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# ONLINE ENGLISH SPRING 2021

The University of Adelaide's English Language Centre offers a range of online short programs to meet the academic and language development needs of students, with opportunities to expand broader communication, leadership and intercultural skills.

Using online tools and video conferencing, students will be immersed in our virtual programs and guided by experienced instructors and academics.

Recently ranked number one for virtual programs in Australia\*, the University of Adelaide's English Language Centre is able to offer students a high quality interactive and engaging study experience.

*\*i-graduate International Student Barometer*

## Global Jinzai Program

3 WEEK INTENSIVE

15 FEBRUARY-5 MARCH

27 hours Virtual Classroom Tuition

12 hours Virtual project work with University of Adelaide students

This three-week program combines language development with authentic interactions with members of the local community, including University of Adelaide students. This program has been specifically designed to introduce and replicate the experiences that students studying overseas gain whilst onshore in Australia. Through live-streamed activities, students will have the opportunity to experience the city and people of Adelaide in an online environment.

Experiences include:

- Social interactions with Adelaide domestic and international students
- Project teamwork involving Adelaide students
- Live-streamed tours and interactions with members of the community
- A look inside the home of an Australian family and an in-depth exploration of local customs.

Objectives of this program include:

- Development of language abilities, especially in Speaking and Listening
- Increased communication confidence
- Greater understanding of cross-cultural communication

- Expanded high level communication skills including negotiation and presentation.

## General English for Academic Purposes (GEAP)

5 WEEK INTENSIVE

15 FEBRUARY- 19 MARCH

100 hours Virtual Classroom Tuition

For individuals or groups of students.

The General English for Academic Purposes (GEAP) program is for students who wish to develop their language skills at one of the most prestigious language centres in Australia. GEAP offers something for all students, from beginners with basic English skills to advanced students seeking high level tuition.

To ensure students receive tuition that is tailored to their level of ability, they will sit a short placement test before their first class. Students can study the GEAP as a standalone program for personal or professional advancement or to gain credit towards a degree in their home University.

Objectives of this program include:

- Developed understanding of the structure and function of the English language
- Developed ability to use spoken English in order to meet day to day needs
- Increased confidence in applying knowledge and skills actively

- Improved presentation of ideas in written styles, appropriate to language level.

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### IELTS or TOEFL Specialisation

Specially designed for students that are seeking to improve their IELTS or TOEFL scores, either in specific band scores or their overall score, the GEAP program can be tailored to focus on developing student's ability in these tests, in order to maximise their scores. Our centre includes instructors who are also IELTS assessors, and so students can benefit from the insights from these instructors on common errors students make, and what to aim for to achieve a higher score.



### Assessment and Graduation

Students will receive an assessment and grade report upon completion of their program. To mark the end of the program, a virtual closing ceremony can be held at the conclusion if desired by our partner institutions.

*Please note: these programs are non-award.*

### Student Support

We understand that many students may not have studied in the online space before. We offer a pre-program orientation for program participants so that they are able to test their equipment and resolve any technical questions prior to beginning their academic program. This also gives the opportunity for students to meet our friendly team who will be there to provide support throughout our virtual programs.



### ELC Social Club

Whether in-person or online, students love to interact with their peers from the University of Adelaide. Even though we can't meet in person, our online guided chat forums with local Adelaide volunteers and University of Adelaide students are a popular way to stay connected, and are an ideal way for students to learn about Australian culture.

### FOR FURTHER ENQUIRIES

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