



New Zealand Certificate in English Language (General) (Level 4)



Domestic fee: \$2,596

International fee: \$7,290

Compulsory student levy >
StudyLink >

*Fees are approximate, subject to change and exchange rates

Location	Dunedin
Duration	Up to 17 weeks full-time; part-time options available
Delivery	On campus

Credits	60
Level	4
Start	February and July
Apply	Anytime

Want to improve your English skills?

Study English at Otago Polytechnic to prepare for further study, make new friends and experience New Zealand culture.

When you study with us you will:

- > learn English from teachers who are very patient and understanding.
- > work in small groups to practise your speaking.
- > meet native speakers and listen to guest speakers.
- > gain study skills through self-directed learning and group work.

This Certificate is for upper-intermediate English speakers who want to do further English-language or subject study in an academic context. It is a nationally-recognised qualification. It can lead to academic study at Otago Polytechnic, or you can use it to transfer to other study institutes in New Zealand.

Entry requirements

- > We will test you and place you at the right level when you arrive. You may not be enrolled into the Certificate level that you apply for.
- > International students need a visa to study with us for more than three months.

What you will learn

When you complete this programme you will be able to:

- > understand the main ideas and key supporting details of moderately complex spoken and written information for social and transactional purposes
- > participate effectively in sustained conversation for social and transactional purposes
- > write detailed, well developed and moderately complex texts

Your workload

- > 22 hours a week in class, guided by your teacher

> 10-14 hours a week for self-directed study

Additional Costs

You will need to buy the course textbook at the start of your course. This will be available from your lecturer for a discounted price of \$60.00.

Next step

This programme prepares you for further study in our certificate, diploma and degree programmes. We recommend the New Zealand Certificate in English Language (Academic) (Level 4).

Student loans and allowances

Student loans and allowances are for **domestic students only**. For information about student loans and allowances please visit the Studylink website. It is important to apply for your student loan/allowance **at the same time** as you apply for this programme, due to the length of time Studylink take to process. Loan/allowance applications can be cancelled at any time if you decide to withdraw your programme application or if it is unsuccessful.

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