeks or more
- homestay or student residence accommodation
- studying and activities with friends from more than 20 different countries
- challenging study programmes and fun outside the classroom
- free wireless internet access
- an online student visa application service
- small class sizes - a maximum of 14 students per class
- being part of the Navitas family, a leading global education provider.



Partnerships, Accreditations & Associations:



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Language Assessment
Authorized Centre

A member of
English
New Zealand

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EDUCATED

Courses

Students from around the world have been learning English at CCEL since 1991. CCEL courses are approved by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) and CCEL has the highest possible NZQA quality rating.

English for Life

General English (GE)

CCEL's General English courses are for people who want to improve their all-round English skills and learn how to communicate effectively. CCEL offers GE at 6 levels from beginner to advanced. GE courses include, speaking, listening, reading and writing lessons and vocabulary and grammar development. Courses are intensive, have regular testing and a focus on student progress.

Academic English

English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

CCEL's EAP courses are not only for students who wish to study at UC or UCIC, but also for students who want to study at any tertiary institution in an English-speaking country. The courses are offered at 2 levels and focus on Academic English skills.

Exam Preparation

IELTS Preparation

Students can prepare for internationally recognised academic English qualifications by taking IELTS Exam Preparation courses at CCEL. IELTS courses help to develop and strengthen students' knowledge and use of academic English, as well as improving their exam skills.

And More

Exam Centre

CCEL is a public exam centre for Cambridge teacher awards, and for TOEIC. Please contact CCEL for dates and exam arrangements.

Group Programmes

CCEL has run successful Group Programmes since 1991. We are proud of this long history and strong partnerships of up to 30 years. CCEL's Group Programmes are specially designed to meet the needs of each group. We make content that suits the students and the institution sending them. Courses cater for the kind of English that students need, for example, General, Business or Academic. We also provide specially designed courses for English teachers which can include preparation for Cambridge teaching awards such as TKT (Teaching Knowledge Test). Activities can include leisure activities, local visits and volunteering experiences, depending on what the Group needs.

CELTA

The CELTA (Cambridge Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Language(s)) is a highly-regarded internationally recognised qualification awarded by Cambridge English. It is for native or near native (equivalent to IELTS 7.5 or above) English speakers who have little or no previous English language teaching experience. It is also ideal for more experienced teachers without an equivalent qualification.

eLearning

eLearning at CCEL lets students enjoy developing their English wherever and whenever they want to using our engaging and innovative system, Canvas. Students receive full Canvas training in their first week at CCEL and get personalised ongoing feedback on their work. Canvas is used by top universities such as Harvard and Yale.

"I am very happy with the teacher who accompanied me in this amazing phase of my life. She taught me with great mastery and professionalism, I loved every moment. Thank you CCEL."

*Sávio (Brazil) -
General English*

Pathways

CCEL - UC's & UCIC's pathway partner

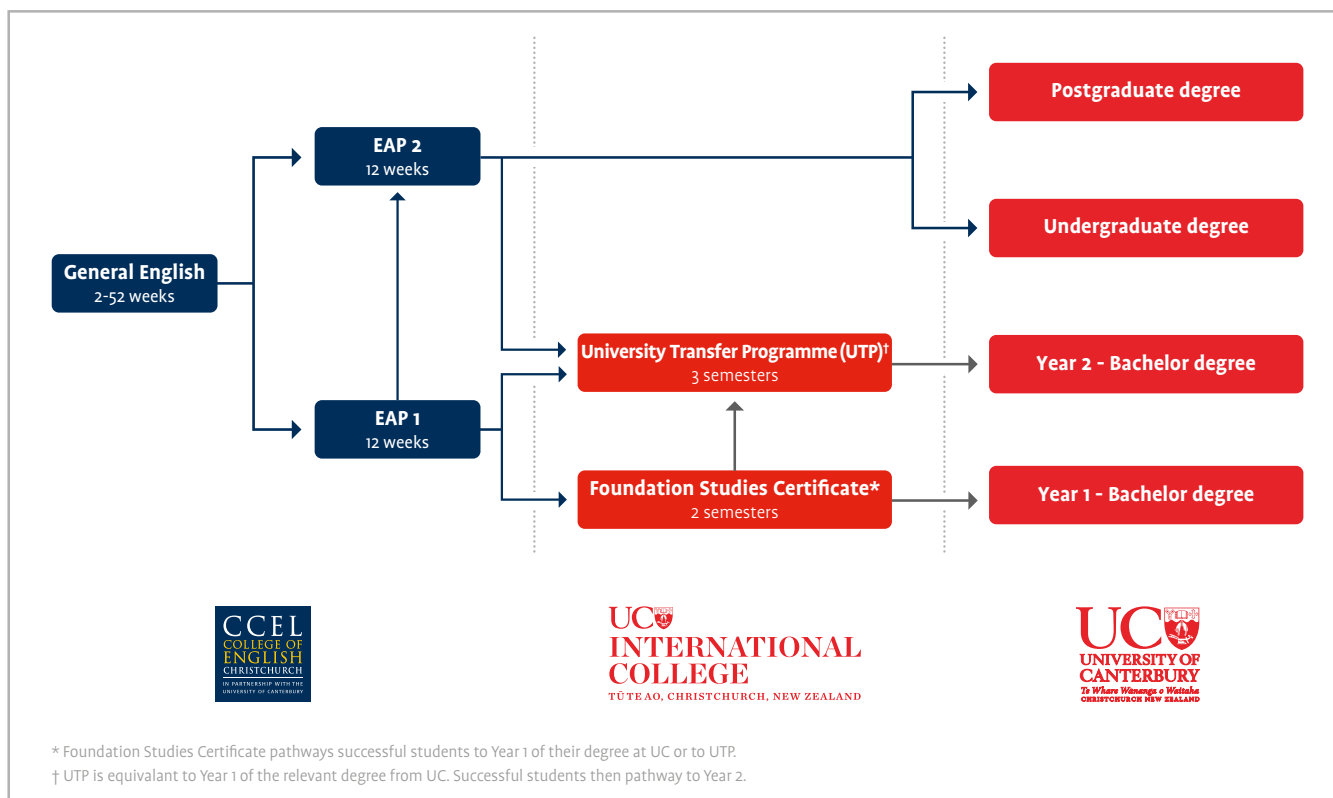
CCEL is UC and UCIC's official English language provider. Students who successfully complete an EAP course and meet the academic entry requirement can transfer to their chosen tertiary programme. Entry to UCIC requires passing an external test. Preparation for that forms part of the EAP Course.

About the University of Canterbury (UC)

- 1st NZ University to receive the 5 Stars rating by QS.
- Top 1% of Universities worldwide.
- Ranked #270 in QS World University ranking 2020/21.
- 26 Subjects ranked in Top 250 (QS World University ranking by subject 2020/21).
- Top 100 in the world for Linguistics (QS 2020/21).
- Top 100 in the world for Civil and Structural Engineering (QS 2020/21).

About UC International College (UCIC)

Located on the UC Campus, UCIC provides students an exclusive and direct pathway to the University of Canterbury. This innovative, one of a kind pathway in New Zealand, offers a supportive learning environment for a seamless transition into either the first or second year of the University of Canterbury's undergraduate degree programmes. UCIC provides a supportive and nurturing environment for international students.



Pathways (continued)

Entry requirements

[EAP 1 and EAP 2 entry requirements]

CCEL Course	Entry requirements (one of the following)	Pass requirements	Exit to
EAP 1	Pass grade in the CCEL EAP1 entry test*	pass approved test	University Transfer Programme (UTP) Foundation Studies Certificate
	IELTS 5.0		
	Cambridge PET pass		
	TOEFL 32		
EAP 2	Pass grade in the CCEL EAP2 entry test*	Grade C+ on EAP2 assessment (approximately equivalent to IELTS 6.0)	University Transfer Programme (UTP) via external test UC Undergraduate Programmes
	C+ pass in EAP1		
	IELTS 5.5		
	Cambridge FCE pass		
	TOEFL 46		
	Pass grade in the CCEL EAP2 entry test*	Grade B+ on EAP2 assessment (approximately equivalent to IELTS 6.5)	UC Postgraduate Programmes
	B pass in EAP1		
	IELTS 6.0		
Cambridge FCE pass			
TOEFL 60			

**can be taken prior to arrival*

How EAP assessment works

Students are assessed on a weekly basis through different methods:

- Tests: all skills, grammar and lexis
- Short assessed writing
- Oral presentations
- Extended writing assessments
- Assessed on-line component
- Presentation of portfolio
- For EAP 1, an external test.

Shared experiences

CCEL's activity programmes provide the perfect way to make friends and have fun.



Weekday activities and weekend tours include:

- Ski trips
- Whale watching
- Wine tours
- Sport
- Conversation Club
- Surfing
- Cooking classes
- Job search workshops
- Cultural visits.

Living

All CCEL student accommodation is carefully selected and monitored by CCEL staff. CCEL can arrange for students to live in a homestay with a New Zealand family or with other students in a student residence.

Homestay

Staying in a CCEL homestay is perfect for students who want to experience the New Zealand lifestyle and get extra support from their host family.

If you choose to live in a homestay you will:

- have your own room with a desk for studying
- share the rest of the house with your host family
- have breakfast and dinner provided every day plus lunch at the weekend and on public holidays
- be able to practise your English with your family every day.

University Student Residence

(Subject to availability)

The university student residence is for those students who want to share an apartment with other students in Christchurch.

If you choose to live in the university residence you will:

- have your own room with a desk for studying
- share the rest of the apartment with up to 5 other students
- have kitchen facilities where you can prepare your own meals
- live on the university campus (within walking distance of CCEL).



CCEL Christchurch

CCEL Christchurch is on the University of Canterbury (UC) campus. At CCEL Christchurch you can enjoy a university environment and the use of UC facilities.

Facilities



20 classrooms



Self-study centre



Free internet and Wifi



University libraries



University cafeteria & student lounge



University sports facilities





Christchurch Facts

Christchurch is New Zealand's second largest city with a population of about 350,000. Christchurch lies between the spectacular Southern Alps and the beautiful Pacific Ocean and is the gateway to the South Island.





In and around Christchurch you can enjoy:

- 
Skiing
- 
Golf
- 
Beautiful parks and gardens
- 
World class wineries
- 
Whale watching
- 
Mountain biking



UC International College

UC International College (UCIC) is CCEL's sister college. UCIC offers a direct pathway for International students who wish to study a Bachelors Degree at the University of Canterbury. UCIC is located right on the beautiful UC campus and offers students a truly embedded experience at their future university. UCIC students have access to the world-class facilities and services that the UC campus has to offer.

Students can seamlessly transition from CCEL, UCIC and on to UC in a supportive and nurturing environment, helping them to achieve their study goals and contributing to their success.

UCIC has a number of programmes designed to bridge the gap between high school and university that give international students a more personalised approach to their academic study.

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Programmes at UCIC

University Transfer Programme (UTP)

UTP is equivalent to the first year of the relevant bachelor degree at the University. It allows students to transition from high school and complete their bachelor degree in the same amount of time as students admitted directly to UC. UTP is designed to give students extra academic and language support in the important first year of tertiary study. Students will study the equivalent of eight academic courses (120 credits) over 12 months and pathway directly into Year 2 at UC.

Foundation Studies Certificate

Foundation Studies Certificate is designed to help bridge the gap between high school and university entrance. Delivered in a nurturing and supportive environment, students will study eight courses to prepare them for their chosen degree at the University of Canterbury.

Study Abroad Certificate

Study Abroad Certificate is a one-semester programme designed to give students a taste of what student life is like at UC International College. Students can choose three academic courses from one stream while experiencing the best of what New Zealand has to offer.



Why UC International College (UCIC)?



Progress to UC, Top 1% of universities worldwide

UCIC provides alternative pathways to realise your goals of attaining a UC bachelor degree.



Supporting your success

- Study with experienced staff in small classes.
- Academic study skill support throughout your programme.
- Having more hours with teachers and classmates will support your academic success.



Proven track record

- 98% of UCIC graduates have progressed into UC.
- Every year, many UCIC students receive UC First Year International Scholarships.



Many activities

Develop your English and other soft skills by joining activities at UCIC, such as Buddy Programme, Student Representative Council, Peer Tutors etc.



UC student from Day 1:

All UCIC programmes are delivered on the beautiful UC campus with access to world-class facilities and services.



Save time & money

UTP helps save time and money over the traditional foundation studies pathway programmes.

UCIC can also offer international students the option of beginning their studies online while they wait for borders to reopen. This can help students save time and money and stay on track towards their University of Canterbury degree. To find out more email: admissions@ucic.ac.nz

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CODE OF PRACTICE

CCEL has agreed to observe and be bound by the Education (Pastoral Care of International Students) Code of Practice 2016. Copies of the Code are available on request from CCEL or from the New Zealand Ministry of Education website at www2.nzqa.govt.nz/assets/Tertiary/The-Code/pastoral-care-code-of-practice-2021-english.pdf

IMMIGRATION

Full details of immigration requirements, advice on rights to employment in New Zealand while studying, and reporting requirements are available from Immigration New Zealand, and can be viewed on their website at www.immigration.govt.nz

ELIGIBILITY FOR HEALTH SERVICES

Most international students are not entitled to publicly funded health services while in New Zealand.

If you receive medical treatment during your visit, you may be liable for the full costs of that treatment. Full details on entitlements to publicly-funded health services are available through the Ministry of Health, and can be viewed on their website at www.health.govt.nz/

ACCIDENT INSURANCE

The Accident Compensation Corporation provides accident insurance for all New Zealand citizens, residents and temporary visitors to New Zealand, but you may still be liable for all other medical and related costs. Further information can be viewed on the ACC website at www.acc.co.nz/

MEDICAL AND TRAVEL INSURANCE

International students (including group students) must have appropriate and current medical and travel insurance while studying in New Zealand.

HOLIDAYS

CCEL is closed on weekends and public holidays. Please see the Enrolment Guide for the dates of New Zealand public holidays in 2024.

HOW TO ENROL

CCEL has partner consultants all over the world. Our consultants can help you choose the best course, and can also help you with visa applications and travel arrangements. Please contact us to check the location of your nearest partner consultant.

It is also possible to enrol directly with CCEL. Please complete the enrolment form in this brochure or enrol online via our website www.ccel.co.nz/

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We look forward to welcoming you to CCEL. We are sure you will enjoy your learning experience.

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● **Christchurch**

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