

## UK English Language Requirements BA, MA

This table is supposed to give you an overview over the English requirements of our UK partner universities. Please note:

- The English requirements may differ depending on your study field and the specific courses you want to take. The table shows the minimum English language requirements. For more details, you can follow the provided links.
- Please consider as well, that a validity of a proof of English proficiency for 2 years means that the 2 years aren't expired before you start your semester abroad.
- The recommendations below are addressed to students who plan to stay for one semester and thus don't have to apply for a visa. English requirements for students applying for a UK visa might differ!
- Even though a partner university doesn't require a proof of English proficiency, you need one for our application process. This should be B2 or better and can be proved by FU language Test as well.
- Please safeguard yourself about any updates by the partner universities and double-check the English language requirements: This table is just supposed to give you an overview.

BACHELOR				
University	Link	Language Certificate (test/categories/validity)		
Cardiff University *subject specific: History	<a href="#">History (BA) - Study - Cardiff University</a>	TOEFL: 90	Writing: 17, Listening: 17, Reading: 18, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 6.5	5.5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 69	59 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: B2-C1	176	-
Queen Mary University of London *subject specific: politics	<a href="#">Undergraduate English Language Requirements - Queen Mary University of London (qmul.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 100	Writing: 24, Reading: 18, Listening: 17, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 7	Writing: 6,5, others: 5,5	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 76	Writing: 71, others: 59	-
		Cambridge: 185	Writing: 176, others: 162	-
Queen Mary University of London *subject specific: german philology	<a href="#">Undergraduate English Language Requirements - Queen Mary University of London (qmul.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 100	Writing: 27, Reading: 18, Listening: 17, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 7.0	Writing: 7.0, others: 5,5	2 years

		Pearson PTE: 76	Writing: 76, others: 59	-
		Cambridge: 185	Writing: 185, others: 162	-
<b>University of Bath</b> *subject specific: politics, business administration, economics, modern languages, physics, chemistry, mathematics, IT, sciences  *Study fields are divided into groups A-C, table shows group C. Please check to which group your study field belongs to.	<a href="#">English language requirements for qualifications: Category C (bath.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 90	21 per category	2 years
		IELTS: 6,5	6.0 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 62	59 per category	-
		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-
		Duolingo: 110	Literacy: 110, Comprehension: 120, Conversation: 100, Production 85	2 years
<b>UCL</b> *subject specific: anthropology, archaeology, geoscience, geography, politics, linguistics, history  *Study fields are divided into groups 1-5, table shows group 1. Please check to which group your study field belongs to.	<a href="#">English language requirements   Study Abroad at UCL - UCL – University College London</a>	TOEFL: 92	Reading/Writing: 24/30, Speaking/Listening: 20/30	2 years
		IELTS: 6,5	6.0 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 75	67 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-
		Degree of majority English speaking country	(see the list of countries on the website)	-
<b>University of Cambridge</b> *subject specific: languages and linguistics	<a href="#">English language requirements   Undergraduate Study (cam.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 110	25 per category	2 years
		IELTS: 7.5	7 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: C2/200	185 per category	-
		Cambridge C1/ 193	185 per category “plus an assessment by the Language Centre. Following assessment the University Language Centre	-

			may advise further action from the applicant (eg enrolment at one of the Language Centre courses, or completion of an IELTS test)."	
<b>University of Edinburgh</b> *subject specific: history, English philology, linguistics, politics  * language requirements depend on your major, table shows requirements for history. Please select your major (>degree finder>English language requirements)	<a href="#">English language entry requirements   The University of Edinburgh</a>  <a href="#">Degree finder   The University of Edinburgh</a>	TOEFL: 92	20 per category	2 years
		IELTS: 6.5	5.5 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: C1/C2: 176	162 per category	3,5 years
		Trinity ISE II	Distinction in all categories	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 62	54 per category	2 years
		Abitur: 12 in major course	-	3,5 years
<b>University of Essex</b> *subject specific: English philology, linguistics, politics, philosophy  *table shows minimum standard, please look up required standard for your study field, especially for linguistics scores might be higher	<a href="#">Undergraduate application information   University of Essex</a>	TOEFL: 76	-	2 years
		IELTS: 6.0	-	5 years
		Pearson PTE: 50	-	3 years
		Cambridge: C1/C2/169	-	5 years
<b>University of Glasgow</b> *subject specific: theater studies	<a href="#">University of Glasgow - Undergraduate study - 2023 Degree programmes A-Z - Theatre Studies</a>	TOEFL: 90	Reading: 20, Listening, Speaking: 19, Writing: 23	4 years 5 month
		IELTS: 6.5	6.0 per category	4 years 5 month
		Pearson: 60	59 per category	4 years 5 month

		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-
<b>University of Kent</b> *subject specific: business administration, literature, politics, anthropology, North America studies * language requirements depend on your major, table shows requirements for politics	<a href="#">English language requirements - Undergraduate courses - University of Kent</a>	TOEFL: 72	Reading: 18, Writing & Listening: 17, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 5.5	5.5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 48	48 per category	2 years
<b>University of Leeds</b> *subject specific: English philology, North America studies	<a href="#">English language requirements   University of Leeds</a>	TOEFLS: 88	Reading: 20, Writing: 21, Listening: 19, Speaking: 22	2 years
		IELTS: 6.5	6.0 per category	2 years
<b>Manchester</b> *subject specific: arts & humanities (philosophy, drama, linguistics, English Language/Literature), physics *table shows the minimum requirements, which differ due to your field of study.	<a href="#">Entry requirements   Exchanges   The University of Manchester</a>	TOEFL: 80	-	2 years
		IELTS: 6.0	5.5 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 169	-	-
<b>University of Nottingham</b> *subject specific: North America Studies, please check the required level for your courses in the document (Link to word doc)	<a href="#">Microsoft Word - english-language-equivalencies Jan 23 (nottingham.ac.uk)</a>	-	-	-
<b>University of Warwick</b> *subject specific: English philology, german philology, politics, archeology, history of arts, history	<a href="#">English Language Requirements (warwick.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 87	Listening/Writing: 21, Reading: 22, Speaking: 23	2 years
		IELTS: 5.5	5.5 per category	2 years
		Duolingo: 90	90 per category	2 years
		Pearson: 60	59 per category	2 years

* study fields are divided into groups A-C, table shows group A		Cambridge: C1/C2 170	165 per category	-
		Abitur: written 11	-	2 years
		International Baccalaureate: C/4	-	2 years
<b>Lancaster University</b> *exception: some science/mathematics/social work courses)	<a href="https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/entry-requirements/undergraduate-english-requirements/#standard-english-language-qualifications#standard-english-language-qualifications">https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/study/entry-requirements/undergraduate-english-requirements/#standard-english-language-qualifications#standard-english-language-qualifications</a>	TOEFL: 87	Listening: 17, Reading: 18, Speaking: 17, Writing: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 6,5	5,5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 58	42 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 176	162 per category	-
		Degree of majority English speaking country	(see the list of countries on the website)	3 years
<b>Royal Holloway</b> *exception: law, humanities, history, politics, languages, literature, politics, art, music * depending on your study field, please check again on the website	<a href="https://www.royalholloway.ac.uk/english-language-requirements/">English language requirements (royalholloway.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 88	Reading: 22, Listening: 17, Speaking: 20, Writing: 24	2 years
		IELTS: 6,5	Reading, Writing: 6, other: 5,5	2 years
		Pearson: 61	Reading, Writing: 54, other: 51	2 years
		Cambridge: C	-	-
		Duolingo: 115	Literacy: 110, Comprehension: 120, others: 95	2 years
<b>University of Birmingham</b> *Study fields are divided into groups A-D, table shows group A. Please check to which group your study field belongs to.	<a href="https://www.birmingham.ac.uk/international/study-abroad/study-abroad-incoming/applying.aspx">https://www.birmingham.ac.uk/international/study-abroad/study-abroad-incoming/applying.aspx</a>	TOEFL: 80	Reading/Listening/Writing: 19, Speaking: 21	2 years
		IELTS: 6	5,5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 64	59 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: C1 169	162 per category	-
		International Baccalaureate English: 5	-	2 years
<b>University of East Anglia</b>	<a href="https://www.uea.ac.uk/english-language-equivalencies-our-admissions-policy/">English Language Equivalencies - Our Admissions Policy (uea.ac.uk)</a>	IELTS: 6.0	5.5 per category	2 years
		TOEFL: 79	Reading: 18, Writing: 17, Listening: 17, Speaking: 20	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 64	59 per category	2 years

		Cambridge: 169	162 per category	-
		Duolingo: 125	115 per category	2 years
<b>University of Leicester</b> * language requirements depend on your major, please follow the link > type in your major > English language requirements	<a href="#">Undergraduates   University of Leicester</a>	-	-	-
<b>University of Reading</b> * Not necessary for one semester/ less than 6 months	<a href="#">Exchange Students - Study Abroad (reading.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 88	Listening: 17, Writing: 17, Reading: 18, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 6.5	6.0 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-
<b>University of Sussex</b> * language requirements depend on your major, please follow the link > type in your major > English language requirements	<a href="#">Undergraduate Courses, Degrees : Study : University of Sussex</a>	-	-	-

MASTER				
Universität	Link	Sprachnachweis		
<b>UCL</b> *subject specific: archaeology, geoscience	<a href="#">English language requirements   Study Abroad at UCL - UCL – University College London</a>	TOEFL: 96	Reading/Writing: 24/30, Speaking/Listening: 20/30	2 years
		IELTS: 7.0	6.5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 76	75 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 180	172 per category	-
<b>University of Birmingham</b> *subject specific: Business Management	<a href="#">International student entry requirements - University of Birmingham</a>	TOEFL: 95	22 per category	2 years
		IELTS: 7.0	6.5 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 76	67 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 185	176 per category	-
<b>University of Birmingham</b>	<a href="#">International student entry requirements - University of Birmingham</a>	TOEFL: 88	Reading/Writing: 21, Listening: 20, Speaking: 22	2 years

* Subject specific: Business Economics		IELTS: 6.5	6.0 per category	2 years
		Pearson PTE: 67	64 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-
<b>University of Glasgow</b> *subject specific: theater studies	<a href="#">University of Glasgow - Postgraduate study - Taught degree programmes A-Z - Theatre Studies</a>	TOEFL: 92	Reading/Listening: 23, Speaking: 22, Writing: 24	2 years 5 month
		IELTS: 6.5	6.5 per category	2 years 5 month
		Pearson PTE: 64	62 per category	2 years 5 month
		Cambridge: 176	176 per category	-
<b>University of Kent</b> * subject specific: literature	<a href="#">English language requirements - Postgraduate courses - University of Kent</a>	TOEFL: 95	Reading/Speaking: 22, Writing: 21, Listening: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 7.0	6.0 per category	2 years
<b>University of Kent</b> * Subject specific: politics	<a href="#">English language requirements - Postgraduate courses - University of Kent</a>	TOEFL: 95	Reading: 25, Writing/Speaking: 24, Listening: 22	2 years
		IELTS: 7.0	6.5 per category	2 years
		PTE: 68	65 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 185	176 per category	-
<b>University of Reading</b> * Not necessary for one semester/ less than 6 months	<a href="#">Exchange Students - Study Abroad (reading.ac.uk)</a>	TOEFL: 88	Listening: 17, Writing: 17, Reading: 18, Speaking: 20	2 years
		IELTS: 6.5	6.0 per category	2 years
		Cambridge: 176	169 per category	-