



Course details

Course title

English for Learning and Life

Course code

Q00027290

Course date

Start: 10/09/26

End: 03/12/26

Number of classes

23 sessions

Timetable

Thu 10th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 11th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 17th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 18th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 24th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 25th Sep, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 1st Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 2nd Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 8th Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 9th Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 15th Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 16th Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 22nd Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 23rd Oct, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 5th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 6th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 12th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 13th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 19th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 20th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 26th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Fri 27th Nov, 13:00 to 15:00

Thu 3rd Dec, 13:00 to 15:00

Tutor

Shahnaz Ahmed

Fee range

Funding available - £360.00

How you'll learn

You'll join a small group of fellow learners for classes at the venue indicated. Some materials may be provided in our virtual learning environment.

Got it!

In venue

Venue

Longsight Community Church of Nazarene (
Toll Gate Close
Manchester
M13 0LG

Level of study

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Course overview

This course is funded by the Greater Manchester Combined Authority and is only available to residents living within the Greater Manchester Combined Authority area. English for Learning and Life is a pre-entry course designed to help learners build the early language, confidence and study skills needed for everyday life in the UK and for progression to the Get Ready for ESOL course. Learners develop essential skills such as recognising familiar words, understanding simple classroom language, and using basic English to communicate needs in routine situations. The course introduces simple reading and writing tasks, supports learners to build confidence in group activities and helps them develop early learning habits. It provides a supportive first step for learners who are new to English or new to learning.

Course description

English for Learning and Life is a 45 hour pre entry course designed for learners who are new to English or who need a gentle, supportive introduction to learning before progressing to the Get Ready for ESOL course. The course focuses on building early communication skills for everyday life, helping learners recognise familiar words, understand simple instructions and use basic English to communicate needs in routine situations such as greeting others, asking for help or giving personal information.

Learners take part in short, structured activities that introduce simple reading and writing tasks, such as recognising key words, copying familiar phrases and understanding basic signs and symbols. The course also supports learners to develop early study skills, including listening to instructions, working with others, taking turns and building confidence in group settings.

Practical activities, visual support and repetition help learners feel comfortable and gradually increase their independence. The course also introduces simple strategies for learning new words and remembering useful phrases, helping learners build the foundations they need for further ESOL study.

By the end of the course, learners will feel more confident using very simple English in familiar situations and will be ready to progress to the Get Ready for ESOL course.

What financial support is available?

We don't want anything to stand in your way when it comes to bringing Adult learning within reach so if you need anything to support you to achieve your goals then speak to one of our education experts during your enrolment journey. Most of our courses are government funded but if you don't qualify or need alternative financial help to access them then let us know.

What other support is available?

All of our digital content, teaching and learning activities and assessments are designed to be accessible so if you need any additional support you can discuss this with the education experts during your enrolment journey and we will do all we can to make sure you have optimal access.

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