



UCL



**Spring/Summer English Courses
for International University Students
2013 Entry**

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Welcome to UCL, one of the world's leading universities, located in the heart of London



World-class

UCL achieves consistently high rankings in external assessments and league tables, including being ranked fourth in the QS World University Rankings.

QS World University Rankings 2012/13		
Rank	Institution	Country
1	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	US
2	University of Cambridge	UK
3	Harvard University	US
4	UCL (University College London)	UK
5	University of Oxford	UK
6	Imperial College London	UK
7	Yale University	US
8	University of Chicago	US
9	Princeton University	US
10	California Institute of Technology	US

Location

A central London campus offers outstanding academic, professional and social benefits. Vibrant and exciting, London's internationally renowned institutions, such as the British Library, are within walking distance of UCL. London inspires and UCL is at its heart.

Diversity

Our students are selected on the basis of their talent and potential. Over 35% of UCL students come from outside the UK and there is a cosmopolitan, friendly and inclusive atmosphere throughout the university.



The English Courses

The courses present a unique opportunity to experience student life at one of the most prestigious universities in the world.

Students receive high-quality language tuition and cultural input relevant to the interesting and exciting guided visits on offer.

These courses focus on work in the classroom and visits to a variety of London attractions.

Students will also activate and develop their English language skills in key areas of speaking and listening while expanding vocabulary and improving writing skills.

Taught at UCL's central London campus in the heart of London, the courses allow participants to experience London's historical past and present by visiting places of significant cultural importance.



Entry Requirements

Students are required to have a minimum level of lower-intermediate English to benefit from the course.

Applications from students within the following ranges of English are encouraged:

IELTS	4.5 to 7.5
TOEFL IBT	45 to 109
TOEIC	500 to 800

Experience London and enhance your English

Three-week courses suitable for university students world-wide wishing to improve their English during the Spring and Summer vacations 2013

3-Week Spring Course

Monday 18 February to Friday 8 March

3-Week Summer Course

Monday 12 to Friday 30 August

Tuition Fees

£1,300 per student



Course overview

Study and Activities typically offered.

Classes

- English Language Skills
- Communicative Language Practice
- Visit Preparation
- Presentation Skills
- Report Writing

Themes (visit preparation – sample)

- History of London
- British Art
- British Media
- British Theatre
- City of London

Guided visits (sample)

- Tate Britain Art Gallery
- The BBC
- A London theatre
- UCL Campus and Bloomsbury
- City of London

Additional Activities include:

- UCL Academic Lectures
- Exchange with UCL students
- End of Course Party

The Students

Course participants will be university students who are non-native English speakers and who are eager to develop their English language skills by exploring the rich diversity of London.

The courses enable participants to research an area of interest to them; this includes experiencing London's artistic, cultural and communications scene.





Application Process

Please complete the application form and Student Profile available at www.ucl.ac.uk/ssec. The form asks for details about your study of English and current university course, and there is also a short writing exercise to help us assess your level of English. If you already have an IELTS, TOEFL or other English language qualification, please send us a copy with your completed application form.

If your language level is suitable, you will be emailed a letter offering you a place on the course and providing information about how to apply for accommodation.

Accommodation

3-week Spring courses:

Private dormitory or hotel accommodation. (As this course falls during the UCL academic year UCL student accommodation is typically fully booked).

3-week Summer Courses:

UCL student accommodation is typically available during the UCL summer vacation.

Accommodation fees:

Estimated price per week per participant (dependant on requirements): £180 - £250

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