

## English and Work Experience: General Option

English and work experience is a course designed to help young people and employees working in certain sectors where the use of English is important. These days it is becoming more and more important for people to be able to speak English well in the workplace. This course has two elements. In the mornings, the participants take a general English course designed to help them improve their communication skills in an international setting. In the afternoons or evenings, the participants do work experience as a volunteer in a local charity shop, NGO or similar organisation. This gives them a good chance to practise using English in a real working environment.

### Who is this course suitable for?

This course is for people who want to improve their English and practise using it in a 'real' working situation. They may be young people who want to work in offices, shops and other places where English is important, or they may be older people who want to improve so they can do their jobs better. As well as real English practice in the work placement, participants benefit from living with host families.

### What are the benefits?

- Improving your general English language skills
- Giving you practice in a real life situation
- Learning how to deal with colleagues in English
- Giving you experience of work in the UK

### About this course:

Course available for group and individual bookings. Please contact CESC for further information.

**Course length:** variable  
20 Lessons a week  
variable work placements

**Minimum Level:** A2 (CEFR)

Participants will cover the following elements :

- General topic based vocabulary
- Listening and speaking
- Feedback on speaking
- Awareness of grammar
- Talking to colleagues
- Talking with native speakers and other international students

Please review the course programme overleaf for full details of this course.

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## COURSE PROGRAMME



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9.00-10.40	Vocabulary building: Food and cooking:	Listening and Speaking: food and eating	Reading and discussing an article about food science	Listening and speaking about restaurants: Present simple and continuous	Review and test: Writing about eating habits in your country
11.10-12.50	Vocabulary building: Money and spending habits	Present perfect/past simple Talking about experiences	Reading about a business person's life: Discussing ways to overcome problems	Talking about changes: Present perfect and for/since Writing a summary of your life	Review and test: Researching and presenting information about a tycoon.
Afternoon	Work placement	Work placement	Work placement	Work placement	Work placement
Evening	With host family	With host family	With host family	With host family	With host family

### COURSE OUTLINE

The above is a sample, the topics chosen may be different according to the week on which you come.

### WORK EXPERIENCE

This will be in the afternoon in a local charity shop, or the office of a charity or NGO.

### ACCOMMODATION AND TRANSFERS

Accommodation and airport transfers can be arranged. Prices are available on our 2019 Course Price List.

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