



**International  
House**  
Manchester



**➤ More than just an  
English school**

**English language courses for adults in Manchester and online**





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**“More than  
just a school”**

Filipe



**“It felt like  
my second  
home.”**

Gabriela



**“Words can’t describe the wonderful  
experience of English at IH in  
Manchester.”**

Eduardo

**“Best moments  
of my  
life.”**

Sheila



**“I gained confidence  
and self-esteem.”**

Jihan



**“A home where learning English is,  
above all, being part of a  
welcoming and diverse  
community.”**

Zunilda





# Why Manchester?

Manchester is one of the best cities in the UK for international students who want to improve their English. It is a big, modern city but also very friendly and welcoming.



It is really easy to practise your English and meet people from all around the world in Manchester! There are more than 100,000 students living in our city.



There are so many fun and exciting things to do in your free time! The city is famous for music, football and art. There are lots of live music venues, theatres, museums, shops and great nightlife.



In Manchester you have more money available to have fun. The cost of living here is up to 45% less than in London.



It is really easy to get around our city because we have a very good local transport network. You can also visit other cities in the UK by train or coach. Travel to Manchester is easy, too. Our airport has flights to many countries in Europe, Asia, the Americas and the Middle East.

You will quickly feel at home, because Manchester people are well-known for being so open and kind. There are also many opportunities to practise English in our exciting and friendly city.

You are  
amazing!



# In the Heart of Our City



The IH Manchester Team

Welcome to our  
adult only English  
school.

Located in  
Manchester city  
centre, the school  
is just a five-minute  
walk from  
Piccadilly Gardens,  
and close to all  
major transport  
links.



“The location is  
also fantastic since it  
is in the centre of  
Manchester.  
I really  
recommend it!  
**Emma**  
English language student

➤ Manchester has 3 universities, giving it one of the highest student populations in the UK.


➤ Art, music, culture, history, football, shopping, and nightlife! You'll find it all in Manchester!






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# General English Courses


 Face to face in Manchester  
(individual lessons available online)


 Group and private 1 to 1 lessons

 Suitable for age 18+

 2-25 hours per week - [see lesson timetables](#)

 Maximum 15 students per class

 Available all year round  
(apart from national [holidays](#))

 Suitable for all levels of English

## We want to give you the confidence to speak English well.

You want to be able to communicate easily and fluently in English.

We'll work to make sure you can use the language rather than just know it.

We want students to understand English grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation. But more importantly we want students to be able to use the language we teach when they need to use it.

## This course is for students who:

- love learning languages
- want to improve their English for personal development
- may study in English in the future
- need to improve their English for work
- use English for travel
- want to enjoy using English in daily life e.g. online, when reading, watching films/movies or listening to music

**“ I really felt that I had a family here in Manchester. ”**

**Maria Francisca, GE25 course**



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# IELTS Preparation Courses



Face to face in Manchester  
(individual lessons available  
online)



Group and private 1 to 1 lessons



Suitable for age 18+



2-25 hours per week - [see lesson timetables](#)



Maximum 15 students per class



Available all year round  
(apart from [national holidays](#))



Minimum level B1

## An IELTS course that works for you

You need that IELTS score for your university course, a visa application or a job. We know how difficult getting a good IELTS score can be, but we're here to help.

IH Manchester has helped hundreds of students to get the IELTS score they need. Our teachers specialise in preparing students for the IELTS exam. They understand the exam well. They know exactly how to guide you. Exactly how to make you succeed.

### Benefit from:

- Learning the language and test skills needed for the exam
- Course materials from Cambridge University Press
- Regular feedback on progress
- Additional writing homework set and corrected by experienced IELTS professionals



**I strongly recommend everybody who's taking the IELTS to train with IH Manchester teachers.**

**Nadja, 1 to 1 IELTS course**





IH Manchester student and staff

# Business English Course



Face to face in Manchester



Group lessons combined with 1 to 1 private lessons



Suitable for age 18+



15 hours General English per week  
5 or 10 hours 1 to 1 lessons per week



Maximum 15 students for General English classes



Upgrade your LinkedIn profile. 30 minute workshop with a member of our marketing team.

**It is always very important to make a good impression in your professional life.**

But, that can be stressful.

When speaking in English, it can be more stressful! Our Business English language course will help to reduce your stress.

Relax! With our help you can make an excellent impression!

**This course is good for students who:**

- currently use English in their job
- will use English in their future job
- want to improve their confidence in using English in the workplace
- want to improve their English skills for professional development

**On this course you will:**

- learn language for communication in professional situations; networking, meetings, negotiations, pitches and presentations
- learn language for written communication including emails, informal messages and reports
- develop reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills
- develop grammar and vocabulary for use in professional contexts





IH Manchester Director of Studies, Marie

# Private 1 to 1 English Lessons

## Private 1 to1 lessons



Face to face in Manchester and online



Suitable for age 18+



At a time to suit you  
Available all year round  
(apart from national holidays)



Suitable for all levels

Our live group lessons are interactive, fast-paced and effective, but sometimes you need more. You know where you want go and you know you need to improve your English to achieve your goal.

Private lessons can make things happen much quicker. Each lesson is prepared and delivered to meet your personal needs.



I love being part of the IH Manchester family and having the opportunity to help so many students as they progress along their English language learning journey.

**Marie Pepper, Director of Studies**



I love working at IH Manchester, the Team is so supportive and work really well together to make a happy school environment.

**Joseph,**  
**Director of Studies**



# Online Only Courses

IH Manchester Director of Studies, Joseph



Online



Private 1 to 1 lessons and/or self study



At a time to suit you (apart from national holidays).



Self study available any time

## OET and Medical English

Online study platform and Private 1-to-1 lessons

- including skill-by-skill focus
- test and language skills
- essential strategies & techniques correction and advice
- Multi-media learning

IH Manchester Director of Studies, Marie



## Online Self Study

Life is busy. But you can still improve your English with our self-study online English courses. Study when and where you want.

- full level (100-130 hours) or half-level (50-65 hours) of study material
- A wide range of additional tools & features

Option of additional private 1 to 1 lessons which include:

- speaking practice and feedback
- writing correction and feedback



# 40+ Summer Programme

A summer programme for adults aged 40 years and over who want to:

- ✦ improve their English in real situations
- ✦ make new friends and have fun
- ✦ learn about life in the UK

➤ Our programme is based on three main ideas:

## Connection



make friends with classmates and local people

## Useful English



learn words and phrases for daily life

## Local Life



explore Manchester and use English in real situations

Every lesson, trip, and activity follows these ideas.

➤ An Integrated Programme

General English lessons

Our special Elevate English sessions

An excursion or social activity in or around Manchester

➤ Elevate English

This part of the course makes classroom learning real.

Lessons are active, social, and practical.

Elevate English helps you use English for real purposes: explore local culture and connect with others.





# 40+ Summer Vacation Programme 2026 example timetable

Sunday 12 July to Sunday 9 August 2026

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>General English Class</b> 09.00 - 11.10	Starting conversations & meeting new people	Talking about your own life	Talking about travel experiences	Talking about long-term activities and personal achievements	Talking about future plans; encourages goal-sharing and curiosity	Full day excursion to the Lake District	Rest & relaxation Free time to discover Manchester
<b>Elevate English class</b> 11.30 - 13.00	<b>Socialising</b> British Small Talk Survival Kit Practising starting, continuing & managing conversations	<b>Professionals</b> English for meetings A Role play meeting	<b>Arts &amp; Culture</b> Turning experiences into conversation Preparing for your afternoon visit	<b>Local Life</b> Listening to local Manchester speakers from Manchester Histories	<b>Teamwork</b> Develop your English through a collaborative group task The Spaghetti Tower: Work as part of a team to build a tall tower		
<b>Experience Manchester</b> approx. 14.00 - 17.00	Canal walk	British Quiz in the school	Guided visit to Lyme Park	Afternoon tea at "The Richmond Tearooms"	Games Fun in the school!		
<b>"Good times, great food, amazing friends"</b> 18.00 - 21.00	Welcome Drink at Freight Island	Dinner together at Castlefield	Salsa dancing - come along, feel the music and dance! beginners welcome	Running group - join us for a guided run or jog around the city - all abilities welcome	Dinner together at Spinningfields		

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Elevate English class

11.30 - 13.00

Experience Manchester

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18.00 - 21.00

Monday



Starting conversations & meeting new people

Tuesday



Talking about your own life

Wednesday



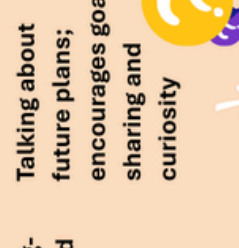
Talking about travel experiences

Thursday



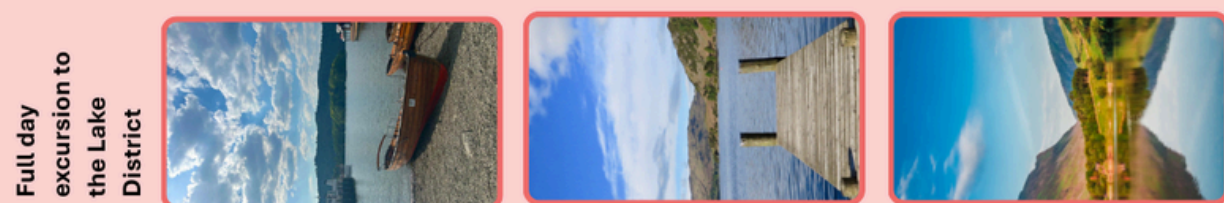
Talking about long-term activities and personal achievements

Friday



Talking about future plans; encourages goal-sharing and curiosity

Saturday



Full day excursion to the Lake District

Sunday



Rest & relaxation  
Free time to discover Manchester



British Small Talk Survival Kit  
Practising starting, continuing & managing conversations



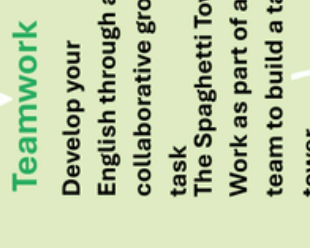
English for meetings  
A Role play meeting



Turning experiences into conversation  
Preparing for your afternoon visit



Listening to local Manchester speakers from Manchester Histories



Develop your English through a collaborative group task  
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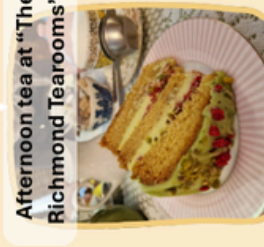
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British Quiz in the school



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Games Fun in the school!



Welcome Drink at Freight Island



Dinner together at Castlefield



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Dinner together at Spinningfields



IH Manchester students with homestay host

# Homestay Accommodation

At IH Manchester, we are very proud of our homestay accommodation.

We manage homestay ourselves, there is no third party agency involved. This allows us to work closely with our homestay hosts to ensure that you have the best experience possible.

Our hosts are experienced with hosting students from all around the world and are here to help you feel at home. We love working with our homestay hosts and they love working with us and hosting our students!

## What to expect in homestay:

- Homestay home shared with the host(s) and a maximum of three other students
- A single bedroom equipped with a bed and storage for your clothes
- Wifi
- A desk or table somewhere quiet to do your homework
- Fresh towels and bed linen each week
- English must be the main language spoken in the house



**I loved my host family and I'm really grateful for everything they did for me. They are lovely people. I'll miss them so much.**

**Swellen, IH Manchester student**



## Standard Homestay

- Age 18+
- Half board Monday – Friday, full board at weekends.
- Single room / shared bathroom.
- Sunday arrival and departure.

## Executive Homestay

- Age 18+
- Half board Monday – Friday, full board at weekends.
- Single room / private bathroom
- Sunday arrival and departure.

**Min. of 15 hours of lessons per week required for homestay.**

All accommodation is subject to availability.



# Student Residences

## Manchester Student Village (MSV)



MSV typical apartment, accommodation may vary.



## Apartments exclusive to IH Manchester students

Distance from school – 0.7 miles, approx.  
10/15 minute walk.

- En-suite bathroom
- shared lounge /kitchen
- Gym (free for residents)
- Games room & chill out space
- TV & PS4 area
- Study room
- Outdoor terrace spa
- On-site convenience store

### What's included:

- Bills
- Up to 250Mbps Wi-Fi included
- Basic kitchen/dining equipment



7 students per apartment. **Subject to availability.**



“The different activities offered by the school were good and funny. Thanks to the great teachers and their interesting courses. I recommend this school and the city to spend a good experience.”

**Julie, GE25 Course**

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# Social Activities

Social activities are available during the week and an excursion runs at the weekend.

Social activities can help you to quickly and easily make friends and experience Manchester and surrounding areas.

Many of our full day/ half day excursions are organised and supervised by Smile Adventures. IH Manchester staff do not usually accompany students on these Smile Adventures excursions.

## Example Social Activities

**Conversation Club** FREE



Wednesday 9th October

**Karaoke** £6.00



Thursday 10th October

**Snowdonia and Anglesey Adventure** £49.00



smile adventures  
Sat 5th October

**Discover Manchester Tour** FREE



Thursday 17th October

**Bowling** £6.50



Tuesday 1st October

**Lake District** £49.00



smile adventures  
Saturday 26th October



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# Student Reviews



Mauricio



I had the chance to study in London and in Manchester, in two different schools and cities.

I have no doubts that Manchester is definitely a city to be. And IH Manchester is for sure the best school in town! Manchester is a beautiful and vibrant city but also close to important cities like Liverpool or York. IH Manchester has a great staff that is always happy to help. And the teachers there are engaged to motivate students to achieve their goals. I had classes online and at the school building as well. I really recommend IH Manchester also for its location and great facilities.



Swellen



Studying at IH Manchester was an amazing experience for me. In addition to fulfilling my dream of studying English in another country, I had the opportunity to meet wonderful people in Manchester. I was very well received at the school and very well attended by everyone. The school also referred me to an amazing host family, the best I could have, which made my exchange experience perfect. The school's professionals are always willing to help and the teachers are excellent. It is worth studying English at IH Manchester. I highly recommend.



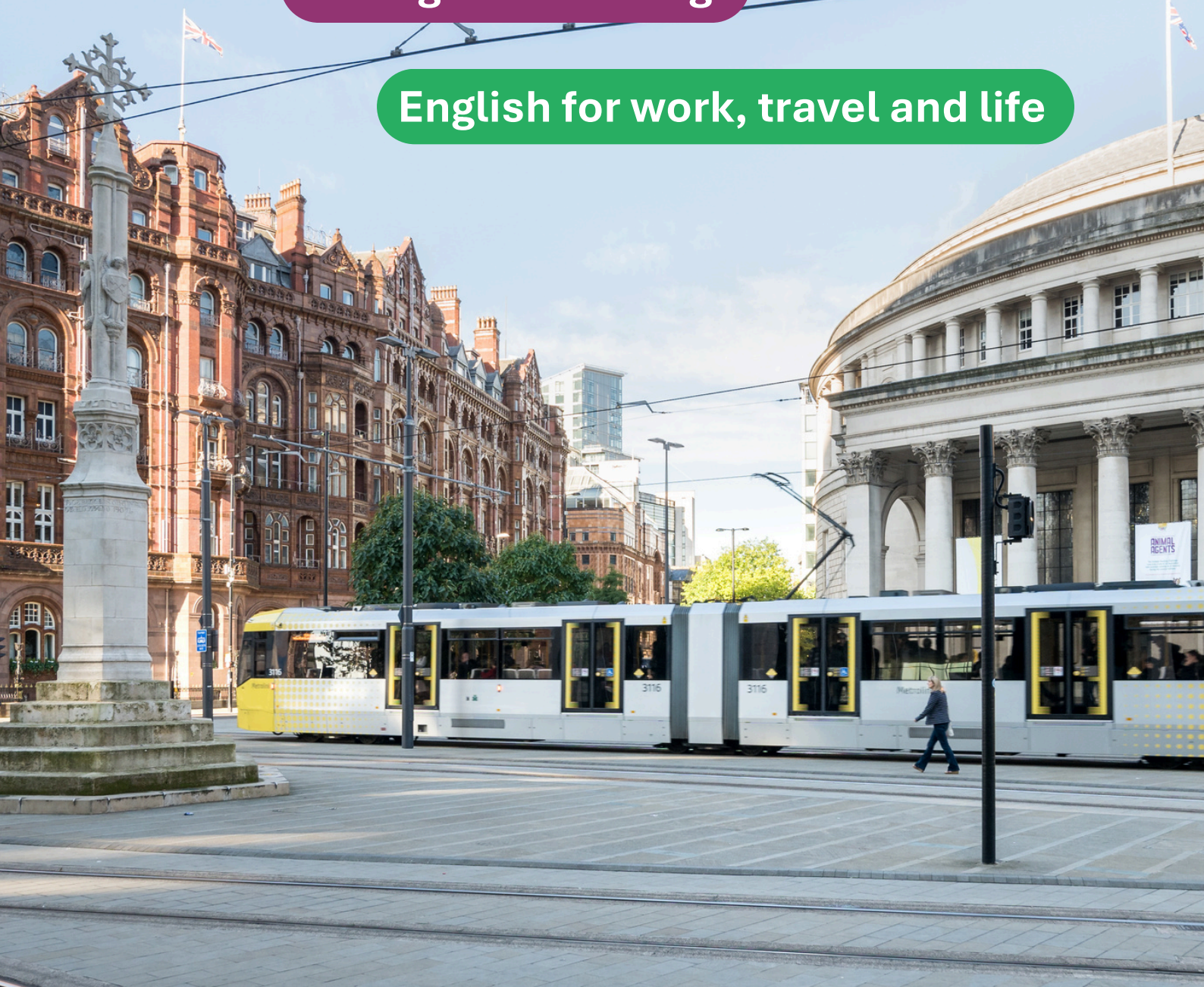
Check out our **Google** reviews!



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