

Port Douglas English Language Centre

Personalised language training for individuals and mini-groups



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THE CENTRE

Port Douglas English Language Centre is a boutique English language school providing high quality language tuition for serious adult learners and professionals. The classrooms are modern, spacious, and air-conditioned, with computers, video, DVD, and audio facilities

- Intimate and friendly learning environment
- Extensive reading and self study resources
- Student kitchen, showers, and balcony
- Coffee and tea facilities available all day
- Walk to the beach, the shops, and the marina
- Quality homestay accommodation



KEY FEATURES

- Start any day of the week
- Free internet (broadband / wireless)
- Free fax and email facilities
- All teaching materials supplied
- Free airport pickup from Cairns
- Bicycle available for your personal use

COURSES

- For adult learners at all levels
- Tailored teaching programs to suit your needs
- 25 hours per week face-to-face with the teacher
- Additional self study time available daily
- One-to-one options
- Mini teaching groups (1 - 6 students)
- More individual attention

fast-track language training programs for adults and executives

TEACHING PROGRAMS

Executive / Business English

The Executive and Business programs are highly intensive and are taught in groups of two to four students to ensure optimum results.

Elective A 30 hours per week

Content tailored to your professional area
25 hours mini group tuition
Group size: maximum 4 students
5 hours optional self study
Minimum age 24 years

Elective B 33 hours per week

Custom-tailored program
25 hours mini group tuition + 3 hours one-to-one
Group size: maximum 3 students
5 hours optional self study
Minimum age 24 years

Elective C 38 hours per week

Fully custom-tailored program
25 hours pairwork tuition + 8 hours one-to-one
5 hours optional self study
Group size: maximum 2 students
Minimum age 24 years

Intensive General English 30 hours per week

2 to 12 weeks General English - all skills
25 hours per week (face-to-face with the teacher)
5 hours optional self study
Maximum 6 students per group
Available for all levels

Examination Preparation Courses 30 hours per week

First Certificate / CAE / Proficiency / IELTS / TOEIC
Content focus on exam skills
Regular practice tests offered
25 hours per week (face-to-face with the teacher)
5 hours optional self study
Maximum 6 students per group

Live with the Teacher (Home language tuition)

One week, intensive private tuition
Fully customised program (15 or 25 hours)
Your own room and bathroom, swimming pool
Two minutes walk to the beach
All meals included
Two excursions included:
- day trip to Great Barrier Reef, and
- visit to Rainforest Habitat wildlife park



TEACHING SESSIONS

Morning

Session 1: 9.00 - 10.45
Coffee/Tea 10.45 - 11.00
Session 2: 11.00 - 12.00
Lunch 12.00 - 1.00

Afternoon

Session 3: 1.00 - 3.00
Coffee/Tea 3.00 - 3.15
Private Study 3.15 - 4.30

Evening and weekend study
available by arrangement



guaranteed small group tuition - no large classes

personalised english courses in a luxury environment



Paintings by Port Douglas artist, Tania Heben

WHO WE ARE

Port Douglas English Language Centre is a family business established in 1997 by David and Sveta Hurford, both British Masters degree qualified (TESOL and Applied Linguistics). We specialise in individually designed language programs in mini teaching groups. From our many years of English teaching experience in several different countries, we believe that studying in very small groups of 2 to 6 students is the best way for adult learners to improve their language skills. We use a wide range of stimulating and innovative language teaching resources and methods.

PORT DOUGLAS

A 45-minute scenic drive north of Cairns Airport, Port Douglas is a premier international resort on the Coral Sea in Tropical North Queensland. It is a cosmopolitan town surrounded by rainforest and beautiful beaches and is the closest departure point for the Great Barrier Reef.

What to do:

- Snorkelling and diving on the reef
- Visit Daintree National Park
- Play golf (3 courses in the area)
- Go fishing or sailing
- Rainforest Habitat (koalas, crocodiles, and kangaroos)
- Relax on beautiful 4-Mile Beach
- Tjapukai Aboriginal Theatre
- Horseriding, whitewater rafting,
- Visit the Sunday markets
- Mossman Gorge - swimming and rainforest walk

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