



English Language Entry Requirements International Students (Postgraduate)

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JMC Academy's English proficiency requirements may be satisfied by meeting the minimum English test levels specified below. Alternatives are also listed below.

1. English Test Score Requirements

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| IELTS | Academic: Overall score of 6.5 with no single band score below 6.0 |
| TOEFL | iBT: 79 overall; minimum 20 in Writing |
| Pearson English Test | PTE: 58 - 64 |
| Cambridge English Test | C1 Advanced overall score of 176 |

| Online tests accepted: | Score |
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| IELTS Indicator (Academic) | 6.5 |
| TOEFL IBT Special Home Edition | 79 - 93 |
| Duolingo | 105 - 110 |

In recognition of the significant disruption to benchmarked English proficiency testing due to Covid-19, tests taken up to three years prior to commencement of a course at JMC Academy in 2022 will be recognised.

2. Alternative Evidence: Pathway courses

Students may evidence successful completion of, or achieving a minimum standard, a pre-academic English courses delivered by one of JMC's pathway provider partners.

Cass Training International College (SYD)

Grade B in the IELTS Preparation program (with scores equivalent to IELTS 6.5 or CEFR B2); or Distinction in the English for Academic Purposes program (with the same minimum scores)

Discover English (MEL)

Successful completion of CAE course, plus a recommendation letter from the Director of Studies.

EL SIS (ECA) (BNE, MEL, SYD)

Successful completion of EAP2 with an A Grade result

Holmes English Language College (BNE, MEL, SYD)

Completion of the HELC EAP course with a result of 65% or higher

English Language Company (SYD)

Achievement of EAP3 certificate following minimum 10 weeks EAP program OR completion of IELTS stream with internal assessment of reaching EAP3 level OR minimum 10 weeks Cambridge Exam Preparation course with an ELC internal predicted pass grade for Cambridge C1 Advanced.

ILSC Education Group (BNE, MEL, SYD)

Completion of 12 weeks of any of the following programs: EAP Program or IELTS Mastery Program (A1 level).

Impact English Language College (BNE, MEL)

Completion of CAE program, OR minimum 15 weeks IELTS/EAP Advanced Level to the required standard.

International House (SYD, MEL)

EAP 2 with a minimum grade Very Good; Cambridge CAE minimum grade Very Good; Cambridge CPE

Langports English Language College (BNE, SYD)

Achievement of 75% in the Langports EAP program.

Shafston International College (BNE)

Successful completion of 12-week IELTS A (Preparation) program.

Universal English College (SYD)

Achievement of an A grade in Academic English Preparation 3.

3. Alternative Evidence: Other

JMC may waive the English language requirement for applicants from some countries, however generally JMC recognizes the following as having satisfied the normal English proficiency requirements for postgraduate admission:

- i. Completion of one year of full-time post-secondary study in an English-speaking country where the language of instruction was English;
- ii. Completion of two years of full-time study in a tertiary education program in Australia where the minimum entry requirement was evidenced to be an overall IELTS band score of not less than 5.5 (or equivalent), OR one year of full-time study entry in a tertiary education program in Australia where the minimum entry requirement was evidenced to be an overall IELTS band score of not less than 6.0 (or equivalent)
- iii. Within the past two years, have completed program-specific alternatives. Please refer to the table below. These alternatives are reviewed at the time of application.

| Program | English language requirements |
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| GCE A Levels | C grade or higher in the General Paper |
| International Baccalaureate (IB) | Completion of IB program where the language of instruction was in English OR where the language of instruction was not in English, completion of English A2 or A1 |